

# St Helen's Church

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**22nd/23rd June 2024**  
**Twelfth Sunday of OT**

**29th/30th June 2024**  
**SS Peter & Paul**

**Year B**

# St. Joseph's Church

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## St Helen's

### Sunday 23rd

10.00 am Mass for deceased members and friends  
 of the Myers family

**Monday 24th** 7.00 pm: Holy Hour

**Tuesday 25th** 7.30pm: Novena

### Wednesday 26th

**10.00am** Mass for Mary Scannell (lately dead)  
 Exposition after Mass until 12.00  
 2.00 pm St Padre Pio Prayer Group

### Saturday 29th

11.00 am Exposition, (Confessions from 11.20 am )  
 12.00 Mass for James Seddon (anniversary)

### Sunday 30th

**10.00 am** Mass for John Duffy (anniversary)

**Monday 1st July** 7.00 pm: Holy Hour

**Tuesday 2nd** 7.30pm: Novena

### Wednesday 3rd

**12.00 Funeral Mass for Joan Forshaw**

2.00 pm St Padre Pio Prayer Group

### Saturday 6th

11.00 am Exposition,  
 (Confessions from 11.20 am )  
 12.00 Mass for Pat Maher (lately dead)

### Sunday 7th

10.00 am Mass for Agnes Paul (birthday remembrance)

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### Saturday 22nd

5.30 pm Exposition & 6.00 pm Confessions  
 6.30 pm Mass for Emma Scott (lately dead)

### Sunday 23rd

11.15 am Mass for Ken Williams (birthday remembrance)

### Friday 28th

10.00 Mass for Paul Crossey (birthday remembrance)

**2.15 pm Funeral mass for Sr Aline Leonard**

### Saturday 29th

5.30 pm Exposition & 6.00 pm Confessions  
 6.30 pm Mass for Tony McKernan (anniversary)

### Sunday 30th

11.15 am Mass for James Roach (birthday remembrance)

### Tuesday 2nd July

**11.30am Funeral Mass for Barbara McKeon**

### Friday 5th

10.00 am Mass for Jean Lupton (lately dead)

### Saturday 6th

5.30 pm Exposition & 6.00 pm Confessions  
 6.30 pm Mass for George Quantrell (lately dead)

### Sunday 7th

11.15 am Mass for Peter Ruane (lately dead)

*United Morning Prayer—9.45 am*  
*Thursday 27th June @ All Saints with St Frideswyde*  
*Thursday 4th July @ SS Peter & Paul*

*Please remember in your prayers: Sr Aline Leonard,  
 Kate Daley and Bernard Houghton  
 who died recently*

**Anniversaries:** Andree Dubordieu, Kathleen Loftus,  
 Philomena Potter, Joseph Howard, Helen Brady, John Liddy,  
 Bill Turner, Stephen Ruane, Mary Symondson, John Dunne,  
 John Duffy, Irene Gaskell, Celia Ross, Cecil Bradshaw

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISHES:** Stephen Wilson, Christine Moore, John Murphy, Christopher Brown,  
 John Regan, Hannah Amelia Regan, Hugh Dillon, Rita Barber, Celia Bradshaw, Joan Bamber, Susan Natsheh, Peter Holmes,  
 Joan Doyle, Mary Cookson-Gower, Norah Byford, Ged Manning, Janet Kinsey, Stephen Deary, Carol Carroll, David,  
 Rachel Haney, Jean Tracy, Hagai Atzmon, Betty Walsh, Anne England, Joan Loveridge, Michael Callaghan, Alex Matthews,  
 Hazel Dempster, Kate Daley, Anthony Wright, Joan Bell, , Esther Matthews, Betty Laing, Maureen Finn, Bridget Kilbane,  
 Fr Strowbridge, Bernadette Hockenull, Archbishop Patrick Kelly, Elsie Lofthouse, Rick Johnson, Bernadette Crossey,  
 Chris Watts, John Eccleshall, Cathie Moran and 3 others.

### Thursday prayers - Peace in the Holy Land

Please **read** the changing **weekly prayer intentions** on the notice at the **back of church** or visit <https://sabeel.org/category/wave-of-prayers/>

### "I was sick and you cared for me..."

The Catholic Chaplaincy to the Liverpool Hospitals (The Royal, Broadgreen, and Aintree) is looking for new volunteers to join the team. Volunteers often enjoy visiting patients and their families on the wards. These visits can include praying with patients and bringing them Holy Communion, or simply having a chat. It is possible to volunteer just a few hours one morning or afternoon each week. Full training and support will be given. If you are interested in this very rewarding opportunity, please contact Fr Peter by email [peter.murphy@rlbuht.nhs.uk](mailto:peter.murphy@rlbuht.nhs.uk) or by calling 0151 706 2828.

