

**28TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR, YEAR C, 8TH & 9TH OCTOBER 2022**

**DIOCESAN YEAR OF THE EUCHARIST**

**The Cycle of Prayer**

**Autumn**

During Ordinary Time from September to Advent, we are asked to pray for these intentions: **Students and Teachers; The Spread of the Gospel; Harvest; the Fruits of Human Work, and the Reverent Use of Creation; Justice and Peace in the World; All Victims of War; Young People; Prisoners and their Families.**

**SUNDAY REFLECTION**

At the time when Naaman was cured by the prophet Elisha, Israel believed that God was their exclusive protector and not of any other nation. Times were changing; Naaman was a Syrian and a gentile, but Elisha breaks through all that and cures him of his leprosy. Slowly Israel was coming to believe that the Lord was God of the whole earth, and it reminds us that Jesus did the same when he cured ten lepers and only one came back to thank him and he was not Jewish but a Samaritan. The story gives us cause for celebration since God's love is for all, including us! What a great gift this is and it prompts us to understand that God's love envelops the whole world, good and bad alike. **Deacon Terry**

**ST EDWARD'S CHURCH - MASS LIVE-STREAMING**

We are delighted to announce that a live-streaming system has been installed in St Edward's Church and will be active each Sunday onwards. All safeguarding and copyright protocols have been followed. Sunday Mass at 10.00am will be available initially, and then Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 9.30am Masses, subject to appraisal. Baptisms, weddings and funerals can also be live streamed if required. To access the live stream, go to the YouTube website and search for 'St Edward's Whitley Bay'. The live stream will start five minutes before the celebration.

**FUNERALS**

- Please pray for the repose of the soul of Stella Simpson of Wilton Drive, West Monkseaton who died on 21 September aged 86 years. Requiem Mass will be celebrated at 1.00pm on 10 October at St Edward's Church, Whitley Bay, followed by burial in Whitley Bay Cemetery. May she rest in peace. Amen.
- Please pray for the repose of the soul of Priscilla Hobday of Appleby House, North Shields, who died on 2 October aged 85 years. Requiem Mass will be celebrated at 2.00pm on 19 October at St Edward's Church, Whitley Bay, followed by committal at Whitley Bay Crematorium. May she rest in peace. Amen.

**WEDDING CONGRATULATIONS AND PRAYERS**

Congratulations to Catherine Hodgson and Lee Munton who were married at St Edward's Church, Whitley Bay on Saturday 8 October. We assure them of our prayers and pray for God's blessing on them both.

**PRISONER'S SUNDAY - 9 OCTOBER**

Sunday 9 October is a Day of Special Prayer for Prisoners and their Dependants.

**NO CONFESSIONS** - at St Edward's Church on Saturday, 15 October and 9.30am Mass is at Immaculate Heart Church.

**JOURNEY OF FAITH**

The second meeting of this year's Journey in Faith takes place on Tuesday 11 October at 7.00pm. If you missed the first session it's not too late to join in! Please note that the venue for the sessions has changed to St Edward's Parish Rooms rather than one of the Immaculate Heart meeting rooms. Please ring the Parish Rooms door bell at St Edward's Presbytery.

**PASTORAL PARISH COUNCIL - AGM 15 OCTOBER 2022 AT IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY CHURCH**

The Parish Council will hold its first AGM following the pandemic on Saturday 15 October, to bring everyone up to date with developments in the Parish. The AGM will follow the 9.30am Mass which will be celebrated at Immaculate Heart Church instead of St. Edward's. There will be tea and coffee after Mass before the meeting, which will start at 10.30am. All are welcome to attend.

**WALKING GROUP**

The next walk will be on Wednesday 19 October in and around Warkworth. This is an easy 6 to 7 mile figure of eight walk. Meet at Immaculate Heart Church for shared cars for a 9.30am departure. For further information please contact David or Pauline Warren on 0191 2515404.

**LUNCHEON CLUB**

We are delighted to announce that the first Luncheon Club since the lockdown will take place on **Thursday 27 October at 12 noon**. We are moving from a Wednesday to the last Thursday of the month, but everything else remains the same; two courses with tea and coffee for £3.50. In order to cater efficiently and avoid waste we need to know exactly how many people wish to come, so if you would like to join us please ring Chris on 07984963769 or Deirdre on 07963570901. We look forward to seeing you all there.

### **ST EDWARD'S CHURCH**

Tea/coffee and biscuits are available, should you wish to join us, after the 10.00am Mass at St Edward's on Sunday mornings.

### **CAFOD - WORLD FOOD CRISIS APPEAL**

You can still support Family Fast Day by donating online at [cafod.org.uk/fastday](http://cafod.org.uk/fastday) and envelopes are available at the back of church.

### **MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING**

Thank you so much to everyone who came and supported Macmillan last Thursday by buying, baking, selling, helping, counting money etc. The total stands at £826. Once again Our Lady Star of the Sea parishioners and others have shown huge generosity and care for those in need.

### **FOOD BANK**

Thank you to everyone who continues to support the food bank through donations of food or money. So many people find your donations a life line. This week we ask for tinned meat/chilli/curry/stew, jam/savoury spread, hot dogs & tinned custard. Thank you.

