

## Mass Times & Intentions this week

Vigil	St Bede	5.00 pm	Daniel Scurfield
	Sacred Heart	6.30 pm	Priest's Intention
<b>Sun</b>	<b>TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY OF YEAR - EDUCATION SUNDAY</b>		
13 Sept	St Bede	9.30 am	Special Intention (21st Birthday)
<b>Mon</b>	<b>The Exaltation of the Cross</b>		
14 Sept	St Bede	12.00 pm	Dave Black RIP
<b>Tues</b>	<b>Our Lady of Sorrows</b>		
15 Sept			
<b>Wed</b>	<b>SS Cornelius, Pope &amp; Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs</b>		
16 Sept	Sacred Heart	10.00 am	Special Intention
	St Bede	12.00 pm	Priest's Intention
<b>Thu</b>	<b>Weekday</b>		
17 Sept	St Bede	10.00 am	<b>Funeral Service</b> - James Brechin RIP
<b>Fri</b>	<b>Weekday</b>		
18 Sept	St Bede	12.00 pm	Susan Arnott RIP
<b>Sat</b>	<b>Weekday</b>		
19 Sept			
Vigil	St Bede	5.00 pm	Alice & Mary Warburton's Intentions
	Sacred Heart	6.30 pm	Priest's Intention
<b>Sun</b>	<b>TWENTY FIFTH SUNDAY OF YEAR</b>		
20 Sept	St Bede	9.30 am	George Smith
	St Gregory	9.30 am	Priest's Intention

### DAILY STREAMED MASSES

#### St Mary's Cathedral, Newcastle

Cathedral's YouTube Channel. Each day at 12.00 noon (Sunday at 11.30 am) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Devotions each day at 5.00 pm

#### Our Lady of Mercy Parish, Sunderland

YouTube Channel can also find details and information on their Facebook page.

### MASS BY PHONE

to listen to Mass over the phone call: 01642 130120.

### SKY TV

EWTN Network televise daily also includes live stream from the Vatican

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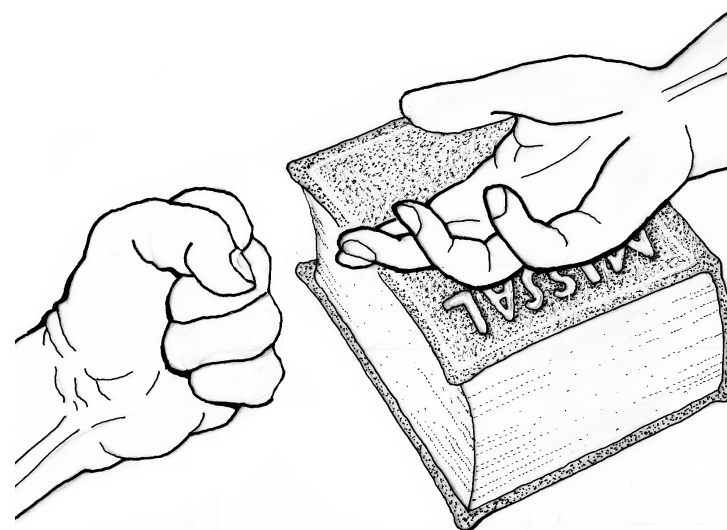
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## TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY OF YEAR 13 SEPT 2020 EDUCATION SUNDAY



This parable is about the divine mercy (forgiveness) of God. Nothing except mercy born of compassion cancels a debt like the one in the parable (Ten thousand talents is at least 3000 years of wages plus interest!) Forgiveness, for Jesus, is not an action but a quality; a way of being, of living, a way of loving, relating, thinking and seeing. As followers of Jesus, empowered by the Holy Spirit, it must become our way too. Deeper than forgiveness mercy sees into the heart of the other and walks in their shoes with compassion and active healing. Shakespeare's description resounds, 'Mercy is twice bless'd - it blesseth him that gives and him that takes.' To live in an environment of forgiveness is to live in an atmosphere of peace, healing and growth.



Cluster Parishes



[www.cpsswb.weebly.com](http://www.cpsswb.weebly.com)

## Sick & Housebound

Please pray  
for those who are ill at this time:

**St Bede's:** Michael Dawson, Carol Dawson, Michelle Greatrex, Robert Scott, Terry Wales, Vivienne Scott, Marian Sykes, Poppy Cox, Christopher Phillips, Ruth Lynch, Sharon Hutchinson Catherine Evans, Joyce Robinson, Michael Henderson, Martin Romero, Greta Howe and Janice Ballintyne

**Sacred Heart:** Fr John Gibbons, Leo Hardy, Margaret Davison, Kurt Patterson, Carol Hannen, Patricia McKeag, John Wood, Caroline Bennet, Ian Smith, Vanessa Green, Bill Paxton, Ron Callaghan, Jan Phelps Paul Green and June Green.

**St Oswald's:** Leo Hardy, Rosemary Cox, Richard Cook, Audrey Sutcliffe, Harrison Clark, Peter Hanratty & Teresa Featherstone.

