

<b>TYNEMOUTH PRIORY PARTNERSHIP</b> Parish of <b>OUR LADY &amp; ST OSWIN'S TYNEMOUTH</b> & <b>ST MARY'S CULLERCOATS</b>	Canon Martin Stempczyk St Mary's Presbytery Farringdon Road Cullercoats NE30 3EY <b>Tel: (0191) 2513770</b> Deacon Gareth Rowe		<b>Local Partnership Contacts</b> Fr Christopher Hughes <b>(Tel: 2575801)</b> Mgr Andrew Faley <b>(Tel: 2528021)</b> <i>Hospital Chaplain</i> Deacon Stephen Boulter <b>(Tel: 07768 387393)</b>
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## 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Year C – 17<sup>th</sup> July 2022

SERVICES & MASS INTENTIONS						
Sun	17 <sup>th</sup>	16 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Year C	St O	9.30am	David Cairns (AC)	Gen 18: 1-10, Col 1: 24-28
			St M	11.00am	People of the Parish	Luke 10: 38-42
Mon	18 <sup>th</sup>	Weekday	St M	10.00am	Rita & Cecilia DiMascio	Micah 6: 1-8, Matt 12: 38-42
Tue	19 <sup>th</sup>	Weekday			No Public Service	
Wed	20 <sup>th</sup>	Weekday	St O	10.00am	Priest's Intention	Jer 1: 1-10, Matt 13: 1-9
Thu	21 <sup>st</sup>	Weekday	St M	10.00am	Whole School Mass	
Fri	22 <sup>nd</sup>	St Mary Magdalene	St O	10.00am	Patrick McCumiskey	Sgs 3:1-4, 2Cor 5:14-17, Jn 20:1-18
Sat	23 <sup>rd</sup>	St Bridget of Sweden	St M	10.00am	Kathy Hannah (Freda)	Gal 2: 19-20, John 15: 1-8
Sun	24 <sup>th</sup>	17 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Year C	St O	9.30am	Maureen & David Cairns	Gen 18: 20-32, Col 2: 12-14
			St M	11.00am	People of the Parish	Luke 11: 1-13
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays 10.30-10.45am at St Mary's church. St Mary's (St M) Blessed Sacrament Chapel Open Daily 7.30am-7.30pm						

**We remember those who have asked for our prayers in July:** Luke Goodwin, Clare Goodwin, Lez Flintham, Leah Kearney, Lisa Stimpson, Eileen Stevens, Irene Keenaghan, Alan Brown, Eileen Whalen, Betty Briggs, GR, David T, Maureen Ruddick, Wanda Parker-Lockwood, Clare Nelson, Augustine McGregor.

**And for Fr Dermott Donnelly who died recently.** May he rest in peace.

**Anniversaries:** Patricia Donaldson, John Patterson, Joan Smith, Edward Walsh, Cathy Incledon, Patrick McCumiskey, Susan Whyte, John Collins.

**We Pray for our Partnership Confirmation Candidates** who will celebrate their Confirmation at **7pm** on **Tues 19<sup>th</sup> July** at St Cuthbert's Church, North Shields by Bishop Robert.

**Thank you** to those who attended the open parish meeting last Wednesday. Minutes are posted on the noticeboard. We look forward to arranging some parish social activities in the future and recruiting volunteers for ministries.

**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.

**The Catholic Certificate in Religious Studies (CCRS)** is available for catechists, lay leaders, teachers, techers in training and other adults wishing to deepen their understanding of the Catholic faith. Those interested in this can view a short presentation on the Diocesan website: <https://diocesehn.org.uk/education/continuing-professional-development-and-formation/#ccrs> For further information, you can contact Eamonn Diffley at the Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle, Department for Education on 0191 243 3313 or email [education@diocesehn.org.uk](mailto:education@diocesehn.org.uk)

**The Wearing of Face-covering** is a personal choice, although it is recommended by the Diocese. Please sanitise your hands on entry. 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.*

Congratulations to  
**Jenny and Tony Cawood**  
 who this week celebrated their Golden Wedding

**The Little Sisters of the Poor** are holding a Summer Fayre on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> July 1pm-4pm at St Joseph's Home, Westmorland Road, Newcastle. All are welcome.

