

**OUR LADY & ST OSWIN'S
TYNEMOUTH
&
ST MARY'S CULLERCOATS**

Fr Martin Stempczyk
St Mary's Presbytery
Farringdon Road
Cullercoats.
NE30 3EY



Cluster Contacts
St Cuthbert's (Tel: 2573408)
Fr Christopher Hughes
(Tel: 2575801)
Mgr Andrew Faley
(Tel: 2528021)
Fr David Nixon Hosp Chaplain
(Tel: 293 4268 or
07918 638013)

Parish Email: cullercoats.stmary@rcdhn.org.uk
Diocese of Hexham & Newcastle – Reg Charity No: 1143450
St Mary's Church Hall Bookings – The Presbytery ☎ 251 3770
St Oswin's Meeting Room Bookings – Marcia ☎ 258 2478

Cluster Website: www.norhtynesidecatholic.org.uk
Diocesan Website: www.rcdhn.org.uk
Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/diocesehn
Twitter: [Twitter@diocesehn](https://twitter.com/diocesehn)

33rd Sunday of Year B – 15th November 2015

SERVICES & MASS INTENTIONS

Sun	15 th	33 rd Sun of Year B	St O	9.30am	Frank Nicholl	<i>Dan 12: 1-13, Heb 10: 11-18 Mark 13: 24-32</i>
			St M	11.00am	Steve & Wyn Shippen	
Mon	16 th	St Edmund of Abingdon	St M	9.30am	Denis Cassidy	<i>Macc 1:10-64, Luke 18: 35-43</i>
Tue	17 th	St Hilda of Whitby	St O	9.30am	<i>Service of Word & Communion</i>	<i>Eph 3: 14-19, Matt 6: 31-34</i>
Wed	18 th	Ded Bas of Ss Peter&Paul	St O	9.30am	Celebrant's Intention	<i>Macc 7: 1-31, Luke 19: 11-28</i>
Thu	19 th	Weekday	St M	9.30am	<i>Class Mass Year 4</i>	<i>Macc 2: 15-29, Luke 19: 41-44</i>
Fri	20 th	St Edmund, King	St O	9.30am	<i>Service of Word & Communion</i>	<i>Ecc 31: 8-11, Matt 10: 28-33</i>
Sat	21 st	Pres Blessed Virgin Mary	St O	9.30am	Deceased Brothers - Catenians	<i>Macc 6: 1-13</i>
Sun	22 nd	Christ the King	St O	9.30am	Edward Collins	<i>Dan 7: 13-14, Apoc 1: 5-8 John 18: 33-37</i>
			St M	11.00am	Staff/Students/Govs-St Thomas More	

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturdays 10.00-10.15am at St Oswin's - *and available on request*
(Rosary at St Oswin (St O) – Fri after Mass: St Mary's (St M) Exposition Chapel Open Daily 7.30am-7.30pm)

We remember those who have asked for our prayers in November: Moira Joyce, Anne Calow, Samantha Patterson, Jim McAllister. Peter Devlin. Mary Wrightson, June Barnsley, Brenda Miller, Lyn Johnson, David Plummer, June Calow, Sr Rosaleen, John Taylor, Norman Edge, Tommy Gregson.

Anniversaries: John O'Neill, Tessie Bendelow, Anna Young, Wyn Shippen, Rosanna Taylor, Cyril McSwaine, Anne West, Ro & Maureen Davison, John Doherty, Tom Hunter, Ruth Telford.

Please also pray for the repose of the soul of **Michael Patterson** who died recently. May he rest in peace.

Next Cluster Council Meeting takes place at St Mary's **Weds 18 Nov at 7pm.**

Annual Remembrance Service of Prayers for the Dead
This year's celebration of prayer and readings for those who have died over the past year will take place at **7.30pm on Thurs 19 Nov** in St Edward's Church, Whitley Bay.

Next Sunday 22 Nov-Youth Sunday is a Day of Special Prayer for Youth and a second collection will be taken for the Youth Ministry Trust. Envelopes available after Mass for those who wish to gift aid their donation. All young people of secondary school age are invited to a **free Pizza Evening** at St Mary's Church Hall, on **Sun 22 Nov 6.30-8.00pm**, during which we will explore the theme of Youth Sunday.

Reflections on the "Synod on the Family" held at St Mary's Cathedral on **Sat 28 Nov at 11am.** See Poster for full details.

