

## St Peter & St Raphael, Stalybridge

Part of Tameside Pastoral Area in the Diocese of Shrewsbury (A Registered Charity)

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### St Peter and St Paul

29th June 2025

#### Mass Times and Intentions for the coming week

Sat	28th June	6:30pm	Mass - Sheila Kane
Sun	29th June	11:00am	Ann Fletcher - Anniversary
Mon	30th June	9:15am	St Peters Whole School Mass
Tue	1st July		No Mass
Wed	2nd July	9:30am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Thurs	3rd July	10:00am	St Raphaels - Class Mass
Fri	4th July	9:30am	Mass - Special Intention
Sat	5th July	6:30pm	Mass - Christine Stephenson
Sun	6th July	11:00am	Anne Hutchinson - RIP

### This Coming Week

**Tues: 10:00am** - Choir Practice in the Church **1:00pm** - Prayer Group

**Thurs:** Over 60s Bingo

**SANCTUARY LAMP:** is lit for the Parishioners of St Peter and St Raphael.

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:** please remember the sick and housebound in your daily prayers. If you know of any sick or housebound parishioner who would like Holy Communion, please contact Fr. Philip.

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** we keep in our prayers, Marie Meredith, Olive Davies, Winifred Standring, David Taylor, Paul Mazurek, Pauline Brayshaw and all our recently deceased and offer prayers for their families.

**FUNERALS THIS WEEK:** There are no funerals in the Parish.

**SOLEMNITIES THIS WEEK:** There are no weekday solemnities this week.

**CONFESSION:** Saturday at 11:30 - 12 noon or by appointment.

**BAPTISM:** We pray for our recently Baptised

**MONEY MATTERS:** The collection total for 22nd June £485.35. Thank you for your generosity

**COUNTERS** - Mary

## PARISH NOTICE

### St Peter and St Paul - (Page No: 180)

Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the great Apostles, St Peter and St Paul. Peter our leader in the faith and Paul it's fearless preacher. We ask that the Church across the world may always be inspired by the ministry of these great Apostles and Martyrs.

**Uniformed Mass (Church Parade) - Sunday 26th June** - The Rainbows, Brownies and Guides will be joining us once again this **Sunday 29th June** at the 11:00am Mass for Church Parade. The girls will parade their flags into the Church and will help with the readings and prayers and there will be a coffee morning in the Church Hall after Mass. Everybody welcome please support our Uniformed Groups. Thankyou

**Confirmation 2025** - This Tuesday 1st July our Confirmation candidates attend their final preparation meeting. Their Confirmation retreat is next Saturday 5th July 10:00am to 2:00pm at St Mary's Church, Dukinfield, in preparation for the Bishop's visit to St Mary's Church to confirm our local young people on Friday 18th July 2025 at St Mary's Dukinfield at 7:00pm. We give thanks for all the young people who have attended the course this year and they have been praised by those responsible for their instruction by the members of our Diocesan Youth Team. Please keep our young people in your prayers.

**Parish Pilgrimage day to Shrewsbury to Celebrate the Jubilee Year - Wednesday 17th September 2025** - The arrangements have now been made for this very special day at Shrewsbury Cathedral as we celebrate the Jubilee Year of Hope. The coach has been booked and the cost is £20.00 per person. There is a list at the back of Church to sign for those Parishioners who would like to come along. All are very welcome.

**Food bank** - Thank you for your continuing generosity in donations to the foodbank. All, dry, canned, packaged food and toiletries gratefully accepted and appreciated.

**Greystones** - Greystones need towels, either new or used. They have also made a particular request for toiletries, toothbrushes, toothpaste, soap, shower gel, shampoo, deodorant etc. Please leave at the back of Church marked for Greystones. Many thanks

**A message from the Lourdes Diocesan Pilgrimage Director** - Currently we have 15 seats available on the coach, 1 seat left on the pilgrimage plane, and 3 seats left on a flight from Luton (coach travel transfer included). Perhaps you would be kind enough to mention in your parish newsletter that this is the last call for any pilgrims wishing to travel to Lourdes with the Diocese this year, we are very close to now closing the bookings for our 2025 pilgrimage. Booking forms are still available on our website [www.shrewsburypilgrimage.co.uk](http://www.shrewsburypilgrimage.co.uk)