

Masses & Other Services 22 nd April – 30 th April 2017			
Sat	6:30	Don Taggart	SC
Sun	9:00	People of the Parish	SB
	10:30	People of the Parish	SC
Mon	11:00	Requiem Mass for Mary Murphy	SB
Tue	11:30	Don & Maureen Moodie	SC
Wed	10:00	Requiem Mass for Christine Martin	SC
Thu	9:00	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	SB
	10:00	Mary Bradley	
Fri	9:00	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	SC
	10:00	Jim Lamb	
Sat	10:00	John & Winnie Solan	SB
	10:30	Confession *	
	5:45	Confession*	SC
	6:30	Thomas & Bridget Greenwell	
Sun	9:00	People of the Parish	SB
	10:30	People of the Parish	SC

*also on request to Fr. Chris

FEASTS THIS WEEK

Monday: St George, Patron of England (Transferred from Sunday)

Tuesday: St Mark, Evangelist

Saturday: St Catherine of Siena, Patron of Europe

FORWARD TOGETHER IN HOPE

- The *Forward Together in Hope* Update for April/May
- 'Partnership Guidelines – First Steps'
- A letter from Bishop Séamus

The above documents are now available to read from the *Forward Together in Hope* website www.hope.rcdhn.org.uk
Please feel free to get in touch if you have any questions or comments or have items for inclusion in future updates.
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THE WAY WE SEE IT: A RESPONSE

As we move into new partnerships, an important emerging priority is our relationship with young people. The report of the young people's survey 'The Way We See It' and Pope Francis' call for a Synod on Youth invite us to reflect on this relationship. All adult parishioners and young people of sixth form age are invited to a diocesan conference at the Newcastle Assembly Rooms on Saturday 13th May. Further details are in the booking form available from Fr. Chris or from the Youth Ministry Team on 01207 592222 or admin@ymt.org See also the YMT website www.ymt.org

REMEMBRANCE BOOK (St. Cuthbert's)

The anniversaries commemorated in the weekend bidding prayers are from the Remembrance Book near the statue of Our Lady. If you would like a loved one included please leave a note with their name, anniversary date, and, if you wish, a short message. You can leave this at the presbytery, with Fr Chris, or leave it on the collection plate. An optional donation of £10, which goes to parish funds, can also be left.

COLLECTIONS

Chester-le-Street:

Loose £639.61; GA £309.10; CAFOD £86.97

Sacrison

Loose £323.26; GA £135

Thank You

PARISHES OF	
<i>St. Cuthbert & St. Bede</i>	
Chester-le-Street	Sacrison

Parish Priest: Fr. Chris Jackson 0191 388 2302
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Hospital Chaplain: Fr. Paul Tully 0191 526 5131

2nd SUNDAY OF EASTER – Divine Mercy (Year A)

PARISH FORUM (St. Cuthbert's)

Today (Sunday) at 6.00pm in the Coffee Shop. All are welcome.

NORTHERN BROTHERS FUND

This collection for sick and retired priests opens today and will remain open until 14th May. There will be a retiring collection next weekend, but donations can be made at any time using an envelope marked NBF. For those who wish to Gift Aid their donations, special envelopes are available at the back of church. Please do not use your parish Gift Aid envelopes.

LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR

There will be an appeal on behalf of the Little Sisters of the Poor over the weekend 6th/7th May.

STANBROOK ABBEY – A DAY OF RECOLLECTION

On Saturday 20th May. Full details next week.

WORKING WITH THE WORD

A programme to help Catholics read the Bible. Dr David Forde will introduce this to the Parish Forum this Sunday at 6.00pm. He will also speak at Mass on April 30th. The programme itself begins on 4th May at 7.45pm in the Coffee Shop and will continue on Thursday nights.

CHILDREN LITURGY (St. Bede's)

St Bede's Children Liturgy will have an opening session during Mass **today** for children to come along to. Any parents are also very welcome. The Liturgy will then officially begin each Sunday from 6th May.

FIRST COMMUNION PREPARATION (St. Bede's)

Wednesday 26th at 3.30pm including parents.

PIETY SHOP (St. Cuthbert's)

Communion Cards and Gifts are now on sale. I have one spare copy of "Bible Alive" if anyone would like to try before placing a regular order. Reduced cards are now at the back of church (bottom of choir stairs).

COFFEE & CAKE (St. Cuthbert's)

Every Sunday after 10:30am Mass in St Cuthbert's Coffee Shop. All donations go to the parish. Everyone is welcome.

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