

Mass Times, Intentions & Services			
Date	Time	Church	Mass Intentions & Services
Sat 12 Apr <i>Vigils</i>	5.00pm 6.30pm	St Charles Sacred Heart	(Thanksgiving) Kathleen & Patrick Keane Deacon John Hawthorne (A)
Sun 13 Apr <i>Palm Sunday</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	Tommy Sanderson (A) Jessie Hay (A)
Mon 14 Apr <i>Holy Week</i>	9.30am	St Charles	Eucharistic Service
Tue 15 Apr <i>Holy Week</i>	9.30am	Sacred Heart	Noel Reid (RIP)
Wed 16 Apr <i>Holy Week</i>	9.00am 10.00am 11.00am	St Charles St Charles Cathedral	Irene, Charles & Charlie Diamond (RIP) Café Chrism Mass
Thu 17 Apr <i>Holy Thursday</i>	7.00pm	Sacred Heart	Mass of the Lord's Supper Douglas Welsh
Fri 18 Apr <i>Good Friday</i>	3.00pm 3.00pm	St Charles Sacred Heart	Celebration of the Lord's Passion Eucharistic Service Eucharistic Service
Sat 19 Apr <i>Holy Saturday Vigils</i>	7.00pm	St Charles	The Easter Vigil Catechumens
Sun 20 Apr <i>Easter Sunday</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	Elaine Wilcock (RIP) Cheryl Smith (RIP)

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
when weekday
Service
is at 9.30am

The Parishes operate in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency(CSSA). At St Charles Parish the Safeguarding Reps are *Catherine McTernan* catherine.mcternan@diocesehn.org.uk & *Sarah Logie* sarah.logie@diocesehn.org.uk and at Sacred Heart it is *Jo Shepherd*: jo.a.shepherd@googlemail.com or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding Team can be contacted on 0191 2433305 or at safeguarding@diocesehn.org.uk



GOSFORTH CATHOLIC PARISHES

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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, Bedelia Douglass, Mary Farrar, Graham Firth, Daniel Garton, Nicola Gauld, Maureen Keddy, Terry O'Malley, Joseph Poland, Lisa Robinson Tilley, Natasha Rose, Jo Sutton, Michelle Wilkinson, Cliff Woodhall, Julie Yoeart, Liz Sasse, Kathleen Murphy, Louise Chavannes, Rebecca Brockbank, Pete, Eileen Spraggon, Mary Turnbull, Walter Jackson, Tony Smith, Nina Buller, Corina C, Margaret Woodley, Anna Cuskin, Rev Alex Mabbs, Joan Swift,



for those who have died recently,

Fred Bannister, Fr Peter Kelly,

and those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Edith Stead, Ken Doyle, Ronald William Buck, Thomas Ferguson, James Francis Turley, Jean Bun, James Alexander, Jacqueline Hurst, Margaret Dalgleish, Audrey Pattinson, Jenny Ross, Charles Bruce, Jean McPeake, Leo Honour, David Henry,

May they rest in peace.

Money Matters



Last Sunday's Collection:
March Standing Orders:
Myanmar Appeal

St. Charles

£ 998.07
£ 2,992.50
£ 750.71

Sacred Heart

£ 525.07
£ 2,613.00
£ 499.80

NOTICES

Passion Play *St Charles Children's Liturgy Group* will perform *'The Passion'* during 9.00am Mass today, Palm Sunday *13 Apr*.

Holy Places

A collection will be taken *Palm Sunday & Good Friday* for the upkeep of *'The Holy Places', the Shrines of the Holy Land.*

Emergency Myanmar Earthquake Appeal

Thank you for your generous response, the amounts raised are listed overleaf, front page.

Thank you to the band and to all who came and supported the Ceilidh at Sacred Heart. £420 was raised and split between *'Freedom From Torture' & Diocesan Refugee Project.'*

Prayers for Peace: The Rosary is recited at St Charles on *Wednesdays 30 mins before Mass*

Passion Plays thank you to *St Charles School* for their thoughtful *'Stations of the Cross'* performed at the school and *St Oswald's School* for their *'Easter Production'* which they performed in Sacred Heart church. A thoughtful start.

Chrism Mass

This year takes place on *Wed 16 Apr* at 11.00am in *St Mary's Cathedral*

Holy Thursday

'Can you not keep watch with me?' Watching will take place at *the Altar of Repose* after Mass at Sacred Heart until 9.00pm.

