

Mass Times, Intentions & Services			
Date	Time	Church	Mass Intentions & Services
Sat 3 May <i>Vigils</i>	5.00pm 6.30pm	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Ray Beckinsale</i> <i>Deacon John Hawthorne (A)</i>
Sun 4 May <i>3rd Sunday Of Easter</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Helen & Robert Campbell Hewson (RIP)</i> <i>Holy Souls</i>
Mon 5 May <i>Weekday Of Easter</i>	9.30am	St Charles	<i>Eucharistic Service</i>
Tue 6 May <i>Weekday Of Easter</i>	9.30am	Sacred Heart	<i>Pope Francis (RIP)</i>
Wed 7 May <i>Weekday Of Easter</i>	10.00am 10.30am	St Charles St Charles	<i>Café</i> <i>Requiem - Christine Susan Plait (RIP)</i>
Thu 8 May <i>Weekday Of Easter</i>	11.30am	Sacred Heart	<i>For the Sick & Infirm</i>
Fri 9 May <i>Weekday Of Easter</i>	9.30am 1.00pm	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Steven Dolphin (A)</i> <i>Wedding - Charlotte Crawshaw & Alfie Edge</i>
Sat 10 May <i>Vigils</i>	5.00pm 6.30pm	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Patricia Wocial (nee Millet) Sick Person</i> <i>Maisie McAnelly (A)</i>
Sun 11 May <i>4 Sunday Of Easter</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Elaine Willcock</i> <i>Doreen Robinson (A)</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

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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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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,

Christine Plait, Joan Browne,

and those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Pamela McAndrew, Franco Pollicini, Harry Trainor, Anne Earp, Margaret McHale, James Pinchen, Margaret Caygill, Eileen Driscoll, Joan Anderson, Doreen Robinson, Eric Stewart, Syd Easton-Taylor, Angela Maxwell, Michael McDermott, Brian George, Steven Dolphin,

May they rest in peace.

Money Matters



Last Sunday's Collection:
Sick & Retired Clergy:
Mission Appeal:

	<i>St. Charles</i>	<i>Sacred Heart</i>
<i>Last Sunday's Collection:</i>	£567.25	£371.41
<i>Sick & Retired Clergy:</i>	£505.80	£216.24
<i>Mission Appeal:</i>	£1,038.11	£628.24

NOTICES

Firefighters' Memorial Day - Act of Remembrance outside Fire Station

Today, 4 May, is a 'Memorial Day for Firefighters'. Stand alongside our Fire Crews at 12.00 noon for a *Minute of Silence* and thank them for their service, *maybe with a card, a packet of biscuits or some cake, or share appreciation messages*: Lead Chaplain: fiona-nim@btconnect.com

Baptisms

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

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

Anthony Rodrigo Ebabeche Ruse Ezeala will be baptised next weekend at Sacred Heart, welcome to the parish and best wishes to his parents, *Paul & Megan*.

Hannah Lillian Sunny will be baptised next weekend at Sacred Heart, welcome to the parish and best wishes to her parents, *Alvin & Helen*

Esther Maria Sunny will be baptised next weekend at Sacred Heart, welcome to the parish and best wishes to her parents, *Alan & Alin*.

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

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.

Conclave - The College of Cardinals begin the process of electing a new Pope on *Wed 7 May*. Join them and pray: '*Lord God, you are our eternal shepherd and guide. In your mercy grant your Church a shepherd who will walk in your ways and whose watchful care will bring us your blessing. Amen*'

RIP

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

Fred Bannister, a Mass to celebrate the life of will take place *Sat 31 May 6.30pm* at Sacred Heart.

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. Refreshments will be available to mark the 80th anniversary of VE Day.

Possible agenda items should be sent to jo.a.shepherd@googlemail.com

Wedding

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

Good Shepherd Sunday - Next Sunday *Sun 11 May* is '*World Day of Prayer for Vocations*'. A retiring collection will be taken for the *Little Sisters of the Poor*.

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

Holiday- Fr Michael will be away from *11-22 May*. In his absence if you need to contact a priest, please leave a message at Parish Office, number overleaf.

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.

Newman Tyneside Circle invites you to come and hear **Joe Fitzpatrick** speak about **Bernard Lonergan**, one of the most important Catholic philosophers and theologians of the 20th century, in the hall of Holy Name church, Jesmond on *Tue 13 May*, at 7.30pm.

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.

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.

Beetle Drive at Sacred Heart at 6.30pm on *Sat 17 May*.

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.

National Day of Prayer for Survivors of Abuse takes place on *Tue 20 May*. A Service will take place in Sacred Heart at 7.00pm .

Proud Catholics

Tue 20 May 7.30pm St Andrew's, Worswick St. For more info phone Isabel 07858 934457

Science and Faith Rev Prof David Wilkinson and the Youth Ministry Trust (YMT) warmly invite anyone interested in the conversation between science and faith to an open meeting on *Wed 28 May*, at the Emmaus Youth Village, 5.30-6.45 pm. For more information, please contact phillipsalkeld@ymt.org or 01207592244

'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 Stewart* . This is a fundraiser for MIND. Suitable for 14+ only. Tickets on the door or via Eventbrite. 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

Hope in a Time of Darkness - A Lecture by His Eminence Cardinal Timothy Radcliffe OP - *Mon 23rd Jun 7:45pm* at Galilee Chapel, Durham Cathedral.

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

Diaconate Ordination

Jeremy Wynne will be ordained a Deacon on *Sat 5 July 11.00am* at St Mary's Cathedral.

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

Care of the Earth

Recycle your blister packs at new bins in Boots- Gosforth High St or Kingston Park.

Live Stream at St Charles is no longer provided by *Church Services*, it is now accessed on *YouTube* www.youtube.com/@StCharlesGosforth

SVP- The St Charles SVP Conference would like to thank parishioners for their continued support. A statement of accounts for the year 2024/25 is posted on the SVP noticeboard.

Quote of the Week

A man can no more diminish God's glory by refusing to worship Him than a lunatic can put out the sun by scribbling the word "darkness" on the walls of his cell. - C. S. Lewis

