

Masses & Other Services 27 th Feb-6 th March			
Sat	6.30	Jack Flood	SC
Sun	9.00	People of the Parish	SB
	10.30	People of the Parish	SC
Mon	10.00	Service of the Word & Communion	SC
Tue	12.30	Nancy Munroe	SC
Wed	10.00	Holy Souls	SC
Thu	9.00	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	SB
	9.30	Stations of the Cross	
	10.00	Mary Winn	
Fri	9.00	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	SC
	10.00	Mary Stafford	
	12.00	Stations of the Cross	
Sat	10.00	Jack & Kevin Murphy	SB
	6.30	Harry Freeman	SC
Sun	9.00	People of the Parish	SB
	10.30	People of the Parish	SC

FEASTS:

Tuesday: St. David, Patron of Wales

ST. CUTHBERT'S PIETY SHOP: Easter cards are now on sale. New Stock: Year of Mercy rosary beads, also finger and single decade rosaries. Crucifixes, crosses, statues, pens, Bibles, missals, books for children and adults, including CTS books.

ST. BEDE'S SACRISTON Stations of the Cross Wednesday 23rd March 6pm. If anyone would like to read at this witness please speak to Dominic or a member of the parish council.

THE SOURCE MONTHLY YOUTH EVENT 2nd March 6pm. Music, prayer and refreshments for year 9 students and above, St. Mary's Cathedral Newcastle.

CENTRE FOR CATHOLIC STUDIES BOOK LAUNCH: Tuesday 1st March 5pm. Fr. Dominic White PP: "The Lost Knowledge of Christ: Contemporary Spiritualities, Christian Cosmology, and the Arts" Durham University Chaplaincy, St. Cuthbert's Catholic Church, Old Elvet, Durham.

QUIET DAYS OF REFLECTION DURING LENT: Wednesday 9th March 10am-4pm. Led by Rosarie Spence RSM. A Lenten Lunch provided. Minsteracres Retreat Centre, Minsteracres, Consett DH8 9RT.

USHAW COLLEGE LECTURE: Wednesday 9th March 6pm. Philip Williamson British Catholics and the British Monarchy. 1689-2012

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND: Saturday 5th – Sunday 6th March. Enrich and celebrate the joy of your relationship with a Marriage Encounter weekend. For other information check out our website www.wwme.org.uk phone Simon and Janice Kendal 0191 9084060

COLLECTIONS

Chester-le-Street:

Loose £358.15 Gift Aid £288.00 Cafod £126.65

Sacriston:

Loose £124 Gift Aid £264.00

PARISHES OF	
<i>St. Cuthbert & St. Bede</i>	
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THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS! CAN YOU HELP? St. Bede's is looking for some volunteers to help in a number of areas: piety stall, flower arranging, children's liturgy and readers (especially around Easter). We are also looking for a person (persons) to take on the role of Health & Safety. If you are interested in any of the roles mentioned above (or any others), please speak to Christopher Maitland.

WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER at St. Mary's and St. Cuthbert's Parish Church on Friday 4th March at 2pm. Everyone is welcome to attend. This year's service has been prepared by a group of women from Cuba.

MASS INTENTIONS: There is a supply of envelopes if you want to request a Mass. Please use one of these – it will enable you to give all the necessary details.

ST CUTHBERT'S CARE LENTEN ALMS APPEAL: This Lent, please consider supporting our hardship fund. This fund has been in operation for 13 years now, offering financial support, and peace of mind, to hundreds of people requiring Catholic residential or nursing care in their late retirement years. With your support, we can ensure that no one is ever turned away from one of our nursing homes because of their inability to pay. If you, or anyone you know, is interested in more information about our nursing homes please call Sheila Errington, Director of Care, on 0191 228 0111 and she will be delighted to help.

INVITATION TO YOUTH MINISTRY Meeting on 13th March: All parishioners who are concerned about how we can support young people in their faith journey are invited to a co-workers gathering at the Emmaus Youth Village on Sunday 13th March 3-5pm. (Tea, coffee & cake served from 2.15pm). FTIH asked us to reflect on how we can encourage the presence and witness of young people in our communities. There are a number of opportunities that YMT will share with you and this will also be a time to share good practice and network with other parts of the diocese. Please let YMT know if you are coming on 01207 592211 or admin@ymt.org.

CHOCOLATE TOMBOLA: The Lourdes Group are holding a chocolate tombola during the weekend 19th/20th March to raise money towards their pilgrimage. They would be grateful for donations of chocolates and sweets, which can be left at the back of church over the next few weeks.

EASTER LABYRINTH – 21/24th March; see poster for details.

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