

## Opening Times of the Church this week

**Sunday:** 8.30am—6.30pm

**Monday to Friday:** 7.30am—4.30pm

**Saturday & Sunday:** 9.00am—6.30pm

## Times of Holy Mass

**Sunday:** 9.15am, 11.00am and 5.30pm

**Monday to Friday:** 8.00am and 12.10pm

**Saturday:** 10.00am & 5.30pm (Vigil Mass)

## Holy Days of Obligation

8.00am, 10am (Term time only), 12.10pm, 7.30pm

## Times of Confession

**Monday to Friday:** 11.30am—11.55am

**Saturday:** 10.30am—11.25am and 4.45pm—5.15pm

## Times of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

**Monday to Friday:** 11.30am—12.00noon

**Saturday:** 10.30am—11.30am

Join our live streamed services at

[www.salfordcathedral.co.uk](http://www.salfordcathedral.co.uk)

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**Open Monday to Friday 8.30am-4.30pm**

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## LITURGIES AND INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

<b>Sunday 12th July</b> <i>Sea Sunday</i> 15th Sunday of Ordinary time	9.15am	Rita Mills (LD)
	11.00am	George & Norah Manchester Carlos Vucetich Vargas & Virginia Donayre Chavez (SI)
	2.00pm Chinese Mass	Priest's Intention
	5.30pm	People of the Parish
<b>Monday 13th July</b>	8.00am	Mrs Chigozie Maduke (SI)
	12.10pm	Emmanuel Odiete (SI)
<b>Tuesday 14th July</b> Weekday	8.00am	Rita Mills (LD)
	12.10pm	Ruth Durham (SI)
<b>Wednesday 15th July</b> Weekday	8.00am	Rita Mills (LD)
	12.10pm	John Ward (A) Bridget Ward (SI)
<b>Thursday 16th July</b> <i>Our Lady of Mount Carmel</i>	8.00am	Emmanuel Odiete (SI)
	12.00noon Solemn Mass for the Dedication of the new Altar	Bishop's Intention
<b>Friday 17th July</b> Weekday	8.00am	Okechukwu Ekendilichukwu Oji
	12.10pm	Lilian Iheonra Njoku
<b>Saturday 18th July</b> <i>St Benedict</i>	10.00am	Emmanuel Odiete (SI)
	5.30pm	Mrs Chigozie Maduke (SI)
<b>Sunday 19th July</b> 16th Sunday of Ordinary time	9.15am	Okechukwu Ekendilichukwu Oji
	11.00am	People of the Parish
	5.30pm	Lilian Iheonra Njoku



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**CATHEDRAL PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

We are a Roman Catholic community, which welcomes everyone. As members of the Family of God, strengthened by the sacraments and guided by the Holy Spirit, we strive to build a safe and loving parish. We nourish our community through the celebration of the Holy Eucharist, by the Word of God and Catholic social teaching, following the commission of Our Lord Jesus Christ to "go out to the whole world and proclaim the Good news." Mark 16:15

**The Sacraments of Baptism and Marriage**

All enquiries for the Sacraments of Baptism and Marriage must be made directly through the parish office.

**A minimum of 6 months notice must be given for Marriage and a minimum of 2 months notice must be given for Baptisms.**

Please contact the parish secretary via email at [enquiries@salfordcathedral.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@salfordcathedral.co.uk) or on 0161 817 2210 during office hours: Monday to Friday, from 8.30am - 4.30pm.

**Offertory collection**

5th July 2026 £ 1336.26

**Thank you for your continued generosity**

**Donating Online**

If you would like to make your Offertory donation online, you may scan the QR code below.

You may also download a standing order form from the QR code, if you would prefer to make your donation that way going forward.



**Salford Roman Catholic Diocesan Trustees**  
A Registered Charity No. 250037

**Mass Intentions received this week**

Rita Mills, Ruth Durham, Emmanuel Odiete, Okechukwu Kenrdilichukwu Oji & Lilian Iheonra Njoku,

**Please pray for all those who are sick, especially John Wilson and for all those who have died recently, especially: Rita Mills, Paul Mackle, Mary Collins & Ann Burgess**

**Arranging a Mass to be celebrated for your intentions**

If you would like a Mass to be offered for your intentions or for those you love, please complete the Mass Intention envelope at the back of church and place your donation within. Alternatively, you may arrange a Mass to be celebrated online by scanning the QR code.



