



PARISH OF CHRIST THE KING

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 3rd August 2025



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Safeguarding			
The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency (CSSA) and Diocese's policies and procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are listed below or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding Team can be contacted on 0191 243 3305 or at safeguarding@diocesehn.org.uk			
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Day		Time		Church	Mass Intention	
Sat	2 Aug	4.30 pm 5.30 pm	Exposition & Confessions Vigil Mass	St.Anthony's St.Anthony's	People of the Parish	18th Sunday Of Ordinary Time
Sun	3 Aug	10.00 am 11.00 am 6.00 pm	Confessions Sung Holy Mass Sung Vespers & Benediction	St.Teresa's	Gerard Lalor RIP	18th Sunday Of Ordinary Time
Mon	4 Aug	8.30 am 9.30 am	Adoration & Confessions Holy Mass	St.Teresa's	Special Intention	St. John Vianney
Tue	5 Aug	8.30 am 9.30 am	Adoration & Rosary Holy Mass	St.Anthony's	Joan Gill RIP	Dedication of St Mary Major Basilica
Wed	6 Aug	10.00 am	Holy Mass	St.Anthony's	No Intention Received	Transfiguration of the Lord
Thur	7 Aug	8.30 am 9.30 am	Adoration & Confessions Holy Mass	St.Teresa's	No Intention Received	Feria
Fri	8 Aug	8.30 am 9.30 am	Adoration & Rosary Holy Mass	St.Teresa's	For those taking Final Vows	St. Dominic
Sat	9 Aug	8.00 am	Holy Mass	St.Teresa's	No Intention Received	St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross
Sat	9 Aug	4.30 pm 5.30 pm	Exposition & Confessions Vigil Mass	St.Anthony's St.Anthony's	Alice Leighton RIP	19th Sunday Of Ordinary Time
Sun	10 Aug	10.00 am 11.00 am 6.00 pm	Confessions Sung Holy Mass Sung Vespers & Benediction	St.Teresa's	People of the Parish	19th Sunday Of Ordinary Time

NEWS FROM OUR PARISH, PARTNERSHIP AND DIOCESE

WE KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS

We remember in our prayers all those we know who are unwell as well as the many who have no one to pray for them and for those in hospital. Please keep in your prayers all those who have died recently, and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

CHANGE OF MIDWEEK MASS TIMES

As Fr Jonathon is helping out the Missionaries of Charity at their annual summer camp at St Robert's for the next couple of weeks. Therefore, to accommodate this Masses during the week will be at 9.30am. Thank You for our understanding.

FUTURE OF SAINT ANTHONY'S

As Fr Jonathon shared with us, the Parish council have been discussing the future of our buildings in light of the works that are needed to be carried out. At present St Antony's does not have a functioning heating system in the Church due to its failure in March. In order to repair the heating system we would need to spend in excess of £160,000. This doesn't solve the problem that we have with the damp or include the cost of replacing the Church roof. If repairs are to be carried out on the Church we would need to close the Church for 4-6 months for these to be carried out. With the winter months approaching a decision needs to be made by the whole parish on what we should do. Therefore, an open meeting will take place on Tuesday 2nd September at 7.00pm at St Anthony's. Please do put this in your diary and come along to this important meeting.

GREAT NORTH RUN - CAFOD

Christopher Metcalf, a parishioner from St Teresa's, will be taking on the 13.2 miles between Newcastle and South Shields for CAFOD. Christopher is looking for sponsorship as he takes on this challenge and will be at the back of Church after weekend Masses with a bucket for any contributions. You can also contribute by scanning the QR code



SUNDAY EVENING VESPERS & BENEDICTION

Every Sunday at St. Teresa's we have Sung Vespers (Evening Prayer) and Benediction. This time of prayer is such a wonderful opportunity to bring our Sunday to a close, spending time with Jesus in prayer and praise. Please do try and come along if you are able to! It only lasts 40 minutes and is such a beautiful service.

PARISH GIVING

If you would like to make your regular weekly offering to the Church by standing order this is easy to set up. Our bank details for setting up a Standing Order or BACS payment are:

Account Name: DHN Newcastle Christ the King

Account Number: 52010917 Sort Code: 40-34-18

LEGACIES & DONATIONS

Raising funds through wills and charitable legacies is a massive part of our fundraising and it is where we have obtained donations to the parish in the recent past, through the very generous donations of parishioners in their wills. Very simply, the request is, that if you are writing your will, is there any way that you can remember your parish in your will and so help us with our fundraising.

PREMIERSHIP FANTASY FOOTBALL LEAGUE

As the new football season is fast approaching, and with two northeast teams in the premiership this year, the parish is running a Fantasy Football league. You can sign up and pick your team at <https://fantasy.premierleague.com/>. If you would like to join the league, please let Fr Jonathon know and he will give you the access code. It will be £5 per team with all the money being paid out to the Winner of the League.

CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME 25/26

If you are in secondary school and would like to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, you are invited to fill in the interest form for our next course beginning in September. More information will be emailed to you after you have completed the initial interest form. Please scan the QR code for the online form or speak to Fr Jonathon, or your parish priest, for a hard copy of the interest form.



MASS INTENTIONS

At the Altar the priest offers Mass for the good of the whole Church and for a particular intention. Currently the parish has no Mass intentions booked in during the week from the beginning of June. There is nothing better than having a Mass offered for someone, or for a specific intention. Do you want a Mass offered for a particular intention? Perhaps for a deceased relative or friend, or for someone who is sick, or for your own intention? To have a Mass said please fill out a Mass envelope (available in the church porches) and return to Fr Jonathon or place in the offertory collection during Mass.

DIOCESAN JUBILEE DAY

Bishop Stephen invites you to a Jubilee Day on Saturday 27th September, from 10 am to 3 pm, at Cardinal Hume Catholic School in Gateshead. Everyone is welcome! There'll be guest speakers, and a choice of seminars/forums to reawaken and empower us for mission. This is an opportunity to connect with old friends and new, and to celebrate our diocesan family as we explore what a Church in Mission invites us to be and do! There will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and a prayer space in the chapel, and praise and worship led by Durham musicians 'Set A Fire'. Registration and refreshments from 9.15am, but please bring a packed lunch. Ample parking is available and entry is FREE but please register at <https://bit.ly/DHNAlive25> where you'll also find more information about the seminars you'll be able to join during the day.

SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION

The Solemnity of the Assumption of Our Blessed Lady is on Friday 15th August, and is a Holy Day of Obligation. Therefore, to allow you all to fulfil your obligation of attending Mass, there will be a Vigil Mass at 7pm at St. Teresa's on Thursday 14th August. On Friday 15th August there will be a 10am Solemn Mass at St. Anthony's.

MASS DURING THE HOLIDAYS

Are you on holiday? Why not come along to weekday Mass one day, or a few days, while you're on holiday. You may find that it does you some good!! We'd love to see you with us!

KEYHOLDERS

If you have a key to any of our buildings will you please contact the Parish Office informing us what key you have and why.