

PARISH NOTICES

Cycle of Prayer: Eastertide: New Members of Church; Vocations; Survivors of Sexual Abuse; Right use of Media; Church; Human Work.

Collection this week: Little Sisters of the Poor.

Sick and Retired Priests fund open until 27th April.

Ecumenical Wednesday Prayers: 29th April: To be arranged.

Northern Calendar: Now available at the back of church £4.00. Please leave money in the papers box. Thank you.

Northern Cross April edition now available.

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)
*Bullying, emotional and sexual abuse can happen online as well as face to face.
Report any concerns to your safeguarding representative.*

Message from Bishop Stephen – Pastoral Strategy

Thank you to all parishes who have completed and returned their reflections as part of our diocesan pastoral strategy. I, together with others, look forward to reading and praying through your discernments in the Spirit.

It is not too late for returns to be made if you are yet to submit. We next move to a second phase as we invite local parishes to discern together in their partnerships, or with others in their neighbouring area. Information and updates will be shared on our website. Please keep this discernment in your prayers as we seek to respond to the Lord's call to worship Him and serve our communities in a flourishing and sustainable manner.

Journey of Faith programme Thursday 30th April 7pm. with 'Life in the Spirit'. All welcome.

Sick and Retired Priests' "Serving those who have served us well" The Sick and Retired Priests' Collection remains open until 27th April for anyone who might like to make further or individual donations. This collection goes to support our Sick and Retired Priests who have served our diocese over many years, and we wish to make sure that this Fund is also there for future retired priests

World Day of Prayer for Vocations, Sunday, 26 April

Bishop Stephen invites us all to pray for vocations this Sunday.

Please pray particularly for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life. Please pray every day that people will respond to the Lord's call to serve Him in ordained and consecrated life. They are intimate adventures in God's love.

In our parishes and churches and schools and chaplaincies, please offer regular time in prayer for vocations. Pope Leo encourages us to offer time for Eucharistic adoration and to meditate faithfully on the Word of God. Prayer leads to vocations. This is not a last resort; it is the essential first resort. For more information, prayer resources, and for enquiries please contact:

vocationspromoter@diocesehn.org.uk vocationspriest@diocesehn.org.uk
vocationsdeacons@diocesehn.org.uk

Little Sisters of the Poor Appeal

A special collection will be held on the weekend of 25/26 April for St Joseph's Home, Little Sisters of the Poor, Newcastle. The collection will assist in the replacement of some specialised bathing units and also ongoing general refurbishment of the Home. If you are able to help, donations can be sent by cheque, payable to Little Sisters of the Poor, to: St Joseph's Home, Westmorland Road, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE4 7QA. Alternatively, secure online donations can be made by visiting: www.littlesistersofthepoor.co.uk/donate-here/ No gift is too small. Every act of kindness helps to ensure that residents continue to receive the care, dignity, and love they so deeply deserve. Thank you.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi Led by Bishop Stephen - 22nd – 29th October 2027 £1725 per person. Places are limited to 50 pilgrims and places are allocated on a first come first served basis with payment of the deposit securing your place. The itinerary and booking details can be found on the diocesan website (www.diocesehn.org.uk) or on the notice board at the back of church.

CHURCH CLEANING: Next Thursday after Mass. Please come and help if you are free.

CUT FLOWER GARDEN: Grateful thanks to all those who have contributed with donations of bulbs and money towards this project. The planting has now started on the east side of the garden towards the rear of the church, so you will be able to see progress!

Website Bulletin Posts: Finding our Mission; Bishop's Pastoral Letter; Proud Catholics; Initial Diocesan Vision; Food Bank info; Active listening; Prayers: Spiritual Communion; Safeguarding contact details: Final Audit Report on Safeguarding.

OUR LADY & ST CUTHBERT

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Parish Youth group: Facebook @OLSCPRUDHOE

New to our Parish? There are information packs available to any new parishioner at the back of church.

Fourth Sunday of Easter Year A.

Mass times and Intentions.

SATURDAY 25th April. Vigil Mass: 5.00pm. Intentions of Our Lady.

SUNDAY 26th April. Mass: 10.30am. People of Parish.

MONDAY: 10.00am. Mass: Fr. Lawrence Jones.

TUESDAY: 10.00am. Mass: Fr. Denis O'Kane.

WEDNESDAY: 10.00am. Mass: Msgr. Martin Campbell.

THURSDAY: 10.00am. Mass: Private Intention.

FRIDAY: 10am. Mass: Fr. Robert Milroy.

Fifth Sunday of Easter Year A.

SATURDAY 2nd May: Vigil Mass: 5.00pm. Intentions of Our Lady.

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

Reconciliation: Sat. 4.15pm – 4.45pm. After daily Masses.

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

Weekday Readings: Week 4 Easter. L. of Hours: Week 4, Easter.

Saints: Tues: St Louis de Montfort, Wed: St Catherine of Siena; Fri: St Joseph the Worker; Sat: St Athanasius.

Sick List: Bobby Francis, Jim Wilson, Derek Hodgson, Bill Ridley, Chris Gelson, Kathleen Chamberlain, Tom Wilson, Winnie Webster, Anthony Noakes, Vincenza Hogg, Alice Longstaff, Nino & Yvonne Tomczuk, Alan Rutherford, Stokoe Ridley, Peter Burke, Ann Fox, Debbie Henderson, Pam Woods, Nathanael Foster, Jeff Woods.



*I am the Door of the
Sheepfold.*

**CHURCH OF OUR LADY & ST CUTHBERT.
Prudhoe.**

25th/26th April 2026

4th Sunday of Easter 26A.