

Corpus Christi - Body of Christ

The beautiful feast we celebrated most fittingly last Sunday after the Diamond Jubilee Mass and close to our Titular Feast of the Sacred Heart is most warmly proclaimed in our new banner - thanks to Mary Park and Maureen Taylor who spent hours getting our two new banners just right. The Papal Flags will remain blowing in the wind until this weekend - thanks to Barry Diamond.

Monica Reade, under doctor's orders, was unable to attend the Jubilee Mass but, as you saw in the Parish Centre last weekend, she made me a beautiful fruit cake.

Concert this Sunday 25th June at 7.00 pm to celebrate Fr. O' Kane's Jubilee

It is a light hearted Variety Concert and a trip down Memory Lane.

Tickets £7.00 including refreshments

Licensed Bar open from 6.15 pm.



I have tried to count the number of cards, thanking me and congratulating me on achieving 60 years of Priesthood 1957 - 2017. Many cards are now arriving after the Mass with lovely comments like, "Fr. O' Kane. *Where do I start from 'Banners to the Buffet', 'the Homily to the Hospitality', it was a wonderful night of spiritual happiness and togetherness - almost like a mini Happy, Holy, Holiday.*" "People didn't want it to end - just like a child's birthday.

Help needed to prepare for the concert

The Centre will have to be prepared after the **10.30 am Mass** this Sunday - chairs and refreshments arranged. **Help needed** on Sun evening please to serve refreshments at the interval. *The choir will be getting changed!* **Help needed** on Mon morning 26th to take down the stage and put the room back to normal



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Twelfth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Father's Diamond Jubilee Mass

Priests who concelebrated the Jubilee Mass were astounded by all the talent portrayed on Friday - everything, everywhere, so perfectly carried out - such talent.

Yes, from the decorated church with fresh flowers and new banners, bishops and Priests dressed in identical vestments, to our team of Altar Servers who excelled themselves in different surroundings, readers, soloists, organists, musicians. The Offertory Procession with my brother Hugh and his wife, Breige representing a large clan in Ireland, helped by parishioners wearing their Bene Merenti Medals. The Youth choir who sang Panis Angelicus and Ave Maria so beautifully before Mass. All such wonderful memories.

Comments written by those who came.
"The Mass was beautiful, the hymns meaningful, the choir heavenly. Everything well organized, from the friendly and very helpful gentleman who showed us to our place, our daughter in her wheelchair, to the ladies who served the food and teas. But, of course, we didn't expect anything less.

Kind Regards"

"so many people took their part & did it to perfection."

"The hours spent preparing the Parish Centre - the boxed Buffet (400) for Clergy and people, totally enjoyed."

"Fr. O' Kane thank you for always being available over the years to attend seriously ill patients at the Hospice."(Hospice Staff.)

"The Church surroundings and Cemetery - not a blade of grass out of place."

I wish to thank everyone for their cards, masses, gifts, donations and good wishes.

I wish to thank Jeanette Shine for the 500 Mass leaflets and , of course for producing the Jubilee Concert this Sunday and all those who will be taking part.

✠ The Four Consecration ✠ Crosses

dedicated to the four evangelists, Matthew, Mark, Luke and John are lit this weekend to commemorate the Consecration of our Church to the Sacred Heart of Jesus -

✠ Feast last Friday 23rd June. ✠

	6.00 pm Vigil	10.30 am
June	Pat Shine	Christopher Howard
24 / 25	Fell Family & Catherine Cousin	Sheila, Jean & Lilian
Thursday St. Peter & Paul:		
	9.30 am John Welsh;	12 noon : Ged Sweeney
July	Margaret Pearson	Elizabeth Kelly
1 / 2	Crain Family Helen O' Malley	Mawdsley Family

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Website :

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Salford Diocese:- www.salforddiocese.org.uk

<i>This week in our Parish 25 June - 1 July 2017</i>					
Sun 25 June	6.00 pm (Sat Vigil)	10.30 a.m	Jubilee Concert	7.00 pm	Green
Mon 26 June	9.30 am - Weekday				Green
Tue 27 June	9.30 am - St. John Southworth Priest & Martyr	1 pm	Tues Club		Red
Wed 28 June	9.30 am - St. Iranaeus, Bishop & Martyr				Red
Wed 29 June	Saints Peter and Paul, apostles - Holy Day of Obligation				Red
	9.30 am	12 noon			
Fri 30 June	9.30 pm - The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman church				Red
Sat 1 July	12 noon - St. Oliver Plunkett, martyr (Red). 6.00 pm: Vigil Mass				Green

