

St. Joseph's Catholic Church - Parish Mission 4th - 6th March 2024

Sister Briega McKenna, O.S.C - born in Ireland and at the age of twenty-four, Sr. Briega was miraculously and instantaneously healed during the celebration of the Eucharist. Some time later she received, in prayer, the gift of healing for which she has become so widely known.

Fr Pablo Escriva De Romani - born in Spain Fr. Pablo has ministered in numerous countries, including pro-life and youth work as well as leading retreats in war zones. He has a special mission to help priests renew their priesthood and has joined Sr. Briega in ministering to Priests & at parish missions.

3 days of healing: Main Mission Events 7pm

Mon 4th – Day 1: Reconciliation; Tues 5th – Day 2: Prayer & the Power of the Holy Spirit

Wed 6th – Day 3: The Eucharist “The Source & Summit of our Faith”

Concludes with Eucharistic Healing

(First night talk & confession - all other nights beginning with Mass at 7pm)

12 noon Mass as normal followed by talk

All welcome: St. Joseph's RC Church, Tatton Street, St. Petersburg, Stockport, SK1 1EJ

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The Apostles Creed

*I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried;
He descended into hell; on the third day He rose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from there He will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church,
the communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.*

Food Donations Appeal – Hope Central Handforth

Sadly, the need continues. Food Donations we are grateful for: Tinned foods (meat, pies, soups, beans, tomatoes, fruit, veg, etc), microwavable rice, cereals, tea, coffee, sugar, biscuits and also nappies). Please leave any donations in the box at the back of church. Alternatively, you may like to offer a financial contribution to the parish, who will then use your donation to buy food in bulk for the Food Bank. (Any cheques may be made payable to “Sacred Heart & St. Teresa’s Church”).

St. Teresa's Living Flame Prayer Group: Every Wednesday We meet in the parish hall between 11.15 am and 12.15 pm for prayer, scripture, intentions, rosary and music. All are most welcome to join us. For further information please contact: Marcelle Perch Tel: 07776343499; Mary Robinson Tel: 07505127451

Praying for the unborn and women facing crisis pregnancies “For all going through difficult pregnancies, we pray for an overwhelming sense of hope and joy to fill their lives, and for increased support to be given by their family, friends, and local communities. Lord hear us”.

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21st January, 2024 – The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Mass Times & Intentions

Saturday 20th – Vigil Mass	6.30 pm	The Parishioners
Sunday 21st – 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00 am	Celebrant’s Intention
	10.30 am	The Parker family
Monday 22 nd – St. Vincent	1.00 pm	Requiem Mass for Eileen Enright
Tuesday 23 rd	10.00 am	Private Intention
Wednesday 24 th – St. Francis de Sales	10.00 am	Celebrant’s Intention
Thursday 25 th – The Conversion of St. Paul	10.00 am	Celebrant’s Intention
Friday 26 th – Ss Timothy & Titus	9.30 am	Celebrant’s Intention
Saturday 27th – Vigil Mass	6.30 pm	Celebrant’s Intention
Sunday 28th – 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00 am	The Parishioners
	10.30 am	Celebrant’s Intention

Please Note

- Confession available on request after any Mass – please ask Father Anthony.

Aid to the Church in Need (ACN) - £100k4Africa Challenge

ACN is delighted to announce the success of our #RedWednesday “£100k4Africa” matched challenge, which will help struggling Christians on a continent that has seen a dramatic rise in violent conflict and persecution. We have reached our £100,000 target, unlocking a further £100,000, thanks to pledges by a number of generous benefactors. The funds raised will provide shelter, food and trauma counselling, as well as other forms of practical and spiritual aid for suffering Christians in Africa. Nine of the continent’s countries were in the ‘Red’ category – indicating widespread persecution – in ACN’s 2023 Religious Freedom in the World Report. Patricia Hatton, Head of Fundraising and Marketing at ACN, said: “There has been an explosion of violence in Africa in recent years, prompting ACN internationally to make this continent a priority.”

