

Mass Times, Intentions & Services			
Date	Time	Church	Mass Intentions
Sat 23 May <i>Vigils</i>	5.00pm 6.30pm	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Michael & Elizabeth Malloy (A)</i> <i>Douglas Welsh (A)</i>
Sun 24 May <i>Pentecost</i> <i>Sunday</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Joseph Francis Heron (A)</i> <i>Anna Zuccaroli</i>
Mon 25 May <i>St Bede, the Venerable</i>	11.30am	St Charles	<i>Wedding - Maria Adair & Raegan Taylor</i>
Tue 26 May <i>St Philip Neri</i>	9.30am	Sacred Heart	<i>Sick of the Parish</i>
Wed 27 May <i>St Augustine</i> <i>Of Canterbury</i>	9.30am 10.00am	St Charles St Charles	<i>Charles, Irene & Charlie Diamond (RIP)</i> <i>The Friendship Cafe</i>
Thu 28 May <i>Jesus Christ</i> <i>High Priest & King</i>	9.30am	Sacred Heart	<i>Dec'd Mems of Ramsay & Anderson Families</i>
Fri 29 May <i>St Paul VI</i>	9.30am	St Charles	<i>Fr Pat McKenna (NBF)</i>
Sat 30 May <i>Weekday</i> <i>Vigils</i>	5.00pm 6.30pm	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>McGurn Family (RIP)</i> <i>Patricia White (A)</i>
Sun 31 May <i>Trinity</i> <i>Sunday</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Monica & Peter Ainsborough (A)</i> <i>Mary Koch</i>

St Charles	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)	Sacred Heart
<i>Eucharistic</i> <i>Adoration</i> 8.45am <i>when weekday Service</i> <i>is at 9.30am</i>	<i>Saturday</i> St Charles 4.30 - 4.45pm Sacred Heart 6.00 - 6.15pm <i>Sunday</i> St Charles 8.30 - 8.45am Sacred Heart 10.00 - 10.15am	<i>Eucharistic</i> <i>Adoration</i> 8.45am <i>when weekday Service</i> <i>is at 9.30am</i>

The Parishes operate in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency(CSSA). At St Charles Parish the Safeguarding Rep is *Fr Michael Weymes* sarah.logic@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 atsafeguarding@diocesehn.org.uk -H&N SAFEGUARDING POLICY <https://diocesehn.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/Safeguarding-Policy-Dec-2023.pdf>CARING FOR OTHERS SAFELY <https://diocesehn.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/Caring-Safely-For-Others.pdf>



GOSFORTH CATHOLIC PARISHES

Sacred Heart - North Gosforth

St. Charles - Gosforth



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PENTECOST SUNDAY

24 MAY 2026

St Charles

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The Sacred Heart of Jesus

The Catholic Mass Sheet

Please remember in your prayers:

those who are sick or housebound and their carers:

Joyce, Mickey, Nina Buller, Mary Farrar, Baby Amelia Carroll, Anna Cuskin, Roselyn Lobo, Jim Malloy, Sheila Storey, Noelle Berney, Vicente Ramiro, Elzo Freitas, Elmo Freitas, Erick Ramiro Freitas, Henry Hollinshead, Nick Lamb, Peter Drysdale, Anita Welsh,



those who died recently,

and those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Pauline Nolan, Joan Crighton, Joan Cassidy, Stephen Horgan, Margaret Porteous, Kevin Looker, Martin Hutchinson, Norah Gilroy, Ellen English, Eileen Spraggon, Isabelle McGrady, Maureen Carr, June Barnett, Joseph Heron, Henry Robertshaw, Bridget Sheehan, Monica & Peter Ainsborough, Patricia White, Joseph Francis Heron, Douglas Welsh, Michael & Elizabeth Malloy.

May they rest in peace
Amen.

Money Matters



Last Sunday's Collection:
World Communications:

St. Charles
£708.29
£250.00

Sacred Heart
£486.81
£140.26

Lay Training Fund

A retiring collection will be taken today, this fund will remain open until the end of June.

Baptisms

Henry Jones will be baptised this weekend at *St Charles*, welcome to the parish and best wishes to his parents, *Declan & Natalie*.

Mateo Oscar Hirst will be baptised next weekend at *St Charles*, welcome to the parish and best wishes to his parents, *Dean & Emma*.

Sean Patrick Duffy will be baptised next weekend at *Sacred Heart*, welcome to the parish and best wishes to his parents, *Sean & Janine*

Day of Life Novena

We are being asked to join in a *National Novena of Prayer* in preparation for the forthcoming *Day of Life*. The *Novena* began on *Sat 23 May* and ends on the Feast of The Visitation *Sun 31 May*. For more info visit: prayforlife.ie

Prayers for Peace in Ukraine

The rosary is recited at *St Charles* on Wednesdays 9.00am.

