

Calendar 2024-2025

Autumn Term					
W/c Sun	Sunday Gospel/ liturgical year	Feast days	Events	Resources	<i>Suggested theme</i>
1 st Sept	Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23	(3 rd) St Gregory	Season of Creation (1st Sept - 4th Oct)	Season of Creation Schools - Laudato Si' Centre (laudatosicentre.org.uk)	(Year of Prayer) Creation
8 th Sept	Mark 7:31-37	(8 th) The Birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary (14 th) The Exaltation of the Holy Cross	(8 th) Education Sunday (national day of prayer and celebration for those in education) Caritas Harvest Shopping list	Education Sunday 2024 – Churches Together in England (cte.org.uk) 2024 Theme - Learning together: education in our community Caritas Diocese Of Salford (caritassalford.org.uk)	(Year of Prayer) Education
15 th Sept	Mark 8:27-35	(21 st) St Matthew	(15 th) Evangelii Gaudium Sunday (21 st) UN International Day of Peace	Evangelii Gaudium Sunday - Catholic Bishops' Conference (cbcew.org.uk) International Day of Peace United Nations	Joy
22 nd Sept	Mark 9:30-37	(27 th) St Vincent de Paul	(25th) Caritas Welcoming Schools webinar	Caritas Diocese Of Salford (caritassalford.org.uk)	Service
29 th Sept	Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48	(29 th) Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael	(29th) World Day of Migrants & Refugees	Caritas Diocese Of Salford (caritassalford.org.uk)	


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		(30 th) St Jerome (1 st) St Therese of the Child Jesus (4 th) St Francis of Assisi	(4 th) end of the Season of Creation (4 th) CAFOD Harvest Family Fast Day	Family Fast Day (cafod.org.uk)	<i>CAFOD theme/ assembly</i>
6 th Oct	Mark 10:2-16	(7 th) Our Lady of the Rosary	(10 th) UN World Mental Health Day (10th) World Homeless Day	Resources for the Rosary Caritas Diocese Of Salford (caritassalford.org.uk)	(Year of Prayer) Prayer
13 th Oct	Mark 10:7-30	(15 th) St Teresa of Avila (18 th) St Luke	(14th - 20th) Challenge Poverty Week (17 th) UN International Day for the Eradication of Poverty	Caritas Diocese Of Salford (caritassalford.org.uk)	Wealth
20 th Oct	Mark 10: 35-45		World Mission	World Mission Sunday - Catholic Bishops' Conference (cbcew.org.uk) What is World Mission Sunday? - Missio	Mission
27 th Oct	Mark 10:46-52	(1 st) All Saints (2 nd) All Souls			(Year of Prayer) Prayer
3 rd Nov	Mark 12:28-34	(4 th) St Charles Borromeo (9 th) Dedication of the Lateran Basilica			Community
10 th Nov	Mark 12:38-44	(10 th) St Leo the Great (11 th) St Martin of Tours	Caritas Advent Appeal launch (11 th) Remembrance Sunday	Caritas Diocese Of Salford (caritassalford.org.uk)	Remembrance


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17 th Nov	Mark 13:24-32		<p>(17th) World Day of the Poor (20th) Red Wednesday</p> <p>(20th) UN World Children's Day (21st) World Philosophy Day</p>	<p>Caritas Diocese Of Salford (caritassalford.org.uk)</p> <p>Aid to the Church in Need RedWednesday 2024 (acnuk.org)</p> <p>World Children's Day United Nations World Philosophy Day UNESCO</p>	Dignity
24 th Nov	John 18:33-37	(30 th) St Andrew	(24 th) CHRIST THE KING- YOUTH SUNDAY	PLAN ASSEMBLY CHRIST THE KING.pdf (cbcew.org.uk)	Youth
1 st Dec	Luke 21:25-28, 34-36		Advent (2 nd) International Day for the Abolition of Slavery 10 th anniversary of signing of declaration.	Caritas Diocese Of Salford (caritassalford.org.uk)	(Year of Prayer)
8 th Dec	Luke 3:1-6	<i>(9th) The Immaculate Conception</i>			Advent: Preparation (Hope, Peace, Love, Joy)
15 th Dec	Luke 3:10-18				
22 nd Dec	Luke 1: 39-45		(24 th) December Launch of the Year of Jubilee (Pope Francis)		



