

Mass Times, Intentions & Services			
Date	Time	Church	Mass Intentions & Services
Sat 26 Apr <i>Vigils</i>	5.00pm 6.30pm	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Pauline Cleary (RIP)</i> <i>Nancy Colaghan (RIP)</i>
Sun 27 Apr <i>2nd Sunday</i> <i>Of Easter</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Barbara & Dominic Johnston</i> <i>Holy Souls</i>
Mon 28 Apr <i>St George</i> <i>Patron of England</i>	9.30am	St Charles	<i>World Peace</i>
Tue 29 Apr <i>St Catherine</i> <i>Of Siena</i>	9.30am	Sacred Heart	<i>Holy Souls</i>
Wed 30 Apr <i>Weekday</i> <i>Of Easter</i>	9.30am 10.00am	St Charles St Charles	<i>Robin Salter (A)</i> <i>Café</i>
Thu 1 May <i>Weekday</i> <i>Of Easter</i>	9.30am	Sacred Heart	<i>Holy Souls</i>
Fri 2 May <i>St Athanasius</i>	9.30am	St Charles	<i>Willie Moroney</i>
Sat 3 May <i>Ss Philip & James</i> Vigils	5.00pm 6.30pm	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Ray Beckinsale</i> <i>Deacon John Hawthorne (A)</i>
Sun 4 May <i>3rd Sunday</i> <i>Of Easter</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Helen & Robert Campbell Hewsom (RIP)</i> <i>Holy Souls</i>

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
Sacred Heart - North Gosforth
St. Charles - Gosforth



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2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER 27 April 2025
DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

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, 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, Marlyn Scott, Joan Swift,



for those who have died recently,

Pope Francis, Fred Bannister, Christine Plait, Joan Browne,

and those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Robin Salter, Richard Wright, Anna Jones, Michael McMahon, Michael Cullen,

Patricia McAndrew,

May they rest in peace.

Money Matters



Last Sunday's Collection:
Lenten Alms :
Holy Places :

<i>St. Charles</i>	<i>Sacred Heart</i>
£1,080.03	£ 633.36
£ 210.02	£ 412.88
£ 969.91	£ 326.55

NOTICES

Annual Mission Appeal

Will be given today by *Sr Teresa*, a retiring collection will be taken to support the work of the *Franciscan Missionary Sisters*.

Baptisms

Philip Ambrus Watson-Broughton will be baptised this weekend at St Charles, welcome to the parish and best wishes to his parents, *Matthew & Csege*.

Bruno Carlos Brito Manzi-Bruce will be baptised next weekend at St Charles, welcome to the parish and best wishes to his parents, *Antony & Rosimeire*.

Vinnie Callum Mitchell will be baptised next weekend at St Charles, welcome to the parish and best wishes to his parents, *Paul & Megan*.

Welcome

Please keep in your prayers Annelise Hardy, Lo-Wah Louise Wong, Bethany Williams, Holly Barnes and Rachel Osborne were received into the Church at the Easter Vigil, welcome to our parish and best wishes to you and your families.

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

Feast of St George, Patron of England

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

RIP

Pope Francis died on Easter Monday, let us commend his soul to the infinite merciful love of God. Let us pray also for; *Fred Bannister, Christine Plait and Joan Browne*.

Funeral Service - *Fred Bannister* - Whitley Bay Crematorium at 10.30am *Wed 30 Apr*. A Mass will be offered for Fred at Sacred Heart at a date to be fixed.

Requiem - *Christine Susan Plait* - St Charles 10.30am *Wed 7 May* followed by cremation.

Proud Catholics

Tue 20 May at St Andrew's, Worswick St. For more info phone Isabel 07858 934457

Thank you

To both parish organists, musicians, singers, servers and readers, your participation in the Services of Holy Week & Easter makes all the difference and is appreciated by our parishioners and visitors.

Easter at Sacred Heart

Thanks to all who organised the Easter activities in the hall and to all who attended, everyone had a great time.

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 *Thu 8 May* at *7.00pm*. The meeting is open to all parishioners. Possible agenda items should be sent to jo.a.shepherd@googlemail.com

Wedding

Charlotte Crawshaw & Alfie Edge will be married at Sacred Heart on *Fri 9 May* 1.00pm.

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.

'Every Brilliant Thing'

This play will be performed in St Charles Parish Centre on *Fri 6 June* at 7.00pm by a former parishioner, *Aidan MacBride*. This is a fundraiser for MIND. Suitable for 14+ only. Tickets on the door or vis Evenbite. More details on poster in porch.

SVP & CAFOD 22-27 June

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

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 is looking to appoint the following vacancy:

Head of Human Resources Full-time, permanent contract. Closing date: *27 Apr*

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

Care of the Earth

Plastic with triangle containing 1, 2, 5; chocolate/sweet tubs Council recycling bin or Flexible plastic bins at *major supermarkets*: Spectacles for Vision Aid Overseas *Concept Eye Clinic (Ivy Rd) & most opticians*: Bikes *Recycle in Byker*: Empty blister packs (from tablets) *Superdrug Northumberland St. only (bin in pharmacy)*: Bras *Bravissimo & most lingerie depts (often hidden, so ask!)* Washed plant pots *Dobbie's Ponteland Rd*: Bedding *Dunelm (Cramlington)*

Postage stamps *box at Trinity Café, Gosforth High St proceeds in aid of St Oswald's Hospice*

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.

St Oswald's Primary School has a few remaining places available for Reception 2025.

For further information please contact Newcastle City Council 0191 278 7878 or email admissions.information@newcastle.gov.uk

Diocesan Refugee Project

is always in need of help. Food donations can be left in the church porch.

Mary's Place Homeless Café

We are in desperate need of sleeping bags. Please leave them in the porch at Sacred Heart or contact Ged Downey 07740336459

Prayer Cards fore the death of Pope Francis are available at the back of church. Please take one and pray for him.

Quote of the Week

I do not feel obliged to believe that the same God who has endowed us with sense, reason and intellect has intended us to forego their use. Galileo