### **CHILDREN'S LITURGY AT STAR OF THE SEA PARISH**

Our Children's Liturgy has begun again! We invite all of our young children aged between 3 and 11 years to join us. NB pre-school children should be accompanied by an adult or an older sibling. We will be offering Children's Liturgy at the following Mass times:

Immaculate Heart of Mary, West Monkseaton:

Saturday 6:00pm, 8 and 15 October.

St Edwards, Whitley Bay:

Sunday 10:00am, 9 and 16 October.

The children attending Sunday Mass are welcomed by Fr Andrew and share in a blessing with the Book of the Gospels. They then go to the parish meeting room to celebrate the Word of God together, and return to their families at the Offertory for the rest of Mass. In the session we welcome our children and celebrate the Gospel with songs, discussion and activities. Whether you come to Church regularly or just occasionally, all are welcome. Families with children intending to receive First Reconciliation and Holy Communion this coming year are strongly encouraged to attend. Please note: a register is kept of all children and adults attending for safeguarding purposes, and the information kept securely in accordance with GDPR. Children's Liturgy will take place on the second and third Sundays of each month outside of school holidays.

### **ST EDWARD'S CHURCH**

As the construction of new toilets in the Narthex at St. Edwards will be going ahead, hopefully before too long, it will be necessary to clear the narthex primarily of the many books there. If anyone would like to take some you are more than welcome. There are spiritual books in the main library and some fiction on the shelves. Please help yourselves - free of charge. There are also some small benches and green chairs in the parish room. Again if anyone can use them, feel free to take some. Thank you.

### **OTHER NOTICES**

### **EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION - DAY OF REFLECTION**

**Date:** Saturday 15 October 2022

**Time:** 10.00 am - 4.00pm (Arrivals, registration and refreshments, 10.00-10.30am)

**Venue:** St Michael's, Houghton-le-Spring, DH5 8NF

**Cost:** £15.00

**Refreshments:** Tea/coffee provided but please bring along your own packed lunch. Please book via the Parish Office.

### **CAN YOU HELP - SWEP NIGHT SHELTER**

During November to March, when the 'feels-like' temperature drops to zero degrees and below, a SWEP Night Shelter will operate for rough sleepers in Whitley Bay at Oxford Street Methodist Church. Volunteers are needed to help run the shelter. Can you, or someone in your church, help? Would you like more information? Contact SWEP Coordinator, email [whitleybay@streetpastors.org.uk](mailto:whitleybay@streetpastors.org.uk) or phone 07549 015896.

### **LITURGY COURSES/DAYS OF REFLECTION/FORMATION**

**Wednesday 26 October 2022** – Formation for new Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. (NB. Day 2 on Wednesday 2 November and Day 3 on Saturday 5 November). Further information is available via the link: <https://diocesehn.org.uk/whats-on/event/formation-for-new-extraordinary-ministers-of-holy-communion/>

**Saturday 12 November 2022** – Study Day for Children's Liturgy of the Word. Further information is available via the link: <https://diocesehn.org.uk/whats-on/event/study-day-for-childrens-liturgy-of-the-word/>

### **Contact email addresses, numbers and website:**

Monsignor Andrew Faley	<a href="mailto:stedwardsne26@btconnect.com">stedwardsne26@btconnect.com</a>	0191 2528021
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Star of the Sea Primary School	<a href="mailto:starofthesea.primary@ntlp.org.uk">starofthesea.primary@ntlp.org.uk</a>	0191 6432080
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<b>Cluster Website</b>	<a href="http://www.northtynesidecatholic.org.uk">www.northtynesidecatholic.org.uk</a>
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A comprehensive Parish Directory is held in the Parish Office. The directory contains names and contact numbers for those responsible for various groups and activities in our Parish. Telephone the number below if you have an enquiry.

Current Parish Office opening hours: Wednesday & Thursday, 9.15am - 4pm and Friday 9.15am - 2pm, Immaculate Heart of Mary Church.  
For bulletin entries please contact the Parish Secretary - email [parishofficeolss@btconnect.com](mailto:parishofficeolss@btconnect.com) or telephone 0191 2527066.  
Items for inclusion in the bulletin should be received by 3.00pm on Wednesday.

MASSES & OTHER SERVICES	
DAY & DATE	CHURCH
Saturday 8th October	<b>ST EDWARD'S CHURCH</b> 9.30am Catherine Kimmitt (LL) <b>IMMACULATE HEART CHURCH</b> 6.00pm Paul Whalen (PW)
Sunday 9th October <b>28TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b>	<b>ST EDWARD'S CHURCH</b> 10.00am People of the Parish
Monday 10th October <b>ST PAULINUS OF YORK</b>	<b>ST EDWARD'S CHURCH</b> 1.00pm Requiem Mass Stella Simpson
Tuesday 11th October <b>ST JOHN XXIII</b>	<b>ST EDWARD'S CHURCH</b> 9.30am Dorothy Rex (JA)
Wednesday 12th October <b>ST WILFRED</b>	<b>IMMACULATE HEART CHURCH</b> 9.30am Stella Simpson (MS)
Thursday 13th October <b>ST EDWARD THE CONFESSOR</b>	<b>ST EDWARD'S CHURCH</b> 9.30am Gerry Rafferty (PK)
Friday 14th October <b>ST CALLISTUS</b>	<b>IMMACULATE HEART CHURCH</b> 9.30am Word & Communion
Saturday 15th October <b>ST TERESA OF AVILA</b>	<b>IMMACULATE HEART CHURCH</b> 9.30am Gerry Rafferty (LL) <b>IMMACULATE HEART CHURCH</b> 6.00pm Tom Murray (TM)
Sunday 16th October <b>29TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b>	<b>ST EDWARD'S CHURCH</b> 10.00am People of the Parish

