

Church of Our Lady Queen of Peace and Blessed Margaret Pole

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Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

They will not be convinced even if someone should rise from the dead

Mass Times						
Sat	27th	St Vincent de Paul				
		12.00				
Sun	28th	Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time				
		9.30	People of the Parish			
		11.00	Terry & Jane Lafferty Goden wedding			
Mon	29th	Archangels N	Michael, Gabriel & Raphael			
		10.00	Cath Mair+			
Tue	30th	St Jerome				
		10.00	Lindsey West+			
Wed	1st	St Teresa of the Child Jesus				
		10.00	Pat Whelan+			
Thu	2nd	The Guardian Angels				
		No Mass				
Fri	3rd	Feria				
		10.00	CWL			
Sat	4th	St Francis of	Assisi			
		12.00	Florence Marian Darby			
Sun	5th	Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time				
		9.30	Ernie Forté+			
		11.00	People of the Parish			

Tea & Coffee in the Parish Hall	after Sunday masses		
Children's Liturgy (Sign in requi	red) Sunday 9.30		
Holy Hourafter \	Wednesday morning mass		
Confessionsduring Holy	Hour Wednesday & at call		
Choir Practice	18.00 Monday in Church		
Psalter	Week 2		
Sunday Readings:	Year C		
Weekday Readings:	Year 2		
Baptisms	Contact the Deacon		
Marriages:	Contact the Parish Priest		
Rosary Group Fridays 10.30	when no Mother's Prayers		
Mother's Prayer Group	2nd & 4th Fridays 10.30		
Friendship Club	14.00 Fridays		
Safeguarding & Data Protection Officer			
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Cycle of Prayer: Ordinary Time: Summer

A deeper understanding between Christians and Jews, those who suffer persecution, oppression, and denial of Human Rights, Europe, human life, seafarers.



Dives and Lazarus, Leandro Bassano 1595

Inscribed on the walls of an ancient Persian temple are these thoughts:

Do not say all you know, for he who says all he knows often says more than he knows.

Do not tell all you hear, for he who tells all he hears often tells more than he hears.

Do not spend all you have, for he who spends all he has often spends more than he has.

Do not covet all you see, for he who covets all he sees often wants more than he sees.



Autumn Talks

We are holding a series of four talks on the Gospel of Matthew in the Autumn term. From the First Sunday of Advent we will be using Year A of the Lectionary and so for the coming year we will be mostly reading from the Gospel of Matthew in the Liturgy.

These talks will give us the opportunity to get to grips with Matthew as an Evangelist. The Talks will be in the Parish Hall at 19.00 with refreshments.

Infancy Narrative	3rd October	Father Alex
The Miracles	17th October	Deacon Roger
The Parables	31st October	Tony McCaffrey
The Passion	7th November	Father Alex

By doubting we are led to question, by questioning we arrive at the truth

Peter Abelard

Harvest Festival

On October 12th we will mark the Harvest and members of the Congregation are invited to bring items for the Foodbank.

Jubilee Year Pilgrimage

We will be holding a Pilgrimage of Hope walking from our Church to Sacred Heart Church, Bournemouth on Saturday 4th October 2025. With the usual conditions met it will qualify for the Jubilee Year Indulgence. All are invited and we meet at 10.00 in the Church Car Park. Bring friends and family, children too! Mass at 12.15, with refreshments afterwards in Sacred Heart Church café. Please sign the sheet in the narthex, so we can advise the Church of numbers for catering purposes. Any queries, contact Lilibet on 07967 228006.

Most of us spend too much time on what is urgent and not enough time on what is important

Support Your Parish

Contactless payments can be made by the machine in the Church. Cheques should be payable to 'CDP Bournemouth Our Lady of Peace'. For Standing Orders go the parish website for the form or inform your bank of our details: 30-93-04 00875180. Donations can be made online or through the parish website.

A Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle; be our defence against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all the other evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.



Octoberfest



Octoberfest will take place on Saturday 25th October with live music, great food and lots of fun for all. Come and join us for a great evening in your finest Bavarian Fancy Dress, with Andy the accordionist! £12.50 each to include traditional German style food and complimentary first drink. Licensed bar on the night. See sign-up sheet for more details. Any queries contact Nicola: 07966 222463



This Sunday is Harvest Fast Day and you are invited to donate to CAFOD in support of needy people in the developing world. Ther will be a retiring collection for CAFOD and envelopes are available at the back of the Church. There will be a Cream Tea at 14.00 in the Hall on Friday 3rd October in aid of CAFOD.

Repository - Christmas cards and diaries will be on sale from 5th October.

To one who has faith, no explanation is necessary
To one without faith, no explanation is possible

St Thomas Aquinas

Recent Collections

Standing Orders £405, last Sunday £267 with thanks.

Upcoming Second Collections

CAFOD	5th October
Foreign Missions	18th October
Bamenda Diocese	2nd November

Readers and Eucharistic Ministers

Readers: 9.30 J Oliver & C Web 11.00 T Hook, H Gardiner Ministers: 9.30 K Allen 11.00 L Hanson n/w Readers: 9.30 J Carr-Jones, 11.00 V Rochford, V Dybka n/w Ministers: 9.30 V Brooks 11.00 N Jean-François

Forthcoming Dates

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Talk	3rd October
Prisoners Sunday	12th October
Talk	
Octoberfest	25th October
Talk	31st October
Talk	7th November
Remembrance Day	9th November
Mass for the Deceased	
St Peter's School Advent Service	3rd December
Taizé Service	18th December