



Holy Apostles and Martyrs Parish

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Sixth Sunday of Easter

Pope Leo's prayer intention for the month of May

Let us pray that everyone, from large producers to small consumers, be committed to avoid wasting food, and to ensure that everyone has access to quality food.

Please note Baptism Preparation this Sunday at 2.00pm and Faith Sharing Group this Tuesday at 7.30pm.

Parish BBQ

Save the date Sunday 5th July after 11am Mass. Helpers are needed to contribute in many ways to make this a success. To volunteer please email ham.parishadmin@gmail.com with name and contact number.

Diocesan Marriage Mass 2026

This will take place on Saturday 13th June, 12 noon at St Columba's Church, Plas Newton Lane, Chester CH2 1SA. If you are celebrating a special wedding anniversary in 2026 or were married within the last year you can apply for an invitation from the Bishop. Please send your details to the parish email including names, address and which anniversary you are celebrating. The closing date to receive an invitation is Friday 22nd May 2026.

Youth Matters

18 – 25 years' old and looking for a gap year within a vibrant community of young Catholics? Applications are now open to join the Kenelm Youth Ministry Team at Alton Castle and Soli in Staffordshire. Develop your faith alongside training in leadership skills, outdoor pursuits and ministering to young people. See

<https://www.kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk/youthministryteam>

Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage 2026

The Pilgrimage Team are very pleased to announce that bookings are now open for our 2026 75th Anniversary Pilgrimage to Lourdes. By coach 30 July-7 August and by air 31 July-6 August. Brochures can be found on the pilgrimage website www.shrewsburypilgrimage.co.uk along with a link to the new online booking system.

Praying the Rosary in the month of May

May is the month of Mary and the Rosary will be prayed each Tuesday evening at 6.15pm before evening Mass. Please come along and join in. Prayer cards and Rosary beads will be available to help you.

10th May 2026

6th Sunday of Easter

Year A

Psalter Week III

First Reading

Acts 8: 5-8, 14-17

Response to Psalm

Cry out with joy to God, all the earth.

Second Reading

1 Peter 3: 15-18

Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia. If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, says the Lord, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him. Alleluia.

Gospel

John 14: 15-21

Please pray for all the sick and housebound in our Parish. May the Lord through His love and mercy help them with the grace of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Rest in Peace

Please pray for all who have died recently, especially **Peter Fogg** and all those whose anniversaries occur around this time.

Contacts

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Our Parish SVP Conference

Helps anyone in our community who needs some kind of support.

Please email

ham.svpconference@gmail.com

and we will get back to you as soon as possible.

UCM Evening Group will meet on 12th May after Holy Mass. All are welcome.

Finance The Offerings for last weekend totalled £384, plus £444 in standing orders. Many thanks for your continued generosity.

Parenting Teenagers

Please see <https://www.celebratetrust.org/faith-parenting> for info about their webinars, the next one being 2nd June, on raising teenagers in a Catholic family.



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Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday St Athanasius

Saturday Vigil 6.00pm (People of the Parish)

Sixth Sunday of Easter 9.30am (All Chaplains)

11.00am (Peter Fogg RIP)

Monday 9.30am (Pope's Intentions)

Tuesday 6.45pm (Children and Young People preparing for First Communion and Confirmation)

Wednesday 9.30am (Catechists)

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9.30am (Aiden Hampson Intention)

7.00pm (Our Schools)

Friday 9.30am (Vocations)

Saturday Vigil 6.00pm (People of the Parish)

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Special Day of Prayer for World Communications

9.30am (All in Church Media)

11.00am (Peter Fogg RIP)

Forming Catholic Student Leaders

Two summer courses exploring faith, ethics and leadership for sixth form students, offered by the Christian Heritage Centre at Stonyhurst. Join us for 6 days in the beautiful Ribble Valley to explore themes linked to The Common Good (Year 12, 10-15 August) and to The Human Ecology (Year 13, 5-10 July). Meet new friends, discuss and share with peers, tutors and academics, learn new skills, develop your relationship with Christ, build your character. www.christianleadershipformation.com

CAFOD: Stand with Sudan. Give monthly

On the third anniversary of the war in Sudan, Kayode Akintola, CAFOD's Head of Region for Africa, asks for your help: *"So many of our sisters and brothers in Sudan are facing increasing violence, hunger, and disease. That is why today, I'm asking you to consider setting up a regular gift to support families who are fleeing the violence – with food, safe water and other vital support. Monthly gifts are an act of steady love for our neighbours, a way of saying: we will not abandon you, we will stand with you until peace is restored."* Donate at cafod.org.uk/StandWithSudan

Family Catholic Charismatic conferences

NEW DAWN weekend at All Saints, Urmston, Manchester in May <https://princeofpeace.org.uk/new-dawn> and **CELEBRATE** with residential & camping accommodation at Worth Abbey in August: www.celebratefestival.org Spaces for accommodation are limited.