

With One Voice!

The Roman Catholic Parishes of:
St. Agnes' Crawcrook, St. Joseph's Highfield,
& Our Lady of Lourdes Chopwell



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27th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR 7th & 8th October 2017

Psalter Week 3

First Reading PROPHET ISAIAH 5: 1-7

The vineyard of the Lord of hosts is the House of Israel

Responsorial Psalm

The vineyard of the Lord is the House of Israel

Second reading St. PAUL TO THE PHILIPPIANS

The God of peace will be with you.

Gospel Reading MATTHEW 21 :33-43

He will lease the vineyard to other tenants.



27th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

<i>Date</i>	<i>Mass</i>	<i>Venue & Time</i>	<i>Mass Intention</i>
<u>Saturday</u> 7 th October	Vigil Mass	Highfield 5.30pm	People of the Parish
<u>Sunday</u> 8 th October	Mass during the day	Crawcrook 9.15am Chopwell 11.00am	Clem Kelly The Catenians
<u>Monday</u> 9 th October	Weekday or Bl. John Henry Newman	NO MASS	Junior Neasham
<u>Tuesday</u> 10 th October	St. Paulinus of York	Chopwell 10.00am	
<u>Wednesday</u> 11 th October	Weekday or St. John XXIII	Crawcrook 10.00am	Anne & Joseph Doran
<u>Thursday</u> 12 th October	St. Wilfrid	Chopwell 10.00am	Deceased Williams Family
<u>Friday</u> 13 th October	Weekday or St. Edward the Confessor	Highfield 10.00am	Teresa Coad
<u>Saturday</u> 14 th October	Weekday	Crawcrook 10.00am	Priest's Intention

28th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (A)

<i>Date</i>	<i>Mass</i>	<i>Venue & Time</i>	<i>Mass Intention</i>
<u>Saturday</u> 14 th October	Vigil Mass	Highfield 5.30pm	People of the Parish
<u>Sunday</u> 15 th October	Mass during the day	Crawcrook 9.15am Chopwell 11.00am	Maureen Hadaway L/D Simpson & Watson Fam

FORWARD TOGETHER
IN
HOPE

God of all Creation,

You have constantly poured out your Spirit upon our Diocese
and kindled here a light which has spread throughout the world.

Lord Jesus, you gathered disciples to yourself
to learn from you and to model their lives on you.

Your Holy Spirit empowered them to continue your work in the world.

Come upon us, Holy Spirit,
deepen the faith you invite us to share
and inspire us to become faithful witnesses.

As we begin to develop our partnerships,
help each one of us to use the gifts you give us,
to nurture one another, to serve the world,
and to live in harmony with the whole of creation.

All of this we ask in the name of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

Notices

Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick / housebound:

Frs. Tony Duffy, Richard Harriot, David Tanner Michael Conaty.

Please also pray for Chloe Anna Cant, Aaron Armstrong, Bill Mennell, Brian McNally, Ruth MacCaughey, Mia Slowie, Audrey Rafferty, , Patrick John Lawrence, Helena Elliott, Irene Gilhooly, Maureen Baines, George Gill, Monica Coleman, Terry Reay, Tony Tynan, Simon Burns, Julia Knight, Alison Watson, Shirley Cresci, Doreen Hodgson, Kathleen McMahon and Michael Delamere

Anniversaries

St. Agnes' Pat Burke, Charles Swinhoe, May Reed, Agnes Dempsey, John Steel and Sadie Duckworth.

St. Joseph's Eileen Maureen Murray, Hugh Diamond, Annie Waugh, William Laverty and Teresa Mary Conway

Our Lady of Lourdes Terry Pollard

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Tuesday & Thursday 9.30 – 10.00 at Chopwell.

CONFESSIONS : Saturdays: 10.30-11.00am St. Agnes/St. B's after Friday 10am Mass and elsewhere, on every occasion, upon request

Today: is a Day of Prayer for Prisoners and their Dependents.

Mass Count : to be taken this and the following three weekends for the Diocesan statistics.

Family Fast Day: please return envelopes with your CAFOD donation from last Friday to support the Hungry and Needy of the World.

. A Light in the Darkness: A service for those who mourn the loss of a child will be held in St. Mary's Cathedral, Newcastle on Sunday, 5th November at 3.00pm

Sacramental Preparation: The second Catechetical Sessions of preparation for our children and parents are on Tuesday, 10th October, 6.00-7.30pm, OLL [St. Joseph's children], and then Thursday, 12th October, 6.00-7.30pm [St. Agnes]. They will be followed by our Liturgical celebrations within Mass the weekend immediately following [14/15th Oct.]

Mass for the Guild of St. Stephen (Altar Servers Mass) Saturday 4th November at 11am in St. Mary's Cathedral.

"A Pastoral Day" with BILL HUEBSCH: Thursday, 26 October, 10.30am-4.00pm at the Sunderland Marriott Hotel, Seaburn. SR6 8DB. Lunch donation £10-00 payable on the day to diocesan staff. Places are limited so booking is essential. Please see poster at back of Church.

Partnership Matters

The latest edition of the bi-monthly news update on Partnerships is now available on the front page of the diocesan website (www.rcdhn.org.uk). It includes information on Developing Discipleship, Communications and a feature from Blackfriars Partnership. Contributions of news items from Partnerships are always welcome.

24-7 PRAYER: Holy Cross Church, Ryton are hosting a time of Continuous prayer day and night from October 16 -21st. There will be themed prayer stations around the church to engage imagination, reflection, and focus in peoples' praying. Please see poster in back of St. Agnes Church for further details.

New Liturgy Group. For all interested in enhancing our celebrations of Mass and other lay-led liturgies. Contact the PPC representatives in your Parish to get involved or for further information

Ladies Night Viva Accessories, Will be held in Our Lady of Lourdes Chopwell on Monday 16th October at 6.30pm. Jewellery—Handbags—Etc. Buy Early for Christmas

Macmillan Coffee Morning. St. Agnes' raised £173. Which has been sent to Macmillan nurses. Thanks to all who participated in this event in buying cakes, marmalade etc. Also special thanks to those who brought the cakes for our stall. Guess the height of the cake was 94cm and was won by Niamh Currie who guessed 95cm .

Hexham Galilee Talks The next event will be held on Saturday 28 October with talks commencing at 11am, finishing around 12.30. Light refreshments are available from 10.30, The talks are in St. Mary's Centre, at St. Mary's Church, Hexham

A Light in the Darkness A Service for those who mourn the loss of a child being held at St. Mary's Cathedral Sunday 5th November at 3pm.