

<p>TYNEMOUTH PRIORY PARTNERSHIP</p> <p>Parish of</p> <p>OUR LADY & ST OSWIN'S TYNEMOUTH</p> <p>&</p> <p>ST MARY'S CULLERCOATS</p>	<p>Canon Martin Stempczyk St Mary's Presbytery Farringdon Road Cullercoats NE30 3EY</p> <p>Tel: (0191) 2513770</p>	 <p>FOLLOW ME...</p>	<p><u>Local Partnership Contacts</u> Fr Christopher Hughes (Tel:2575801) Mgr Andrew Faley (Tel: 2528021) <u>Hospital Chaplain</u> Deacon Stephen Boulter (Tel: 07768 387393)</p>
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13th Sunday of Year C – 26th June 2022

SERVICES & MASS INTENTIONS

Sun	26 th	13 th Sunday of Year C	St O	9.30am	People of the Parish	1 Kings 19:16-21, Gal 5: 1-18
			St M	11.00am	Sue McGregor (RMcG)	Luke 9: 51-61
Mon	27 th	Weekday	St M	10.00am	Requiem Mass: Mary Shippen	
			St M	2.00pm	Funeral Service: Neville Ballard	
Tue	28 th	St Irenaeus, Bp			No Public Service	
Wed	29 th	SS Peter and Paul	St M	10.00am	Frank Firth (LF)	Acts: 12: 1-11, 2 Tim 4: 6-18
			St O	7.00pm	Priest's Intention	Matt 16: 13-19
Thu	30 th	Weekday	St M	10.00am	Class Mass: Reception / Year 6	
Fri	1 st	St Oliver Plunkett, Bp	St O	10.00am	Irene & Paddy McNally (MM)	Amos 8: 4-12, Matt 9: 9-13
Sat	2 nd	Weekday			No Public Service	Amos 9: 11-15, Matt 9: 14-17
Sun	3 rd	14 th Sunday of Year C	St O	9.30am	Jerome Hanratty (BH)	Is 66: 10-14, Gal 6: 14-18
			St M	11.00am	People of the Parish	Luke 10: 1-20

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Available on request
St Mary's (St M) Blessed Sacrament Chapel Open Daily 7.30am-7.30pm

We remember those who have asked for our prayers in June: Mary Edwards, Lez Flintham, Luke Goodwin, Bob Devlin, Mary Smith, Eileen Whalen, Leah Kearney, Paul Coogan, Betty Briggs, GR, DT, Lisa Stimpson, Paul Mazzucchi, Clare Nelson, Sheila Boyle, Margaret Kearney, Anne Marie Kearney, Eileen Stevens, Wanda Parker-Lockwood, Irene Keenaghan, Alan Brown, Maureen Ruddick, Brenda McDonald. New list for July available back of church and names need to be re-signed.

And for Fr Michael Keoghan, Mary Shippen, and Neville Ballard who died recently. The Requiem Mass for Mary is on Mon 27th June, 10am at St Mary's and the Funeral service for Neville Ballard also Mon 27th June 2pm at St Mary's. May they rest in peace.

Anniversaries: Michael Volpe, James Farrell, Kathleen Hall, Thomas Matthews, Maurice Costar, Anne Marriott, José Morales, Peter and Paul Whalen, Anna Maria Devlin, Jerome Hanratty.

The Retiring Collection today will be for the 'Peter's Pence'.

The Feast of SS Peter & Paul is celebrated this Wed 29th June. There will be a Mass at St Mary's at 10.00am and at St Oswin's at 7.00pm.

Parents of Children in school Year 4 or above who would like them to join the team of altar servers are asked to let Fr Martin Know.

Retired Bishop Seamus 80th Birthday: Bishop Robert invites you to a Mass to mark the 80th Birthday of Emeritus Bishop Seamus on **Thurs, 30 June 2022 at 12.05pm** at St Mary's Cathedral. All are most welcome to attend.