**Ss Peter & Paul:** Denis Wray, Alison Hannay, Bill Murtagh, Kathleen and Alan Potter, Anne Gray, Lorraine Steel, Margaret McLoughin, George Goodall & Margaret Davidson.

**St Gregory's:** Gordon DeLooze, Joan Stewart, Betty Devine, Joan Robson, Rona Bojke, Rose Scott, Norman Scott, Len & Evelyn Gardner, Brian Marley, Alison Thompson, Gerry Graham, Eileen Kelly, Gordon McCloud, Anne Scott, Nicola Bonner, Sonya Sultman, Claire Maddison, Clare Ward, Margaret Prince and Brigid McGarey.

## RIP

Pray for James Brechin, George Goodall and for all who died recently and those whose anniversaries occur at this time and for our clergy:

15 Sept	Rev Kenneth Thorns	1995
17 Sept	Rev William Lamb	1969
18 Sept	Rev John Corboy	1982
19 Sept	Rev Denis Anderson	1999

*Lord bring the departed faithful  
to the peace of your eternal home  
Amen*

## St Bede

**COVID:** We ask that you consider the possibility of attending Mass on a weekday when possible. This will ease the pressure of numbers for Sunday celebrations

**Face Coverings** are now mandatory in Places of Worship

**To maintain a safe environment** Stewards will guide you to planned route around building

**Capacity:** approx 100 (Every other pew, 2 in short pews, 3 in long pews, except if from same household or social bubble.

**Communion:** Communion is given in the hand only. People should wait in their pews until instructed to move forward. They should approach priest with arms at 'full stretch' and hands extended as flatly as possible, then return to pews in an orderly manner.

**Sanitise:** hands on entering & leaving church.

**Respect:** the guidance that is given.

**Masses:** continue to be live-streamed for those who are self-isolating to protect the vulnerable, details overleaf.

**Offertory:** please support your parish, donations can be placed in the offertory basket in church porch or through the presbytery letterbox.

The present Covid-Virus daily cleaning regime is not without cost, help us fund this necessary work so we can keep a clean and safe environment for you.

**RIP:** James Brechin Funeral Service Thu 17 Sept 10.00am.

**Annual Mass Count:** is taken over four weekends, beginning 19/20 Sept.

## St Gregory

**Masses:** resume next weekend, Sundays 9.30am and Thursdays 10.00am.

**Names & contact numbers** are needed for track and trace. Other Covid directions listed above in St Bede's notices.

**Capacity** approx. 60.

**Respect:** the guidance that is given.

**RIP:** George Goodall Funeral Service in church 10.45am Fri 25 Sept.

**Stewards:** In preparation for reopening of church stewards needed to ensure safety of visitors. If you wish to volunteer call Tony on 0779 3314 655 or Gillian 0777 2664 359

## St Oswald's

**100 Club:** The 100 club will be suspended until further notice.

**Collection:** If anyone wants to drop off collection money contact Catherine Tel: 5369248

## Ss Peter & Paul

**Church Offertory:** donations can be placed through the presbytery letterbox.

## Sacred Heart

**Names & contact numbers** are needed as social distancing is only 1 metre. Other Covid directions listed in St Bede's notices. Capacity: approx 60.

**Food Parcels:** donations can be left at church.

**Cystic Fibrosis:** your used postage stamps are needed and please remember to leave a margin of envelope. – please give them to Kate Kilner.

## Day of Prayer

Sunday 13 Sept is Education Sunday, we pray for all our students & Teachers and all involved in Education.

## Gift Aid

The Diocese produce Gift Aid donation statements around this time to confirm the amount you donated during the last tax year and the amount of tax reclaimed for the Parish in your name. This letter can be used by you when completing your tax returns. Due to present restrictions letters need to be requested by individuals. For more information contact the Gift Aid Office:  
gift.aid@diocesehn.org.uk

## Key2Life & Happy at Home

Key2Life Food Bank & Happy at Home have been supporting many more people

in a variety of ways during these difficult times.

**Key2Life:** open Mon-Fri 10-4.00pm Food donations welcome at Boldon Lane Library & cash donations online.

**Food Hampers for Families:** if you know of any families who need a hamper Tel: 07833613393 10-4pm

**Family Trails & Picnics:** see website  
**Practical help:** for families with financial problems

**School Uniforms:** contact 07833613393  
More info see website  
churchestogethersouthtyneside.co.uk

## Baptism Preparation Meetings

Arrange with your priest.

## Spiritual Communion

For those occasions when we cannot be in our churches, an act of 'Spiritual Communion' can help us keep Christ at the centre of our lives as we worship and pray at home.

*"My Jesus, I believe that you are present in this holy Sacrament of the Altar. I love you above all things and I passionately desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally come spiritually into my soul, so that I may unite myself wholly to you now and forever. Amen.*

## Day of Prayer

Next Sunday 27 Sept is a Day of Special Prayer in Thanksgiving for the Harvest & for the Fruits of Human Labour.

## Cycle of Prayer

We are asked to pray for the following intentions: Students & Teachers; The Spread of the Gospel; Harvest & The Fruits of Human Labour; The reverend Use of Creation; Justice & Peace; All Victims of War; Young People; Prisoners & their Families.

## Newsletter

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