



Sunday 24th August 2025
Tenth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am	Holy Communion
9.30am	Parish Communion
6.30pm	Evening Prayer

St Hugh's

11.00am	Parish Communion
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Thought for this week

When Jesus healed a crippled woman in the synagogue on the Sabbath, some objected. He called out their hypocrisy - if they cared for their animals, why not for this woman? She had suffered for years, yet many seemed blind to her need. Jesus, however, saw her and acted with compassion. A thought for today: What needs around us might we be overlooking, and how can we respond as Jesus did?

Andrew Shipton

Bible Readings and Hymns This Week:

Old Testament: Isaiah 58:9b to end

New Testament: Hebrews 12:18 to end

Gospel: Luke 13:10-17

Hymns

Processional Brown 33 Brother, sister let me serve you

Gradual Brown 38 Christ is the world in which we move

Offertory Green 357 Father, hear the prayer we offer

Communion Green 408 Love divine, all loves excelling

Recessional Brown 292 Will you come and follow me

Please join us for tea and coffee after the 9.30am Parish Communion Service, in the All Saints Centre, adjacent to the Church.

Presiding this week:

8.00am Holy Communion

Presiding Revd Malcolm Railton

Preaching Revd Malcolm Railton

9.30am Parish Communion

Presiding Revd Canon Andrew Shipton

Preaching Revd Malcolm Railton

6.30pm Evening Prayer

Psalm: 119:49-72 Hymns: 461, 387, 453

A warm welcome to you if you are a newcomer. Please complete a green Contact Card and place it in the box provided, or hand it to one of the clergy or churchwardens.

Children in Church. Children are always very welcome in church, and there is a dedicated Children's Corner at the back, with activities available for them to use there or take back to their pews.

Have you problems with mobility? Please let a steward know if you need assistance going up for communion, or would like communion to be brought to you.

Hard of hearing? If you use a hearing aid, please switch it to the 'T' position to use our loop system.

To gain access to the All Saints YouTube channel please go to:

<https://www.youtube.com/@allsaintsgosforth6306/streams>

Prayer and Worship

Sunday: Services at 8.00am, 9.30am and 6.30pm

Tuesday & Thursday: 8.45am Morning Prayer in Church. Enter by South Porch

No Tuesday Holy Communion During August

Notices

The Parish Office is closed until Thursday 28th of August.

Children are warmly invited to enjoy drawing and activity sheets at the table in the baptistery during the service. We kindly ask that parents or guardians supervise their children both in the baptistery and in the children's area.

We welcome Michael Goldsmith on the organ today.

Ian Stuart's funeral will be on Friday August 29th at 12.45pm in Church.

Boxes for empty blister packs and used stamps are now on top of the cupboard in the south porch. Please could blister packs be bagged before putting in the box - thank you.

There is no Morning Prayer on Monday or Wednesday.

There will be no Tuesday Holy Communion services during August.

Rosamund Place wishes to thank people's heartening & encouraging comments and congratulations about the *Handlebards'* 5th visit this summer. The show was a sell-out again, with a small queue of 20 at the door on the night. The thesps could not believe their luck at such delicious hot food being provided, Claudia Newbegin following Anette Cole's fine record on this point. Particular thanks to Keith Davies for mowing, Paul Wilkinson for noticeboards, Louise for admin action, Tricia for setting up, Pauline Gallacher & Francine Bain for stewarding. Well done, all.

St Hugh's is in need of a small table top fridge. If you have one you no longer use and are willing to donate it, please contact Joyce Jennings or Andrew.

Grateful thanks to Glynis Simkins who has laundered several grubby albs over the past few weeks. All acolytes and servers wash their own albs (some even iron them if they choose), but these were left over from a larger cohort . Thank you, Glynis! **Ros Place**

Recycling of old electricals. Did you know that anything with a plug, battery or cable can be recycled and turned into something new? Bag up your small electricals and book a free door-step collection either at envirocall.newcastle.gov.uk/weee or call 01912787878 as ask for "your local Services" – a Eco tip from the **Eco group**.

