#### **PARISH NOTICES**

<u>Cycle of Prayer: Advent & Christmas:</u> Migrants and Refugees; Expectant Mothers.

**<u>2<sup>nd</sup> Collection this Sunday:</u>** Building Fund.

<u>Ecumenical Wednesday Prayers 8.30-9.30am</u>. meet in St Mary Magdalene church at 8. 30am.on 8th January 2025.

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

Northern Cross: December edition at back of church. £1.50 Parish Development Group: Wed. 8th January 1.30pm. Parish House.

# **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.

**Daily Mass:** from Monday 13<sup>th</sup> January we will be moving morning Mass into the House Chapel. Costs of church heating are rising rapidly this winter and so this will need to continue until Easter. If you have any worries about infections then please do not hesitate to use face masks, which will be available at the entrance to the Church House.

Jubilee 2025: Pope Francis has announced that 2025 will be a year of Jubilee, and the theme is "Pilgrims of Hope". It will be a year of pilgrimage and prayer; celebration and reconciliation and we'll be opening the Jubilee Year in our Diocese with celebrations at our 2 Jubilee Hub Churches on Sunday 29th December. Bishop Stephen will be celebrating Mass and opening the Holy Door at St. Mary's Cathedral, Newcastle at 11.30am and at St. Joseph's Hartlepool at 4.00pm. Everyone is welcome. There's more information about the Jubilee Year on the Diocesan website at https://www.bit.ly/DHNjubilee2025.

<u>Diocesan changes 2:</u> Bishop Stephen has now inaugurated changes in our diocesan structure. Our diocese is now divided into five Deaneries, each one led by a Dean. This is to enable our much smaller number of clergy to work better together. In the new year he will be reviewing our Partnerships and how best to develop them. Our parish has now been returned to the northern Deanery that encompasses Northumberland. This Deanery will be led by Fr. Shaun O'Neill, based in Berwick. The Gateshead and South Tyneside Deanery, which includes our former Partnership, will be led by Fr. Martin Stempczyk based in Gateshead. Fr. Jeffrey Dodds of Hexham has now become Vicar-General of the north of the diocese, covering Northumberland, North Tyneside, Newcastle, Gateshead and South Tyneside. Fr. Mark Millward will be Vicar General of the south of the diocese.



### **Red Box Collection**

This is just advance warning to those wonderful 45 people who have a Mission Box next to the phone/in the Hallway/on the mantlepiece or on a high shelf away from the grandchildren. Your promoter will be calling

in January. If you're thinking about New Year Resolutions, why not take one of the famous Red Boxes into your household. Collections are twice yearly, and every penny helps with Mission Work across the world. Please contact Chris Lindsay. on 07833 565655 and I will gift wrap the beautiful wee box and deliver it to you at home.

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

Adults should not contact a child on line without the parents' consent. Sadly adults who groom children are often known by the family. Report any suspicions of abuse without delay to your safeguarding representative.

<u>Website Bulletin Posts</u>: Flame; Initial Diocesan Vision; Food Bank info; Diocesan Marriage Prep. Courses; Active listening; Prayers: Spiritual Communion; Safeguarding contact details.

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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.

## **Epiphany of the Lord. 25C.**

Mass times and Intentions.

SATURDAY 4<sup>th</sup> January Vigil Mass: 5.00pm. People of Parish. SUNDAY 5<sup>th</sup> January Mass: 10.30am. Agnes McKenna-Maxwell.

Monday: 10.00am. Mass: Tobin family.

Tuesday: 10.00am. Mass: Wilson & Smith family & friends.

Wednesday 10.00am. Mass: Fr. David Milburn. Thursday: 10.00am. Mass: Fr. Charles Mundy. Friday: 10.00am. Mass: Fr. Hugh Lavery.

### Baptism of the Lord. 25C

SATURDAY 11<sup>th</sup> January Vigil Mass: 5.00pm. Kenneth Fox. SUNDAY 12<sup>th</sup> January Mass: 10.30am. People of Parish.

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

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

Weekday Readings: Christmas Season after Epiphany. Liturgy of Hours, Week 2.

**<u>Feasts:</u>** Sat: St Aelred of Rievaulx.

<u>Sick List:</u> Barry Nevin, Chris Gelson, 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, Peter Burke.



We saw his star & have come to worship.

CHURCH OF OUR LADY & ST CUTHBERT.

Prudhoe.

4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> January 2025

**Epiphany of the Lord Year C.**