ST WILLIAM & FRANCIS de SALES, BARTON STREET, DARLINGTON DL1 2NL

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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.

17th July 2016 16th Sunday of Year C



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, Anne McLoughlin, Jimmy and Tommy Holland. Please remember those who look after them, and pray that those recovering from illness continue to improve.

<u>JULY ANNIVERSARIES</u>; Mary Coleman, Harry Dixon, Rose Bleasby, Ben & Tom Cox, Jane Hindmarsh, Wilfred Thompson, Charles Clarke, Anne O'Kane, Statsia Lowery, Terry Hindle, Teresa Musgrave.

We Are Now ONLINE	_	Visit- www.stwilliamschurch.co.uk

Sunday	17th	9am	Mary Coleman
Monday	18th	9.30	People of the Parish
Wednesday	20th	4-5	Exposition and quiet prayer.
Sunday	24th	9am	Wendy Smith
Monday	25th	9.30a	Parish

100 CLUB RESULTS

£15 (89) M. Atkinson. £10 (71) H. Lambert. £5 (78) H. Davison.

Income: Loose plate/Non Gift Aid Env. £93.20 Gift Aid Envelopes £64 + Direct Debits monthly £125 Apostleship of the Sea £73. Papers £16. Bingo £32.

TODAY

Reader; P. Magurn Offertory; Children

Eucharistic Ministers; R. Rochester/ D. Lye

Coffee Makers; White Family

Our Bingo is Tuesdays 19th July .7.30pm—9pm

Officially the Children's Liturgy is finished for the holidays.

If there is a leader at Mass they may do something for the young children.

Thank you to Jen, Rosie and Andrea for their help.

NEXT WEEK 24th

Reader; B. Marshall.

Eucharistic Ministers; J. Lye.

Offertory; Children
P. Henderson

Tea/Coffee Maureen Chisman

There is a Thank You letter from WATER AID for the gift of £111 which was raised by the children recently. It tells you how the money will be spent.

BAPTISM COURSE; It is a Diocesan requirement that parents wishing to have their child baptised must attend a Baptism Course if they haven't already done so, before a date can be arranged. Watch the bulletin for future dates.

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK;

Monday; St James. Tuesday; SSJoachin & Anne (parents of Blessed Virgin Mary). Saturday St Peter Chrysologus.

Thank you to all who teach our children and young people. We hope you have a safe and wonderful holiday. To those changing schools, retiring, or moving to new surroundings, we wish you every happiness.

Good Luck to all young people waiting for Exam Results next month. Hope you get the results you need.

Nightstop Northeast appeal for volunteers. It provides emergency accommodation for young homeless people in homes of the community. Last year they provided 1014 nights to young people with nowhere to go. If you feel you could offer a bed for 1 or 2 nights please contact 01642 249782 or email on nightstopne@depaulcharity.org.uk

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. We are now approaching the "sharp end" of our **Exploring the Way** phase of the Forward Together in Hope programme.

I guess we're all aware of the facts and figures and the need to imagine something different for our diocese in the future. Between now and Advent—27th November—we're all invited to explore in our parishes and with our neighbouring parish communities what it would mean to begin to work more closely 'in partnership' with others, and what kind of leadership we need to ensure viable and flourishing communities.

The leaflet given out recently gives a brief description of what is being made available for every parish community, and what **every individual can do to help.**

At the end of the leaflet there is a 'tear off' slip which parishioners are invited to use. It is an invitation to pray about, think about and then note down which parishes they can imagine being 'in partnership 'with in the future. It is to encourage every parishioner to imagine something different and help alert everyone in the diocese to the discussions that will take place about 'Partnership and Leadership' later in the year.

Pens are available if you are able to complete them today and **PLEASE RETURN** to a box on the table as soon as possible. These replies are for local discussion, they may well be very useful to our parish as a whole later in the year.

The results of our questionnaires that we submitted are available. There is a copy for everyone and some spare. Please take one to a neighbour if they can't get to church.

We urge you please, to support us by reading the document and we will have a meeting after the holidays to discuss it, and also by completing this form as part of the Diocesan process. (extra copies on the table)

Anne& Eddy Robinson, Brenda Marshall, Jayne Lye, and Tim Rochester..