

Mass Times, Intentions & Services			
Date	Time	Church	Mass Intentions & Services
<b>Sat 16 Aug</b> <i>Vigils</i>	<b>5.00pm</b> <b>6.30pm</b>	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Peter Stonor (RIP)</i> <i>Norma Moscrop (RIP)</i>
<b>Sun 17 Aug</b> <i>20 Sunday Of Year</i>	<b>9.00am</b> <b>10.30am</b>	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Theresa McTiernan (RIP)</i> <i>Dania Michelini &amp; Anna Zuccaroli (A)</i>
<b>Mon 18 Aug</b> <i>Weekday</i>	<b>9.30am</b>	St Charles	<i>Eucharistic Service</i>
<b>Tue 19 Aug</b> <i>St Oswin King &amp; Martyr</i>	<b>9.30am</b>	Sacred Heart	<i>Sick of the Parish</i>
<b>Wed 20 Aug</b> <i>St Bernard Abbot</i>	<b>9.30am</b> <b>10.00am</b>	St Charles St Charles	<i>Charles, Irene &amp; Charlie Diamond (RIP)</i> <i>Café</i>
<b>Thu 21 Aug</b> <i>Dedication Of Cathedral</i>	<b>9.30am</b> <b>11.00am</b>	Sacred Heart Sacred Heart	<i>Holy Mass</i> <i>Funeral Service - Dr Francis Yellowley</i>
<b>Fri 22 Aug</b> <i>Mary Queen of Heaven</i>	<b>9.30am</b>	St Charles	<i>Private Intention (LB)</i>
<b>Sat 23 Aug</b> <i>Vigils</i>	<b>5.00pm</b> <b>6.30pm</b>	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Living &amp; Dec'd Members of McGurn Family</i> <i>Roger Gray (RIP)</i>
<b>Sun 24 Aug</b> <i>21 Sunday Of Year</i>	<b>9.00am</b> <b>10.30am</b>	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Richard Thompson (RIP)</i> <i>Wellbeing (MF)</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 Rep is *Sarah Logie* [sarah.logie@diocesehn.org.uk](mailto:sarah.logie@diocesehn.org.uk) and at Sacred Heart it is *Jo Shepherd* [jo.a.shepherd@gmail.com](mailto:jo.a.shepherd@gmail.com) or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding Team can be contacted on 0191 2433305 or at [safeguarding@diocesehn.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@diocesehn.org.uk)



## GOSFORTH CATHOLIC PARISHES

### Sacred Heart - North Gosforth St. Charles - Gosforth



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#### St. Charles Borromeo

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Gosforth  
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#### Sacred Heart

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NE3 5EB

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Katie/Mary 0191 2851370

Sacred Heart Hall bookings:

Joan Donnelly 0191 2365588

## 20<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF YEAR 17 August 2025

#### 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:*

*(See notice regarding data protection overleaf)*

*those who have died recently,*

*Dr Thomas Yellowley, Ian Oliver, Jim Mohan, Peter McGrady*

*and those whose anniversaries occur at this time:*

*Bill Farrar, Eileen McCaskie, Kathleen McLaughlin, Rosaline Wilkinson, Joan Yellowley,*

*Dominic Deighan, John O'Hagan, Mary Allen, Patricia Flynn,*

*may they rest in peace.*



### Money Matters



*Last Sunday's Collection:*

*St. Charles*  
£469.28

*Sacred Heart*  
£390.50

## NOTICES

### **Data Protection**

Please note the *Sick & Housebound List* on the front page of the newsletter needs to be updated. Due to current legislation names can only be listed with the permission of the named individual. If you want your name to be listed please complete the *Prayer Request Form* at the back of the church and your name will be listed.

### **Baptism**

*Albie Luca Williams* will be baptised this weekend at St Charles, welcome to the parish and best wishes to his parents, *Timothy & Annabel*.

*Bonnie Helena Briers* will be baptised next weekend at St Charles, welcome to the parish and best wishes to her parents, *Andrew & Eve*.

### **Proud Catholics**

*Tue 19 Aug* 7.30pm at St Andrew, Worswick St. Newcastle. For more details phone Isabel on 07858 934457 email [proud.catholics@yahoo.com](mailto:proud.catholics@yahoo.com)

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

### **RIP**

*Dr Thomas Yellowley* Funeral Service Sacred Heart *Thu 21 Aug* 11.00am followed by Burial.

*Rev Alex Mabbs* Memorial Service Trinity Church *Fri 22 Aug* 2.00pm.

*Jim Mohan* Requiem St Charles *Fri 29 Aug* 11.30am followed by Burial.

*Peter McGrady* Requiem St Charles *Fri 5 Sept* 9.00am followed by Burial.

### **Queenship of Our Lady - Pilgrimage of Hope**

*22 Aug* Shrine of Our Lady of Mount Grace, Osmotherley. A Day of Reparation and Prayers, 11.00am *Stations of the Cross*. Bring your own lunch. *Adoration & Mass* at 3.00pm.