Congratulations to
ABIGAIL MARSDEN & MARK SHIELD
who were married at St Oswin's yesterday

Current Diocesan Guidelines Only Recommend that people visiting Church for services sanitise their hands, wear face-covering and that the church should be ventilated. You must not come to church if you have any symptoms of Covid-19. *Please be sensitive towards those who still wish to follow social distancing.*

Diaconate Ordination: Gareth Rowe will be ordained a permanent deacon at **11.00am on Sat 2nd July at St Joseph's, Hartlepool, TS26 9EY.** We will have simple refreshments after Mass at St Mary's to celebrate with him next Sunday. We keep him in our prayers.

Little Sisters of the Poor, Newcastle - St Joseph's Home Newcastle are looking for volunteers to help throughout the Home (e.g. helping with residents' activities, admin duties, fundraising). If you are interested and would like to help, please contact Sr Evelyn or Mother Deirdre at St Joseph's Home on 273 1279.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Heavenly Father, in Baptism you called us by name and made us members of your family, the Church. Help all your people to know their vocation in life, and to respond by living a life of holiness. For your greater glory and for the service of your people, raise up dedicated and generous men who will serve as priests for the Church of Hexham and Newcastle. Send your Spirit to guide and strengthen our communities, our seminarians and all who are discerning their vocation. Amen

First Reading

1 Kings 19:16.19-21

Elisha is called to succeed the prophet Elijah.

The Lord said to Elijah: 'Go, you are to anoint Elisha son of Shaphat, of Abel Meholah, as prophet to succeed you.' Leaving there, Elijah came on Elisha son of Shaphat as he was ploughing behind twelve yoke of oxen, he himself being with the twelfth. Elijah passed near to him and threw his cloak over him. Elisha left his oxen and ran after Elijah. 'Let me kiss my father and mother, then I will follow you' he said. Elijah answered, 'Go, go back; for have I done anything to you?' Elisha turned away, took the pair of oxen and slaughtered them. He used the plough for cooking the oxen, then gave to his men, who ate. He then rose, and followed Elijah and became his servant.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 15

Response: O Lord, it is you who are my portion.

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| 1. Preserve me, God I take refuge in you.
I say to the Lord: 'You are my God'
O Lord, it is you who are my portion and cup;
it is you yourself who are my prize. | 2. I bless the Lord who gives me counsel,
who even at night directs my heart.
I keep the Lord ever in my sight:
since he is at my right hand, I shall stand firm. |
| 3. 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. | 4. You will show me the path of life,
the fullness of joy in your presence,
at your right hand happiness for ever. |

Second Reading

Galatians 5:1.13-18

Here St Paul reflects on the proper use of freedom.

When Christ freed us, he meant us to remain free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to the yoke of slavery. My brothers, you were called, as you know, to liberty; but be careful, or this liberty will provide an opening for self-indulgence. Serve one another, rather, in works of love, since the whole of the law is summarised in a single command: love your neighbour as yourself. If you go snapping at each other and tearing each other to pieces, you had better watch or you will destroy the whole community. Let me put it like this: if you are guided by the Spirit you will be in no danger of yielding to self-indulgence, since self-indulgence is the opposite of the Spirit, the Spirit is totally against such a thing, and it is precisely because the two are so opposed that you do not always carry out your good intentions. If you are led by the Spirit, no law can touch you.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia. Speak, Lord, your servant is listening:
You have the message of eternal life. Alleluia!

Gospel Reading

Luke 9:51-62

Jesus rejects retaliation and expects wholehearted commitment from his disciples.

As the time drew near for him to be taken up to heaven, Jesus resolutely took the road for Jerusalem and sent messengers ahead of him. These set out, and they went into a Samaritan village to make preparations for him, but the people would not receive him because he was making for Jerusalem. Seeing this, the disciples James and John said, 'Lord, do you want us to call down fire from heaven to burn them up?' But he turned and rebuked them, and they went off to another village. As they travelled along they met a man on the road who said to him, 'I will follow you wherever you go'. Jesus answered, 'Foxes have holes and the birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head'. Another to whom he said, 'Follow me', replied, 'Let me go and bury my father first'. But he answered, 'Leave the dead to bury their dead; your duty is to go and spread the news of the kingdom of God'. Another said, 'I will follow you, sir, but first let me go and say goodbye to my people at home'. Jesus said to him, 'Once the hand is laid on the plough, no one who looks back is fit for the kingdom of God'.

Question of the week

When have you faltered or looked back during your journey of faith?