

Masses & Other Services 25 <sup>th</sup> February – 5 <sup>th</sup> March 2017			
Sat	6.30	Ann Forth	SC
Sun	9.00	People of the Parish	SB
	10.30	People of the Parish	SC
Mon	10.00	Holy Souls	SC
Tue	11.30	W. Lawrie	SC
Wed	<b>ASH WEDNESDAY</b>		SC
	10.00	Fr. Ernest Donnelly (SVP)	
	2.30	Service of the Word with distribution of ashes (St. Bede's School)	
	7.00	Wendy Stringer	SB
Thu	9.00	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	SB
	10.00	Mary Bradley	
Fri	9.00	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	SC
	10.00	Stephen O'Brien	
	12.00	Stations of the Cross	
Sat	<b>9.00</b>	Mary Appleby	SB
	5.45	Confession*	SC
	6.30	Adrian Woodcock	
Sun	9.00	People of the Parish	SB
	10.30	People of the Parish	SC

\*also on request to Fr. Chris

#### WALSINGHAM GROUP

Meeting on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> February at 7.45pm in St. Cuthbert's Coffee Shop for Rosary and Evening Prayer. Please bring with you money in lieu of Christmas cards. This year our charity is Women's Refuge. All are welcome to join us, especially new members.

#### PRAYER WALK

There will be a prayer walk through Sacriston on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> March. We will meet outside Sacriston Methodist Church just before 10am. The walk will last only an hour and will take place regardless of the weather. It is not planned as a strenuous walk. All are welcome. Please note the change of Mass time at St. Bede's.

#### JOURNEY IN FAITH

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March, St. Cuthbert's Coffee Shop 7.45 - 9pm.  
Topic: "What about others? Other Christians and Other Faiths".

#### KEEP IN TOUCH

**Facebook:** St. Bede's Sacriston  
St. Cuthbert's Chester-le-Street  
St. Cuthbert's Coffee Shop

**Website :** [www.stbedescatholicchurch.co.uk](http://www.stbedescatholicchurch.co.uk)

See St. Cuthbert's Coffee Shop page to see photos of the work that has taken place this week. We have had workmen in ....

#### COLLECTIONS

##### Chester-le-Street:

Loose £316.46 GA £320.50 Cafod £105.45

##### Sacriston

Loose £216.49 GA £150.00

**Thank You**

#### PARISHES OF

## *St. Cuthbert & St. Bede*

Chester-le-Street

Sacriston

Parish Administrator: Fr. Chris Jackson 0191 388 2302  
frchrisjackson@outlook.com

Parish Priest: Fr. John Reid

Hospital Chaplain: Fr. Paul Tully 0191 526 5131

### 8<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

#### LENT

##### Ash Wednesday

Ashes will be distributed at Mass – 10am at St. Cuthbert's, 7pm at St. Bede's. There will also be a Service of the Word with distribution of ashes at 2.30pm at St. Bede's School.

#### LENTEN EXTRAS

##### Stations of the Cross

Friday at 12 noon at St. Cuthbert's followed by a simple lunch in the Coffee Shop.

##### Film Night

Wednesdays 7.00pm, St. Cuthbert's Coffee Shop. A series of films on the lives of extraordinary Christians. Starting on 8<sup>th</sup> March with *A Man For all Seasons* (St. Thomas More). Opportunity for refreshments and discussion afterwards. No charge.

##### Stations of the Cross Volunteers

Fr. Chris will not be around on the first two Fridays of Lent; please may we have volunteers to lead Stations of the Cross then, and at other times? Stations can also take place at St. Bede's if there are volunteers.

##### PARISH FORUM (St. Cuthbert's)

Tonight (Sunday 26<sup>th</sup>) in the Coffee Shop at 6pm. All are welcome especially those who help in the parish in any way or belong to a group. Please make sure your group is represented. The Parish Forum is for people to share ideas and views and to help with forward planning.

##### PARISH COUNCIL (St. Bede's)

The Parish Council meeting will be held on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> March at 7pm. All are welcome to attend, and the first half hour will be about possible plans for the conversion of parish rooms for school use.

##### GIFT AID (St. Cuthbert's)

There are still a few boxes of envelopes ready for collection. These will be left on the table at the back of church for the next two weekends. After that, any uncollected boxes will be stored and will be available on request.

Enquiries/Bookings: Claire Fenwick (office hours only please)

P0191 388 2302

[claire.fenwick@st-cuthberts.org](mailto:claire.fenwick@st-cuthberts.org)

Office hours:

Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri 10am – 1pm.

Bulletin Items:

[BandCNews@yahoo.com](mailto:BandCNews@yahoo.com)

St. Bede's website:

[www.stbedescatholicchurch.co.uk](http://www.stbedescatholicchurch.co.uk)