

## PARISH NOTICES

**Cycle of Prayer: Ordinary Time (Autumn).** Students & teachers; The spread of the Gospel; the Harvest; Fruits of Human Work & reverent use of Creation; Justice & Peace; Victims of war; Young People; Prisoners & their families.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Collection this Sunday:** Collection for Catholic Education.

**Next Sunday:** Evangelii Gaudium Sunday.

**Northern Cross:** September edition is available at the back of church £1.50.

**Ecumenical Friday Prayers.** 13<sup>th</sup> September, Gate Church.

### 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.*

**New Lectionary:** A study day is available for readers who wish to learn more on 13<sup>th</sup> October, see details on our website.

**New Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Monday 30<sup>th</sup> September, Hebburn. Notice at the back of church.

**Marriage Preparation:** Dates of courses throughout 2025 available on the notice board.

**Derek and Patricia Hodgson** are opening their garden to groups of 5 or more for the NSPCC with cream teas and entertainment if desired. If you cannot get 5 people interested, then you can tag onto an existing booking. Phone Patricia on 07765 862374 for details

**23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the Year** “Courage! Do not be afraid.” Have courage to discern the will of God. Might He be calling you to priesthood? Speak to your Parish Priest or contact the Vocations Promoter: 01207 299 012 or vocationspromoter@diocesehn.org.uk

**Safe Families** is a Christian charity that came to speak to us last year about just how to help children and families in our community. They have provided us with a lot of information, pamphlets, that can point us in the direction of helping support those who are in need in our community. These are intended for those who particularly suffer from loneliness and isolation. If you would like to help then please take one of the pamphlets.

**SPUC:** ‘This year’s petition relates to the two-child benefit cap. Sadly, one of the biggest drivers of abortion in the UK is poverty. Poverty Petition forms are on the bench at the back of church if you would like to sign. Please leave completed forms on the table and we will forward them on or alternatively go online for more information where you can sign the petition online.

**The Gate Church:** Alpha Course: Introduction on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> September at 7.00pm – 8.30pm. If you would like more details there is a notice on the table at the back of church.

**Celebrating Creation – Reflecting on Faith and Science:** At Prudhoe Methodist Church on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays September – November 2024 at 7.30pm. You will find a notice at the back of church if you need more information.

The Season of Creation is the annual Christian celebration to listen and respond together to the cry of Creation: the ecumenical family around the world unites to pray and protect our common home. The Season begins on 1 September, the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, and ends on 4 October, the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, the patron saint of ecology. The theme for 2024 is “*To hope and act with Creation*” and the symbol is “*The first fruits of hope*”, inspired by Romans 8: 19 – 25. Pope Francis’ inspiring message for the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation can be viewed via a link on the diocesan website.

**Website Bulletin Posts:** New Lectionary Course; Initial Diocesan Vision; Food Bank info; Diocesan Marriage Prep. Courses; Proud Catholics; Active listening; Prayers: Spiritual Communion; Safeguarding contact details; CCRS info.

**OUR LADY & ST CUTHBERT**  
**A PARISH OF THE DIOCESE OF HEXHAM & NEWCASTLE**  
**OVINGHAM PARTNERSHIP**

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Partnership Website: <https://withonevoice.org.uk/ovingham>

Diocesan Website: [www.diocesehn.org](http://www.diocesehn.org).

Parish Youth group: Facebook @OLSCPRUDHOE **Partnership** Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/412854589360324>.

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

10.30am Sunday Mass will be broadcast on Teams. Please use the link on the website: <https://shorturl.at/otuW3> You may be asked to download a free app.

**23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Year B**

*(Education Sunday.)*

**Mass times and Intentions.**

**SATURDAY 7<sup>th</sup> September Vigil Mass: 5.00pm. Special Intention (MB).**

**SUNDAY 8<sup>th</sup> September Mass: 10.30am. People of the Parish.**

Monday: No Mass.

**Thursday: 10.00am. Eucharistic Service.**

Wednesday: No Mass.

Thursday: 10.00am. Mass: Bob Banks.

Friday: 10.00am. Mass: Fr. Anthony Donaghue

**24<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Year B.**

*(Evangelii Gaudium Sunday.)*

**SATURDAY 14<sup>th</sup> September Vigil Mass: 5.00pm. Fr. Wayne Roxburgh.**

**SUNDAY 15<sup>th</sup> September Mass: 10.30am. People of the Parish.**

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

**Exposition:** Thurs. 9.20-9.50am.

**Weekday Readings:** 23<sup>rd</sup> Week of Year. Liturgy of Hours: Week 3.

**Feasts:** Thurs: Most Holy Name of Mary; Fri: St John Chrysostom; Sat: Exaltation of the Holy Cross.

**Sick List:** Kathleen Chamberlain, Tom Wilson, Deacon Martin Bell, Kathleen Murphy, Ann Fox, Keith Watson, Winnie Webster, Vincenza Hogg, Alice Longstaff, Anthony Durkin, Nino Tomczuk, Alan Rutherford, Joyce Redden, Kathie & Arnold Bell, Joan & Stokoe Ridley, Pat Palmer, Debbie Henderson, Pam Woods, Nathanael Foster, Jeff Woods, Anthony Noakes.



He makes the deaf hear  
& the dumb speak.

**CHURCH OF OUR LADY & ST CUTHBERT.**  
**7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> September 2024**

**23<sup>rd</sup> Week of Year B.**