

ST WILLIAM & FRANCIS de SALES,

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St William's Facebook page.

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Today Sunday 4th October 27th Sunday of the Year
MASS SHEETS for OCTOBER
are on Facebook and Website

Bro. Robert and myself shall continue to celebrate a daily
Mass and will remember you all as we always do. If you have
any specific intentions then please let me know by writing to
me here at St. Teresa's House, Harris Street, DL1 4NL. Don't
forget to include a preferred date if you have one. Let us keep
praying for one another. Love and God bless. Fr. Greg.

4th Oct Marion Jean & James Barker Hughes

5th Oct A.I.D.

1.15pm Funeral Service at Crematorium John O'Neill

6th AID 7th Haygarth Family. 8th & 9th AID

10th John Moriggan (St A)

11th AID (St W) Sonia Evans (St T)

**GOOD NEWS - St William's Church has been
assessed and our First Mass will be on
SUNDAY 11th October 9am**

Attendance will be by Telephone booking only.

Telephone will be answered by Members of the
Robinson Family on **07709114307 only**

Starting Wednesday 7th & Thursday 8th

**The line will be open between 4pm & 7pm
and you will need to book your place each week.**

The processes are new to us all so please be patient when
calling as you will be asked a number of questions .

Almost to the day, 150 years ago the first Mass was
celebrated at SS William of York and Francis de Sales, and
now we are re-opening the church after our lockdown to
celebrate Sunday Mass once again. When you return things
may look a bit different but the fundamentals remain. If you
are coming back you need to tell us you are coming. There is a
dedicated phone number for this shown above.

You will be lead through this process so that we get all the
information that we need. When you enter St William's you
should be wearing a mask unless you are exempt. Please tell
us when booking. There will be places to get some hand
sanitiser before you get to the Steward who has the attendance
list. Other Stewards will be there to guide you to your place.
Please do not expect to be able to sit where you want. We only
have 108 places so we need to be efficient when seating the
congregation. We start from the front.
During Mass please stay in your place.

Do not use the kneelers.

When it comes to Communion, I will move to the back of
Church and you will be guided, a row at a time, to come and
receive the host. Take your mask off and fully extend your
arms with your right hand supporting your left and with the
palm flat. Once you receive please go straight out of church
and sanitise your hands as you leave.

I look forward to seeing you on the 11th.

God bless, Fr.Greg

We have to keep church well ventilated so please wear
suitable clothing as it could be cold.

**Because of the present situation we hope to celebrate our
150th next year when everyone can come along and join in.**

St Teresa, St Thomas Aquinas, St Mary, Holy Family,

Hogarth Partnership

St Augustine, SS. William & Francis De Sales, St Anne, St Osmund

Please remember in your prayers, all our priests and religious of our
Diocese and parishioners who are struggling with health problems ,
especially Marnie Smith (15) Betty Magurn, Tommy Holland,
Florence Gibson, Gordon Mitchell (husband of Liz in St Anne's Parish).
We remember those who look after them in hospital , care homes and
at home , and we pray that those who are recovering from ill health
continue to improve.
OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES; Bob Cass, Bridgit Hilton, Mary Dulston,,
Harry & Agnes Skinner, Raymond Dwyer, Muriel Mcgee, Winnie
McFadden, Brian Albeson, Alan Cooper, Fred Wood, Patrick Lyonette,
Joseph Naylor, Fr Tom Shore, Fr Peter Cleary, Fr Paul Magurn, Alice
Humphries, Anne Harrison (Gaddass), Vera Hodgson, Carol Fishburn,
Tommy Errington, Peter Errington, Gertrude Sowerby, Kitty Turner, Mary
Church

**It isn't too late to volunteer as a steward or
cleaner. Please let Fr Greg know asap.**
All volunteers are asked to meet at St William's
Monday 5th October 6pm please.

Unfortunately during mass there will be no singing and a few
parts will be missed out, this is to reduce the amount of time
spent in church.

There will also be no Offertory procession or collection but
there will be a basket as you leave church for donations.

Also it might be helpful to remind everyone that, at
present, Sunday Mass Obligation is still suspended. This is
an important message for those people who do not feel they
can return yet.

All the arrangements have been made to ensure that
St William's Church will remain Covid secure.

We hope we can still make it a welcoming and holy place.

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Or by post to c/o WM Fortune & Sons, Collingwood house,
Church Square, Hartlepool TS24 7EN

**If you would like to receive a paper copy by post please
contact the office .**

**Please keep checking our facebook page and Website for
information - especially Bulletins, Mass sheets and
anything else that comes in.**

Haughton Food Bank - St Andrews Church—urgent appeal

For Cereals, UHT Milk, please PLUS

TINS OF Soup, Veg, fruit, tomatoes, meats, fish, custard, baked
beans, spaghetti.

Donations can be left at church office 9.30am-12.30 weekdays or

Thursdays food bank hours 12.30—2.30.

(opposite the church in the car park)