

Mass Intentions 30 th July – 6 th August 2016			
Sat	6.30	Mary Stephenson	SC
Sun	9.00	People of the Parish	SB
	10.30	People of the Parish	SC
Mon	10.00	Martha McManus	SC
Tues	11.30	Matthew O'Brien	SC
Wed	10.00	Deceased Bradley & Spink Families	SC
Thur	9.00	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	SB
	10.00	Terry Findley	
Fri	9.00	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	SC
	10.00	James Richards	
Sat	10.00	Peter MacDonald	SB
	10.30	Confessions *	
	5.45	Confessions *	SC
Sun	6.30	Yvonne Lines	
	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. Alphonsus Liguori
Wednesday	St. Oswald
Thursday	St. John Vianney
Saturday	The Transfiguration of the Lord

YOUTH MINISTRY TEAM – FLAME 11TH MARCH 2017

Bookings are now open for this national gathering of Catholic young people at Wembley Arena. The cost per person is £40 which includes coach travel and Wembley ticket. For further information from YTM – 01207592244, www.ymt.org or email admin@ymt.org

VOCATION DISCERNMENT

For those thinking about priesthood (aged 16 and over). Evenings of prayer and reflection with an opportunity to listen to speakers talk about their own discernment, faith journeys and vocations. Dates 2016/17 are Wednesday 21st September, 19th October, 23rd November, 21st December (all 2016). Also 25th January, 22nd February, 22nd March, 3rd May, 24th May & 21st June 2017, at St. Mary's Cathedral 6.30pm – 8.30pm.

A meal will follow these evenings of prayer and reflection. Further details are available from the Diocesan Vocations Promoter, Fr David Smith on 0191 2676063 / stjohnvianneywestdenton@gmail.com

COLLECTIONS

Chester-le-Street
Loose £307.00; GA £272.00; CAFOD £166.10.

Sacriston
Loose £192.18; GA £154.40.

Thank you

PARISHES OF

St. Cuthbert's & St. Bede's

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18TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR(YEAR C)

PLEASE PRAY FOR Fr. Ernest Donnelly, one of our retired priests who died recently. Also for Fr. Jacques Hamel who was brutally murdered in Rouen.

Following the murder of Fr. Hamel, the police have said that there is no current intelligence that a terrorist attack of that sort could happen in the UK. However, they urge us to be vigilant and to report anything suspicious to the police on 999.

As people who follow Jesus we must remember that he was vulnerable and we cannot be other than he was; our churches and presbyteries cannot become fortresses; we must remain as accessible to people as we always have been.

ST. BEDE'S PARISH OPEN MEETING -There will be an open meeting for all parishioners in the parish house on Tuesday 2nd August to discuss the diocesan response to our Forward Together in Hope submission. Drinks and some nibbles will be available.

THE PHOENIX CLUB - On Monday August 1st, in the Coffee Shop at 7.30pm, a member of staff from an auction house will give a talk. He is also happy to view and value any items brought in. (No more than two per person). Who knows one of us could be in possession of a very valuable antique. Ladies from both parishes are very welcome to come along.

FOOD BANK (St. Cuthbert's)

The Food Bank is always in need of longlife milk and fruit juice. Donations of all other staple foods are also gratefully accepted. Thank you for your continued support. Please leave contributions at the back of the church.

MASS WITH ANOINTING OF THE SICK - On the second Wednesday of each month at 12pm at St. Joseph's, Gateshead. All are welcome

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