Parish Christmas Dinner Fri 11 Dec. Reminder that collection of tickets, together with payment (£20) **is now required.** At the same time please make your choices from the menu sheet provided. Many thanks.

Northern Cross - Wanted Volunteer to collect the papers monthly for Tynemouth & North Shields. Please contact Steve Shippen Tel: 2531650 if you can help. *Thank you.*

Forward Together in Hope: The next parish open meeting will be held this **Thurs 19 Nov 6.45-8.00pm** to assess the responses to the second set of questions (7-12). I encourage all to be part of this. The full version of the parish response to Section A of the questionnaire is available for viewing on the cluster website. Please encourage non-Churchgoers to complete the online questionnaire. Follow link on Diocesan website.

TODAY St Oswald's Hospice Christmas Stall in St Mary's Hall: Cards, Calendars etc.

An Evening with Friar Alessandro – Fri 27 Nov 7-9pm. "A Voice from Assisi! Friar Alessandro, who has topped classical music album charts, is singing at a special concert held at St Joseph's Church, North Shields. Tickets £5 on sale at Church. See poster for full details. Contact: Maureen Stimpson 252 2236.

Newman Association. Next talk "How the Disciples Became a Church" a talk by Bernard Robinson. At St Mary's RC Church Hall Farringdon Road at **7.30pm Weds 26 November.** All welcome.

Christmas Quiz now available at back of Church. **£1 entry.** Bottle of wine for the winner. All proceeds for charity. Entries in by **17 Dec.** The theme is items we can wear (not necessarily clothes). Contact: Maureen Robinson 2583468

Forward Together in Hope Prayer:

Glory be to the Father – in whom we live and move and have our being.

Glory be to the Son – whose name we bear and who calls each of us to be his disciples; to build his Kingdom and to go out into the world and bear its fruit.

Glory be to the Holy Spirit – pouring out grace and guidance, forming us and renewing us. Inspire us all in the Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle to live the Gospel, to be open to change and to move forward together in hope.

First Reading

Daniel 12:1-3

This is part of a vision of the prophet Daniel about the end of time. It introduces the belief in a resurrection of the dead.

At that time Michael will stand up, the great prince who mounts guard over your people. There is going to be a time of great distress, unparalleled since nations first came into existence. When that time comes, your own people will be spared, all those whose names are found written in the Book. Of those who lie sleeping in the dust of the earth many will awake, some to everlasting life, some to shame and everlasting disgrace. The learned will shine as brightly as the vault of heaven, and those who have instructed many in virtue, as bright as stars for all eternity.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 15

Response: **Preserve me, God, I take refuge in you.**

1. O Lord, it is you who are my portion and cup;
it is you yourself who are my prize.
I keep the Lord ever in my sight:
since he is at my right and, I shall stand firm.
2. And so my heart rejoices, my soul is glad;
even my body shall rest in safety,
For you will not leave my soul
among the dead.
nor let your beloved know decay.
3. You will show me the path of life,
the fullness of joy in your presence,
at your right hand happiness for ever.

Second Reading

Hebrews 10:11-14.18

This reading insists on the superiority of Christ's sacrifice over all the sacrifices of the old law.

All the priests stand at their duties every day, offering over and over again the same sacrifices which are quite incapable of taking sins away. Christ, on the other hand, has offered one single sacrifice for sins, and then taken his place for ever, at the right hand of God, where he is now waiting until his enemies are made into a footstool for him. By virtue of that one single offering, he has achieved the eternal perfection of all whom he is sanctifying. When all sins have been forgiven, there can be no more sin offerings.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia. Stay awake and stand ready, because you do not know the hour when the Son of Man is coming. Alleluia!

Gospel Reading

Mark 13:24-32

This talks about the second coming of Christ, the time of which is known only to God.

Jesus said to his disciples: 'In those days, after the time of distress, the sun will be darkened, the moon will lose its brightness, the stars will come falling from heaven and the powers in the heavens will be shaken. And then they will see the Son of Man coming in the clouds with great power and glory; then too he will send the angels to gather his chosen from the four winds, from the ends of the world to the ends of heaven. 'Take the fig tree as a parable: as soon as its twigs grow supple and its leaves come out, you know that summer is near. So with you when you see these things happening: know that he is near, at the very gates. I tell you solemnly, before this generation has passed away all these things will have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away. 'But as for that day or hour, nobody knows it, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son; no one but the Father.'

Question of the week

What would you be doing differently in your life if you truly believed you would meet Christ soon?