

Mass Times, Intentions & Services			
Date	Time	Church	Mass Intentions & Services
Sat 27 Apr <i>Vigils</i>	5.00pm 6.30pm	St Charles Sacred Heart	Margaret Warrents (A) John & Margaret Jenkins (A)
Sun 28 Apr <i>Fifth Sunday of Easter</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	Josie & Jimmy & Families Robin Salter (A)
Mon 29 Apr <i>St Catherine of Siena</i>	9.30am	St Charles	Eucharistic Service
Tue 30 Apr <i>Weekday of Easter</i>	9.30am	Sacred Heart	Richard Wright (A)
Wed 1 May <i>Weekday of Easter</i>	9.30am 10.00am	St Charles St Charles	Barbara & Dominic Johnston Café
Thu 2 May <i>St Albaninus</i>	9.30am	Sacred Heart	Mgr Philip Carroll (NBF)
Fri 3 May <i>Ss Philip &amp; James Apostles</i>	9.30am	St Charles	Irene Little
Sat 4 May <i>English Martyrs Vigils</i>	5.00pm 6.30pm	St Charles Sacred Heart	Gerry & Peggy Miller Geraldine Boyle
Sun 5 May <i>Sixth Sunday of Easter</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	Elaine Willcock (Birthday Anniversary) (In thanksgiving - St Joseph)

**St Charles**  
  
*Eucharistic  
Adoration  
8.45am  
when weekday Service  
is at 9.30am*

**Sacrament of Reconciliation  
(Confession)**  
  
*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  
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The Parishes operate in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency (CSSA) and Diocese's policies and procedures at all times. At St Charles Parish the Safeguarding Representatives are Catherine McTernan and Sarah Logie and at Sacred Heart it is Jo Shepherd, or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding Team can be contacted on 0191 2433305 or at [safeguarding@dioceschn.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@dioceschn.org.uk)



## GOSFORTH CATHOLIC PARISHES

### Sacred Heart - North Gosforth

### St. Charles - Gosforth



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Sacred Heart Hall bookings:  
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## FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

### 28 April 2024

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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, Terry O'Malley, Joseph Poland, Lisa Robinson Tilley, Natasha Rose, Jo Sutton, Michelle Wilkinson, Cliff Woodball, Julie Yoeart, David Garnish, Liz Sasse, Kathleen Murphy, Louise Chavannes, Rebecca Brockbank, Pete, Eileen Spraggon, Mary Turnbull, Fr Nelius O'Connor, Julia Rogers.*



**those who have died recently** *Joseph Luke, Mgr Philip Carroll, Rev John Hawthorne, Terence Wales, Charles Stringfellow, Jacqueline Hirst, Malcolm Carling,*

**and those whose anniversaries occur at this time:** *Liz Collins, Robin Salter, Richard Wright, Joyce Lynn, Anna Jones, Michael McMahon, Michael Cullen, Pamela McAndrew,*

May they rest in peace Amen.

### Money Matters

Last Sunday's Collection:	<i>St. Charles</i> £550.39	<i>Sacred Heart</i> £464.20
Little Sisters of the Poor	£728.35	£248.51



Thank you for your generosity

## Notices for the Week

### CAFOD Emergency Appeal

The people of *Sudan* need our help urgently: families are already going hungry and famine is looming. We are launching an appeal for donations to get aid to them on the biggest scale we can muster. In gratitude for your ongoing prayers and support.

### Baptisms

*Raphael Hugh William Bone* will be baptised this weekend at St Charles, welcome to the parish and best wishes to his parents *Christopher & Amy*.

*Theodore John Pringle* will be baptised next weekend at Sacred Heart, welcome to the parish and best wishes to his parents *Phillip & Catherine*.

### National Day of Prayer for Victims & Survivors of Abuse *Tue 30 Apr*

A *Service of Prayer* at Sacred Heart 7.00pm. We will tie ribbons to the cross in the grounds, in solidarity with *Bishop Stephen & LoudFence*. All are welcome.

### Prayers for Peace in Ukraine

The *Rosary* is recited every Wednesday St Charles 9.00am.

### Young Adult Faith Group

The next meeting will be in St Charles Prsbytery *Thu 2 May* at 7.00pm

### Eucharistic Ministers - St Charles

Those who take *Communion* out, see Fr Michael after Mass *Fri 3 May* 10.00am

### Holy Name Parish

Invites you to hear Eamon Duffy speak on 'Rev Robert Hugh Monsignor Benson & The End of the World' - *Sat 4 May* in church. Opens 11.00am for 11.30am start, talk ends at 12.30pm.

