

Ss. ANTHONY OF PADUA & FRANCIS, WALKER, NEWCASTLE ON TYNE.

Sunday 13th September 2020: 24th Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year A Cycle)

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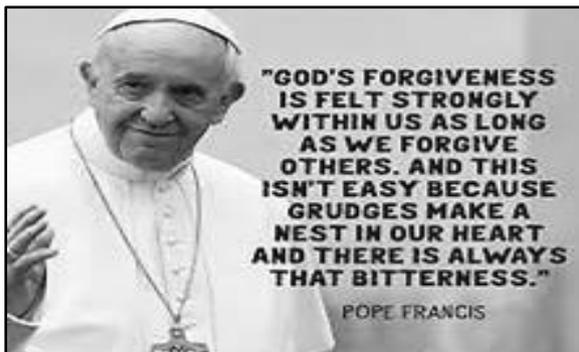
Parish Website Address: stanthonystfrancis.org.uk

Parish Office opening times: Wednesday & Thursday 9am-2pm and Friday 9am-3pm

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LIST OF WORSHIP TIMES IN THE PARISHES OF Ss. ANTHONY OF PADUA, WALKER & ST. COLUMBA'S, WALLSEND.

DAY	TIME	SERVICE, INTENTION & READER	PARISH
Sunday 13 September <i>Fr. David Smith</i>	9.30am	SUNDAY MASS	St. Columba's Wallsend
	11.00am	SUNDAY MASS offered for BERNARD GEELING & GRAEME HALL Reader: Jennifer Richardson	St. Anthony/Francis Walker
Monday 14 Sept			
Tues 15 Sept	7.00pm	Tuesday Evening MASS	St. Columba's Wallsend
Wed 16 Sept	10.00am	MASS in Church offered for WIN LITTLE Reader: Christine Dixon	St. Anthony/Francis Walker
Thurs 17 Sept	10.00am	Thursday Morning MASS	St. Columba's Wallsend
Fri 18 Sept	10.00am	REQUIEM MASS in Church for DAVE HENDON Reader: To be arranged <i>Please see note below</i>	St. Anthony/Francis Walker
Sat 19 Sept			
Sunday 20 September <i>Fr. David Smith</i>	9.30am	SUNDAY MASS	St. Columba's Wallsend
	11.00am	SUNDAY MASS offered for ALICE SIMPSON Reader: Margaret Richardson	St. Anthony/Francis Walker



READINGS 24th SUNDAY (Year A:)

First Reading: Ecclesiasticus 27: 33-28:9

Response: **"The Lord is compassion and love, slow to anger and rich in mercy."**

Second Reading: Romans 14: 7-9

Acclamation: **"Alleluia, Alleluia. Speak Lord your servant is listening you have the message of eternal life. Alleluia."**

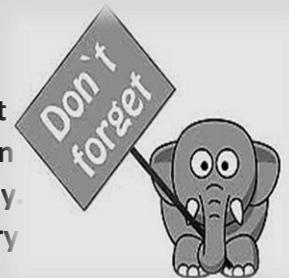
Gospel: Matthew 18: 21-35

REQUIEM MASS: DAVE HENDON, on Friday 18th at 10am. Please remember that the family are restricted to 30 Mourners. So if you are planning to attend Mass it might be better to come on a Wednesday (or Tuesday or Thursday at St. Columba's) please. Thank you for your understanding & please pray for his family. Fr. David

BOOKING ARRANGEMENTS 11am SUNDAY MASS 20 SEPTEMBER

To book for SUNDAY MASS it is essential that you call St. Anthony's Parish directly between 10am and 1pm on THURSDAY OR FRIDAY only Telephone No: 0191 2623817. We want to try and ensure that each person is given the opportunity to try and book their place, therefore thank you for respecting our request.

We are limited to 45 seats per Mass, in order to comply with the Diocesan Guidelines for social distancing, however, where family members, people living under the same roof, attend Mass and can sit in the same pew, then it is acceptable to increase our total numbers. *Please advise the office if this is the case when you book?* It is not necessary to book for weekday Mass.



THANK YOU: We all have a debt of gratitude to those who are volunteering to act as STEWARDS, in order that we can continue to keep open our Church for Public Mass. They assist Parishioners as they arrive at Mass and receive Holy Communion but also be stay behind to clean the Church after use, compulsory under rules of National Bishop's Conference. Thank you all very much. Thanks also to you all for your understanding that in these times the Church will have less access than usual. We all have to be vigilant and committed to cleaning programmes.

FACE MASKS: It is now compulsory to wear a Face Mask in Church. Please bring your own for Mass.



Thank you for your support, Fr. David.



Could people please return their **mission box savings** to **Jennifer Richardson**. She has to follow several Guidelines. To help her could people please put their money in a bag and give it to her rather than giving her their mission box. Thank you.

FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO PARISH

To set up a regular **STANDING ORDER** or make a one off donation. Please print off the 'Standing Order Mandate Form' which can be found on our Website and pass on to your own Bank.

If you have personal **ONLINE BANKING** you will be able to set this up yourself, you will need the following information. (Please also be assured that all bank payments are accounted for in our Parish Audit Trails.)

