



Newsletter for the Parishes of:

Our Lady and the Apostles, St. Ambrose and St. Vincent de Paul

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Cardinal Nichols assures us that the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days is removed during these emergency circumstances. You can participate in these Masses via this Live Stream link:

<https://www.churchservices.tv/ourladystockport>

IN LINE WITH GOVERNMENT GUIDELINES, WE ASK THAT EVERYONE ATTENDING MASS WEARS A FACE COVERING

Date	Time	Church	Feast and Service	Mass Intention
Sun 13 th Sept	5.30pm 7.00pm 9.30am 11.00am 5.00pm	Vigil Mass Sat. St. Ambrose's Vigil Mass Sat. Our Lady's St. Vincent's Our Lady's St. Vincent's	Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Our Parish Family Ken Whitehead Patrick Melson Our Parish Family Our Parish Family
Mon 14 th Sept	9.30am	St. Vincent's	Exaltation of the Cross	SERVICE OF WORD AND HOLY COMMUNION
Tues 15 th Sept			Our Lady of Sorrows	
Wed 16 th Sept	9.30am	St. Vincent's	Ss. Cornelius and Cyprian	SERVICE OF WORD AND HOLY COMMUNION
Thur 17 th Sept			Ferial (St. Robert Bellarmine)	
Fri 18 th Sept	9.30am	St. Vincent's	Ferial	SERVICE OF WORD AND HOLY COMMUNION
Sat 19 th Sept			Ferial (St. Janarius, St. Theodore of Tarsus)	
Sun 20 th Sept	5.30pm 7.00pm 9.30am 11.00am 5.00pm	Vigil Mass Sat. St. Ambrose's Vigil Mass Sat. Our Lady's St. Vincent's Our Lady's St. Vincent's	Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Our Parish Family Our Parish Family Patricia Ridings RIP James, Breda & Michael Graham Our Parish Family

Please pray for:

The Sick

In St. Vincent's: We remember in our prayers all the intentions on the **St. Vincent's** Prayer Board. If you would like a copy of the list and have not received one by email or post, please contact Rowena on 0161 440 8619 or rowena.nield@sky.com

In Our Lady's: Mark Short, Marie Kenefick, Eileen Mains, Beryl Collins, Josie Vaughan, Diana Aldred, Michael Heath, Honora Hague, Victoria Russell, Sophie Mansfield, Mary Brett, George E. Smith, Vivienne Goostry, John Wynne, Edith Harper, Vincent Tracey, Ronald Fury, Veronica Gallagher, Aine O'Callaghan, Mary Murphy, Catherine Tracey, Kathleen Bond, Jordan Harris, Matthew Donegani, Alana Walsh, Jean Egginton, Mary Glindon and Sean O'Callaghan.

In St. Ambrose's: Mary Andrusiak, Carl Stanley, C. Wootton, Ann Wake, Mary Sein, Paul Thuoc, Barry Lloyd, Andrew Way, Mary Young, Paul Righini, Irene Walker, Veronica Norbury, John Holt, Imelda Judge, Veronica Lane, Joanna Winter, Pat Judge, Paul McClure, Helen Jenkins and Marie Hughes.

Lately Dead

Patricia Ridings (St. Vincent's)

Anniversaries

Darren Kiely, Brenda Conlon-Hope, Henry Heaney, Frank Reynolds, Francis (Frank) Lafferty, Raymond Littlemore, Lily Traynor, James Kenny, Mark Prescott, Harry Baker, Bridget Henahan, Joseph Kozlowski, Patrick Mullen, James Turner, Fr. Francis McManus, Bernard Anthony Davies, Amador Laude and Teresa Downey. May they all rest in peace.

Over the coming months, the Holy See has requested that certain annual collections are to be taken. The first of these is **TODAY**, and baskets will be placed in our three churches to collect donations for **Holy Places and Support for the Christians of Palestine**. With travel to the Holy Land all but stopped during this pandemic, life is especially hard there this year as revenue from tourism is the main source of income.

Please volunteer as we continue to need more STEWARDS for the weekend Masses, especially in Our Lady's. Please email or ring the Parish Office (admin@ourladyandtheapostles.co.uk or 0161 480 2489) to add your name to the list.

The announcement from the **Bishops' Conference of England and Wales** means that all **Baptisms, First Forgiveness, First Holy Communion** and **Confirmations** are postponed for the foreseeable future. Bishop Mark says it is likely that **Confirmations** will be postponed until 2021 as a result of the restrictions caused by this pandemic.

Zoom Meetings in St. Vincent's Parish next week: Community Sponsorship Meeting on Wednesday at 7.30 pm on Zoom.

For parents in St. Vincent's parish:

Reception Admissions 2021 Are you applying for a Reception place for your little one to start school in September 2021? Cheadle Catholic Infant School will be hosting school visits and tours in September, October and November 2020. Please note: these visits are by appointment only. To book an appointment, email: admin@theadle-inf.stockport.sch.uk

FOOTSTEPS IS HAPPENING! St. Peter's Parish is delighted to offer the next Footsteps event on **Thursday 24th September at 7.45pm** when **Mary Hardiman** will be opening the scriptures for us and talking about a 'God-shaped hole'. The event will take place in **St. Peter's Church in Hazel Grove**, rather than the parish centre and places will be limited. If you would like to attend, please send an email asap to footsteps2020@mail.com stating how many from your 'household'. The event will be streamed live on www.stpeterscatholic.church/webcam so you can watch it via the internet. It will also be recorded and available the next day just further down that same page under Recordings. So there are plenty of opportunities to follow our Footsteps! You can send your comments or reactions to Mary's talk to our email address during the talk or afterwards. We'd love to hear from you.



Olive Branch update: thank you to those who left donations. They were dropped off during the week and the Olive Branch were most grateful so please do keep up the good work. The staffs there have been delivering food parcels since lockdown but they're gradually easing back into more support and their food bank will once more open each Wednesday morning from 10am-12noon. If you prefer, you could drop off your donations straight to them then. Their Mental Health Self Support group will also be up and running from the end of September. Please do continue to support and pray for them.

Our Lady's Bonanza Winners for August, 2020: £50 Linda White (no.48); £10 Maureen Maguire (no.67); £10 Michael Cahill (no.53). Congratulations to our winners!

The **Catholic Certificate of Religious Studies** begins later this week. For more information please visit: <http://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/education/ccrs> and to register, email ccrs@dioceseofshrewsbury.org.

CAN YOU HELP US PLEASE? For those who are still self-isolating, we will be very grateful if you can continue to support our parishes either by taking out a standing order, sending a cheque payable to the parish, or making **online donations using these links:**

<https://investmycommunity.com/not-logged-donator/page/ourladyandtheapostlesdioceseofshrewsbury2127>

and this link can also be found on the **Our Lady's** Parish website.

For **St. Ambrose parishioners**, the link is:

<https://investmycommunity.com/not-logged-donator/page/stambroseadswooddioceseofshrewsbury2185>

For **St. Vincent's parishioners**, the link is:

<https://investmycommunity.com/not-logged-donator/page/stvincentdepaulbramhalldioceseofshrewsbury2608>

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