



St. Paul's RC Church, Cramlington  
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Parish Priest – Fr. Manoj Joseph



**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.



**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> August 2023**

**19<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year (A)**

**“Tell me to come to you  
across the water”.**

**Mass Times and Intentions**

Sat 12 <sup>th</sup>	6:00pm	Mass at St. Paul's (Emily's Confirmation)	Marie Bernadette Rendell, RIP
Sun 13 <sup>th</sup>	10:45am	Mass at St. Paul's	Sick of the Parish
Tue 15 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am	Mass at St Paul's	Assumption of the BVM
	7:00pm	Mass at St. John's	Holyday of Obligation
Wed 16 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Mass at St. Paul's	
Thur 17 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am	Mass at St. Paul's	
Fri 18 <sup>th</sup>		Exposition at St John's from 6pm then Mass at 7pm	
Sat 19 <sup>th</sup>	6:00pm	Mass at St. Paul's	
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup>	10:45am	Mass at St. Paul's	

**Exposition/Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**  
Saturday Evening: 5:30 - 5.50pm before Mass at St. Paul's  
Sunday Morning: 10.15 - 10.35am before Mass at St. Paul's

**A time of SILENCE in church.**  
As the Blessed Sacrament is exposed it is a time for people's private and silent prayer.  
Please respect the situation with your silence and carry out any discussions in the Piety Stall prior to the start of Mass.

**Sat 12<sup>th</sup> August Vigil Mass, Sun 13<sup>th</sup> August Mass**

First Reading: 1 Kings 19: 9, 11 - 13

Responsorial Psalm: 84

**Let us see, O Lord, your mercy and give us your saving help.**

Second Reading: Romans 9: 1 – 5

Gospel: Matthew 14: 22 - 33

Hymn Numbers for Saturday's Mass this weekend

**188, 655 & 664, 377, 197, 1008, 183, 441**

**Holy Father's Intention for August**

That Catholics may pray for the Youth of our world that they may set aside fear and embark on a joyful journey to bear witness to Christ in their daily lives.

**Days of Reflection & Liturgical Formation Courses**

**Days of Reflection**

*Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion*

23 September at St. Joseph's Gateshead, 10:30am – 3:00pm  
Liturgical Leaders of The Word & Holy Communion (Lay Leaders) 7 October at St. Joseph's Gateshead 10:30am – 3:00pm

**Courses**

*New Readers of the Liturgy of the Word*

2 Sessions commencing 9th October at St. Aidan's Benton  
Liturgical Leaders of The Word & Holy Communion (Lay Leaders) 6 Sessions commencing 26th October at St. Hilda's Resource Centre, Newcastle. For further information and booking please visit [bit.ly/LiturgyCoursesAndEvents](http://bit.ly/LiturgyCoursesAndEvents)

**Vocation Discernment Evenings**

The Diocese Vocations Team invites men aged 18+, who might be experiencing the call from God to join the Vocations Team in finding out more. The evenings will take place at the Cloister Cafe, St Mary's Cathedral, Newcastle, on **Tuesday 3 October 2023 and Tuesday 5 December 2023**

The evening starts at 6.00pm with a prayer, discussion, followed by a meal together, finishing around 8.00pm.

If you would like more information, please contact the Vocations Promoter, Fr Shaun Purdy by phone: 01670 812200 or Email: [vocationspromoter@diocesehn.org.uk](mailto:vocationspromoter@diocesehn.org.uk)



**For a Synodal Church:**

**Communion, Participation, Mission**

The final results of the European Assembly have been published. They are available in :

<https://diocesehn.org.uk/news/synod-european-continental-assembly-final-remarks-from-prague/>



### Fatima Pilgrimage 2024

A Pilgrimage to Fatima is being organised by our Parish along with the World Apostolate of Fatima from 20<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> September 2024. The visit will include two days sightseeing around Fatima and Lisbon.

There will be 5 priests accompanying the pilgrims and it will be an ideal opportunity to spend time in prayer and relaxation. The cost will be approximately £800 for a sharing room, with single accommodation available on request with an additional supplement, to cover all travel, accommodation and full board. There is a Poster in the Porch at the back of church showing the proposed Itinerary. Please have a look at it and if you are interested in going give your name, address and telephone number to Fr. Manoj. Thanks.

