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Dear friends in Christ,

Thank you to everyone who helped and supported our annual Garden Fete last week on Saturday. I am told it was once again a fantastic event and I am sorry to have missed it. We made over £6,500 on the day. The expenses still need to be deducted but it is an amazing amount. Once again, thank you to everyone who was involved and for all your hard work!

It has been unbelievably hot recently! I hope everyone has been able to keep cool over the last few days. It looks as if the heat got to our sound system, meaning none of the microphones are working. The engineers are hopefully coming on Wednesday to fix it but we will have to make do without voice amplification and the livestream this weekend!

This Sunday, on the liturgical Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, the traditional Peter's Pence collection takes place. This is a way to support the Holy Father in his mission of service to the universal Church.

Donating to Peter's Pence is a concrete gesture of communion with the Holy Father and of solidarity with his mission to bring the Gospel throughout the world. To support this initiative, the Secretariat for the Economy and the Dicastery for Communication of the Holy See have prepared informational and multimedia materials to illustrate its significance.

On the official website ObolodiSanPietro.va, it is possible to:

- View or download the official video, available in several languages.
- Donate through secure digital channels via the above website or by scanning the QR code.



As every year, every offering, large or small, will support the Holy Father in his ministry and in his charitable activities in response to emergencies and needs around the world.

My prayers and best wishes,

Fr Augustine

SAINTS PETER & PAUL 28TH JUNE 2026

4.00pm Sung Parish Mass with schola
William Griffin RIP

8.30am Parish Mass

9.30am *Sung Conventual Mass*

11.00am Sung Parish Mass

People of the Parish

13TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR II

Monday Feria

Tuesday Feria
10.15am Parish Mass with Adoration until 11.30am

**Wednesday FEAST - ST OLIVER PLUNKETT,
Bishop & Martyr**

Thursday Feria

Friday FEAST - ST THOMAS, Apostle
Pat Hastings RIP

10.15am Parish Mass

6.45pm *Healing Prayer Service*

Saturday Memoria - Blessed Virgin Mary
10.00am to 10.30am Confessions

Conventual Mass
8.00am - Monday to Saturday

14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A 5TH JULY 2026

4.00pm Vigil Parish Mass with hymns
Bernadette Higgins RIP

Sunday
8.30am Parish Mass

People of the Parish

9.30am *Sung Conventual Mass*

11.00am Sung Parish Mass
Elizabeth Cleveland RIP

1st Collection (Belmont Parish) - **Total donated: £258.00**
- Cash last weekend: £110.50
- Digital last weekend: £147.50

2nd Collection (Comboni Fathers Parish Appeal) - **Total donated: £676.91**
- Cash last weekend: £429.07
- Digital last weekend: £247.84

Second Collection for Peter's Pence in the red bag and on the card machine this weekend.

HOSPITAL CHAPLAIN: Fr Patrick Lobo is the Catholic Chaplain who makes regular visits. If you or a loved one wants him to visit while in hospital please let him know. Telephone: 07922 323603. In an emergency, or if Fr Patrick is unavailable, please contact Fr Augustine on the parish telephone number. He is always happy to visit.

SICK: Pray for Denise Ellis, Edmund Hayes, Seamus Hayes, Pat Draper, James Rogers, Sally Hayward, Margaret Rose, Anna Rudnicka, John Hackman, Maria Helena, Rosemary Nicholls, Beth Macbain, Florence (Flo) Ramage, Polly Maund-Powell, Abbot Charles, Mandie Chapman, Joanna Savory, John Stannard, Anne Williams, Karolina Busko, Greg Primavesi & Derek Wood.

ANNIVERSARIES: Pray for the repose of the souls of John Doughty, Henry Pritchard, Ludwig Sosna, Robert Eccles, Jean Sheedy, John Smith, Christine Minty, Margaret Smith, Henry Power, Patrick Wallis, Stacy Smith, Stephen Chester, Robert Franklin, Ann Llewela Purvis, Alfred Stevens, Jeanne Morin, Betty Hartford, Norman Huckle, Elizabeth Lyon, Dom Osmund Ward & Elizabeth Cleveland.

HEALING SERVICE: The next monthly service of prayers for healing takes place in the Abbey Church at 6.45pm on Friday, led by Fr Michael Clothier from the Community of Saint Gregory the Great. There will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions will be available. All are most welcome.

WALSINGHAM ROSARY FOR PEACE: Takes place on the first Tuesday of the month in the Abbey Church. Everyone is welcome to 21, Woodfield Gardens, Belmont for tea afterwards. The next meeting is Tuesday, 7th July at 3.00pm.

HORIZONS OF HOPE TALK: "How to be Human in the Age of A.I." An introduction to Pope Leo XIV's encyclical 'Magnifica Humanitas' led by Austen Ivereigh. Join us for an engaging introduction to this landmark document. Saturday, 11th July 10.00am – 12.30pm in The Chapterhouse, Belmont Abbey.

LECTIO DIVINA: Meetings are on Wednesdays 11am–12noon, the next is on 22nd July in The Chapterhouse.

DOWNSIDE ABBEY FESTIVAL 2026: A series of concerts this Summer in the magnificent setting of Downside Abbey, 16th-19th July. Artists include David Bednall and the Bristol Brass Consort, the Choir of St Mary's, Wimbledon and the Tenebrae Associate Artists. The highlight of the four-day festival will be a 'Come and Sing', directed by Sir John Rutter. Tours of the Abbey Church will take place and there will be an opportunity to see the exhibition 'Everyday Lives'. More information is available at: <https://www.downsideabbey.co.uk/downside-abbey-festival-2026/>

WELSH CHAMBER ORCHESTRA CONCERT: Friday, 3rd July in OLSM Church, Abergavenny at 7.30pm. "Mozart in Abergavenny." Tickets £20, or £35 including drinks reception after concert. More information is available on the parish website: www.olsm-abergavenny.co.uk

THE PICKWICK PAPERS: Join the lovable Mr. Pickwick and his eccentric band of companions as they bumble their way on a rollicking journey through confusing courtships, courtroom shenanigans, questionable duels, and carriage rides gone terribly wrong.

Pack your picnic, secure your seat and prepare for an uproarious adventure with The Pickwick Society—where the only certainty is a thoroughly good time will be had by all!

Belmont Abbey grounds, Saturday, 8th August at 7.00pm-9.30pm Tickets: adults £18, children (under 16yrs) £8
Box Office: 03306 600541 - www.bit.ly/Pickwick-Belmont

THE BIBLE: MYTH OR HISTORY?: A free illustrated lecture series in Biblical Archaeology with David Rohl. Session 5 - Kadesh-Barnea - The location of Kadesh-Barnea. Aaron's tomb on Mount Hor. The journey to Abel-Shittim. The death of Moses on Mount Nebo. Saturday, 11th July 2.00pm to 4.00pm, in The Chapterhouse, Belmont Abbey. Free parking, Free entry. Monthly lectures on the second Saturday of each month.

ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO THE GRAVE OF ST JOHN KEMBLE - SUNDAY, 23RD AUGUST 2026

9.15am Mass at St Mary's Church, Monmouth.

10.15am Pilgrims set off to walk to Welsh Newton - bring a packed lunch.

3.00pm Rosary, readings and prayers at St John Kemble's Grave, Welsh Newton Churchyard.

4.15pm Benediction at St Mary's Church, Monmouth.
Everyone welcome.

PARISH SUPPORT GROUP: Provides a regular link and support between the wider parish community and parishioners who are unable to attend Holy Mass or parish events due to a change in personal circumstances.

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