*Hymns*  
FOR THIS SUNDAY

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**9.15am Mass**

910 | Christ be beside me  
609 | In bread we bring you, Lord  
898 | Make me a channel of your peace  
974 | Colours of day

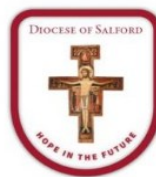
*Let us sing together in praise and thanksgiving.*

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions**

*'Be still before the Lord and wait patiently for Him'*  
*Psalm 37:7*

Please note that Exposition and Adoration now takes place in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel on weekdays at 11.30am until the Angelus at 12 noon and on Saturdays at 10.30am concluding with Benediction at 11.30am.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available in the new confessionals located near the statue of the Sacred Heart on weekdays at 11.30am - 11.55am and on Saturdays at 10.30am - 11.25am and 4.45pm - 5.15pm.



**HOPE**  
IN THE FUTURE

This week we pray for the parish of Our Lady of Dolours, Kersal, and for Father Vincent Coyne, OSM, their parish priest, and for the Servite Friars. We pray for their parish primary school and St. Monica's High School, together with the Sisters of Nazareth and the Faithful Companions of Jesus

**Salford Cathedral Junior Choirs**

present

**SWINGIN'  
SAMSON**



A 30 minute concert of choral and instrumental music including Michael Hurd's popular cantata about Samson & Delilah

**TUESDAY 14 JULY 2026, 5PM**

**ASSEMBLY ROOM, CATHEDRAL HOUSE**

250 Chapel Street, Salford M3 5LE

FREE ADMISSION | RETIRING COLLECTION

The African Priests and Religious of the Diocese of Salford  
in conjunction with  
the F.I.L.M TRIUMPHANTS UK  
invite you to  
**A NIGHT OF  
MUSIC  
and  
FUN!**  
A CONCERT IN CELEBRATION OF  
AFRICAN LITURGICAL AND FOLK MUSIC

FRIDAY  
**31ST**  
JULY 2026

7:00PM

ST. MARY'S  
CATHOLIC CHURCH  
FAILSWORTH,  
M35 0NN

COME AND ENJOY  
A JOYFUL EVENING  
OF MUSIC, FAITH  
AND COMMUNITY!

This promises to be  
a night of *fun filled evening!*

LET US MARK THIS DATE IN OUR DIARIES  
AND COME TO HAVE A FUN FILLED EVENING!



**Cause for the Beatification  
of Pedro Ballester**

The Diocese of Salford has formally opened the Cause for the Beatification and Canonisation of Pedro Ballester, a young man from Manchester who died in 2018 aged just 21. For more information about the cause, please go to the diocesan website: <https://dioceseofsalford.org.uk/cause-for-beatification-of-pedro-ballester/>

As part of this process, the Diocese is inviting anyone who knew Pedro, or who has memories, testimonies or writings relating to him, to come forward to help build a fuller picture of his life and character. To contribute, please contact the Diocesan Tribunal.

Email: [tribunal@dioceseofsalford.org.uk](mailto:tribunal@dioceseofsalford.org.uk)  
Post: Cathedral Centre, 3 Ford Street, Salford, M3 6DP

**Help end Child Poverty in our Parishes**

Child poverty is increasing in our area, with latest statistics from the government showing almost one in three children is growing up in poverty. Our diocesan charity Caritas Salford supports local families facing crisis and is asking us to join them in taking action to help. There are lots of different ways you and your parish can get involved.

Please visit [www.caritassalford.org.uk/endchildpoverty](http://www.caritassalford.org.uk/endchildpoverty) to find out more.

**St Mary's RC Cemetery Bank Holiday Mass  
(Amendment)**

This annual Mass will take place on Monday 31 August at 11AM at St Mary's Cemetery, Wardley. It will be held outside the Chapel and there will be limited seating.

