

Mass Times, Intentions & Services			
Date	Time	Church	Mass Intentions & Services
Sat 20 Jan <i>Vigil</i>	5.00pm 6.30pm	St. Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Teresa Hannaby (RIP)</i> <i>Brian Dixon (A)</i>
Sun 21 Jan <i>3rd Sunday of Year</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>John O'Connell (A)</i> <i>Special Intention (For those under Stress)</i>
Mon 22 Jan <i>Weekday</i>	9.30am	St Charles	<i>Eucharistic Service</i>
Tue 23 Jan <i>Weekday</i>	9.30am	Sacred Heart	<i>Eucharistic Service</i>
Wed 24 Jan <i>St Francis de Sales</i>	9.30am 10.00am	St Charles St Charles	<i>Eucharistic Service</i> <i>Café</i>
Thu 25 Jan <i>Conversion of St Paul</i>	9.30am	Sacred Heart	<i>Eucharistic Service</i>
Fri 26 Jan <i>Ss Timothy & Titus</i>	9.30am	St Charles	<i>Eucharistic Service</i>
Sat 27 Jan Vigils	5.00pm 6.30pm	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>George Wright</i> <i>Thanksgiving (Plao & family)</i>
Sun 28 Jan <i>4th Sunday of Year</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>George Douglass (RIP)</i> <i>Holy Souls</i>

Confessions

Times

St Charles

Eucharistic Adoration
8.45am
when weekday service is at 9.30am

Saturday

St Charles 4.30-4.50pm
Sacred Heart 6.00-6.20pm

Sunday

St. Charles 8.30-8.50am
Sacred Heart 10.00-10.20am

Sacred Heart

Eucharistic Adoration
8.45am
when weekday service is at 9.30am



GOSFORTH CATHOLIC PARISHES

Sacred Heart - North

St. Charles Borromeo - Central & South



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Sacred Heart Hall bookings:
Joan Donnelly 0191 2365588

Third Sunday of Year

21 Jan 2024

Please remember in your prayers:

those who are sick or housebound and their carers:

Layth Abdulla, Anna Atkinson, Dorothy Barrow, Mark Bennett, Caroline Cassidy, Freda Dakers, Caroline Dixon, Terry Donnelly, Bedelia Douglass, Mary Farrar, Graham Firth, Daniel Garton, Nicola Gauld, Roger Gray, Maureen Keddy, Margaret Matthews, Ann McKeown, Karen McKeown, Anton McGowan, Nick McKeown, Terry O'Malley, Joseph Poland, Lisa Robinson Tilley, Natasha Rose, Jo Sutton, Michelle Wilkinson, Cliff Woodhall, Julie Yoeart, David Garnish, Liz Sasse, Charles Stringfellow, Kathleen Murphy, Louise Chavannes, Rebecca Brockbank, Pete, Richard Moss,

those who have died recently Pat Higgins, Maureen Teresa Lindberg

and those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Maria Doris McAdam, Sydney Gray, Iris Broughton, Elizabeth Rita Pollock, Eileen Harvey, Fr Edward Ord, Jim Dryden, Mary Paul, Edward Reed Child, Charles Robert Shieber, Ron Tullin, Florence McAvoy, Eileen Deacon, Thomas Dignam.

May they rest in peace

Amen.



Money Matters

Last Sunday's Collection:	<i>St. Charles</i> £ 480.10	<i>Sacred Heart</i> £ 321.04
White Flower Appeal (SPUC)	£ 492.71	£ 164.00



Notices for the Week

Sacrament of Baptism

Ivy Rebecca Wood will be baptised next weekend at Sacred Heart, welcome to the parish and best wishes to her parents, *Sam & Alexandra*.

Theodore Peter Parmley will be baptised next weekend at St Charles, welcome to the parish and best wishes to his parents, *Andrew & Lucy*.

RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

This is a course for those wishing to join the Church, or deepen their knowledge of the Faith. Next session is *Wed 24 Jan* at 7.00pm in St Charles Hall.

The POSH panto is back!

Thur 25, Fri 26 Jan at 7.00pm, Sat 27 Jan at 2pm and 7.30pm. Bring some light and laughter to dreary January with our annual parish pantomime! Tickets £5 adults £3 children to include interval refreshments and will be available after all Masses. Also can buy your tickets online! <http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/posh-players>.

