

St Patrick's Roman Catholic Church

Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle
A Parish of the Finchale Partnership



Parish Diary 30th Sunday of OT Week beginning 26 Oct 2024

Date	Feast	Mass Intention
Sat 26 Oct	Vigil 30th Sunday O.T.	5:00pm Holy Mass, Beth Keegan RIP
Sun 27 Oct	30th Sunday O.T.	10:00am Syro-Malabar Mass (Rosary at 9:30am)
Mon 28 Oct	SS Simon and Jude	No Mass
Tues 29 Oct		No Mass
Wed 30 Oct		7.00pm Holy Mass, David Middleton RIP
Thurs 31 Oct		9.30am Holy Mass, Harry & Teresa Coad RIP
Fri 1 Nov	All Saints Day Holy Day of Obligation	10am All Saints Holy Mass <u>in church</u> Margaret Boyle RIP
Sat 2 Nov	Vigil 31st Sunday O.T. All Souls	5:00pm Holy Mass Frank and Michael Dowdle RIP

Parish Collections : 19 Oct Loose £172, Gift Aid Envelopes £50, Gift Aid Standing Order £223. Total £445.

Next 2nd collection is Nov 2, supporting the charities identified by the Diocese as *special collections*. In November we collect for Clergy Training Fund and Catholic Youth.

Thank you, for your continued generosity.



Our Parish Prayers - we continue to pray for those sick, the lonely and the housebound in our parish, also keep in your prayers all who care for them. Pray for; Sylvia Kelly; Ann Booth, Ann Canavan and Ethel Condron.

Please keep our Resident Priest, Fr Gordon in your thoughts and prayers. **Amen**

Anniversaries: Pray for; Teresa Parkin and Liz Jackson all those whose anniversary occurs at this time and all those recently deceased, may they **Rest in Peace. Amen**



The 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

highlights God's love and mercy. The readings show how God listens to our cries and heals our brokenness. Here are some themes for this Sunday: God's Restoration: God promises to bring back His people and heal their wounds.



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Bulletin Requests : Please send parish news and bulletin items to Clare at the parish email address: langleymoor.stpatrick@rcdhn.org.uk

If you would like to receive the bulletin electronically, please contact Clare on the parish email . The most **recent bulletin** can also be found on the 'bulletin tab' on the **parish website:**

[St. Patrick's RC Church – Langley Moor \(stpatricksrcchurch.co.uk\)](http://St.Patrick's RC Church – Langley Moor (stpatricksrcchurch.co.uk))

Mass Intention Requests - Please complete a mass intention envelope with details and your donation.

Safeguarding

Our parish safeguarding lead is **Pauline Burnside**. A copy of the guidelines can be found at the back of church and also online here:

[Safeguarding - Diocese of Hexham & Newcastle \(diocesehn.org.uk\)](http://Safeguarding - Diocese of Hexham & Newcastle (diocesehn.org.uk))



Latest Church and Diocese News.....

Church Ministries Rota tonight and next week:

Welcomers

Tonight: Pat Middleton and Halina Holman

6 Nov: Paul Kelly and Ann Kelly

Readers

Tonight: Pat Middleton and Halina Holman .

6 Nov: Andrew Everett and Mirabel Chidimal.

Eucharistic Ministers

Tonight: Malcolm Wass and Jane Smith.

6 Nov: Teresa Wass and Irene Carey

Note: The Rota (19 Oct to 19 April 2025) is on the noticeboard.

Children's Liturgy rota: Ann and Michelle.

Our liturgy, takes place during Saturday evening mass, throughout school term.



Readings Next Week - 31st Sunday O.T.

(vigil 2 Nov).

First reading: Deuteronomy 6:2-6. Second reading: Hebrews 7:23-28. Gospel: Mark 12:28-34.

Parish News

All Saints' Day

On Friday, we will be celebrating the feast of All Saints, one of the great holy days of the Church. Mass is in the church at 10am.

All Souls

Next vigil mass we will be remembering all those parishioners who have died. In particular we will be remembering those that have died since the last All Souls day, last year.

Mass Intentions:

Fr Gordon was due to go into hospital this week but his operation is to be rescheduled.

All Mass Intention's already logged will be said as and when Fr Gordon's available. Things will be decided on a day to day basis, so please bear with us.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Christmas Gifts Collection:

Please help our local Salvation Army for Christmas by collecting books, toys and toiletries for babies, children and older children . During October a box will be left at the back of church for your gifts.

Thank you to all those who have already sent gifts. It will make a big difference to young

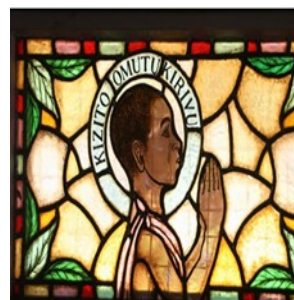


Church Gardens—Tree Removal:

A reminder that further work planned for the rear garden will be carried out next week, during the Autumn half term, **commencing, 28th October** lasting up to a week. It is unfortunate that several trees have been identified as having Ash Die-Back and for safety reasons they need to be professionally removed. Apologies for any inconvenience during this process and thank you for your understanding.

