

MONDAY 29 JUNE 2026

SAINTS PETER & PAUL

Died as martyrs at Rome under Nero, between 64-67. This pre-eminent feast day of the city of Rome has been observed on this date since the mid-third century. It commemorates the martyrdoms of Peter the 'chief of the apostles' and Paul the 'Apostle to the Gentiles. Remembered for their faith, their courage, and their leadership during the difficult days of the birth of the Church.

ENTRANCE VERSE: These are the ones who, living in the flesh, planted the Church with their blood; they drank the chalice of the Lord and became the friends of God.

First Reading: *Acts 12: 1-11*

PSALM RESPONSE The Lord set me free from all my fears.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! You are Peter the rock on which I build my Church; the gates of hell will not hold out against it. Alleluia!

The Gospel: *Matthew 16: 13-19*

COMMUNION VERSE: Peter said to Jesus: You are the Christ, the Son of the living God. And Jesus replied: You are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my Church.

TUESDAY 30 JUNE 2026

TUESDAY OF THE 13TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

ENTRANCE VERSE: All peoples, clap your hands. Cry to God with shouts of joy

First Reading: *Amos 3: 1-8; 4: 11-12*

PSALM RESPONSE: Lead me in your justice, Lord

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:
Alleluia, alleluia! I hope in the Lord, I trust in his word. Alleluia!

The Gospel: *Matthew 8: 23-27*

COMMUNION VERSE:
Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all within me, his holy name.

WEDNESDAY 1 JULY 2026
WEDNESDAY OF THE 13TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

ENTRANCE VERSE

All peoples, clap your hands. Cry to God with shouts of joy

First Reading: *Amos 5: 14-15, 21-24*

PSALM RESPONSE:

To the upright I will show the saving power of God

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

The Father gave us birth by his message of truth, that e might be
as the first fruits of his creation.

Alleluia!

The Gospel: *Matthew 8: 28-34*

COMMUNION VERSE:

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all within me, his holy name.

THURSDAY 2 JULY 2026
THURSDAY OF THE 13TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

ENTRANCE VERSE

All peoples, clap your hands. Cry to God with shouts of joy

First Reading: ***Amos 7: 10-17***

PSALM RESPONSE:

The judgements of the Lord are true and all of them just

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia

God was in Christ, to reconcile the world to himself; and the Good News of reconciliation he has entrusted to us.

Alleluia!

The Gospel: ***Matthew 9: 1-8***

COMMUNION VERSE:

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all within me, his holy name.

FRIDAY 3 JULY 2026

SAINT THOMAS

Thomas, called the "Twin" was one of the twelve chosen by Jesus. Remembered for his initial disbelief in the resurrection and his subsequent proclamation of faith upon seeing the resurrected Christ: 'My Lord and my God' (John 20:28). An early tradition venerates him as the Apostle of India.

ENTRANCE VERSE: You are my God and I confess you; you are my God and I exalt you; I will thank you, for you became my saviour.

First Reading: ***Ephesians 2: 19-22***

PSALM RESPONSE: Go out to all the world, and tell the Good News.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! You believe in me Thomas, because you have seen me; happy are those who have not seen me but still believe! Alleluia!

The Gospel: ***John 20: 24-29***

COMMUNION VERSE: Bring your hand and feel the place of the nails, and do not be unbelieving but believing.

SATURDAY 4 JULY 2026

SATURDAY OF THE 13TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

ENTRANCE VERSE: All peoples, clap your hands. Cry to God with shouts of joy

First Reading: ***Amos 9:11-15***

PSALM RESPONSE: The Lord speaks of peace to his people.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! My sheep listen to my voice, says the Lord. I know them, and they follow me. Alleluia!

The Gospel: ***Matthew 9: 14-17***

COMMUNION VERSE: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all within me, his holy name.