Please do come along and support this much-loved parish institution.

YMT led 'Confirmation Retreat' at Emmaus Village 26-28 Jan.

There are still places for anyone receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation, to join other candidates across the Diocese, exploring our faith, the Church, and the gifts of the Holy Spirit. There will be time for fun, faith and food during these days of retreat. Please contact nsalked@ymt.org before *19 Jan*.

Diocesan Holocaust Memorial Day

St Mary's Catholic School, *23rd Jan*. The guest speaker is Mrs Deanna Van Der Velde from the United Hebrew Congregation. Booking is essential. email interreligious.relations@diocesehn.org.uk or call 0191 243 3316.

Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity

This annual eight days of prayer for the unity of all Christians concludes on the Feast of The Conversion of St Paul *Thu 25 Jan*.

Job Vacancies

St Charles is looking for a part-time cleaner for the parish centre: more details from the parish office.

New Eucharistic Ministers Rota - St Charles

Your names will be on the new rota, if you do not wish to be included please contact the parish office as soon as possible.

Young Adults Faith Group

If you are in your 20s, 30s or 40s and would like to join a community of other adults sharing their faith, join us at 7.00pm on *Thu 1 Feb* in the presbytery at St Charles.

Questions: stephanie.sobek@gmail.com.

First Communion Programme

Session 3 Reconciliation, *Sun 4 Feb* Mass will focus on the children, they will lead us in prayer, do the readings, bidding prayers and Offertory.

RIP

Maureen Teresa Lindberg Requiem Mass *Tue 6 Feb* 11.00am Sacred Heart, Northumberland Crem, Felton 12.30pm

Patricia Higgins Requiem Mass *Wed 7 Feb* 10.00am St Charles then West Rd Crem.

First Reconciliation (Confessions)

St Charles *Wed 7 Feb* 7.00pm & Sacred Heart *Thu 8 Feb* 7.00pm

SVP 200 Club St Charles SVP 200 club entries fall for renewal on 01.01.2024. To renew for 2024 please contact John Doyle asap. **0793 3005840** or e mail jdoyle67@btinternet.com. Payment £12 per year requested by 15.01.24. Price unchanged £12 per year. New subscribers welcome, monthly cash prizes. Results by email and on SVP noticeboard.

Season of Lent - begins on *Wed 14 Feb*.

Ashes will be distributed at *Sacred Heart* on *Tue 13 Feb* during 9.30am Mass & on *Wed 14 Feb* at *St Charles* during 9.30am Mass.

Celebration of Marriage & Family Life - 'A Partnership of Life & Love'

Sat 17 Feb 12.00noon St Mary's Cathedral. Celebrant - *Bishop Stephen Wright*

Proud Catholics

Next meeting *Tue 20 Feb* 7.30 St Andrew's, Worswick St. Newcastle Contact Isabel on 07858 934457, email proud.catholics@yahoo.com

Baptism Preparation

Anyone enquiring about getting a child baptised, next preparation evening at St Charles Parish Centre *Tue 5 Mar* 7.00pm.

Sacrament of Confirmation at *St Charles* on **Tue 9 July**. Details to Follow.

Livestream at Sacred Heart has been restored, but there are still ongoing problems with the sound which we are trying hard to fix.

Mary's Place— We are desperate for sleeping bags as well as blankets. Please leave donations of blankets or sleeping bags in the porch at Sacred Heart or contact Ged/Pat Downey 0191 242 1718 or Angela Hawthorne 07443 598 188.

Newsletter on Website

The Website at St Charles has some technical issues, but the Newsletter can be accessed through the green button on the Sacred Heart website Home page.

HCPT – The two girls who have been welcoming at the vigil Mass, Clare Simmons and Daisy Harrop, are raising funds this year to support their journey to Lourdes as helpers with HCPT. This is a registered charity offering pilgrimage holidays to Lourdes in the south of France for disabled and disadvantaged people from around the UK and further afield.



Quote of the Week

Sometimes you have to let go of the picture of what you thought life would be like and learn to find joy in the story you are actually living.

Rachel Murray Martin