Please note, if you would like a poster for this Mass please email [communications@dioceseofsalford.org.uk](mailto:communications@dioceseofsalford.org.uk)

**Fancy a Walk?**

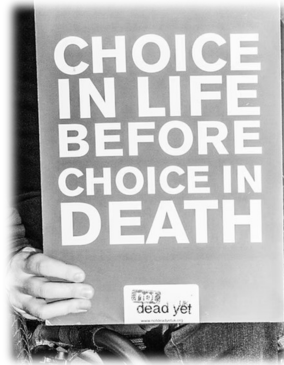
Caritas Salford is organising a 6-mile scenic, circular sponsored hike in Lancashire, along the delightful Downham Trail. Taking place on 5 September, the walk is an undulating route with the potential for expansive views from the summit of Beacon Fell.

Visit [www.caritassalford.org.uk/LancsWalk](http://www.caritassalford.org.uk/LancsWalk) for more information or to register for your free place.

**Stop assisted suicide being brought back**

Assisted suicide campaigners are trying to bring back the Leadbeater Bill.

Not Dead Yet UK has launched a simple tool to help you email your MP about the risks this Bill poses to people with disabilities.



Please take 30 seconds to email your MP today using the tool here: <http://action.notdeadyetuk.org/>

**Southern Cemetery Mass**

A Mass will take place at Southern Cemetery on Monday 31 August at 12 noon.

For further information please email [Luke.bradbury@dioceseofsalford.org.uk](mailto:Luke.bradbury@dioceseofsalford.org.uk)

**New Volunteering Role at Caritas Salford**

Our diocesan charity Caritas Salford has a team of almost 200 amazing volunteers, all of whom support their work with people in our parishes who are experiencing poverty, homelessness and discrimination.

The team is looking for suitable volunteers who would be interested in giving a little time to work alongside families at their young parent accommodation in Blackburn—supporting and facilitating activities with the babies and their parents. All roles will be subject to an enhanced disclosure and barring check.

To find out more about this or other volunteering opportunities with the charity, visit [www.caritassalford.org.uk/volunteer](http://www.caritassalford.org.uk/volunteer) or contact Matt Yates: [m.yates@caritassalford.org.uk](mailto:m.yates@caritassalford.org.uk)

**Book on the history of the Diocese of Salford presented to Pope Leo**

Monsignor John Allen has harnessed his love of the geography and history of our diocese, by penning a special book which is being sold in aid of our diocesan charity Caritas Salford.

The book, A Popular History of the Diocese of Salford, was presented to Pope Leo recently, and you can read about it, or get a copy for yourself or someone else, on the Caritas Salford website:

[www.caritassalford.org.uk/pope-leo-book](http://www.caritassalford.org.uk/pope-leo-book)

**Adoremus 2026**

The 2026 National Eucharistic Congress will be held on Saturday 10 October 2026, at St George's Cathedral, London.

We hope to attend as a diocesan group and have a limited number of places available. The event is being offered free of charge but you must register by completing an online form

[www.cbcew.org.uk/adoremus-2026](http://www.cbcew.org.uk/adoremus-2026)

If you have any queries please contact Helen Carey at [formation@dioceseofsalford.org.uk](mailto:formation@dioceseofsalford.org.uk)

The day is organised by the Bishops' Conference of England and Wales and is an invitation to renew our devotion to the Eucharistic Lord. The day also focuses on encouraging Eucharistic Adoration.

**Travel:** Please indicate on the registration form whether you would be interested in travelling to the event by coach as part of a diocesan group. A small charge will apply for this. The coach would depart early to arrive for Mass at 12 noon and will depart from Westminster Cathedral after Solemn Benediction at 6 pm. A decision will be taken based on the number of

OTHER NOTICES

★★ CHARITY FOOTBALL MATCH ★★

**FATHERS VS FATHERS**

PARENTS vs PRIESTS

SAINT ANNE AUDENSHAW vs SALFORD DIOCESE PRIESTS XI

29TH JUNE | 3.30PM

St Anne's RC Primary School  
Audenshaw  
M34 5QA

GREAT FUN FOR ALL THE FAMILY!

ALL MONEY RAISED WILL GO TO

once upon a Smile  
we're here for you

SUPPORT YOUR TEAM FOR A GREAT CAUSE!

COMMUNITY ★ CHARITY ★ TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE