

St Patrick's Roman Catholic Church Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle



Parish Diary

EASTER

Week beginning 17 May 2025

Date	Feast	Mass Intention
Sat 17 May	Vigil 5th Sunday of Easter	5:00pm Holy Mass Ted Halliday RIP
Sun 18 May	5th Sunday of Easter	10:00am Syro-Malabar Mass
Mon 19 May		No Mass
Tues 20 May		No Mass
Wed 21 May	St Godric	7:00pm Mass Priest Intention
Thurs 22 May	1pm Ted Halliday Funeral Mass	No Mass
Fri 23 May		9.30am David and Veronica Parkinson RIP
Sat 24 May	Vigil 6th Sunday of Easter	5:00pm Holy Mass, Gavin James Young RIP

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Bulletin Requests : Please send parish
bulletin items to Clare:

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

Mass Intention Requests

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

Our Parish Prayers:

Please 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 , John Walton, and
Ethel Condon.** **Anniversaries:** Please pray for Jack Wilkinson and all
those whose anniversary occurs at this time.

Pray **Ted Halliday and Damien Kelly** recently deceased, may they **Rest
in Peace.** **Teds Funeral mass will be on 22 May at 1.00pm** Pray for his
wife and family . **Amen**



Church Ministry Rota:

Welcomers:

Tonight: Carol Proudlock and Marian Morris

24 May : Pat Middleton, Halina Holman

Readers:

Tonight: Stella Foody and Malcolm Wass

24 May : Malcolm Wass and Talia Chakanyuka

Eucharistic Ministers:

Tonight: Malcolm Wass and Jane Smith

24 May : Teresa Wass and Irene Carey

Children's Liturgy:

17 May: Joanne and Margarita

24 May : Maria and Helen



5th Sunday of Easter Year C

focuses on the growth of the early
Church and Jesus' command to love
one another. These readings
highlight the importance of faith,
community, and the promise of a
new heaven and earth.

Latest Church and Diocese News.....

This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.

John 13:35

Readings Next Week 24

May:

First reading, Acts 15:1-2, 22-29. Second reading, Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23. Gospel, John 14:23-29



Church Garden

there is quite a lot of work needed to bring the gardens back to their former glory. Any offers of help or involvement will be gratefully received. Donations of plants, shrubs and other garden materials would be much appreciated. If you can spare some time to help out please see Carol. Many hands.....

Missionary Visit and Collection tonight

Saturday 17 May

Welcome ,

Sr Harriet Thomas of the Handmaids of the Holy Child Jesus (HHCI.) In her letter, she says:

'I served in Nigeria for a couple of years before coming to England in 2012, so I have experience working overseas. We only ask for a few minutes to share with the community information about our work and to appeal for some financial help as part of the Missionary Church here in England and Wales. This will then go towards the various projects undertaken by the many Missionary Congregations that I will represent.

Church Cleaning

Saturday 14 June

Monthly church cleaning has been rearranged for Saturday 14 June. Thank you to our wonderful church helpers.

More volunteers would be made very welcome.



Diocese News

Laudato Si' Mass Saturday 24th May

Bishop Stephen will celebrate Mass at 10.00am at St Mary's Cathedral on Saturday 24th May to celebrate 10 years since the publication of Pope Francis' encyclical – Laudato Si'. **All are welcome.** More information on the Diocesan website: <https://diocesehn.org.uk/whats-on/event/laudato-si-week-2025-mass/>

'Hope in a Time of Darkness' – A Lecture by His Eminence Cardinal Timothy Radcliffe OP

Monday 23rd June 2025; 7:45pm.

Galilee Chapel, Durham Cathedral

Durham Cathedral Institute is delighted to be hosting this year's Bishop Dunn Memorial Lecture of the Centre for Catholic Studies at Durham University, hearing from speaker **Cardinal Timothy Radcliffe** and respondent **Prof Anna Rowlands**.

Cardinal Radcliffe is a distinguished Catholic priest, theologian, and church leader.

Anna Rowlands (respondent) is St Hilda Professor of Catholic Social Thought and Practice at Durham University. She is a political theologian whose research interests include the ethics of migration and the tradition of Catholic Social Teaching. In 2023, Rowlands took up a two-year secondment at the Vatican, where she contributed to the global synodal process. For more information and to book tickets, please visit <https://durhamcathedral.ticketsolve.com/ticketbooth/shows/1173659458>

One Hope Project (Music) Academy

Music Academy: Music helps people pray.

Often the people who have given their time and service to lead the music and the worship, haven't had the opportunity for formation and investment in this area. Also, we have seen that when music leaders give time and space for their journey of discipleship this has a prayerful and powerful effect on the times of worship and liturgy and the faith journeys of their music teams in their parishes. If you know someone who would be interested in participating in the OHP Academy, more information and a short video can be found at <https://diocesehn.org.uk/whats-on/event/one-hope-project-music-academy/>.

We would love for you to consider if this is something God is calling your parish to.

First reading

Acts 14:21b-27

In those days: Paul and Barnabas returned to Lystra and to Iconium and to Antioch, strengthening the souls of the disciples, encouraging them to continue in the faith, and saying that through many tribulations we must enter the kingdom of God. And when they had appointed elders for them in every church, with prayer and fasting they committed them to the Lord in whom they had believed. Then they passed through Pisidia and came to Pamphylia. And when they had spoken the word in Perga, they went down to Attalia, and from there they sailed to Antioch, where they had been commended to the grace of God for the work that they had fulfilled. And when they arrived and gathered the church together, they declared all that God had done with them, and how he had opened a door of faith to the Gentiles.

I will bless your name for ever, my God and king. or: Alleluia

Second reading

Revelation 21:1-5a

‘God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.’

I, John, saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, ‘Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man. He will dwell with them, and they will be his people, and God himself will be with them as their God. He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain any more, for the former things have passed away.’

And he who was seated on the throne said, ‘Behold, I am making all things new.’

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia. A new commandment I give to you, says the Lord,
that you love one another, just as I have loved you. Alleluia.

Gospel

John 13:31-33a, 34-35

When Judas had gone out from the upper room, Jesus said, ‘Now is the Son of Man glorified, and God is glorified in him. If God is glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself, and glorify him at once. Little children, yet a little while I am with you.

‘A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.’

Children's Corner: Gospel reflections prayers and activities



Dear Parishioners,

As we enter the Summer Term, we look ahead at the events planned over the coming months. On **12th June** we are hosting a workshop around understanding anxiety in children.

Please do contact school if your are interested in attending this event.

Mr Keys Cluster Headteacher, St Patrick's

A picture to colour:

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Gospel: John 13:31-35



Children's Closing prayer:

Generous God, fill our hearts with your love and help us to share this love with all our brothers and sisters throughout the world. Amen.

'A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another.'

More Information

Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle

Job Vacancy

An exciting opportunity is available at St Joseph's Care Home (Little Sisters of the Poor, Newcastle) for an Assistant Cook. Hours available: 30 hours per week, includes evenings and weekends

For more information, please contact Lee-Marie Thornley on 07856 256095 or email lee.marie@lsplondon.co.uk

Please visit www.diocesehn.org.uk/job-vacancies for full details or contact us on 0191 243 3301.