**St Charles Primary School Places** - a few places left both in Nursery & Reception, starting *Sept 2024*. for further info: 0191-2852553

### Job Vacancies - Diocese of Hexham & Newcastle

IT field Engineer (2 posts) Diocesan Offices - Full time Closing date *6 May*  
visit: diocesehn.org.uk or Tel: 2433301

### Baptism Preparation Session

Enquiring about baptism? Come along to St Charles Parish Centre *Tue 7 May* 7.00pm

### Abortion Amendments & Assisted Suicide

*Diane Johnson MP* is attempting to decriminalise abortion. Assisted Suicide is dangerously close to becoming legalised. Write to your MP to oppose these changes.

### RIP - Funerals

*Rev John Hawthorne* - Requiem Mass - Sacred Heart - *Tue 7 May* 10.30am, followed by Cremation at West Road. Reception into church *Mon 6 May* 4.00pm.

*Terence Wales* - Funeral Service - St Bede - *Wed 8 May* 1.45pm followed by burial.

*Charles Stringfellow* - Requiem Mass - St Charles - *Fri 10 May* 11.00am followed by Cremation at the West Road. Reception into church *Thu 9 May* at 4.00pm.

*Jacqueline Hirst* - Funeral Service - St Charles - *Tue 14 May* 1.15pm followed by burial

*Malcolm Carling* - Funeral Service - West Road Chapel - *Wed 15 May* 11.45am - followed by burial.

### Holy Day

*Thu 9 May* is the Feast of The Ascension.

Mass times: 9.30am at Sacred Heart. 7.00pm at St Charles.

### Novena to The Holy Spirit

Begins on *Fri 10 May* until the eve of Pentecost *19 May*.

### Sacrament of Confirmation

The first preparation session is *Sun 19 May* in Sacred Heart Church Hall, 4.00pm - 6.00pm. Information sheets available at the back of church. 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. Confirmation Day *Tue 9 July* St Charles.

### Red Mission Boxes - Sacred Heart

contents will be collected on the following weekends *11/12 & 18/19 May*.

### Holiday

*Fr Michael* will be on holiday from *20-24 May*.

### Proud Catholics

*Tues 21 May* 7.30pm at St Andrew's Church, Worswick St. For more info, phone Isabel on 07858 934457, email [proud.catholics@yahoo.com](mailto:proud.catholics@yahoo.com).

### Day of Reflection for Eucharistic Ministers, Readers & Catechists

*Sat 25 May* St Cuthbert's School Hall, Balmain Rd. Kenton. Speaker *Fr Damien Cassidy O Carm*. 11.00 - 3.30pm (bring packed Lunch) Enquiries 0191-2841690 [pat.kennedy42@icloud.com](mailto:pat.kennedy42@icloud.com) There will be a collection on the day.

### Sacred Heart Baby & Toddler Group

Additional volunteers to help with sessions. Contact Hilda Dixon 07715 659 187

### Annual Mission Appeal

The Verona Fathers are coming to ask for our prayers and financial assistance for their overseas missions at all Masses over the weekend of *1/2 June*.

**Feast of The Sacred Heart** is on *Fri 7 June*. For the past 2 years we have organised a celebration raising money for 'Ukrainian Refugees' & 'Jo Cox Foundation' if you have any ideas for this celebration contact *Jo Shepherd*.

### Wedding

*Henry Okoye & Joyce Okpeahior* - will be married at St Charles on *Sat 8 June* at 1.30pm

**Significance Festival Weekend** *Sat 29 June* 10-3.00pm - *Youth Village*

Stalls, Activities, Sessions with children & young people, Guest Speakers & live-Music. Mass will be celebrated by *Bishop Stephen* at 3.15pm. Entry Free, followed by *Barbeque & Ceilidh* tickets £10. To book: email *Nicole* at [nsalkeld@ymt.org](mailto:nsalkeld@ymt.org) or Tel: 01207 592244 All proceeds to support this charity founded by *Fr Dermott Donnelly*.

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



### Quote of the Week

*We walk into the future in God-glorifying confidence, not because the future is known to us, but because it is known to God.*

Kevin de Young