

Mass Times, Intentions & Services			
Date	Time	Church	Mass Intentions & Services
Sat 16 Mar Vigils	5.00pm 6.30pm	St. Charles Sacred Heart	Terry Callen (RIP) Judy Reid
Sun 17 Mar 5th Sunday of Lent	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	Mary Sanderson (A) Fr Patrick Kennedy NBF
Mon 18 Mar Weekday of Lent	9.30am	St Charles	Eucharistic Service
Tue 19 Mar St Joseph	9.30am	Sacred Heart	Fr John McElone NBF
Wed 20 Mar St Cuthbert Patron of Diocese	9.30am 10.00am	St Charles St Charles	Dec Mems of Hansom & Mageenan Families Café
Thu 21 Mar Weekday of Lent	9.30am	Sacred Heart	Fr Patrick Kennedy NBF
Fri 22 Mar Weekday of Lent	9.30am	St Charles	Winifred & James Halcrow (RIP)
Sat 23 Mar Vigils	5.00pm 6.30pm	St Charles Sacred Heart	Irene Nolan (RIP) David & William Johnson
Sun 24 Mar Palm Sunday	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	George Douglas (Wedding Anniversary) Fr Kevin Bolger NBF

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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St Patrick's Day

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 Fr John McElone, Fr Patrick Kennedy, Fr Kevin Bolger

and those whose anniversaries occur at this time: June Lamanou, Ted O'Rourke, Joan Sewell, Audrey Graham, Pina Bell, Matthew Youll, Joe Sanders, Lillian Gunning, David Johnson, Catherine Walker, Mary Sanderson .

May they rest in peace

Money Matters



Last Sunday's Collection:
Total income for February

St. Charles	Sacred Heart
£ 480.36	£ 332.37
£3244.50	£2335.00

Notices for the Week

Baptism

Penny Bette Binney will be baptised next weekend at St Charles, welcome to the parish and best wishes to his parents, *Daniel & Kaye*.

Sacred Heart Hall will be closed until further notice. There are issues with adjacent trees that need to be resolved.

Season of Lent

Prayer Stations of the Cross Sacred Heart Thursdays 8.50am
St Charles Fridays 8.50am
(unless change of Mass Time due to funerals)

Fasting Soup Lunches St Cuthbert Wed 20 Mar 12.00noon
Lenten Service 12.00noon followed by Soup Lunch at 12.30pm

Almsgiving St Cuthbert's Care collection boxes at back of church

Prayers for Ukraine & Gaza

The rosary is offered every Wednesday 9.00am at St Charles

Job Vacancies

HR Advisor, Diocesan Offices, Newcastle-full time. Closing date 28 Mar. Please visit: diocesahn.org.uk

RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Our last session Wed 20 Mar 7.00pm in St Charles Parish Centre. There are 8 adults in our group who will be received into the Church at Easter. Please keep them in your prayers.

Day of Prayer & Fasting

Sat 23 Mar Vigil of Palm Sunday pray for an end of Abortion in this country. Through God's grace we have seen thousands of mothers in our counselling centre continue their pregnancies in very difficult circumstances. Help us save lives with your prayers, fasting and support. www.GoodCounselNetwork.com

CAFOD Family Fast

Thank you to all parishioners at St Charles for your latest donation of £129.10 which was received on 6 Mar. Thank you so much for being there for our global family.

Passion Play

St Charles Children's Liturgy Group will perform 'The Passion' on Palm Sunday Sun 24 Mar during the 9.00am Mass.

Easter Production

St Oswald's School children are holding an *Easter Celebration* in Sacred Heart Church on Wed 27 Mar 7.00pm All are welcome.

Please note - the only Mass on Sat 30 Mar is the *Easter Vigil* 7.00pm

Holy Week & Easter

28 Mar	Holy Thursday	<i>Mass of the Lord's Supper</i>	Sacred Heart	7.00pm
29 Mar	Good Friday	<i>Celebration of the Passion</i>	Sacred Heart	3.00pm
			St Charles	3.00pm
30 Mar	Holy Saturday	<i>The Easter Vigil</i>	St Charles	7.00pm

31 Mar Easter Sunday *Mass of The Resurrection*

St Charles 9.00am
Sacred Heart 10.30am

Easter Sunday

Sacred Heart Hall after 10.30am Mass to celebrate in northern tradition... with a pace (decorated) egg, a bonnet (or hat), a hardboiled egg for Jarping - and a smile. How will you be decorating yours? Have you thought about how to decorate an Easter bonnet/ hat?

St Charles Knitting Group

Have created a range of animals to cover crême Eggs. These are free to all children of the parish and are available at the back of the church, 23/24 Mar any donations are welcome for Lenten Alms - St Cuthbert's Care. Thank you in anticipation of your generosity.

Wine and Cheese at St Charles/Sacred Heart joint Justice and Peace group AGM. Come and hear what's been going on, all very welcome. Tues 16th Apr at 7pm in St Charles parish centre, entry via carpark.

Proud Catholics

Tues 16 Apr 7.30pm at St Andrew's Church, Worswick St. For more information, phone Isabel on 07858 934457, email proud.catholics@yahoo.com.

St Mary's Catholic School - Prayer Intentions

If you would like us to include any intentions in our weekly thoughts and prayers, click on the Catholic Life section: stmarysnewcastle.co.uk

Friends of the Holy Land

Thank you for your generosity £370.56 was received with thanks.

Mary's Place

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

Missio Boxes aka THE RED BOXES at Sacred Heart

Is anyone willing to take on responsibility for looking after these boxes? The task is not at all onerous but it is an essential part of our parish's contribution to the Pope's call to help those less fortunate than ourselves.

If you feel able to help, please contact jo.a.shepherd@googlemail.com

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. Parents/guardians who wish to register their son/daughter for confirmation should contact Gerard Shepherd, email: gerardshep@gmail.com. Tel: 07443432514.

Lourdes 2024 Diocesan Pilgrimage 26 July - 2 Aug. For details on how to be part: hexhamandnewcastlelourdespilgrimage.co.uk



Quote of the Week

The hunger for love is much more difficult to remove than the hunger for bread.

Mother Teresa