Mass Offerings

Lately dead: Charles Donaldson Cummings U.S.A. Bridget Hennessey, Dublin. Loretta McLaughlin. (Co. Donegal). Fr. Tony Duffy. Michael Flanagan John Butenas. Tom Curry. Gerard McLaughlin. Tricia Reid.. Ann Moran. John Dillon. Anne & Frank Giddins. Michelle Robinson. Anne Marie Howarth. Alex Givvons. Bernard Killen.

Anniv: Yvonne Fogarty. Gerard Molloy. Mary Ellen McHale.

Other Intentions: Louise Prizlack (ill). Diamond Jubilee. Special Intentions. Thanksgiving for recovery.

Please pray for:

Those killed and injured in the Kensington Tower Block fire.

Sick: Wieslaw Stefanski. Monica Reade. Kathy Pocklington. Joe Porter. Kathleen Tillotson, Kathleen Hornby Sweetie Singh. David Casey. Celia Thompson. Michael King. Mary Mason. George Hatchell. Leonard Jones. Catherine Rogers. Helen Brady. Norma Donohue. Bernice Woodhead. Stephen Noblett. Jim Bannon. Norma Donohue. Monica Leeworthy.

Offertory Collections

Envelopes 542.51

Loose 212.63

Total £755.14

Parish Development this weekend.

Second collection next weekend for Peter's Pence



Decoration in the Church and Sacristy

The tall columns, some radiators, all the skirting boards in the Church and the Sacristy will be decorated

Church open for visits to the Blessed Sacrament

A few people are most regular at visiting church each week, some daily.

Open Tues to Saturday

8.30 am - 6.00 pm



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Feast of Saint Peter & Saint Paul.

Holy Day of Obligation Thursday 29th June

On Thursday we celebrate the Feast of these two wonderful Saints both founders of the Church, St. Peter as the first Pope and St. Paul as one of the greatest evangelists ever. Both were martyred for their faith.

Masses: 9.30 am 12 noon

Two Ministers of Holy Communion and Apparators required for each of the two Masses.

Readers please see Rota on the back page.



Flowers ordered for the future

29 July	Mary Fogarty 4th Anniv 24 July	Sanctuary
31 July	Martin Broderick 1st Anniversary	Holy Family
17 Sept	Pat Nadin 2nd Anniv 15 Sept	Holy Family
26 Oct	Terry Freeman 1st Anniversary	Holy Family
28 Oct	Betty McGrath RIP 80th Birthday	Sacred Heart
28 Oct	Stuart & Sheila Radcliffe Golden Wedding	Sanctuary

Orders for flowers.

If you wish to order flowers to commemorate an Anniversary or birthday etc. please have a word with Jeanette at the back of the church. As you can see you need to give a good notice.

Hospital Chaplains

Springhill Hospice: 01706 649230

Royal Oldham Hospital:

Sister Moira 0161 624 1933

Fairfield Hospital,

Fr. Starkie 07979351744

North M/c Hospital 0161 720 2293

The Christie 0161 446 3097

Adult & Youth Choir Reminder

This Sunday you need to be here no later than **6.00 pm** to make sure that all your props etc are on stage before we open the doors officially at 6.30 pm.

Bring all your costumes with you and leave them behind the choir until needed. Do not leave anything lying about in the hall please.

Year Two Children

have already commenced their Sacramental Programme. They come to the Mass of their choice each weekend and come onto the Sanctuary.

6pm (Sat Vigil); 10.30am Sunday

Watch the Diamond Jubilee

Masson our website

www.sacredheartchurchrochdale.org.uk

Click (Live Church Cam) circled in red and scroll down to previously recorded services. 16th June 2017

Live Church Cam!

If you tried already without success please try again because there was a technical hitch which has now been resolved.

You can also Watch Masses live & read the Newsletter on our Website