Christian Act of Witness

As in previous years, there will be a *Good Friday Ecumenical Service* outside *Trinity Church on Gosforth High St.* This public witness to our faith is a reminder to the local community of the significance of Good Friday. *18 Apr 11.20am*

Please Note

The only Mass on *Sat 19 Apr* is the *Easter Vigil* at St Charles, it is at the later time of 7.00pm

New Members

Please keep in your prayers Karen Mackie, Annelise Hardy, Lo-Wah Louise Wong, Rebecca Wallace, Bethany Williams, Holly Barnes and Rachel Osborne they will be received into the Church at the Easter Vigil.

Baptism

Eden Rose Imani-Gray will be baptised Easter Sunday during Mass at Sacred Heart, welcome to the parish and best wishes to her parents *Kieron & Maria*

NBF - Northern Brethren Fund - Collection for Sick & Retired Clergy

will be taken over the weekend of *19/20 Apr* and will remain open until *the end of the month.*

Traditional Easter Games - Easter Sunday Sacred Heart Hall after 10.30am Mass.

Egg Hunt, Bring Decorated Eggs & Bonnets also Hard-boiled Eggs for Jarping.

Proud Catholics

Tue 22 Apr at St Andrew's, Worswick St. For more info phone Isabel 07858 934457

RIP

Sr Aelred - Funeral arrangements: Requiem St Mary's, Sunderland *Fri 25 Apr 9.30am*

Annual Mission Appeal 2025 - This year will be given by *Sr Brenda a Franciscan Missionary Sister* over the weekend of *26/27 Apr.*

SVP 200 Club

Draw results in church porch. Direct Debit Subscribers account used in past is now closed. Account details are as follows: Nat West Account name C211104 SVP St Charles—Gosforth account no. 46081895 sort code 60-60-04. Thank you for your support.

Feast of St George, Patron of England

(transferred from *23 Apr* Wed of Easter Octave to) *Mon 28 Apr*

Sacrament of Confirmation- Preparation at St Teresa's, Heaton on *Tue evenings 6.45-8.15pm.* The next session is *Tue 6 May,* Confirmation Mass on *Thu 26 June,* at Holy Name Jesmond.

Healing Mass

Thu 8 May at Sacred Heart *11.30 am* followed by Lunch in parish hall. If you would like to receive *the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick* and need *transport* please hand in your name to any member of the SVP.

Sacred Heart PPC Meeting: This will be held on *8 May* at *7.00pm.* The meeting is open to all parishioners. Possible agenda items should be sent to jo.a.shepherd@googlemail.com

Children's Mass: The final Mass of our First Communion Preparation Programme is *Sun 11 May.* The children will lead us in prayer, bring up the offertory and assist with the Sign of Peace.

Baptism Preparation

Anyone enquiring about getting a child baptised, please come to the next preparation evening. The next date and venue, *Tue 13 May* St Charles Parish Centre 7.00pm.

Annual Day of Reflection

For Eucharistic ministers, Readers & Catechists (plus anyone interested) *Sat 17 May* St Cuthbert's Primary School, Kenton - *'Called to Serve'* - Coffee 10.30am (Bring packed Lunch) Enquiries 0191 2841690. Numbers would be helpful, there will be a collection on the day.

Relaunch of Diocesan Youth Council : Scheduled *Sun 18 May* St Mary's Cathedral 2.30-4.00pm Young people welcome Yr 9 and above. Visit Diocesan website for more info.

SVP & CAFOD 22-27 June

Offer free residential work experience for 20 adults, more info: KeziaH@svp.org.uk

Stamps, Jewellery, Medals & Coins

Help raise funds for *the Little Sisters of the Poor,* have you *used postage stamps, foreign currency, broken silver or gold jewellery or military medals?* Contact Theresa: 2645771

The Online Update Service: Emails from DBS

Allows you to keep your enhanced DBS certificate up to date; it enables the Diocese, with your consent, to complete your 3-yearly DBS check. If you need further information speak to your Parish Safeguarding Representative.

Tea, Coffee & Refreshments

Tea, coffee and refreshments are available after Masses on Sunday morning in St Charles Parish Centre & Sacred Heart Parish Hall. Everyone is very welcome.

Job Vacancies

The Diocese of Hexam and Newcastle is looking to appoint the following vacancies:

Head of Human Resources—Diocesan Offices in Newcastle—Full-time, permanent contract. Closing date: 27 Apr 2025

Please visit www.diocesehn.org.uk/job-vacancies for full details or contact 0191 243 3301