

Mass Times, Intentions & Services			
Date	Time	Church	Mass Intentions & Services
<b>Sat 17 Feb</b> <i>Vigil</i>	<b>5.00pm</b> <b>6.30pm</b>	St. Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Michael &amp; Elizabeth Malloy</i> <i>Pat &amp; Ray Carroll (Wedding Anniversary)</i>
<b>Sun 18 Feb</b> <i>1st Sunday of Lent</i>	<b>9.00am</b> <b>10.30am</b>	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>May &amp; Norman Willcock (RIP)</i> <i>Eileen Mary Harvey (RIP)</i>
<b>Mon 19 Feb</b> <i>Weekday of Lent</i>	<b>9.30am</b>	St Charles	<i>Eucharistic Service</i>
<b>Tue 20 Feb</b> <i>Weekday of Lent</i>	<b>9.30am</b>	Sacred Heart	<i>Frank &amp; Angela Gabriele (Wedding Anniversary)</i>
<b>Wed 21 Feb</b> <i>Weekday of Lent</i>	10.00am <b>12.00noon</b>	St Charles St Charles	<i>Café</i> <b>Requiem - Margaret Matthews</b>
<b>Thu 22 Feb</b> <i>The Chair of St Peter</i>	<b>9.30am</b>	Sacred Heart	<i>Special Intention</i>
<b>Fri 23 Feb</b> <i>Weekday of Lent</i> <i>Family Fast Day</i>	<b>9.30am</b>	St Charles	<i>Francisco Margallo &amp; Pilar Lana (A)</i>
<b>Sat 24 Feb</b> <b>Vigils</b>	<b>5.00pm</b> <b>6.30pm</b>	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Sr Theresa McAnelly (RIP)</i> <i>People of the Parish</i>
<b>Sun 25 Feb</b> <i>2nd Sunday of Lent</i>	<b>9.00am</b> <b>10.30am</b>	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Monica &amp; Peter Ainsborough (RIP)</i> <i>Special Intention</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



**Parish Clergy:** Fr Michael Weymes Parish Priest email: pp@rcgosforth.net  
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#### St. Charles Borromeo Church

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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

## FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

### 18 February 2024

#### St Charles

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#### Sacred Heart

The Emmaus Mass Sheet

### 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, Ann McKeown, Karen McKeown, 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* Sylvia Helena Coyle, Margaret Matthews,

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

*Simon Lynn, Barbara Anne Bowey, John Porter, Tom Brevin, John Jenkins, Monica McMahon, Allan Taylor, Francisco Margallo & Pilar Lana, Don Morrell.*

#### May they rest in peace

Amen.

### Money Matters



Last Sunday's Collection:

*St. Charles*  
£ 588.41

*Sacred Heart*  
£ 317.18

## Notices for the Week

### Rite of Election

Those to be received into the Church at Easter, will be welcomed by Bishop Seamus at St Mary's Cathedral on *Sun 18th Feb* at 3.00pm.

### Prayers for Ukraine

The rosary is offered every Wednesday 9.00am at St Charles

### Proud Catholics - Sharing our stories with Bishop Stephen

*Tues 20th Feb* 7.30pm at St Andrew's RC Church, Worswick St.. We welcome Bishop Stephen, who invites us to pray with him and share our experiences as LGBTQ+ Catholics in our parish and as members of Proud Catholics. For more information, phone Isabel on 07858 934457, email [proud.catholics@yahoo.com](mailto:proud.catholics@yahoo.com), or visit our website <https://www.proud Catholics.co.uk/>

### RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Next session *Wed 21 Feb* 7.00pm in St Charles Parish Centre. There are 9 adults in our group who will be received into the Church at Easter. Please keep them in your prayers.

### RIP

*Margaret Matthews* Requiem *Wed 21 Feb* 12.00noon. Her body will be received into church on *Tue 20 Feb* 5.00pm

### Season of Lent

Prayer	<i>Stations of the Cross</i>	Sacred Heart	Thursdays 9.00am
		St Charles	Fridays 9.00am
(unless change of Mass Time due to funerals)			
Fasting	<i>Soup Lunches</i>	St Columba	<i>Wed 21 Feb</i> 12.00noon
		St John	<i>Wed 28 Feb</i> 12.00noon
		St Aidan	<i>Wed 6 Mar</i> 12.00noon
		Sacred Heart	<i>Wed 13 Mar</i> 12.00noon
		St Cuthbert	<i>Wed 20 Mar</i> 12.00noon

Lenten Service 12.00noon followed by Soup Lunch at 12.30pm

*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)

### HCPT

Clare, Daisy & Rachel, students of Sacred Heart High School to assist their fundraising trip to Lourdes. If anyone would like to contribute further then please use the following link.

[www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/ClareandDaisyHCPT EastertriptoLourdes](http://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/ClareandDaisyHCPT EastertriptoLourdes)

### Justice and Peace Lenten Soup Lunch for CAFOD

*Sun 3rd Mar* after 10.30am Mass at Sacred Heart

*Sun 3rd Mar* St Charles Parish Centre 12.30pm

### 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

Thank you so much for your generous gifts of sleeping bags and blankets. We have had such a good response that we now have difficulties with storage. We shall repeat the request when we have depleted our stock. Gloves and socks still needed. Please leave them in the porch at Sacred Heart or contact Ged/Pat Downey 0191 242 1718 or Angela Hawthorne 07443598188

### Holy Year

Pope Francis has invited us all to keep 2024 a Year of Prayer in anticipation of the Holy Year in 2025. Refer to Diocesan website where resources are available.

### LOUDfence

*3-6 March* at St Mary's Cathedral *3 Mar* beginning with Mass at 11.30am and ending with a Service at St Nicholas Cathedral at 6.00pm on *6 Mar*. All are welcome to come and pray or offer their thoughts for those who have suffered abuse in any way.

### Book Club

The next book club meeting will be *Thurs 14th of Mar* at 7pm at Sacred Heart. We will discuss *The Power and the Glory* by Graham Greene.

### 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.

### 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 the website.

### Sacrament of Confirmation

will take place on *Tue 9 July* in St Charles. The first preparation session is *Sun 19 May* in Sacred Heart Church Hall, 4.00pm - 6.00pm. The dates of the other session are on the information sheets available at the back of both churches this weekend. Parents/guardians who wish to register their son/daughter for confirmation should contact Gerard Shepherd, email: [gerardshep@gmail.com](mailto:gerardshep@gmail.com). Tel: 07443432514.

**Lourdes 2024 Diocesan Pilgrimage** *26 July - 2 Aug*. For details on how to be part: [hexhamandnewcastlelourdespilgrimage.co.uk](http://hexhamandnewcastlelourdespilgrimage.co.uk)

**Fr Michael's** email account may have been hacked, so if you receive a message to send money **DON'T** it's a scam.



### Quote of the Week

*Faith is deliberate confidence in the character of God whose ways you might not understand at the time.*

Chambers