Evening office Contact Flora at 07738 472779.

### **Fire-Warden Meeting**

*Sacred Heart* — A meeting will take place on *Sun 24 Aug* after 10.30am Mass to share how to be *Fire Wardens*.

### **Diocesan Vacancies**

*Safe Guarding* - *St Charles, Gosforth*: would you like to be part of the team who will continue to make our parish a safe place to worship? Are you competent with computers, have patience and understand the importance of confidentiality? Contact Fr Michael or if you would like more info, contact *Ian Colling* or *Andrew Grant* - Diocesan Safeguarding Team 0191 2433305

*Education Operations Manager*, salary £35,000 Closing date *3 Sept* more info:

[annie.leaver@diocesehn.org.uk](mailto:annie.leaver@diocesehn.org.uk)

*Sunday Tea/Coffee Ministry* at *St Charles*: We currently operate on a rota of 5 teams, we are looking for someone to join us as one of our team members will be leaving. The role involves helping with refreshments in the parish centre after Sunday Mass, and would begin from *Sun 7 Sept*. Interested contact Parish Office.

### **Justice & Peace - 'Human Trafficking'**

*Sr. Imelda Poole*, an incredibly inspirational person, who works in Albania, will talk about her work providing shelter and care to those rescued, and the issues surrounding human trafficking, in St Charles parish Centre *Tues 2 Sept* 7.00pm. All welcome.

### **Baptism Preparation Evening**

For parents who are enquiring about getting their child baptised. *Tue 9 Sept* at 7.00pm St Charles Parish Centre.

### **First Holy Communion Programme, 2025-26**

Meeting for parents on *Mon 15 Sept* at Sacred Heart hall 7.00pm and *Tue 16 Sept* at St.Charles' Hall 6.30pm. If you are unable to attend, contact the parish office for an application form

**Mary's Place Homeless Café** We are in desperate need of sleeping bags and socks. Please leave them in the porch at Sacred Heart. Contact Ged Downey 07740 336459

### **Relationship Counsellor**

*Marriage Care* is a Catholic organisation specialising in relationship support. We are looking for those who would like to train and volunteer as counsellors in our mission to provide accessible, professional support to those in need. For more info visit [marriagecare.org.uk](http://marriagecare.org.uk)

### **St Charles Nursery Places**

*For Sept 2025*, to be eligible the child must be 3 yrs old by *Sept 2025*. If you would like more info contact school office Tel: 0191 2852553 or [office@stcharlesprimary.uk](mailto:office@stcharlesprimary.uk)

### **Volunteers:**

*Minsteracres Retreat Centre* DH8 9RT, not far from Hexham. Volunteers are needed in various capacities, to support the running of the Centre both indoors and outdoors. You'll be offered support and training and the opportunity to meet and mix with other volunteers. Free board and lodging is provided, if necessary. More information and application available on [www.minsteracres.org](http://www.minsteracres.org) or email [tina@minsteracres.org](mailto:tina@minsteracres.org)

### **Stop Assisted Suicide - Action Needed**

*The Assisted Suicide Bill* is expected to have its Second Reading in the House of Lords on *Fri 12 Sept*. Right to Life UK has launched an *Easy Action* tool to help you write to a few Peers to highlight key concerns with the Bill. Visit [www.righttolife.org.uk/aspeers](http://www.righttolife.org.uk/aspeers) to ask Peers to oppose Bill—it takes just 30 seconds.

### **Jubilee Day: Alive in Hope - A Church for Mission**

Cardinal Hume Catholic School *Sat 27 Sept* 10-3.00pm. Bishop Stephen invites you to this Diocesan Day. Guest Speakers from Prisons' Chaplaincy, Justice & Peace Project, a choice of Seminars/ Forums to reawaken and empower us for mission. *Worship led by Durham Musicians 'Set A Fire'* Registration & Refreshment from 9.15am, but please bring a Packed Lunch. Ample parking and entry is free. For enquiries & parish bookings email Amy: [adminfaith.mission@diocesehn.org.uk](mailto:adminfaith.mission@diocesehn.org.uk) or for more info visit <https://bit.ly/DHNAlive25>

### **Ladies Friday Keep fit /dance group at Sacred Heart**

The Parish wishes to say thank you and a very happy 'retirement' to Moira Potts who faithfully led this group over many years. She's been a great inspiration with her gentle support to numerous members, and she will have many happy memories of the friends who have benefited from her love, commitment, and skill. Several members are continuing to meet for coffee on Fridays.

**Parish Newsletter:** If you are interested in receiving the parish newsletter via email, kindly drop an email to [newsletter.gosforth@diocesehn.org.uk](mailto:newsletter.gosforth@diocesehn.org.uk) with your name.

**Live Stream** at St Charles now on YouTube <https://www.youtube.com/@SaintCharlesRC>  
Sacred Heart still on Church Services [Sacred Heart North Gosforth](http://SacredHeartNorthGosforth)

### **Quote of the Week**

*Kites rise highest against the wind, not with it.*

Winston Churchill

