PARISH NOTICES

Cycle of Prayer: Autumn, from Sept. to Advent: Students & Teachers; Spread of Gospel; Harvest; Fruits of Human Work & Reverent Use of Creation; Justice & Peace; Victims of war; Young People; Prisoners & their Families.

2nd Collection this Sunday: Building Fund. Next Sunday: CAFOD. Ecumenical Wednesday Prayers: 1st October: St Mary Magdalene. 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.



Get ready for Bonkers Bingo! 8th November Prudhoe Social Club. Tickets £5.00/£3.00 available from church or Mrs Saunders. Further details on poster at back of church.

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

Remember that in serving the best interests of children, we serve the best interests of all humanity. Report any concerns to your safeguarding representative.

RCIA and Sycamore Group—An introduction to the Journey of Faith, or RCIA, will start on **Thursday 2nd October** at 7pm in the Parish House here at Prudhoe. Anyone who is looking to be received into the Church or who is looking to deepen their faith through shared discussion, please do join us. If you need any more information, please do contact Fr. Michael.

Life in the Spirit Seminars (Charismatic Diocesan Service) Seminars running from 25th September to 6th November – Details at the back of church. Newman Tyneside Circle invites you to come and hear Nicholas Sagovsky speak about 'Heart speaks to heart'; what has Newman to do with synodality? in the hall of Holy Name Church, Jesmond, Newcastle, NE2 3JX, on Tuesday 30 September, at 7.30pm.

SVP: The SVP are once again collecting foreign banknotes and coins which can be converted into funds for their work in the Parish. Our last collection raised £200. If you have banknotes and coins from anywhere in the world that you are willing to donate, please could you leave them on the table at the back of church in a clearly marked envelope. Thank you.

New Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: St. Mary's, Hexham – Tuesday 14th and 21st October, 7.00 – 9.00 pm; Saturday 25th October 10.30 am – 3.00pm. If you are interested in this ministry please see Fr. Michael.

CAFOD Family Fast Day – Friday 3rd October.

Please donate to our Family Fast Day parish collection to share God's abundant gifts with our global neighbours as they find lasting solutions to poverty and climate challenges. Your generosity offers "signs of hope" in this Jubilee Year, helping build more water tanks in communities like Waré's in Ethiopia where women have to walk for hours to get water. A second collection will be taken on the weekend of 4th/5th October (Gift Aid Envelopes are available at the back of church if you wish to complete) you can also donate online at **cafod.org.uk/envelope** or call **0303 303 3030**. You can also **text CAFOD to 70560** to donate £10. Thank you.

The Medjugorje Centre (North East) has organised a retreat at Minsteracres from Friday 10th - Sunday 12th October. Fr. Shaun O'Neill from Our Lady and St Cuthbert Parish, Berwick-upon-Tweed will be leading the retreat. It is open to anyone who supports or is interested in Medjugorje and an opportunity to meet others in prayer and fellowship. The cost is £195 per person. Booking forms are available from Marian Fletcher -Telephone 0191 4174413. For information about Medjugorje see - https://www.medjugorje.hr/en/ and www.medjugorjene.co.uk

Visit of the Papal Nuncio: On Tuesday 30 September we welcome the Papal Nuncio, His Excellency Archbishop Miguel Maury Buendía to our Diocese. On that day at 1.00pm he will celebrate Mass at St Mary's Cathedral. Everyone is welcome to this celebration of Mass. As Papal Nuncio, Archbishop Buendía is Pope Leo's Ambassador to our country and so a sign of our communion with the Church of Rome. As well as celebrating Mass he will visit several of our Diocesan institutions as he stays with us.

<u>Website Bulletin Posts</u>: Emmaus Confirmation Programme; Initial Diocesan Vision; Food Bank info; Active listening; Prayers: Spiritual Communion; Safeguarding contact details: Final Audit Report on Safeguarding.

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26th Sunday of Year C.

Mass times and Intentions.

SATURDAY 27th September: Vigil Mass: 5.00pm. S.V.P. Intention. SUNDAY 28th September: Mass: 10.30am. People of the Parish.

> Monday: 10.00am. Mass: Margaret Whalen. Tuesday: 10.00am. Mass: Gerry McKinstrey. Wednesday: 10.00am. Mass: Special Intention (MB). Thursday: 10.00am. Mass: Private Intention. Friday: 10.00am. Mass: Fr. William Rooke.

27th Sunday of Year C.

SATURDAY 4th October: Vigil Mass: 5.00pm. Our Lady's Intentions. SUNDAY 5th October: Mass: 10.30am. People of the 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: 26th Week Ordinary Time. L. of Hours: Week 2 Feasts: Mon: Archangels Michael, Gabriel & Raphael. Tues: St Jerome. Wed: St Therese of the Child Jesus, Thur: Guardian Angels; Sat: St Francis of Assisi. Sick List: Norman Cathrae; Derek Hodgson, 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.



Moses & the prophets, let them hear them.

CHURCH OF OUR LADY & ST CUTHBERT. Prudhoe. 27th/28th September 2025

26th Sunday of Year. 25C.