Last session of RCIA 27 May - 'The Hope of Heaven' *St Charles Parish Centre* 7.00pm.

First Holy Communion Day

St Charles Sat 6 June 10.00am

Sacred Heart Sat 13 June 10.00am

The Association of the Eucharist.

Is putting on a coach to go to *Ushaw* on *Sun 7 June* for a *Corpus Christi Procession*; booking is essential (£20) Please contact *Marileine* on 07813 180340

Jo Cox Get-Together St Charles

Sun 7 June, a team of welcomers will give out name badges. Come and join us in the *Parish Centre* after Mass today for *coffee and cake*, also children's activities. It's a simple chance to chat, meet new faces and strengthen the sense of community that makes our parish so special. Everyone is warmly invited - just pop in, say hello and share a moment of togetherness.

Confirmation Programme

Preparation continues at *St Teresa's, Heaton* Tue evenings 6.45-8.15pm. Next session: Tue 9 June Session 9 'Missionary Disciples.' Please keep our young people in your prayers as they prepare for this Sacrament. *Confirmation Day 7 July at St Teresa's, Heaton.*

Diamond Jubilee

Bishop Emeritus Seamus Cunningham invites you to join him at *St Mary's, Sunderland* for a Mass to mark his Jubilee of Ordination on *Sat 20 June* 11.00am.

Sacred Heart Feast Day Fayre

Sun 14 Jun after 10.30am Mass, come and celebrate with us; lots of stalls, including *cakes, bottles and plants*. Please leave any donations under the spiral stairs at back of church.

Ordination

Rev Ted Patulan will be ordained a Deacon at *St Mary's Cathedral* on *Sat 4 July* at 11.00am.

Golden Jubilee

Fr Ian Patterson will celebrate the *50th Anniversary of his Ordination* on *Sun 5 July* at *Sacred Heart* during the 10.30am Mass.

'Call my Bluff Wine Tasting' 11 July

All money raised go to *Sacred Heart Building Repair Fund*. Tickets to go on sale in June. We need volunteers if it's going to happen. If you could help please contact *Barbara* at johnnandbarbara10@hotmail.co.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

Baptism Preparation Meetings

For parents who are enquiring about getting their child baptised. Godparents are also welcome. Next preparation session:

Tue 14 July 7.00pm Sacred Heart Hall

Tue 15 Sept 7.00pm St Charles Parish Centre

Esthaniel Cleaning Services

Offers *Professional Residential & Office Cleaning* to fellow church members. We treat every home with the care and respect it deserves. Tel: 07466511807

Music Matters

A Day of Reflection for Musicians - The Diocesan Music Association invite all parish musicians to *Ushaw College* to reflect on the liturgy and the role of music in the Mass. The Day will be led by *Fr Adrian Dixon*. There is a charge of £7.50, to book email dcma@diocesehn.org.uk.

SVP Camp—Holy Island

Calling all young adults 18+ Do you have a week to spare to help out at SVP Camp working alongside children and staying in purpose built centre on the island? Weeks 3,5 and 6 of the Summer holidays. *Week 3 (8 Aug) Week 5 (15 Aug) Week 6 (29 Aug)* For more info check website svp.org.uk or email *Barbara* barbarat@svp.org.uk

Mary's Place Homeless Café

Needs sleeping bags, socks, men's and women's underwear, (new) & toiletries. Please leave them in the porch at *Sacred Heart*. Also looking for new volunteers. Contact *Ged Downey* 07740 336459

Forming Catholic Student Leaders

2 Summer courses exploring faith, ethics & leadership for 6 form students offered by *Christian Heritage Centre, Stonyhurst*. Year 12, *10-15 Aug* & *The Human Ecology*, Year 13 *5-10 July*. Learn new skills, meet new friends, develop your relationship with Christ, build your character: christianleadershipformation.com

Lourdes Ambassadors - Centenary Diocesan Pilgrimage 1926-2026

We are looking for someone in the parish that can assist in promoting *Lourdes and the Diocesan Pilgrimage*, helping to create and foster a devotion to *Our Lady Of Lourdes*.

Medjugorje: Irish Centre

Win a trip to *Medjugorje* for one including 7 nights B&B return transfer and flights. To enter go to prize draw on website med-irishcentre.com. More details: see poster in porch.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi led by Bishop Stephen - 50 places only 22 -29 Oct 2027 £1,725 pp. For more information: www.diocesehn.org.uk

Sacred Heart News.

- A big thanks to *Stella* parish for gifting us with 100 roof slates.
- West Window - lintel ready to be fitted
- RNJ awaiting return of tenders, Firms now visiting to compile them.
- Renewed thanks to contributors & fund raisers. Info available if you want to get involved, see table near sacristy door.

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

Quote of the Week

'The only way to avoid criticism is to do nothing, say nothing and be nothing'

Aristotle

