

St Joseph's RC Church

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7th June 2026 – The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Mass Times and Intentions:

Saturday 6 th	5pm	Fr Liam Rooney SCJ RIP
Sunday 7 th The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ	9.30am 11.30am (with Gregorian Chant)	Conway Wright RIP People of the Parish
Monday 8 th	12 noon	Private Intention LH
Tuesday 9 th	12 noon	For all of our Benefactors
Wednesday 10 th	12 noon	Joseph J
Thursday 11 th <i>St Barnabus</i>	12 noon	David Whelan Jr RIP
Friday 12 th <i>The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus</i>	12 noon	The Ireland Family
Saturday 13 th	5pm	Susan Phelan RIP
Sunday 14 th Eleventh Sunday Year A	9.30am 11.30am (with Gregorian Chant)	Anne Brown Compton RIP

Daily Schedule	Monday - Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Mass	12 noon	5pm	9.30am (with Children's Liturgy) 11.30am (with Gregorian Chant)
Adoration	7am-9pm		
Confessions	11am-11.45am	4pm-4.45pm	On request
Rosary for Vocations	11.20am		11am

We pray for our sick: Jacobi Hill, Maria Sandiford, Jane Coupes, John McCormick, Michael Philbin, Linda Abel, Ged Gibbons, Robyn Gibbons, Laurie Glenn, Carmel Mayo, Anthony Healey, Margaret Runcieman, Ron Runcieman, Doreen Rowan, Mary McTigue, Oliver Gilsean, Michael John Ford, Roy Curran, Marion Williams, Celia Meehan, Nathan Hatfield, Angela Mullin, Keith Morris, Pat Morris, Lesley Morris, Maureen McGuire, Rosemarie Hurley, Bobby Henshall, Kathleen Grimes, John Wallis, Wyn Ah-Tou, Toni Wilson, Derek Boulton, Marcela Robinson, Cillian Gallagher, Noel Fowler, Lynn Newby and all those who are sick.

Recently Deceased: We pray for Maureen Burgess, Alan Quinney RIP and all those who have died recently.

Anniversaries: We remember all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Mass Intentions: Envelopes are available at the back of the church if you would like to request a Mass said for your intentions. Please post the envelope through the presbytery door once completed. If you require a specific date, we will try our best to do that date or as near it as possible.

Money Matters we received £656.61 in the collection last week. Thank you very much.

Card Reader: occasionally there are problems with internet connectivity to the card reader. If this happens and you cannot make your payment via the machine, you can pay by card online <https://donate.mydona.com/st-joseph-stockport> or scan the QR code.



Corpus Christi Procession: after the 11.30am Mass TODAY (Sun 7th June). Thank you.

CONGRATULATIONS AND WELL DONE CHRISSEY VORA: Chrissy completed the Manchester 10K run last Sunday in one hour, 31 minutes and 19 seconds. Chrissy raised £1,145.00 so far. Our grateful thanks to you Chrissy, God Bless.

Live-streaming: www.churchservices.tv/stjosephsrcchurchstockport.

NOTICE: To state that I Renee Marie Angeline and Thomas William Kelly are getting married on Friday 12 June in Rome and kindly request the prayers from the parish during this time.

Corpus Christi Vespers at Our Lady and the Apostles, Stockport: We warmly invite you to join us at Our Lady and the Apostles, Shaw Heath, Stockport, for a special celebration of Corpus Christi Vespers on Sunday 7th June at 7.00pm. The service will be preceded by Adoration and the Rosary, starting at 6.00pm, before we come together for sung Vespers.

New Diocesan Website: To mark our 175th Anniversary a new website has been launched for the Diocese of Shrewsbury. The renewed website is not merely a platform for information but offers a window on the life and witness of our Shrewsbury Diocese. The website can be accessed <https://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org>.

Footsteps: Thursday 18th June 2026 at 7.30pm. We're so pleased to welcome Rev'd Heidi Munn who'll be talking about 'Discovering the Sign of the Cross'. Rev'd Heidi is a curate at Norbury Parish Church and she'll share how she discovered the Sign of the Cross. Coming from a non-Christian home she will explain how she came to understand the importance of the cross of Christ and the ancient Christian practice of making the Sign of the Cross. All are welcome to come to our informal, friendly event in a café-style setting in the parish centre at St Peter's, Green Lane, Hazel Grove SK7 4EA where we serve light refreshments and nibbles along with a good sprinkling of humour. Footsteps provides a forum for all denominations where we can listen to and reflect on various topics as we journey in our Christian faith. All welcome.

The National Eucharistic Congress Adoremus will be held in London on Saturday 10th October. The day will begin with Holy Mass at St George's Cathedral, Southwark and there will a Eucharistic Procession from St George's Cathedral Southwark to Westminster Cathedral. If you would like to be part of the Shrewsbury Diocese Pilgrimage Group to Adoremus, please register an interest with Mrs Natalie Orefice via email: natalie.orefice@dioceseofshrewsbury.org.

Parish Safeguarding Representative: *is Rosemary Linnane. If you have any concerns about safeguarding of children or vulnerable adults, please contact Rosemary in the strictest confidence. Details on the noticeboards.*

Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14b-16a: Moses spoke to the people: You shall remember the whole way that the LORD your God has led you these forty years in the wilderness, that he might humble you, testing you to know what was in your heart, whether you would keep his commandments or not. And he humbled you and let you hunger and fed you with manna, which you did not know, nor did your fathers know, that he might make you know that man does not live by bread alone, but man lives by every word that comes from the mouth of the LORD. Do not forget the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, who led you through the great and terrifying wilderness, with its fiery serpents and scorpions and thirsty ground where there was no water, who brought you water out of the flinty rock, who fed you in the wilderness with manna that your fathers did not know.

Responsorial Psalm 147: O Jerusalem, glorify the LORD!

1 Corinthians 10:16-17: Brothers and Sisters: The cup of blessing that we bless, is it not a participation in the blood of Christ? The bread that we break, is it not a participation in the body of Christ? Because there is one bread, we who are many are one body, for we all partake of the one bread.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia. I am the living bread that came down from heaven, says the Lord. If anyone eats of this bread, he will live for ever. Alleluia.

John 6:51-58: At that time: Jesus said to the Jews, 'I am the living bread that came down from heaven. If anyone eats of this bread, he will live for ever. And the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.' The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, 'How can this man give us his flesh to eat?' So Jesus said to them, 'Truly, truly, I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. Whoever feeds on my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him up on the last day. For my flesh is true food, and my blood is true drink. Whoever feeds on my flesh and drinks my blood abides in me, and I in him. As the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever feeds on me, he also will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like the bread the fathers ate, and died. Whoever feeds on this bread will live for ever.'