



# Holy Apostles, Rossendale

23rd Week in Ordinary Time

7th September 2025

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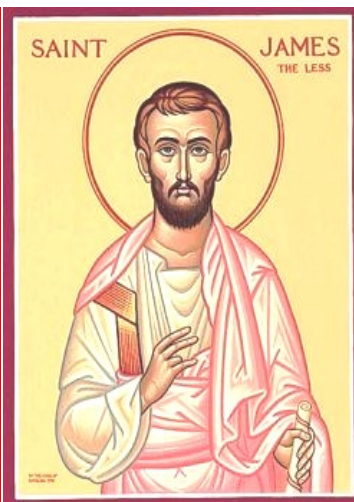
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## Masses in St Peter's

Tuesday 9th September	Holy Mass	9:30am
Thursday 11th September	Holy Mass	9:30am
Saturday 13th September	Holy Mass	9:30am
<b>Sunday 14th September</b>	<b>Holy Mass</b>	<b>9.00am</b>

## Confessions in St Peter's

Saturday 13th September 10.00am - 11.00am

## Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday 13th September 10.00am - 11.00am

## Readers at Mass

14th September 9.00am Fiona Heppleston

## Masses in St James the Less

Monday 8th September	Holy Mass	9:30am
<b>Wednesday 10th September</b>	<b>Holy Mass</b>	<b>9:00am</b>
Friday 12th September	Holy Mass	9:30am

Saturday 13th September	Vigil Mass	6.30pm
Sunday 14th September	Holy Mass	11.00am

## Confessions in St James the Less

Saturday 13th September 5:30pm - 6.30pm

## Readers at Mass

13th September 6.30pm Dawn Winfield

14th September 11.00am Paola Coe

## Masses Received

**Sick:** Roger & Ruth Dawes; Ian Butterworth; Andrew Wakerley; Jean Ashworth; Jean Lewin; Hattie Bowes; Claire Seymour; Lily Smith; Norma Blackburn; Matt Simpson; Derek Stephens; Beatrice Lacey; Carole Rowbottom; Anthony Whittaker; Mary Flannery

**Lately Dead:** Anthony Whittaker

**Anniversaries:** Mary Connolly; Joseph Tyrrell

**Other:** September Masses for Mary & Peter Connolly; Mass for a special Intention

## Baby George Brandon RIP

We offer our sincere condolences to William and Beckie Brandon on the loss of their baby George. The Funeral of baby George Brandon will take place on Wednesday, 10th September, in Burnley Crematorium Chapel at 10.00am. May he rest in peace.

## Welcome Back

This week, we welcomed back our three Parish Primary Schools and our High School. There will be welcome Masses for each of our Primary Schools in the weeks ahead.

On Thursday, 11th September, at 4.00pm I will celebrate a Mass for the new Year 7 children at All Saints.

On Tuesday, 16th September, there will be a Mass for St Peter's at 10.00am in St Peter's church.

On Wednesday, 17th September, there will be a Mass for St Joseph's at 10:30am in St Joseph's school.

On Friday 19th September, there will be a Mass for St James the Less at 9am in St James the Less church.

Please pray for our children and staff as they begin a new year!

### Mass on Wednesday

Mass this Wednesday, 10th September, in St James the Less will be at the earlier time of 9.00am. This is due to the Funeral of Baby George Brandon which takes place at 10am at Burnley Crematorium. Apologies for any inconvenience.

### Baby and You Group

Our 'Baby and You' Group runs every Thursday, 9:30am - 11:00am, in the Parish Centre at St James the Less. The group is open to parents with children from the ages of 0 - 12 months. Come and enjoy a hot brew, snacks and have a chat with other mums in a relaxed environment.

### Parish Lottery

This week's winner, drawn on 30th August, is number 16, Breda Collis. Well done Breda! **Any envelopes for 23rd/24th still outstanding, please bring in.**

### Children's Liturgy

Our Children's Liturgy will begin again for the autumn term on Sunday, 14th September, in both churches at the 9am and 11am Masses. Many thanks once again to our volunteers who make this possible for our children and families. If you would like to help as a volunteer with our children, please let Father Stamp know.

### Church Cleaning at St Peter's

This coming Tuesday, 9th September, after 9:30am Mass, parishioners will be cleaning the church at St Peter's. If you can spare the time, please do come along and help keep our church clean and tidy. Volunteers welcome.

### Parish Pilgrimage to Holy Island

Could I please remind anyone who has not yet paid that the final amount is now due. Please make cheques payable to 'St James the Less'. There will be a meeting for all who are travelling on our Pilgrimage on Tuesday 9th September at 6.30pm in the Parish Centre at St James the Less.

### Parish Centre at St James the Less

The Parish Centre is open for bookings for family parties and other events, as well as longer term bookings for groups/sessions, both in the daytime and in the evening.

If you would like to book the Centre, please contact Jeanette on 07960977464  
Or email: [jeanettepritchard5@gmail.com](mailto:jeanettepritchard5@gmail.com)

### Journey in Faith

Our Journey in Faith Group will meet again on Thursday, 18th September, at 7.00pm in the Parish Centre at St James the Less. We will continue to look at 'Scripture and Tradition' in the next session. All are welcome and refreshments are provided.

### Parish Coffee Morning

This Sunday, 7th September, there will be the monthly Parish Coffee Morning after the 9am Mass in St Peter's in the Parish Hall. Please do call in after Mass, have a cuppa and a catch up and support our Parish.

### Baptism Preparation Sessions

The next Baptism Preparation Session will be on Tuesday, 16th September, at 6.30pm in the church at St James the Less for any parents preparing for the Baptism of their child. Sign up sheets are now available at the back of both churches.

If you would like to book a Baptism please collect a booklet from Father Stamp.

### Parish Suggestion Boxes

Many thanks to all who placed suggestions and comments over the summer in the suggestion boxes at the back of both churches. I am in the process of going through all the suggestions and I will publish some of the suggestions and my own response to them in the next newsletter.

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