Church leaders have confirmed the killing of more than 160 people in Nigeria’s Middle Belt over Christmas, attacks which they say saw the “deliberate targeting” of Christians. The killing spree began on 23rd December and went on for four days, with 26 villages in Plateau State coming under fire. Speaking to ACN, Father Andrew Dewan, director of communications of Pankshin Diocese where the attacks took place, described how “people were summarily shot and killed”, with churches, clinics and grain stores torched. **Describing the scene in Tudun Mazat, which he had visited only that morning for Christmas Mass, Father Dewan said: “The attackers stormed the community in the evening, just about the time most people were eating their dinner...”** “Before people could raise the alarm, the bandits were already upon them.

You can donate here: <https://acnuk.org/get-involved/donate/> & selecting Africa from where you wish your donation to be sent to.

Diocesan Choir Festival – ‘Sing a New Song’

You are invited to come along and sing as part of a diocesan choir. Learn music throughout the day and lead the singing for Mass at 5pm. We will learn Schutz: Praise to you Lord Jesus, Schubert: Mass in G and more, on Saturday 24 February, 10.30am-4.30pm with Mass beginning at 5pm. At St Anthony’s, Dunkery Road, Woodhouse Park, Wythenshawe, M22 0WR. Refreshments and registration from 10.30am, rehearsals begin at 11am. Tea and coffee will be provided, please bring a packed lunch. The cost is £5 per person, payable on the day. Book by completing the form at <http://tinyurl.com/diocesanchoirfestival> The deadline for bookings is Friday 16 February. For more information contact reception@dioceseofshrewsbury.org

Coalition For Marriage Real Marriage Defenders face 7 years in Jail

Parents who refuse to let their children change gender and advocates of traditional marriage could face up to seven years in jail under Scottish Government plans to ban so-called ‘conversion therapy’. Under the proposals published last week, actions designed to “change or suppress” someone’s sexual orientation or ‘gender identity’, causing him or her physical or psychological harm, would be illegal. The plans would allow for pre-emptive civil orders, even where ‘conversion practices’ have not yet taken place. The new law would be an extraordinary intrusion into free speech, family life and religious liberty, and marriage would once again be the loser. We urge the Scottish Government to think again. If you would like to support us financially, you can donate at <https://www.c4m.org.uk/?donate>

White Flower Appeal 2024 – This Weekend

The Society for the Protection of Unborn Children (SPUC) will be holding its annual appeal this weekend.

SPUC’s vision is for a world where abortion is unthinkable. This year’s appeal calls for the Government to end the pills-by-post DIY abortion policy.

As well as ending the lives of precious babies, this policy lacks safeguards against illegal late-term abortions and puts mothers at physical and psychological risk. 86% of GPs are concerned that this scheme leaves women vulnerable to coerced abortion.

Please be as generous as you can to help SPUC defend unborn babies and their mothers by highlighting this urgent crisis.

Mass Alteration – Friday 26th January

Please note that Mass on Friday 26th January will take place at the slightly earlier time of 9.30 am.

Your Prayers are asked for...

Eileen Enright, who sadly died recently. May she rest in peace. Please pray for the repose of her soul. Her funeral will take place on Monday 22nd January at 1 pm in church.

Green Lane Roadworks – From Monday 29th January

Please note that United Utilities will be carrying out a sewer repair on Green Lane from Monday 29th January and there will be temporary two-way traffic lights in operation for the duration of the works which should take approximately 7 days to complete.

Lourdes by Jumbulance

There are two pilgrimages to Lourdes by Jumbulance in 2024 from Shrewsbury departing from Wirral and Chester. A Jumbulance is literally a Jumbo-Ambulance. It has seven beds on board, spacious seating, an accessible toilet and kitchen. We can take very sick or disabled pilgrims including those needing palliative care including cancer, MND, MS, stroke, etc. We stay in a four star hotel with excellent facilities to care for them and recruit a team of nurses and helpers to do so. The experience for younger helpers is good for the CV, especially those considering a career in health or social care. We all do a DBS. Everyone must be COVID vaccinated.

The dates are Thu 30th May to Sat 8th June and Thu 15th to Sat 24th August.

The cost is £1,095 and, as a charity, we are all asked to pay. However, nurses and young helpers under 25 in FTE, pay half. We do fund raising to help support those who cannot afford the full amount. Travel Insurance is available at just £70, which is a snip for those with multiple health problems! Visit our website and read Bev’s story. www.across.org.uk/?s=AJ For further information contact Tony Murphy on 07881-656-974 or tonymurphy2002@yahoo.co.uk