### Thank You

Can I thank everyone for all their messages of condolence and all the support you gave to me and my family for a most beautiful funeral service for Mum last Monday! We have the most wonderful memories as a result. Lots of love from the Hall and Rendell family. Jacqui Hall.

### Cathedral Bookshop Hours

Please note that from the Monday 10th July the Cathedral bookshop will have revised opening hours:

Pauline Books and Media, Newcastle  
Monday and Tuesday closed

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 10.00am to 4.30pm

Saturday 9.45am to 4.00pm

Sunday 9.30am to 1.15pm

For orders and enquires outside of these hours please:

Telephone: 0151 7091328

Email: [orders@pauline-uk.org](mailto:orders@pauline-uk.org) [www.paulineuk.org](http://www.paulineuk.org)

### Trussell Trust's Food Bank



We have Food Vouchers from the Trust which are available for any parishioner who is finding it difficult to manage due to the increase in prices across the board.

Please speak to Fr. Manoj or Peter Killen if you would like to use this facility.

The food bank is very short of donations and is currently having to spend about £300 per week just to keep pace with demand.

Could we please have a focused drive which would help to boost stocks with your generous support.

**Your continued support is much valued by the Trust**

### Rainbows Bereavement Support Great Britain



A well-respected National Charity that supports children and young people dealing with a significant loss through death, relationship breakdown or any other adverse childhood experience. The charity is seeking volunteers to join the North East

team working alongside their existing teams. If you are interested please contact Ruth Higginbottom on 01670518546 or [rainbows.northeast@btconnect.com](mailto:rainbows.northeast@btconnect.com) There is a Flyer on the Notice Boards at the back of church giving more information.



### Emily

Emily is to be Confirmed during this weekend's Saturday evening Vigil Mass. Please pray for her and all her family.



### Confessions

Fr. Manoj is available to hear anyone's Confession prior to each weekly Mass apart from Sunday where he will be available after the Mass. Please do try and avail yourself of these opportunities.



### Volunteers Please

We would like additional volunteers for any of the roles shown in the Rota List below to lighten the load of the current volunteers. If you can help your community by volunteering in any way please give your name to either Fr. Manoj, Peter Killen or John Reid. **Also looking for gardening help!!** Thank you.

### Finances



Weekly Collection 5<sup>th</sup> / 6<sup>th</sup> August £175.71

### Bonus Ball:

5<sup>th</sup> August - No 2 Teresa Weatherall

**You must be in it to win it!**

### Vacancies

The Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle has the following job vacancy: Darlington, St Anne – Parish Secretary. 8 hours per week. Initial six-month contract. Closing date: 13 Aug. Please contact us on 0191 243 3301 or visit [www.diocesehn.org.uk](http://www.diocesehn.org.uk) for full details.

### Rota List

**There is a NEW Rota List on the Notice Board. Please check it to see when you are scheduled to minister.**

Bidding Prayers	12 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Teresa K
Welcomers	12 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Stella S & Marylyn T
	13 <sup>th</sup> Aug.	Barbara W & Bob M
Readers	12 <sup>th</sup> Aug.	Terry C & Gladys H
	13 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Peter K & Jacqui H
Coffee	12 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Joyce & Malcolm G
Bulletin		Peter
Weekly Cleaner	Team 2:	Terry C & Averill R
Collection Count	Team 2:	Maria H & Kathy D
Bidding Prayers	19 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Malcolm G
Welcomers	19 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Barbara B & Anne Marie L
	20 <sup>th</sup> Aug.	Meg C & Peter K
Readers	19 <sup>th</sup> Aug.	Malcolm G & Barbara B
	20 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Julie M & Eddie L
Coffee	19 <sup>th</sup> Aug	<b>Volunteer</b> & Pamela
Bulletin		Kathy
Weekly Cleaner	Team 3:	Stella S & Barbara B
Collection Count	Team 3:	Bob & Julie M, Sheila H

**If you cannot cover your Ministry please let John Reid, 07833 692397, or Peter Killen, 07948 403341, know.**

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