Account Name: "DHN Newcastle Ss. Anthony of Padua & Francis A Registered Charity"
Bank: HSBC (Sort Code: 40.34.45) and Account No. 61165089

'GIFT AIDING' for the first time and are a UK Taxpayer, you will need to download the 'Gift Aid Form' which can be found on our Website. Please complete and send it back to the Parish Office. This is a legal document required by HMRC, the Office is required to forward it the Diocese. **Please be assured that in completing this form means that the Parish will receive a small percentage back from HMRC and will NOT affect your own personal tax.**

Ephesians 1:4

—IN— GOOD MORNING
CHRIST you are God's chosen.



Please pray for all our sick:

Rhoda Robertson, John Gourley, Mary Garrity, Doreen Graham, June Stephenson, Margaret O'Brien, Dorothy Milor, Elaine Clayton, Rosemary McIlvenna, Phil Gosling, Monica McKinnon, Martin Finchen, Allison Maghie, Gail McDonnell and Elaine Clayton

Children: Joseph Relph, Josh Graham, James Taylor & Theo James Abbott
 Also in our prayers can we remember: NHS & frontline workers, our own St. Anthony of Padua Carers, all Priests, Deacons and other Clergy.



KEEP IN TOUCH:

WEBSITE ADDRESS: Check our Website, updated regularly by Simon: stanthonystfrancis.org.



St. Anthony's & St. Columba's has it's own You Tube

Channel

You can access the Channel by going to our Parish Website and following the link which takes you to our 'You Tube Channel.' Here you will find recorded Masses and Services.

ELECTRONIC COPY OF NEWSLETTER:

If you would like to receive an electronic newsletter please contact

PRE-ORDERED BIBLE ALIVE & UNIVERSE

Please note that these are now available from the back of Church. Could you please pick up those copies you have pre-ordered? An 'honesty box' is there if you can leave your payment there please. Thank you so much.

Pilgrimage of Reparation and Prayer for the Sanctity of Life, Walsingham.

Led by Bishop Marcus Stock (Diocese of Leeds) the Shrine are offering a 'virtual' Pilgrimage taking place on Sunday 27 September 2020. It is a day of prayer and reparation for the sanctity of life. Our society has attacked the Church's deep rooted teachings on these issues for a very long time. Devotions will be streamed throughout the day, beginning with the Mass at 12.00 noon. Full details are available on the website, including the programme for the day. To access the pilgrimage, you can watch via You Tube on Walsingham Catholic TV or at the Basilica live stream. We encourage you all throughout the Diocese of Hexham & Ncle. to take part if you can.

Restricted Numbers Attending Baptisms, Weddings and Funerals.

The official number allowed in church for baptisms, weddings and funerals is 30. While we are risk assessed for 45 at St Anthony's and 60 at Our Lady and St Columba's that has no bearing when it comes to the rules for baptisms, weddings and funerals. The rules are not set by the parish priest and therefore the parish priest will not be breaking the rules. When it comes to the agonising task of choosing who to invite, families struggle to keep everyone happy and so therefore, it is unhelpful when people decide to ignore the rules in order that they can attend the funeral, wedding or baptism. Our volunteer stewards are very kindly trying to do a job which involves keeping the rules and so it is disappointing when people ignore the protocol. I can understand that people are fed up of the pandemic and all its restrictions but should the rate of infection rise in Wallsend or Walker, it is not going to be because St Columba's and St Anthony's are not keeping the rules.

Fr David

Pastoral Message Bishop Robert



Bishop Robert Byrne CO has released a pastoral video message regarding the reopening of our churches and how we are managing this throughout the Diocese. Visit the Diocesan Website:

www.rcdhn.org.uk

St. Anthony of Padua Community Association are recruiting for a **Community Gardener** to lead our new "Garden Project" which aims to engage older people at risk of social isolation in gardening to improve general wellbeing. The successful applicant will enjoy working with people combined with a passion and enthusiasm for gardening.

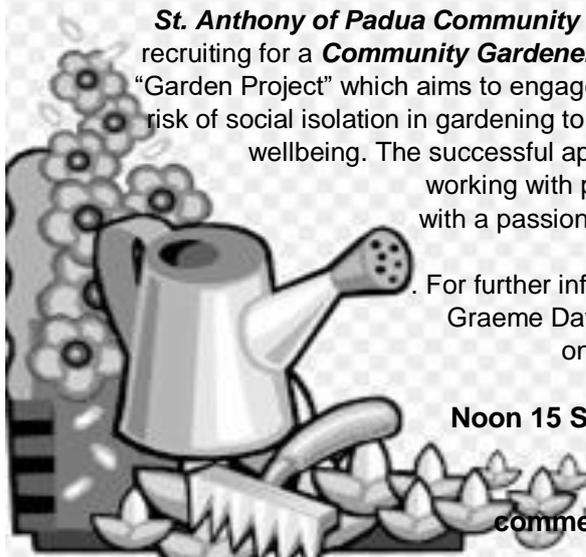
For further information contact Graeme Davis, HR manager on 0191 234 5775.

Closing Date:

Noon 15 September 2020

Interview Date:

Week commencing 28.09.20



Bishop's House Office and Residence – New Address

From 14 September 2020, the address for the Bishop's Office & Residence will be: Bishop's House, 26 West Ave, Gosforth, Newcastle upon Tyne NE3 4ES. The phone number and email addresses stay the same.