

St Patrick's Roman Catholic Church

Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle



Parish Diary

Week beginning 26 April 2025

Date	Feast	Mass Intention
Sat 26 April	Vigil: Divine Mercy, 2nd Sunday of Easter	5:00pm Holy Mass, in thanksgiving. Celebrated by Fr Andrew
Sun 27 April	Divine Mercy Sunday	9.30am/ 10:00am Syro-Malabar Mass
Mon 28 April		No Mass
Tues 29 April	St Catherine of Sienna	No Mass
Wed 30 April		No Mass
Thurs 1 May	St Joseph the Worker	9.30am, Holy Mass, Priests Intention. Celebrated by Fr Andrew
Fri 2 May		No Mass

Parish Diary

Week beginning 3 May 2025

Date	Feast	Mass Intention
Sat 3 May	Vigil: 3rd Sunday of Easter (SS Philip and James)	5:00pm Holy Mass, a sick person. Celebrated by Fr Andrew
Sun 4 May		10:00am Syro-Malabar Mass with Holy Rosary at 9:30am
Mon 5 May		No Mass
Tues 6 May		No Mass
Wed 7 May		No Mass
Thurs 8 May		9.30am, Holy Mass, Priests Intention
Fri 9 May		No Mass
Sat 10 May	Vigil: 4th Sunday of Easter	5:00pm Holy Mass, a sick person

Our Parish Prayers: Please continue to pray for those sick, the lonely and the housebound in our parish, also those who care for them. Pray for; **Sylvia Kelly; Ann Booth, Ann Canavan, John Walton, Ethel Condon and Edward (Ted) Halliday.**

Anniversaries this week and next: Please pray for *Jennie Staff and Barbara O'Farrell* and all those whose anniversary occurs at this time.

Pray for those recently deceased, may they **Rest in Peace.**

As a diocesan family pray for **Pope Francis** who was called to the Lord this week.

We were I blessed to have had Pope Francis's guidance, and we give thanks for his life, we vow to continue his work striving for a better world, for all of us.

Pope Francis - Requiescat in Pace.



Thank you! to all parishioners for your amazing generosity. The parish collected £298 for the **Myanmar Disaster Appeal**. Note: Weekly Collections will be reported in the next bulletin

Please take this bulletin home with you and if you can, pass it onto others. Thank you.

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If you would like to receive the bulletin electronically, please contact **Clare** on the parish email. Also the most recent bulletin can be found on the on the parish website: **St. Patrick's RC Church – Langley Moor** (stpatricksrcchurch.co.uk)

Mass Intention Requests

Please complete a mass intention envelope with details and your donation.

Thank you.



Gospel – John 20:19-31: think of how you spread the message of peace throughout the week.

Latest Church and Diocese News.....

Church Ministry Rotas:

note: new Rota available @ back of church.

Welcomers:

Tonight: Pat Middleton and Halina Holman

3 May: Paul Kelly and Ann Kelly

10 May: Greg Mearman and Tricia Whitfield

Readers:

Tonight: Pat Middleton and Halina Holman

3 May: Andrew Everett and Mirabel Chidimal

10 May: Freya Storey and Mary Everett

Eucharistic Ministers:

Tonight: Malcolm Wass and Jane Smith

3 May: Teresa Wass and Irene Carey

10 May: Carol Proudlock and Pauline Burnside

Children's Liturgy:

Tonight: **no liturgy**

3 May: Maria and Joanne

10 May: Maria and Helen

Thank You at Eastertime

To the altar servers, the musicians and choir who enhance our services with their skill and hard work.

To the ministry team who welcomed, read or ministered holy communion at our services.

To those who have celebrated the Stations of the Cross or led times of prayer & faith sharing during Lent.

To those who helped prepare the Church for the Easter Ceremonies, including flowers, altar and sacristy.

To those who clean the Church throughout the year.

*And all parishioners who joined us this Easter .
Thank You*

Readings tonight:

- **First Reading** – Acts 5:12-16:
- **Second Reading** – Revelation 1:9-11A, 12-13, 17-19:
- **Gospel** – John 20:19-31:

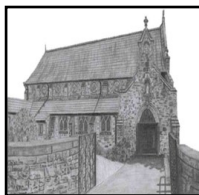
Update on Church Grounds

I am pleased to report the our insurers have agreed to pay our claim for roof repairs, due to storm damage .

We are awaiting a start date for the work and then hopefully we will have our grounds returned to us.

The garden area to the rear remains unsafe until the roof is repaired. Thank you for your patience.

Health and Safety Representative.



Parish, Diocese Information ...

Pope Francis - Requiescat in Pace

Pope Francis died aged 88. He served as the 265th successor of St Peter from his election on 13 March 2013 to 21 April 2025. At 9:45am, Rome time, Cardinal Kevin Farrell, Camerlengo of the Apostolic Chamber, announced the death of Pope Francis from the Casa Santa Marta. Pope Francis' body will lie in state until his funeral on Saturday morning 26 April.

Bishop Stephen writes:

As a diocesan family we pray for Pope Francis who was called to the Lord this week, 21st April.

In this Easter Octave where every day is celebrated as Easter Sunday, we celebrate the victory of the Resurrection over death. We pray Pope Francis now shares in that victory and enjoys eternal life.

We give thanks for Pope Francis' ministry as a Jesuit priest, Bishop in Argentina and finally as the successor of St. Peter. As Pope he always looked at situations through the eyes of the poor following the example of his Patron, Saint Francis of Assisi.

He was a joy to meet in person and an inspiration to so many, Catholics and non-Catholics alike. We commend Pope Francis to the Lord, eternal rest grant unto him O Lord. May he rest in peace.

Bishop Stephen , Hexham and Newcastle

Pope Francis' prayer intentions.

For May 2025:

For working conditions.

Let us pray that through work, each person might find fulfillment, families might be sustained in dignity, and society might be humanized.

Readings next 2 weeks:

3 May First reading, Acts 5:27b-32, 40b-41. Second reading, Revelation 5:11-14. Gospel, John 21:1-19.

10 May First reading, Acts 13:14, 43b-52. Second reading, Revelation 7:9, 13a, 14b-17. Gospel, John 10:27-30.

There will be no bulletin next week. The next full bulletin is on Saturday 10 May. Thank you.