**The Vicariate for Faith and Mission** has produced the booklet '**Encountering the Holy Spirit**', which is the third of a series of reflection booklets to accompany the Year of the Eucharist. It is available on the Diocesan website from the following link: <https://bit.ly/3R2gJRZ>

**The next meeting of the Tyneside Circle of the Newman Association** will take place on **Wed 27<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30pm** in the Church Hall at St.Cuthbert's North Shields when the Catholic historian Dr. Leo Gooch will talk on "The Rising of the Northern Earls". All welcome.

### PRAYER FOR OUR YOUNG PEOPLE:

God the Father and God the Son, pour forth your Holy Spirit upon our young people and grant them a new vision of your glory, a new experience of your power, a new faithfulness to your Word, a new consecration to your service that your love may grow among us and your kingdom come on earth. Amen.

## **First Reading**

*Genesis 18:1-10*

*When Abraham gave hospitality to three strangers he did not know that he was entertaining God himself, who would reward him with good news.*

The Lord appeared to Abraham at the Oak of Mamre while he was sitting by the entrance of the tent during the hottest part of the day. He looked up, and there he saw three men standing near him. As soon as he saw them he ran from the entrance of the tent to meet them, and bowed to the ground. 'My Lord,' he said, 'I beg you, if I find favour with you, kindly do not pass your servant by. A little water shall be brought; you shall wash your feet and lie down under the tree. Let me fetch a little bread and you shall refresh yourselves before going further. That is why you have come in your servant's direction.' They replied, 'Do as you say.' Abraham hastened to the tent to find Sarah. 'Hurry,' he said, 'knead three bushels of flour and make loaves.' Then running to the cattle Abraham took a fine and tender calf and gave it to the servant, who hurried to prepare it. Then taking cream, milk and the calf he had prepared, he laid all before them, and they ate while he remained standing near them under the tree. 'Where is your wife Sarah?' they asked him. 'She is in the tent,' he replied. Then his guest said, 'I shall visit you again next year without fail, and your wife will then have a son.'

## **Responsorial Psalm**

*Psalm 14*

**Response: The just will live in the presence of the Lord**

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| 1. Lord, who shall dwell on your holy mountain?<br>He who walks without fault;<br>he who acts with justice<br>and speaks the truth from his heart;<br>he who does not slander with his tongue. | 2. He who does no wrong to his brother,<br>who casts no slur on his neighbour,<br>who holds the godless in disdain,<br>but honours those who fear the Lord. |
| 3. He who keeps his pledge, come what may;<br>who takes no interest on a loan<br>and accepts no bribes against the innocent.<br>Such a man will stand firm for ever.                           |                                                                                                                                                             |

## **Second Reading**

*Colossians 1:24-28*

*Paul, a minister of the good news of the calling of the Gentiles to salvation, suffers for his converts.*

It makes me happy to suffer for you, as I am suffering now, and in my own body to do what I can to make up all that has still to be undergone by Christ for the sake of his body, the Church. I became the servant of the Church when God made me responsible for delivering God's message to you, the message which was a mystery hidden for generations and centuries and has now been revealed to his saints. It was God's purpose to reveal it to them and to show all the rich glory of this mystery to pagans. The mystery is Christ among you, your hope of glory: this is the Christ we proclaim, this is the wisdom in which we thoroughly train everyone and instruct everyone, to make them all perfect in Christ.

## **Gospel Acclamation:**

Alleluia, alleluia! Open our heart, O Lord, to accept the words of your son. Alleluia!

## **Gospel Reading**

*Luke 10:38-42*

*The Gospel contrasts Martha's activity and Mary's quiet devotion to the Lord.*

Jesus came to a village, and a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. She had a sister called Mary, who sat down at the Lord's feet and listened to him speaking. Now Martha who was distracted with all the serving said, 'Lord, do you not care that my sister is leaving me to do the serving all by myself? Please tell her to help me.' But the Lord answered: 'Martha, Martha,' he said, 'you worry and fret about so many things, and yet few are needed, indeed only one. It is Mary who has chosen the better part; it is not to be taken from her.'

### **Question of the week**

*(for Further Personal Reflection on these Readings)*

**Which response to God's call is more natural to you - prayer or action? Why?**