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DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY 2nd of Easter. END OF EASTER OCTAVE 24th April

If you would like a Mass said please give information to Fr Greg or Brother Robert. Envelopes available from the table in the hall.

MASS INTENTION FOR THE COMING WEEK

SATURDAY 23rd Vigil St Anne's 5pm Holy Souls
SUNDAY 24th Mass St William's 9am Sue & Den Lye
Mass St Teresa's 10.30am Kearney Family
MONDAY 25th Mass 10am St Teresa's Marley Family
THURSDAY 28th Mass 10am St Teresa's George Phillipson
SATURDAY 30th Vigil Mass 5pm St Anne's David Gale
SUNDAY 1st May 9am St William's Nancy & Wilf Embleton
10.30am St Teresa's Anna Welsh

READERS; 24th April; Reader; T. Rochester.
1st May J.Lye. 8th May A. Albeson
15th May T. Rochester. 22nd May J. Lye
29th May M. Lye

COFFEE AFTER MASS please take a seat and
drink will be brought to you. Today Anne & Delia

1st May Saint Family
8th May Mgt Lye +
15th May Maureen D/Kath T
22nd May Maureen & Chris
29th May Colley Family

There is a box for donations to cover costs.



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, Philip & Betty Magurn, Tommy Holland, Florence Gibson, Colin Hogg, Frank McDermott, (brother of Maureen Thompson), Tracey Warburton, and all who are suffering in the world at the moment. 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.

APRIL ANNIVERSARIES

Edward Mahon, Nancy & Stan Brack, Ben & Betty Ryder, Emily Coates, Thomas Robinson, Ernest Humphries, Tom Wood, Vera Bellis, Janet Beldon, David Dinsdale, Peter Humphries, Joyce, George, William & David Appleby, Ronald Parks, Michelle Bonnie, Peter Foran, Agnes Henderson, Dougie Blakeborough, Peter Errington, Charles Gaddass, Molly Bearpark, Edward Boyle, Terence Coleman, Joe Dolan, John Bishop, Frank Coleman, Pat Fitzpatrick, Doreen Betts. RIP

COLLECTION TODAY For NBF (Sick & Retired Priests) It will remain open for two weeks and on 8th May an appeal for Little Sisters of the Poor.

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK;

Monday 25th St Mark, Evangelist.
Tuesday 26th St George. Friday 29th St Catherine of Siena. Saturday 30th St Pius V

NEW GUIDELINES FROM BISHOPS CONFERENCE

COVID Symptoms; people showing any should stay at home.

VACCINATIONS; are the best way to control the spread of Covid. We can show that we care for each other by getting vaccinated and attending for the booster dose when available.

VENTILATION; it is still important to ventilate our buildings. This has the effect of diluting and dispersing viral particles.

HAND SANITISER; should still be available for People as they enter and leave the building.

FACE COVERINGS; those who wish to wear a face covering may do so during the celebration of Mass. The same would also apply to those attending our halls and meeting places.

SOCIAL DISTANCING; there is no requirement for social distancing but we should continue to be sensitive to the wishes of other people.

CONGREGATIONAL SINGING; indoor singing can continue to take place with a general encouragement that face coverings are worn.

It is important that we continue to be mindful of our Local prevailing conditions in terms of viral infection and transmission and local adaptations should be put in place.

*Our Children's Liturgy has resumed.
For children of nursery/school age up to
Communion age who will be happy to work with the
Leaders.*

THANK YOU to all who prepared the Church in any way and to those who took part in various ways during our Easter Services.

The Church looks wonderful and everything seemed to go very well.

Thank you to Fr Greg and Brother Robert

Visit to Osmotherly Evening of 20th May
Organised by St Teresa's Church. They will be collecting numbers soon. Please put your name and numbers on list

IMPORTANT MESSAGE; We have a basket in the Hall for donations to our local Food Bank. If you are able to contribute, even one item, it would be very much appreciated. It is the Food Bank at Haughton Church. See Rita Hogg if you want more information please. They thank everyone for their continued support.

Henry VIII is back at last!

The Hogarth Partnership Players begin their re-scheduled performances of 'HENRY A TUDOR MUSICAL' this month. 26th—29th April at St Augustine's Parish Centre, Darlington at 7.30pm.

SEE SAM WRIGHT FOR MORE INFORMATION

EXPLORE THE SUNDAY MASS READINGS

Starting Tuesday 26th April at Anne Albeson's House 7pm to start 7.30pm—9pm.

It will continue each Tuesday until Pentecost. If you are interested please contact Anne on 01325 268468.

Little Sisters of the Poor Appeal

The Little Sisters of the Poor at St Joseph's Home in Newcastle are finding the current economic climate increasingly more difficult. The emergency lockdown measures we have had to implement to aid efforts to fight the COVID-19 pandemic and keep our residents safe have had a massive impact on our fundraising activities and the charitable donations we rely on to meet the ever increasing daily running costs of the Home.

We are appealing for urgent donations to help us continue with our work of caring for the Elderly. In these uncertain times, small acts of kindness can make a huge difference in helping our Home.

Thank you for your continued support and prayers. We are extremely grateful to you for the kindness shown to us.

Cheques made payable to 'Little Sisters of the Poor' can be sent to: **St Joseph's Home, Westmoreland Road, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE4 7QA**. Alternatively, secure, online donations can be made by visiting: www.littlesistersofthepoor.co.uk/donate-here/

A COLLECTION WILL TAKE PLACE ON MAY 8th

**We have decided to keep our collection baskets at the back of Church
but start the Offertory Procession.**

**If you would like to take part as an individual or family please put your names on list provided,
otherwise the Liturgy children will take part.**

Vacancies

The Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle has the following vacancies:

Property Surveyor – Full-time, fixed term contract – 2 years. Flexible working is available. Closing date for applications: 28 April 2022

Hexham, St Mary

Parish Secretary – 20 hours a week

Cleaner – 14 hours a week

Closing date for applications: 4 May 2022

Please visit www.diocesehn.org.uk for full details or contact us 0191 243 3301

HCPT GROUP 25

ANNA ROBINSON along with five helpers from Gp 25 plus more from other North East Groups travelled to Lourdes last Monday for 5 days.

Although everyone wasn't able to travel this year, they were still able to enjoy the magic of Lourdes with a smaller crowd.

Hopefully next year they will be back to normal and Groups will be able to take more children with them.

Some of you asked Anna to light candles and take prayers to the Grotto, which she did.

St William's Community have always supported her, and for this she is grateful.