Spring Term					
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5 th Jan	Matthew 2:1-12	<i>(6th) the Epiphany of the Lord</i>			Light
12 th January	Luke 3:15-16, 21-22	<i>(12th) the Baptism of the Lord</i>	Year of Jubilee - Pilgrims of Hope		Hope
19 th Jan	John 2:1-11	(24 th) Our Lady of Peace (25 th) The Conversion of St Paul, Apostle	Week of Prayer for Christian Unity	Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2025 resources available worldwide World Council of Churches (oikoumene.org) Cardinal's reflection for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity - Catholic Bishops' Conference	Unity


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			(24 th) CAFOD Jubilee Launch Day for Schools	cbcew.org.uk (to be updates for 2025)	
26 th Jan	Luke 1:1-4;4:14-21	(28 th) St Thomas Aquinas (31 st) St John Bosco	Word of God Sunday (26 th) Caritas Sunday. Opportunity for Caritas Ambassadors to support parish appeal. (27 th) Holocaust Memorial Day 2025 Theme: For a Beter Future	Sunday of the Word of God - Catholic Bishops' Conference (cbcew.org.uk) (to be updated for 2025) Caritas Diocese Of Salford (caritassalford.org.uk) Holocaust Memorial Day Trust HMD 2025 Theme	Truth
2 nd Feb	Luke 2:22-40	(2 nd) The Presentation of the Lord (8 th) St Josephine Bakhita		Feast of the Presentation of the Lord - Vatican News	Freedom
9 th Feb	Luke 5:1-11	(11 th) Our Lady of Lourdes	CAFOD Family Fast Day	Family Fast Day (cafod.org.uk)	CAFOD theme/assembly
18 th Feb	Luke 6:17, 20-26	(22 nd) Feast of the Chair of St Peter	Racial Justice Sunday	Racial Justice Sunday - Catholic Bishops' Conference (cbcew.org.uk)	Justice
23 rd Feb	Luke 6:27-38	(1 st) St David			Happiness
2 nd March	Luke 6:39-45	(5 th) Ash Wednesday	Caritas St Joseph's Penny Lenten Appeal	Caritas Diocese Of Salford (caritassalford.org.uk)	Repentance
9 th March	Luke 4:1-13		First Sunday of Lent (15 th) Flame		Temptation


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16 th March	Luke 9: 28b-36	(17 th) St Patrick (19 th) St Joseph			Change
23 rd March	Luke 13:1-9	(24 th) St Oscar Romero (25 th) The Annunciation of the Lord			Commitment
30 th March	Luke 15: 13, 11-32				Reconciliation

Summer Term

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6 th April	John 8:1-11				Mercy
13 th April	Luke 22:14-23, 56	(17 th) Maundy Thursday (18 th) Good Friday	Palm Sunday		<i>Holy week</i>
20 th April Easter Sunday	John 20:1-9	(25 th) St Mark			<i>Resurrection</i>
27 th April	John 20:19-31	(29 th) St Catherine of Siena (1 st) St Joseph the Worker.			Faith


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4 th May	John 21:1-19	(4 th) The English Martyrs (9 th) Ascension of the Lord			Discipleship
11 th May	John 10:27-30		Vocations Sunday		Vocation
18 th May	John 13:31-33, 34-35				Love
25 th May	John 14: 23-29	(29 th) The Ascension of the Lord	(25 th) World Children's Day	Caritas Diocese Of Salford (caritassalford.org.uk)	Witness
1 st June	John 17:20-26		Communications Sunday		Communication
8 th June	John 14:15-16, 23-26	(12 th) Our Lord Jesus Christ, the eternal High Priest	Pentecost	.	Courage
15 th June	John 16:12-15	(15 th) The Most Holy Trinity	Trinity Sunday (16 th - 22 nd) Refugee Week	Trinity Sunday Year C (June 15, 2025) Free Resources and Reflections - Young Catholics (young-catholics.com) Caritas Diocese Of Salford (caritassalford.org.uk)	Wisdom


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22 nd June	Luke 9:11-17	(22 nd) Corpus Christi (24 th) The Birthday of St John the Baptist (27 th) Sacred Heart			Celebration
29 th June	Matthew 16:13-19	(29 th) SS Peter and Paul			<i>Year of Jubilee</i>
6 th July	Luke 10:1-12, 17-20				
13 th July	Luke 10: 25-37	(16 th) Our Lady of Mount Carmel			
20 th July	Luke 10: 38-42				