



The Catholic Parishes of Gosforth

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Liturgy of Hours, Proper

The Sacred Heart Parish Mass Sheet

MASS TIMES, INTENTIONS AND SERVICES

Saturday 31 st October <i>Vigils</i>	5.00pm 6.30pm	St. Charles Sacred Heart	<i>George, Sheila Dec'd Members of Quinn Family John Jackson (RIP)</i>
Sunday 1 st November <i>All Saints Day</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St. Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Dec'd Members of Hansom & Mageean Families Reg James (A)</i>
Monday 2 nd Nov <i>All Souls</i>			
Tuesday 3 rd Nov <i>Weekday</i>	9.30am	Sacred Heart	<i>Holy Souls</i>
Wednesday 4 th Nov <i>St Charles Borromeo</i>	9.30am	St. Charles	<i>Elaine Willcock (A)</i>
Thursday 5 th Nov <i>Weekday</i>	9.30am	Sacred Heart	<i>Holy Mass</i>
Friday 6 th Nov <i>Weekday</i>	9.30am	St. Charles	<i>May & Norman Willcock (RIP)</i>
Saturday 7 th Nov <i>Vigils</i>	5.00pm 6.30pm	St. Charles Sacred Heart	<i>Cyril Doyle (A) Martin Curry Drummond (A)</i>
Sunday 8 th November <i>32nd Sunday of Year</i>	9.00am 10.30am	St. Charles Sacred Heart	<i>The War Dead The War Dead</i>

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

is celebrated in *St. Charles Church* 4.30pm to 4.45pm on *Saturday* and 8.30am to 8.45am on *Sunday*
and in *Sacred Heart Church* 6.00pm to 6.15pm on *Saturday* and 10.00am to 10.15am on *Sunday*.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (Adoration)

8.45am – 9.15am when weekday Mass is celebrated at 9.30am.

Please remember in your prayers

Those who are unwell and those who care for them, especially: *Joyce Mickey, Nina Buller, Mary Farrar, 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, Lucy Babovic, Bedelia Douglass, Patricia Wocial (nee Millet), Julie Robson,*

those who have died recently,

and those whose anniversaries are at this time,

Jim Richmond, Reg James, Sheila Quinn, Ida Bedigan, Jack Byron, Jen McQueen, Thomas Waters, Patrick Guthrie, James Smith, Elaine Willcock, David Lee, Malcolm McKeown, Arthur Hodges,

May they rest in peace

Amen

Money Matters

Last Sunday's collection: *St Charles*
£473.85

Sacred Heart
£394.75

Friendship Café

where you will find *Companionship & Refreshments* every *Wednesday* at 10.00am. in *St Charles Parish Centre*.

Aid to the Church in Need

Angela Eddy, regional speaker for ACN will make an appeal at all Masses, this weekend

One World Lunch

Justice & Peace - One World Lunch: Please come along and join us in *St Charles Hall* today *Sun 1 Nov* 12.00-2.00pm. Come along and enjoy *delicious food* from other countries. The event is free, any donations will be sent to CAFOD.

Baptisms:

Jude Jonah Ashton will be baptised this weekend at *Sacred Heart*, welcome to the parish and best wishes to his parents, *Michael & Kaye*.

Baptism Preparation Meetings are offered for parents who are enquiring about getting their child baptised. Godparents are also welcome. The next preparation sessions: *Tue 3 Nov* 7.00 p.m. *St Charles Parish Hall*.
Tue 2 Dec 7.00 p.m. *St Charles Parish Hall*.

Patronal Feast *Wed 4 Nov*.

Feast of St Charles Borromeo 9.30am Mass & Café.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Would you like to know more about the *Catholic Faith*?
Next meeting *4 Nov* 7-8.10pm *St Charles Parish Centre*.

Holy Souls - Cards are available at *St Charles* for you to write the names of loved ones. These cards can be placed on the box near *the Book of Remembrance* at the altar steps. A book will be opened at *Sacred Heart* at the altar steps for you to write the names of your *loved ones*. A Mass for the *Holy Souls* will be offered on *Tue 3 Nov* at 9.30am. Also a Service of Prayers and Readings - '*Lead kindly Light*' to remember those who have died will take place in *Sacred Heart Church* on *Fri 6 Nov* at 7.00pm.