### CAFOD—St Helen's

*Pray Fast Give*

It's good to celebrate success in any of CAFOD's missions, whether they be in development, education or disaster support.

A long term problem has been the deaths at sea in Liberian communities dependent upon fishing for their livelihoods. Estimates were that an average of 5 men a month were dying off the coast in the area closest to the capital of Monrovia. This impacted on their families and the wider communities and the loss of the boats involved was a major economic setback too. They have had to fish further out to sea to find fish and navigation back to land was a serious challenge. They would sometimes, if they survived a storm, even make landfall in a neighbouring country. CAFOD's solution was to provide each boat with a GPS device. This could not only guide boats safely back home but the fishermen could build up a picture of where shoals could be found by recording and sharing their positions. This makes fishing safer and more productive. Thank you for your continued support which helps to provide such life saving and enhancing programmes.

### FOOD BANK: JOINT UPDATE FROM ST HELEN'S/ST JOSEPH'S

Since the last newsletter, our parishes provided a total of 23 bags of food/toiletries/petfood, plus £150 in cash. In addition, using cash donations from parishioners via the monthly collections, St Joseph's SVP bought a further £250 worth of items most in need. We have been asked to concentrate on basic, simple to prepare, non-perishable foodstuffs, but particularly tinned potatoes, rice pudding, fruit and tomatoes, as well as long-life milk and powdered potato. Value brands are always acceptable.

Donations can be left at church or at 39 Ilford Avenue, L23 7YE or 1 Halltine Close, L23 6XX. Cash in envelopes, marked Food Bank, can be posted through either letter box or placed in the weekend plate collections.

Collections coming up:  
**S.V.P.— 6th/7th July**

**St Helen's Family BBQ**  
**After Mass on Sunday—7th July**  
**Hopefully outside! All welcome**

### "Sister Xavier Berkeley"

This is a book co-written by Tony Kwok, former parishioner of St Joseph's. From an early age Sr Xavier felt called by God to work with the poor in China. She joined the Sisters of Charity and was eventually sent to China and spent 54 years there helping the poor. For many Chinese she was the only mother they knew and they called her "Big Mother"  
FREE copies of the book are available in both churches.

### NUGENT CHARITY SHOP APPEAL

To remind parishioners of the very specific items they have requested: this includes shoes, accessories, hand-bags, books, jigsaws, DVDs, CDs, vinyl records and bric-a-brac, but they cannot receive toys, soft toys, furniture or electrical items. Donations can be dropped off at either church. They also need good quality clothes (only women's/men's, not children's), to be marked separately on the bags, excluding any stained/torn/excessively worn items and underwear, unless brand new.

### Merseyside Pax Christi Retreat: Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June.

'Non violence: the Way Forward for Christians'.

A day of reflection and sharing

led by Fr Chris Thomas. **Venue:**

The Irenaeus Project, Great George's Rd, Waterloo, Liverpool L22 1RD. Coffee at 10.00 for 10.30 - 4.00 Suggested donation £10 (£5 low income). Simple lunch provided. Enquiries and booking contact: [sheilacogley@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:sheilacogley@yahoo.co.uk) 0151 345 8137.

### Volunteer Your Teaching Talent

Are you a retired or part time qualified teacher? You could be part of the Cathedral's Education Service team! Come and help hundreds of schoolchildren and young people to learn about this wonderful Cathedral. 'It's a joy to watch children be amazed by the sheer beauty of John Piper's lantern of light and colour and be able to bring the Cathedral to life for the generations of the future'. Contact us at [education@metcathedral.org.uk](mailto:education@metcathedral.org.uk)

### What's on at Irenaeus.

Next COME AND SEE DAY 10:30am - 4pm on 6th July  
AGAPE MASS @ IRENAEUS 7pm 4th July  
ST. IRENAEUS FEAST DAY GARDEN PARTY  
5pm 28th June'24

For more information about all our events contact [jenny@irenaeus.co.uk](mailto:jenny@irenaeus.co.uk) or Tel: 0151 949 1199

Contributions for this newsletter need to reach the Parish Office **12 noon on Thursday.**

Please provide a contact 'phone number in case of query.

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