**Please remember in your prayers:** Ann Stroud, Win Foley, Sarah Walton, Eileen Scott, Don Williams, Pat Tinker & John Steel who are sick. Please pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time and those who have died recently, especially Eleanor Moody Brown, Sybella Murray O'Leary, Eileen Mary Salter, Matthieu Flesselles, George Bond, Stella Simpson and Priscilla Hobday. May they rest in peace. Amen.

**G**lory to God in the highest,  
and on earth peace to people of good will.  
We praise you, we bless you,  
we adore you, we glorify you,  
we give you thanks for your great glory,  
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.  
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
you take away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us;  
you take away the sins of the world,  
receive our prayer;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,  
have mercy on us.  
For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

**I** believe in one God, the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible  
and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten  
Son of God, born of the Father before all ages.  
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true  
God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the  
Father; through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation he came down  
from heaven,

**(At these words, all bow)**

*and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin  
Mary, and became man.*

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,  
he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on  
the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right  
hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and  
the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is adored and  
glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.

I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins  
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

### HOSPITAL CHAPLAINS

**North Tyneside General Hospital & Northumbria Specialist Emergency Care Hospital, Cramlington:** Contact  
The Chaplaincy on 0191 2934268 or Father Sebastian on 01670 712476

**RVI, Freeman and Walkergate Hospitals:** Contact Fr Arockia Mariadass Pagyasamy OCD, at English Martyrs,  
Newcastle on 0191 2733903. **Newcastle General Hospital:** Sister Teresa, 0191 2336161 ext. 28465.

### PRIESTS' TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Mgr Andrew Faley 0191 2528021, Canon Martin Stempczyk 0191 2513770, Fr Chris Hughes 0191 2575801,  
Fr David Smith 0191 2623882. Deacon Terry McGann - contact via the Parish Office: 0191 2527066.

**READINGS AT MASS**  
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**First Reading**

**2 Kings 5:14-17**

Naaman the leper went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, as Elisha had told him to do. And his flesh became clean once more like the flesh of a little child. Returning to Elisha with his whole escort, he went in and stood before him. 'Now I know' he said 'that there is no God in all the earth except in Israel. Now, please, accept a present from your servant.' But Elisha replied, 'As the Lord lives, whom I serve, I will accept nothing.' Naaman pressed him to accept, but he refused. Then Naaman said, 'Since your answer is "No," allow your servant to be given as much earth as two mules may carry, because your servant will no longer offer holocaust or sacrifice to any god except the Lord.'

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

**Responsorial Psalm**

**Psalm 97(98):1-4**

**We say the Psalm together**

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| 1. Sing a new song to the Lord<br>for he has worked wonders.<br>His right hand and his holy arm<br>have brought salvation.     | 2. The Lord has made known his salvation;<br>has shown his justice to the nations.<br>He has remembered his truth and love<br>for the house of Israel. |
| 3. All the ends of the earth have seen<br>the salvation of our God.<br>Shout to the Lord, all the earth,<br>ring out your joy. |  |

**Second Reading**

**2 Timothy 2:8-13**

Remember the Good News that I carry, 'Jesus Christ risen from the dead, sprung from the race of David'; it is on account of this that I have my own hardships to bear, even to being chained like a criminal – but they cannot chain up God's news. So I bear it all for the sake of those who are chosen, so that in the end they may have the salvation that is in Christ Jesus and the eternal glory that comes with it. Here is a saying that you can rely on: If we have died with him, then we shall live with him. If we hold firm, then we shall reign with him. If we disown him, then he will disown us. We may be unfaithful, but he is always faithful, for he cannot disown his own self.

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

**Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia, alleluia! Your words are spirit, Lord, and they are life; you have the message of eternal life. Alleluia!

**Gospel**

**Luke 17:11-19**

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus travelled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered one of the villages, ten lepers came to meet him. They stood some way off and called to him, 'Jesus! Master! Take pity on us.' When he saw them he said, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' Now as they were going away they were cleansed. Finding himself cured, one of them turned back praising God at the top of his voice and threw himself at the feet of Jesus and thanked him. The man was a Samaritan. This made Jesus say, 'Were not all ten made clean? The other nine, where are they? It seems that no one has come back to give praise to God, except this foreigner.' And he said to the man, 'Stand up and go on your way. Your faith has saved you.'

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**