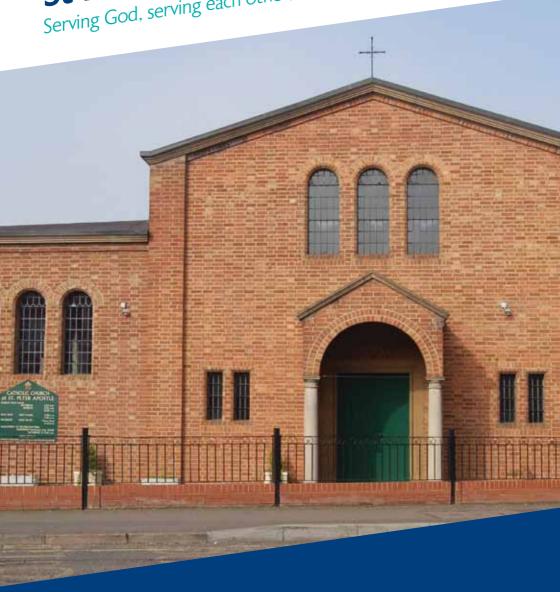
St Peter the Apostle Church
Serving God, serving each other, serving the community



Welcome to your Catholic home in Rushden... from Fr Joe

Hello,



I'm Fr Joe Walsh and I'm Parish Priest of St Peter's church in Rushden. In my time here, I have seen many families begin, grow and thrive in this community.

Whether you are a practicing Catholic who is new to the area. you have been away from the Church for a while or are on your first ever visit to a Catholic church. I can assure you that a warm welcome awaits you here.

Above all. St Peter's is a Catholic community of faith. Our faith is lived out in three main ways:

- serving God
- · serving each other
- serving the community.

We celebrate all the Sacraments of the Church* regularly, bringing us into ever deeper relationship with Christ. Our various prayer groups, meeting groups and ministries enable us to minister to one another and accompany one another on our journeys of faith. Our Lourdes group, SVP chapter and its community minibus ensure that we can **serve the** wider community of Rushden in a practical way.

If you think St Peter's could be your Catholic home in Rushden come along and see us. I look forward to meeting you.

God bless.

Below are only a few of the ways we live out our faith:



Serving God:

- Celebrating the Sacraments
- Charismatic Prayer Group
- Services for special feasts



Serving each other:

- Prayer ministry praying for each other
- Men's group growing in faith
- Youth Group



We serve the community

- The St Vincent de Paul Society
- The SVP community minibus
- The Union of Catholic Mothers



For more information on these groups – and others - how they meet and how you can get involved, pick up a Who's Who leaflet from church.

*The Church's members celebrate 7 Sacraments these are ways that God manifests Himself to us in a special way, according to our need.



"St Peter's is like another family. I have come to know God in a way I didn't before. I joined the **Catholic Church** at Easter and now my whole family worships together."

Kerting Tapela

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We would love you to join us. Here at St Peter's we have taken the commission that Jesus gave to St Peter to heart – we look to be continually building His Church. We look forward to building you – or welcoming you back – and welcoming you and how we can serve you.

"You are Peter and on this Rock I will build my Church." Matt 16:18

The Roman Catholic Church of St Peter the Apostle

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