

PARISH NOTICES

Cycle of Prayer: Summer: Deeper understanding between Christians & Jews; Those suffering persecution, oppression & denial of human rights; Europe; Human Life; Seafarers.

2nd Collection this Sunday: Building Fund.

Ecumenical Wednesday Prayers: suspended for summer holidays.

Northern Cross: July Edition available at the back of church. Please support your diocesan newspaper.

Northern Calendar: Available at the back of church £4.00 Ring bound and Flat £3.50. Please place money in the papers box.

Our Parish Youth Group:

Mission

To bring together the children, young people and families of our Parish for fun and faith events, forming positive relationships.

Safeguarding: Parish Representative - Patricia Hodgson (details on notice board) or Diocesan Safeguarding 0191 2433305.

Remember “if it takes a village to raise a child then it must take a village to abuse a child”. Please never close a blind eye. Our village is our church and school families - let’s keep it safe and welcoming. Report any suspicions of abuse without delay to your safeguarding representative.

NSPCC: Patricia and Derek Hodgson are opening their garden again for the NSPCC. £10 per head (children free) Phone 07765862374 to book a visit.

SPUC – Every Life Matters – ‘MPs voted to decriminalise abortion up to birth and to legalise assisted suicide... Sadly, we simply do not have enough people active in the range of pro-life activities to contend successfully in the struggle for pro-life values, at SPUC we are as determined as ever to defeat abortion and assisted suicide and we believe we can do this by mobilising adequate pro-life support. We therefore urgently need to build the critical mass of people necessary to effect real and lasting protection...I hope that you can help us in this endeavour..’

A poster is on the notice board and there are postcards on the table at the back of church if you wish to express an interest in their work. If you complete the postcards, they can be placed in the offertory plates.

Piety Stall: Keep your eyes open for our temporary stall (weather permitting) of second hand books etc. for some holiday reading. Small donation only.

Alive in HOPE: A Church for MISSION. Bishop Stephen invites you to a **Jubilee Day** on Saturday 27th September, from 10 am to 3 pm, at Cardinal Hume Catholic School in Gateshead. Everyone is welcome! There'll be guest speakers from the Prisons' Chaplaincy and the Justice & Peace Refugee Project, and a choice of seminars/forums to reawaken and empower us for mission. This is an opportunity to connect with old friends and new, and to celebrate our diocesan family as we explore what a Church in Mission invites us to be and do! ... Registration and refreshments from 9.15am, but please bring a packed lunch. Ample parking is available and entry is FREE but please register at <https://bit.ly/DHNAlive25> where you'll also find more information about the seminars you'll be able to join during the day. Notice at the back of church.

Catholic Certificate in Religious Studies (CCRS) 2025-2026

This programme is available for catechists, lay leaders and other adults wishing to deepen their understanding of the Catholic faith and Catholic education, serving teachers in Catholic and other schools, and teachers in training preparing to take up posts in Catholic schools. The 2025-2026 CCRS course programme is now available on the Diocesan website:

<https://diocesehn.org.uk/education/professional-development-and-formation/#ccrs>

Diocesan Job Vacancies: Current vacancies are available on a poster at the back of church.

<p><u>St. Matthew's Wellness Centre:</u> Open Day 27th July 10am – 12pm Notice at the back of church.</p>

PARISH TRIP TO ALNWICK – WEDNESDAY 20TH AUGUST.



Leaving by Bus 9.30am. Arriving for Mass at 11.00 am with light refreshments afterwards. An afternoon at your leisure in the town. We will leave Alnwick at 4.00pm. More details and a sign up form on the bench at the back of church. The cost by bus is £5.00 per person or if you wish, you can travel yourselves and meet us at the Catholic Church in Alnwick – St. Paul's Percy Street, NE66 1AE.

Website Bulletin Posts: Parish trip Alnwick; Initial Diocesan Vision; Food Bank info; Diocesan Marriage Prep. Courses; Active listening; Prayers: Spiritual Communion; Safeguarding contact details: Final Audit Report on Safeguarding.

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Parish Youth group: Facebook @OLSCPRUDHOE

17th Sunday of Year C.

Mass times and Intentions.

SATURDAY 26th July Vigil Mass: 5.00pm. People of the Parish.

SUNDAY 27th July. Mass: 10.30am. Judith Garrett.

Monday: 10.00am. Mass: Special Intention.

Tuesday: 10.00am. Mass: Intentions of Our Lady.

Wednesday: 10.00am. Mass: World Peace.

Thursday: 10.00am. Mass: Special Intention (MW).

Friday: 10.00am. Mass: Fr. Joseph St George.

18th Sunday of Year C.

SATURDAY 2nd August: Vigil Mass: 5.00pm. Maria Taggart.

SUNDAY 3rd August: Mass: 10.30am. People of Parish.

Reconciliation: Sat. 4.15pm – 4.45pm. After morning Mass.

Exposition: 1st Sat. Month. 4.15pm. – 4.45pm. Tues & Thurs 9.20-9.50am.

Weekday Readings: 17th Week Ordinary Time. L. of Hours: Week 1.

Feasts: Tues: Ss. Martha, Mary & Lazarus; Thurs: St Ignatius of Loyola.

Sick List: Bill Ridley, Chris Gelson, Kathleen Chamberlain, Tom Wilson, Deacon Martin Bell, Kathleen Murphy, Winnie Webster, Anthony Noakes, Vincenza Hogg, Alice Longstaff, Anthony Durkin, Nino & Yvonne Tomczuk, Alan Rutherford, Joyce Redden, Kathie Bell, Stokoe Ridley, Peter Burke, Ann Fox, Debbie Henderson, Pam Woods, Nathanael Foster, Jeff Woods.

Recently Deceased: Francis Turner. Funeral Service 12noon Friday 1st August.
Do keep his family in your prayers.



Lord, teach us to pray

CHURCH OF OUR LADY & ST CUTHBERT.

Prudhoe.

26th/27th July 2025

17th Sunday of Year 25C.