

**ST WILLIAM & FRANCIS de SALES,  
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(resides at St Teresa's Presbytery)

Part of the Cluster of Parishes in Darlington.

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*Please ask Ward Sister to contact a Priest if needed in an emergency  
in any Hospital you or your family are admitted to.*

28th February 2016

**3rd SUNDAY**

**OF LENT**



Please remember in your prayers, priests and religious of our Diocese, Parishioners and family who are struggling with health problems at this time. These include, Kath White, Joan Haigh, Anne McLoughlin, Terence Coleman, Please remember those who look after them, and pray that those recovering from illness continue to improve.

**February Anniversaries:** Fr Douglas, Patrick Dickinson, Bernard Ryder, Steven Liddle, John Fox, Hugh Halon, Margaret McCready, Ted Dryden, Joan Curry, Robert Shields, Tony Coleman, Betty Young, Kathleen Thompson, Jimmy O'Toole, Harry Skinner, Raymond Henderson, Ruth Sowerby, Pat Smith., Katie McDonald.  
**March Anniversaries:** Bishop Kevin Dunn, Phyllis Blakeborough Bridgit Mahon, Alan Turner. Theresa Dickinson, Stella Ellis, Jane Coates, Agnes & Harry Skinner, Mary Gaddass, Audrey Gaddass (Barnes) David Hope, Peter Humphries, Clare McDermott (Anwyll), Elsie Baldasera, Kathleen Kinney, Lilian Bell, Stan Butterfield, Eleanor Adair.

RIP Gerry McDonald whose Requiem is Tomorrow Monday 29th February 10am St Anne's Church. Please pray for his family and friends.

RIP Peter Hall who died last week. We remember his family and friends

FEAST DAYS; Tuesday St David Patron of Wales.

100 CLUB last week

£15 (15) M. Daniel. £10 (94) S. Lye £5 (17) M. Thompson  
**MARCH PAYMENT IS DUE PLEASE**

Thank you for your continued support, (even if you don't win)

INCOME; Loose money £72.35. Non Gift Aid Envelopes £20  
Gift Aid Envelopes £81. Papers £5.30. Family Fast £43.50  
Lenten Alms £3.20. Candles £33.93

**Mission boxes due to be opened. Please bring them or the contents to church for Tim Rochester, with your name attached. Thank You.**

**EASTER GOODY RAFFLE** - will be drawn on Easter Sunday  
Tickets will be on sale from today.

**CHURCH CLEANING** - Do you have some spare time to help on Friday 18th March from 10am onwards.  
Please see Margaret Lye if you can help. Thank you.

**BAPTISM COURSE** It is a Diocesan requirement that anyone wishing to have their child baptised **MUST** attend a Baptism Course if they haven't already done so (previous children) before they can be given a date. The next course is St Augustine's Parish Centre **Wednesday 25th February** and **Wednesday 2nd March**. 7.15pm—8.30pm. Please contact the office if you wish to attend.

**Invitation to Youth Ministry Meeting on March 13th.**  
All parishioners who are concerned about how we can support young people on their faith journey are invited to a co-workers' gathering at the Emmaus Youth Village on Sunday March 13th 3pm-5pm (Tea, Coffee & Cake served from 2.15pm). Forward Together in Hope asked us to reflect on how we can encourage the presence of young people in our communities. There are a number of opportunities Youth Mission Team will share with you. Please contact YMT if you would like to go. 01207 592244 or admin@ymt.org or let Anne R. know asap please.

**LOURDES** - if you would like a prayer intention taking to the Grotto in Lourdes during our week at Easter, please take a piece of paper and envelope and return by March 20th. Please keep all Pilgrims in your prayers.

We Are Now ONLINE - Visit- [www.stwilliamschurch.co.uk](http://www.stwilliamschurch.co.uk)

Sunday	28	9am 4.30	Kath White Stations of the Cross
Monday March	29	9.30	Mgt & Arthur Blakeborough
Wednesday	2nd	4-5	Exposition of Blessed Sacrament
Sunday	6th	9am 4.30	Fr Monaghan RIP Stations of the Cross
Monday	7th	10.45	Requiem Mass for Peter Hall.

**TODAY**

**6th March**

Reader	M. Daniel	A. Gell
Offertory	Children	Children
Euch Mins	J. Lye	P. Henderson
	D. Lye	B. Marshall
Coffee /Tea	Martha/Maria	Johnston Family
Counters	As arranged	As arranged

**STATIONS of the CROSS during Lent on Sunday at 4.30pm.** Please try and join us even if only one of the Sundays.

**CALLING ALL LITURGY LEADERS** - a Children's Liturgy afternoon has been arranged by Angela Joyce from the Diocese to visit St Thomas Aquinas for all parishes, on Saturday 21st May 1.30pm-3.30pm. It is for present leaders and anyone who would like to become a leader or helper. (DBS required) ] We do need more people to prepare the Liturgy for the children (there is a book that gives you all the information) It would then work on a larger rota. **PLEASE THINK ABOUT IT.**

**ST JAMES SPRING FAYRE** is on Saturday 19th March.  
Your presence will be greatly appreciated.

**BISHOP SEAMUS** will lead days of Prayer for Clergy and Laity at various venues in the Diocese. The Hartlepool day is Thursday March 10th 10.30am until Concelebrated Mass at 12.05pm. A Deanery Coach will leave St Teresa's at 9.15am and returning by 3pm. Please put your name on list provided if you would like to go.

**PLEASE REMEMBER OUR Mini Spring Fayre in aid of Teesside Hospice on Saturday April.**  
Kath would like to raise much need funds to say Thank you for the help they are giving to her and her family at this time. Stalls include; books, small bric a brac, tombola, tins, anything we can sell to make money.  
There will be bingo, refreshments and cake stall on the day

*Diocesan F T i H Prayer ; to be said at Mass and at home.  
Glory be to the Father - in whom we live and move and have our being.  
Glory be to the Son whose name we bear and who calls each of us to be his disciples;  
to build his Kingdom and to go out into the world and bear its fruit.  
Glory be to the Holy Spirit - pouring out grace and guidance,  
forming us and renewing us.*

*Inspire us all in the Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle to live the Gospel, to be open to change and to move forward together in hope.*

Copies of the Forward Together in Hope update for February/ March 2016 are available from the table in the hall.

**FRIDAY; WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER**