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

Fr Greg Price; 257681. Fr Kevin Dixon; 463636. Fr Gordon Ryan; 266602. Deacon Jurgen Muller; 07982624693 Fr Ian Grieves; 730191. If you need a Priest in Darlington Hospital please contact Chaplaincy Office on 743029 and if it is an emergency ask for the Catholic Priest on 24 hour duty.

JANUARY 31st 4th Sunday of the Year

Day of Special Prayer for Racial Justice. Mass sheets for February will be on 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.

30th AID (St A)

John Loughlin RIP (St W) RIP (St T) June McNutt

1st Feb AID

2nd Feb (Presentation of the Lord) Alice Predergast RIP

(St Blaise) 3rd AID

4th AID

5th

(St Agatha) AID (St Paul Miki) AID (ST A) 6th

Jennifer Gilligan RIP (St T) 7th (AID) (St W)

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St Teresa, St Thomas Aguinas, St Mary, Holy Family,

Dogarch Darchership 😘

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, Betty Magurn, Tommy Holland, Robyn Drummond, Florence Gibson.. 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.

Fr Paul McCourt (Army Chaplain) who is ill, hope he is soon well again. FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES;

Fr James Douglas, Patrick Dickinson, Bernard Ryder, Steven Liddle, John Fox, Hugh Hanlon, 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, Nicola Bishop, Geraldine Church.

If anyone would like their name on the sick list please let me know - all I need is permission from the person or family member. (Anne)

BOOKING LINE FOR ST WILLIAM'S SUNDAY MASS. 07709114307

Our Booking Line is open

Wednesday & Thursday 4pm-6pm

For FEBRUARY BOOKINGS

Please use the booking line so that we have a true record for Track & Trace if needed.

Please wear a mask, sanitize coming in and out of church, wash your hands when possible and keep 2mtrs apart. Please stay in your seat at the end of Mass until it is safe to walk out for Communion.

Guidance for Communal Worship during England's COVID-19 Lockdown.

Catholic Churches in England can remain open for communal worship such as the celebration of Mass providing necessary steps are taken to keep people safe. This means you must not mingle with anyone outside of your household or support bubble. You should maintain strict social distancing at all times. If you are in the clinically extremely vulnerable group and have been advised to shield, you should not attend church at this time. Please do not attend if you or a member of your family feel unwell with any symptoms at all, not just COVID. We are following the national guidelines on the safe use of church so we ask you to help us do this by following all instructions when attending church. Thank you.

PLEASE NOTE; that Sunday & Holy Day Obligation remains suspended.

St Augustine's , Holy Family and St Thomas' Churches are now closed until further notice but Sunday Mass will still be live streamed from St Augustine's.

READERS; **FEBRUARY**;

14th F. Walsh 7th D. Devin. 21st H. Mulholland 28th J. Lye

THANK YOU to all those who are able to continue as Ministers and Stewards. During this strange time.

Cycle of Prayer; Ordinary Time (Winter) In the time leading up to Lent, we are asked to pray for these intentions:

Peace on Earth; Openness to the World of God; Christian Unity; The Sick and those who care for them: Victims of Trafficking and Those who Work to Combat it; the Unemployed.

New Offertory envelopes are due to start April so before they are ordered, if anyone else would be prepared to pay their weekly or monthly offering by Direct Debit please contact Dave Lve. It does help in many ways.

Thank you for your continued support.

THE NORTHERN CROSS - February Edition will be delayed - we send our love and prayers to Emma (the Editor), her husband Stephen and two boys who have gone down with Covid. We hope they will soon be well.

A Novena for the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes

Beginning on Tuesday 2nd February, Fr Stephen Watson (Lourdes Pilgrimage Director) will lead a novena for the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes on 11th February. Fr Stephen will lead us daily in a few minutes of prayer which can be accessed via the 'Hexham and Newcastle Pilgrimage to Lourdes' Facebook page. Daily prayers will be shared at 8am and can be viewed at any time after that. You are invited to join in this time of prayer.

If you know anyone who may like our newsletter sent by email or post please let me know and we will sort it out for them. We hope everyone is keeping well and finding things to keep occupied. If anyone has items that will interest people please contact me. How about baking recipes you have tried and tested, Big Birthdays, Anniversaries, etc.

TAKE CARE STAY SAFE Anne and team. We could make a recipe book !!!!!!!!