Black History Month October 2024

Black History Month is an annual observance dedicated to recognising and celebrating the contributions, history, culture and achievements of people of African descent. There are many black saints in the Catholic Church who have inspired the faithful in their devotions.



We celebrate just a few of these men and women – some already canonised, others on the path to sainthood as Venerable or Blessed. Kizito was beatified by Pope Benedict XV in 1920 and canonised by Pope Paul VI on 18 October 1964. Kizito is the patron saint of children and primary schools.

Launch of the Clergy Training Fund Appeal 2024

The 2024 Clergy Training Fund Appeal begins on the 30th Sunday of the Year. In a letter to the parishes, the bishop asks for our generosity in prayer and financial support for those training for the Priesthood and Permanent Diaconate in Hexham & Newcastle Diocese and for the ongoing formation of the clergy of our diocese.

Prayers for Priesthood 30th Sunday of the Year

“Every high priest has been taken out of mankind and is appointed to act for men in their relations with God.” Is God calling you to life as a priest? Speak to the Vocations Promoter: 01207 299 012 or vocationspromoter@diocesehn.org.uk

Diocese Job vacancies: Deputy Director of Education – Full-time, term-time. Closing date: 6 November. Finance Manager – Full-time. Closing date: 8 November. Both roles are based in the Diocesan Offices in Newcastle. Please visit www.diocesehn.org.uk/job-vacancies for full details or contact us on 0191 243 3301.

Don't forget! BST ends. The clocks will go back an hour on **Saturday, 26 October**, before you go to bed .

This Sundays Reading - 30th Sunday O.T. (B)

First Reading

Jeremiah 31:7-9

The Lord says this: Shout with joy for Jacob! Hail the chief of nations! Proclaim! Praise! Shout: 'The Lord has saved his people, the remnant of Israel!'

See, I will bring them back from the land of the North and gather them from the far ends of earth; all of them: the blind and the lame, women with child, women in labour: a great company returning here.

They had left in tears, I will comfort them as I lead them back; I will guide them to streams of water, by a smooth path where they will not stumble. For I am a father to Israel, and Ephraim is my first-born son.

Responsorial Psalm :

What marvels the Lord worked for us! Indeed we were glad.

Second reading

Hebrews 5:1-6

Every high priest has been taken out of mankind and is appointed to act for men in their relations with God, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins; and so he can sympathise with those who are ignorant or uncertain because he too lives in the limitations of weakness.

That is why he has to make sin offerings for himself as well as for the people. No one takes this honour on himself, but each one is called by God, as Aaron was. Nor did Christ give himself the glory of becoming high priest, but he had it from the one who said to him:

You are my son, today I have become your father, and in another text: You are a priest of the order of Melchizedek, and for ever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the light of the world, says the Lord;
anyone who follows me will have the light of life. Alleluia!

Gospel

Mark 10:46-52

As Jesus left Jericho with his disciples and a large crowd, Bartimaeus (that is, the son of Timaeus), a blind beggar, was sitting at the side of the road. When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout and to say, 'Son of David, Jesus, have pity on me.'

And many of them scolded him and told him to keep quiet, but he only shouted all the louder, 'Son of David, have pity on me.'

Jesus stopped and said, 'Call him here.' So they called the blind man. 'Courage,' they said 'get up; he is calling you.' So throwing off his cloak, he jumped up and went to Jesus. Then Jesus spoke, 'What do you want me to do for you?' 'Rabbuni,' the blind man said to him 'Master, let me see again.' Jesus said to him, 'Go; your faith has saved you.'

And immediately his sight returned and he followed him along the road.

26 October 2024



School has broken up for half term. We return on the 4th November and are looking ahead at what the rest of 2024 has in store for us.

On Monday 11th November at 9:15am, Class 3 will lead us with some Remembrance Day prayers - you are more than welcome to join us.



Childs Prayer:

Christ Jesus, help us to see what we can do to make a change, so that our world may be a fairer place for all.

Amen
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Feast of the Douai Martyrs: Mass at Ushaw

Join us for Mass on Wednesday, the Feast of the Douai Martyrs, at 7pm in St. Cuthbert's Chapel. After Mass, tea and coffee will be available.

No tickets are needed, and everyone is welcome.

Loving Lord,

Today we hear about how Jesus helped a blind man called Bartimaeus to see again. Sometimes we see things that are not fair or right, but it can be a lot harder to see how to change these things. Let's think about how we can help everyone to see what we can do to make the world a fairer place.

Amen

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Gospel: Mark 10:46-52



Lord,
Hear Our
Prayer