

Mass Times, Intentions & Services			
Date	Time	Church	Mass Intentions & Services
Sat 3 Feb <i>Vigil</i>	5.00pm 6.30pm	St. Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Teresita Gonzalez</i> <i>Gerard &amp; Peggy Miller RIP</i>
Sun 4 Feb <i>5th Sunday of Year</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Angela Gaffney</i> <i>Michael Richard Cairns (A)</i>
Mon 5 Feb <i>St Paul Miki &amp; Companions</i>	9.30am	St Charles	<i>Eucharistic Service</i>
Tue 6 Feb <i>Weekday</i>	11.00am	Sacred Heart	<b>Requiem</b> - <i>Maureen Teresa Lindberg</i>
Wed 7 Feb <i>Weekday</i>	10.00am 10.30am	St Charles St Charles	<b>Requiem</b> - <i>Patricia Higgins</i> <i>Café</i>
Thu 8 Feb <i>Weekday</i>	9.30am	Sacred Heart	<i>Special Intention</i>
Fri 9 Feb <i>St Scholastica</i>	9.30am 11.30am	St Charles St Charles	<i>Freda Mary Dakers</i> <b>Funeral Service</b> - <i>Richard Eric Moss</i>
Sat 10 Feb <b>Vigils</b>	5.00pm 6.30pm	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Catherine Amor (A)</i> <i>Lenny Thwaites (RIP)</i>
Sun 11 Feb <i>5th Sunday of Year</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>George Douglas (Birthday)</i> <i>Pauline Convery (RIP)</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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<https://stcharlesgosforth.org.uk>

#### Sacred Heart Church

Great North Road  
North Gosforth  
NE3 5EB

<https://www.sacredheartng.org.uk>  
Sacred Heart Hall bookings:  
Joan Donnelly 0191 2365588

## Fifth Sunday of Year 5 February 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, Eileen Spraggon.*



**those who have died recently** Pat Higgins, Maureen Teresa Lindberg, Richard Eric Moss, Sylvia Helena Coyle.

#### and those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

*Tommy Gallagher, Mary Steel, Michael Cairns, Billy Flynn, Valery Kolobov, Mary Anderson, Joan Smith, Kathleen McDermott, Joyce Robson, Grenville Rogerson, Michael O'Malley, Hilda Stewart, Paddy Stanley, Joan Smith, Jim Dryden*

**May they rest in peace  
Amen.**

### Money Matters



Last Sunday's Collection:

*St. Charles*  
£ 467.38

*Sacred Heart*  
£ 298.49

## Notices for the Week

### First Communion Programme

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

### Sacrament of Baptism

*Winnie Olive Malone* will be baptised this weekend at Sacred Heart; welcome to the parish and best wishes to her parents, *Danny & Ami*

### RIP

*Maureen Teresa Lindberg* Requiem *Tue 6 Feb* 11.00am Sacred Heart, followed by Cremation, at Felton.

*Patricia Higgins* Requiem *Wed 7 Feb* 10.00am St Charles followed by Cremation at West Rd.

*Richard Eric Moss* Requiem *Fri 9 Feb* 11.30am St Charles, followed by Cremation at West Rd.

*Sylvia Helena Coyle* Requiem *Fri 16 Feb* 10.30am St Charles followed by burial at Hollywood Cemetery.

### Prayers for Ukraine

The rosary is offered every Wednesday 9.00am at St Charles

### First Reconciliation (Confessions)

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

### RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Next session *Wed 7 Feb* 7.00pm in St Charles Parish Centre. There are 9 adults in our RCIA group who are preparing to be received into the Church or to be Confirmed at Easter, including 3 from St Cuthbert's, Kenton. Please keep them in your prayers.

### Children's Liturgy at Sacred Heart

at the 10.30am Mass next weekend *Sun 11 Feb*. If you have any questions, please contact Jo Shepherd (jo.a.shepherd@googlemail.com)

### Season of Lent - begins on *Ash Wednesday 14 Feb*.

Ashes will be distributed during Mass at St Charles 9.30am & Sacred Heart 7.00pm.

<i>Prayer</i>	<i>Stations of the Cross</i>	Sacred Heart	Thursdays 9.00am
		St Charles	Fridays 9.00am

<i>Fasting</i>	<i>Soup Lunches</i>	St Columba	<i>Wed 21 Feb</i>
			<i>Wed 28 Feb</i>
		St Aidan	<i>Wed 6 Mar</i>
		Sacred Heart	<i>Wed 13 Mar</i>
		St Cuthbert	<i>Wed 20 Mar</i>

*Lunches will be preceded with a short Lenten Service.*

*Almsgiving* St Cuthbert's Care

**CAFOD Family Fast Day** *23rd Feb*. Please support our *Lenten Appeal* for the Needy & Hungry of the World by having a simple meal and making a donation to CAFOD's collection or by giving online. More details [cafod.or.uk/lent](http://cafod.or.uk/lent)

**Celebration of Marriage & Family Life** - '*A Partnership of Life & Love*' Mass *Sat 17 Feb* 12.00noon St Mary's Cathedral. Celebrant - *Bishop Stephen Wright*

### RCIA Rite of Election

Mary's Cathedral on *Sun 18th Feb* at 3.00pm.

**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](mailto:proud.catholics@yahoo.com)

### Justice and Peace Lenten Soup Lunch for CAFOD at Sacred Heart

*Sun 3rd Mar* after 10.30 Mass.

### Fundraising For Lourdes

Thank you to everyone who contributed to Clare and Daisy's cake sale. Over £500 was raised towards funding their HCPT pilgrimage to Lourdes. If anyone would like to contribute further then please use the following link.

<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/ClareandDaisyHCPTEastertriptoLourdes>

**POSH** : Many thanks to all of you who attended last week's performances of Spin-derella. We hope you enjoyed it as much as we did in presenting it. As usual, profits will be ploughed back into the parish. Last year we donated £1,500 towards the replacement of the boiler in the church hall.

### Baptism Preparation

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

**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.

### Welcome

Fr Ian Patterson will move into Sacred Heart Presbytery some time after Easter, welcome to the parish and best wishes in your retirement.

**Marriage Care Tyneside** are seeking volunteers to train as either Facilitators of Marriage Preparation courses for couples or Counsellors. More details at [www.marriagecare.org.uk](http://www.marriagecare.org.uk). Engaged couples wishing to book a marriage preparation course, call 0800 389 3801 or see website.

### Sacrament of Confirmation *Tue 9 July*

meetings to gather and prepare candidates who wish to receive this sacrament will appear in next week's newsletter. Details will also be shared with our high schools and how to register. The sacrament will be administered by the Bishop at *St Charles*



### Quote of the Week

*The only questions that really matter are the ones you ask yourself.*

K. Le Guin