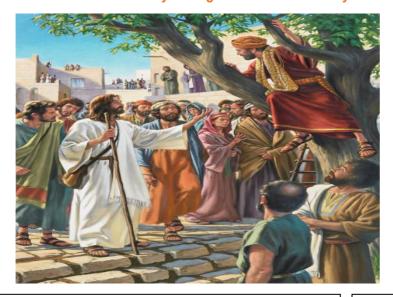


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Parish Mission Statement

To be a welcoming community that encounter Jesus in our Sacraments and spiritual activities and reflects Jesus' experience to the periphery of our community through the works of charity and transparent Christian living.



30th October 2022 31st Sunday of Ordinary Time (C)

> "T have come to seek and to save that which was lost."

Saturday 29th October Vigil Mass Sunday 30th October Mass 1st Reading: Wisdom 11: 22 – 12: 2. **Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 145.** I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God 2nd Reading: 2 Thessalonians: 1: 11 – 2: 2. Gospel: Luke 19: 1 - 10

Month of Remembrance

November is traditionally the month when we remember and pray for our departed loved ones. Envelopes are now available at the back of the church to fill in should you wish to have a Mass celebrated for your departed loved ones during the month of November. Please submit their names using the envelopes and put the envelope in the Offertory basket. These will then be sorted out and details of the proposed Mass intentions published.

Tree of Remembrance

Our Tree of Remembrance will be put up this week. If you wish the names of your departed loved ones to be added to the Tree please write them down and pass the details on to Fr. Manoj. He will arrange for all the submitted names to be added to the Tree.

Thursday Masses

The school children will come on the following dates to celebrate with us at the 10:00am Mass in church.

All are welcome to join us and the children in the celebrations. 3rd Nov - Year 5: 10th Nov – Year 3:

11th Nov - Whole school: 17th Nov - Year 4: 24th Nov - Year 2

16th December - Years 3 to 5; Carols @ 1:30pm 20th December - Years 4 to 6; Carols @ 1:30pm

Mass Times, Intentions and Feasts Sat 29th 6:00pm RIP Joan Mennell & Brenda Whiteside Sun 30th 10.45am 31st Sunday of Ordinary Time Tue 1st Nov 7:00pm in St. Paul's Church Solemnity of All Saints, Holy Day of Obligation 7:00pm Feast of All Souls, Mass in Church Wed 2nd Thu 3rd 10:00am RIP John Waterworth & Steve Swietlik Fri 4th St Borromeo Sat 5th

6:00pm

Sun 6th 10.45am 32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

Exposition / Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday evening: 6:00 – 7:00pm At St John's Saturday evening: 5:30 - 5:50pm before Mass Sunday morning: 10.15- 10.35am before Mass

A time of SILENCE in church for guiet prayer. As the Blessed Sacrament is already exposed when people come into the church can you please respect the situation and keep the decorum of the church by meeting and carrying out any discussions in the Piety Stall until the Blessed Sacrament is reposed.

Feasts of All Saints / All Souls

Tuesday 1st November 2022 is a Holy Day of Obligation so we will have an additional Mass to our normal schedule which will be celebrated in church at 7:00pm. Wednesday 2nd is the Feast of All Souls and our Mass time has been changed to 7:00pm to enable Mass to be celebrated at St. John's at 10:00am, followed by the blessing of the graves.

Spiritual Nurturing and Formation Group

The meeting of the Spiritual and Nurturing Group will be held each Thursday at 7pm in the back room until the end of November. They will then have a winter break and resume in the New Year. All are welcome.

Parish Pastoral Council Elections

Elections to the PPC will now take place on 27th November. Nomination papers are available at the back of church to be filled in and placed in the Box. There is a need to elect 8 persons to the PPC. Any person aged 18 or over and of good standing in the parish could be nominated for these posts. The elected nominees will serve for a term of 2 years with the option to serve another 2 years, if they desire and go through the following election process. Please ensure the person you are **nominating has agreed to stand** and that your nomination is submitted by week-ending 6th November.

Coffee Mornings

Coffee and tea will be served in the back room every Wednesday morning following Mass, which will be celebrated in church at the new time of 10:00am. Please do come and join us.

Christmas Raffle

Your help is needed to sell draw tickets and to contribute prizes. The draw will take place on the 19th November and your usual help and contributions are gratefully received.

Home Visits for the Sick and Homebound

If you know anyone who would like to have a home visit from the priest to bring Holy Communion or for the sacrament of Reconciliation, or from a Eucharistic Minister to bring Holy Communion, please let Fr. Manoj know. Envelopes are now available at the back of church for people to request a visit and these could be placed in with the Offertory Collection.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2023

Can you help the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes next year? We need nurses, healthcare assistants, doctors and volunteers to provide care to the assisted pilgrims who travel with us. Previous helpers have found it is a rewarding and spiritually uplifting week. We plan to travel on Friday 28th July. If you would like to find out information please Website more see https://www.hexhamandnewcastlelourdespilgrimage.co.uk/ or email lourdes@rcdhn.org.uk

Northern Cross

The October edition is available at the back of church.

AGM Meeting

Minutes of the AGM held on 16th November along with the ratified copy of the PPC Constitution are now being printed and displayed on the Notice Board.

Gardens

We would be grateful for any small donations to enable a gardener to refurbish the front and back gardens around church after which they will be maintained in house.

Christmas Night out at Pannuci's 7pm Friday 9th December 2022

The above 3 course Christmas meal has been booked at a cost of £28 per person. If you wish to go please put your name on the list in the porch + your menu choices. We are limited to 40 places, so it is only open to parish members. I will have a reserve list in case of cancellations. A non - refundable cash deposit of £5 must be paid to reserve your place. The balance of £23 must be paid two weeks before the event. Teresa Kelly will begin collecting deposits from next Saturday 5th November.

Mass Intentions

There is an option for parishioners to have Mass celebrated for their own personal intention. If you would like to use this facility, please give the relevant information to Fr. Manoj with your preferred date and an alternative date. Envelopes are available at the back of church and can be added to the Offertory Collection.

Finances

Weekly Collection 22nd / 23rd October - £180.72 Mission Sunday Collection, £93.86 Special Collection this weekend – Clergy Training Fund Your continued support is appreciated.

200 Club

Drawn on Sat 22nd Oct. 1st £60 No 31 Julie Mitchell; 2nd £30 No 29 Averill Robson; 3rd £30 No 4 Sheila Hedley.

Bonus Ball

Sat 22nd October: No 34 Congratulations to Betty Wilson. You must be in it to win it

Rota List

The list is on the Notice Boards covering all Ministries up to and including 4th December 2022. Please have a look and note the dates you are scheduled to minister. **Bidding Prayers** Sat 29th Oct David S Welcomers Sat 29th Oct Stella S & Marylyn T Sun 30th Oct Barbara B & Barbara W Sat 29th Oct Terry C & Gladys H Readers. Sun 30th Oct David S & Barbara B Sat 29th Oct Victoria L & Pamela McG Coffee Bulletin Kathv Weekly Cleaners Stephanie N & Barbara B Joe S, Betty W & Averill R Collection Counters

| Bidding Prayers | Sat 5 th Nov Teresa K |
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| Welcomers | Sat 5 th Nov Emma, India & Hugo P |
| | Sun 6 th Nov Meg & Peter K |
| Readers. | Sat 5 th Nov John R & Teresa K |
| | Sun 6 th Nov Julie M & Peter K |
| Coffee | Sat 5th Nov Joyce & Malcolm G |
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Please let John Reid or Peter Killen know if you are unable to fulfil your Ministry.