

St James the Great in St. Anselm's Local Missionary Area

Pentecost Sunday

24th May 2026

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MASS INTENTION FOR THIS SUNDAY: Today's Mass is offered for James Hughes and the Parishioners of St James the Great.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Please keep in your prayers, and all of our recently deceased Parishioners, and their families at this sad time of loss.

Sanctuary Lamp burns for Vera Hughes.

CONFESSION: By appointment.

BAPTISM: We pray for our recently baptised.

MONEY MATTERS: Recent collection totals for 17th May was £79.65.
Thankyou very much for your generosity.

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Pentecost Day! No longer locking ourselves away from the world and finding the strength and the courage of the Holy Spirit to bring Christ beyond the walls of the church, the Tabernacle, our own hearts and introducing Him to the world that so desperately needs Him and not even language can stop Him!

Weekday Masses at St Peters next week - If you would like to attend a weekday Mass, next week Father Owen is celebrating these are at 12 noon on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday and at 9:30am on Friday, St Peters, Stalybridge which you would all be most welcome and encouraged to attend.

MARY'S MEALS - many thanks to everyone who put donations in the Mary's Meals tub in the Church foyer. £29 was raised and this will provide 290 meals for hungry children. It only costs us 10p to provide a meal, so any donations are very welcome. Rob White, Mary's Meals

MARY'S MEALS - Can turn your old foreign coins and notes into meals for hungry children. We can also take British coins and notes that are no longer legal tender. Please place them in the box at the back of church. It costs only 10p to provide a meal for a child, so any coins however small are most welcome. Thank you, Rob White

First Holy Communion - Please keep in your prayers all our children and their families from our 3 schools who recently have and will be celebrating their First Holy Communion, St Raphael, St Peter - and St James which will take place at **11:00am on Saturday 20th June.**

Gift Aid - If your circumstances have changed, e.g. you no longer pay tax, or if a box was put out for you but you now give by standing order, or you would like to start using gift aid envelopes, then please phone the office to leave contact details.