Garden of Memories -The Gardening Team at *Sacred Heart* have created a '*Garden of Memories*', where we may gather for a quiet moment or two to remember and pray for deceased loved ones. A wooden post has been erected bearing '*memorial plaques*' lost over the years in the church grounds. After Mass on *Tue 3 Nov* this new memorial will be blessed.

Joint Parish Council – *5 Nov* *St Charles Hall*

Following our parish open meeting, a *Task & Finish Group* was established, it will meet with *Mr Michael Potts*, Chair of *Heaton & Walker* parishes to advise us with the process of forming our *Joint Parish Council*.

Partnership News- the partnership which comprises of the parishes in *Benton, Byker, Forest Hall, Heaton, Jesmond, Gosforth, Walker, Gerard Shepherd* was elected Chair and *Christina de Giorgi* Vice-Chair and *Michael Potts* Secretary.

Remembrance Sunday *Sun 8 Nov*.

'Parade & Service' at War Memorial, Central Park, opposite *St Charles* at 10.45am.

'Prayers for The War Dead' in Cemetery opposite *Sacred Heart Church* immediately after 10.30am Mass.

(Please access cemetery via pelican crossing only)

Newman Tyneside Circle

Invite you to come and hear *Fr Colin Patey* speak on '*The Dream of Gerontius: how might Newman's poem inform our November prayers for the Holy Souls?*' in the hall at *Holy Name, Jesmond* on *Tue 10 Nov* at 7.30pm.

Bible Study - '*St Paul's Letter to the Romans.*'

Begins on *Thu 12 Nov* 7.00pm, a 10 week series
Meet fortnightly at *Sacred Heart Hall*.

Children's Mass

Sun 15 Nov Second Mass in our *First Holy Communion Programme*. The Children will lead us in *prayer, present the Offertory Gifts and assist with the Sign of peace*.

Confirmation Programme

Session 2: '*In search of the Holy Spirit, discovering the presence and power of the Holy Spirit.*' takes place on *Sun 15 Nov* in *St Teresa's, Hall, Heaton NE6 5HN* 6.30-8.00pm.
Confirmation Mass *Tue 6 July* 6.30pm.

Volunteers Required

Sunday Coffee Morning at *St Charles* needs 2 more helpers for *Team B*. Enquire at kitchen hatch.

Newsletter Items

If you wish to place an item in the newsletter please forward to newsletter.gosforth@diocesehn.org.uk no later than 10.00pm on Wednesday.

Artificial Intelligence (AI)

Pope Leo has published a teaching document on this topic. Dr Sean Hall will give a talk outlining the Pope's thoughts in *Holy Name hall* on *Thu 19 Nov* at 7.00pm. All are welcome, there is no need to book.

Holy Name Young Adult Group

Had its inaugural meeting last week combining a relaxed evening of faith, food and fellowship. The Group extended a warm welcome to young people within the 18-35 age range from our parishes. The next meeting takes place on *Thu 26 Nov* when the discussion topic will be '*The Mass*'. Please email Deacon Jeremy: jeremy.wynne@diocesehn.org.uk

Little Sisters of the Poor

are holding their Christmas Fayre on *Sat 21 Nov* at *St Joseph's Home* 12 -3.00pm. Tombola, Bottle, Arts & Crafts Stalls. All are welcome.

Live Stream

St Charles on YouTube

<https://www.youtube.com/@SaintCharlesRC>

Sacred Heart on Church Services

<https://www.churchservices.tv/northgosforth>

The Parishes operate in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency (CSSA) and Diocesan policies and procedures at all times. Each of our churches has a Parish Safeguarding Representative (PSR) indicated on the Safeguarding posters in each church – Fr. Michael Weymes (St. Charles) and Jo Shepherd (Sacred Heart). Alternatively, the Diocesan Safeguarding Team can be contacted on 0191 243 3305 or safeguarding@diocesehn.org.uk