"Fighting Human Trafficking" All are welcome to a talk by Sister Poole, IBVM, MBE, an English nun who has been working against human trafficking in Albania for 20 years. This will be on Tuesday, 2nd September at 7.00pm at St Charles R.C. Church.

Men's Group: there will be a meeting on Wednesday 3rd September at 7.30 pm in the Upper Room. The speaker will be Tony Champion who will talk about the book that he co-authored in 2021 called 'Newcastle upon Tyne: Mapping the City', outlining the origins of the work and presenting a selection of maps that reveal some lesser known features of the city's past. If you possess a copy of the book, please bring it along in case Tony can't fathom the technology and/or you would like it signed!

A reminder that Miriam's licensing service will take place on Thursday 4th September (7.30pm) at St James the Great, West Hanney, OX12 0LP in case anyone is able to travel. Andrew is not able to attend but has written a message to be read out at the service.

Sale of secondhand books: since these began over a year ago a total of £284.25 has been raised for church funds. Thank you everyone who has donated - and bought - books! There won't be a sale in August, the next will be on 7th September. Happy holiday reading everyone!
The Book Group

Mothers' Union The next meeting will be at 2.00pm on Monday 8th September in the Church Centre. One lady will be enrolled as a new member and it would be wonderful if we could add one or two more on that day. If anyone else is interested please have a word with Pam Taylor. More details next week.

The meeting to continue planning Messy Church is on Monday 8th September at 7.30pm in the Columba Room.

The next meeting of the PCC will be on Wednesday 10th September at 7.30pm in the Upper Room.

Christian Meditation in the North East (WCCM)

Quiet Day event: 'Getting Down Under Things'

To be held on Saturday, 13 September 2025, at the Quaker Meeting House, 1 West Avenue Gosforth NE3 4ESA

The day will be led by Alex Holmes, a long term meditator and a letter carver in stone. For the past decade he has been actively engaged in working with refugees in Calais.

A voluntary contribution of 28.00 is payable on the day and drinks and cake provided. Please bring a packed lunch.

For further information or to book, please email angetQleyQht-iD-texn-et:c-Qrn

Bible Study - Four week course on the Psalms Wednesday afternoons at 2pm September 24th, 1st October, 8th October & 15th October at 103 Kenton Road, NE3 4NL

All welcome! Come to all four or drop in as you're able. For more information, contact: Claudia Newbegin (claudianewbegin@doctors.org.uk)

On Sunday, 28th September, we will hold a special Parish Communion Service to mark Adam's 40th anniversary of ordination to the priesthood. The preacher will be Bishop Paul Ferguson, and there will also be a baptism. More details will follow!

There is a Harvest Service followed by Brunch on Sunday 5th October.

There will be a Confirmation Service on Sunday 16th November led by the Bishop of Berwick here at All Saints. This is an opportunity to take faith to the next level and recommit your life to God through Confirmation. There will be a course concluding with the Confirmation Service. If this is of interest to you, please contact Andrew or Ruth. A candidate has already come forward.



Christmas Fair Saturday 6th December 2025

The first planning meeting for the Christmas Fair will be held on Wednesday 17th September at 7.30pm in the Vicarage.

We hope all groups will be represented at the meeting to discuss the 2025 Fair. Looking forward to seeing you there.

Valerie and Francine



My name is Natalie Watson (aged 14), I live in central Gosforth and attend Gosforth Academy school. Now that my summer holidays have started, I am keen to help support a local charity, raising money for a good cause whilst pursuing a difficult personal challenge. My aim is to run a total of 100k distance during the month of August for the charity PCDC (Practical Compassion for Destitute Children). This charity is All Saints church charity of the month, based in Newcastle and is dedicated in helping very poor children in Palestine from disadvantaged backgrounds. This charity has been important with recent events and I think it is really important to support their work.



I would be very grateful if you would like to support me and the charity using my fund-raising website page below.

https://www.justgiving.com/page/natalie-watson-100k-run?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=WA

Mission of the Month for August

PCDC (Practical Compassion for Destitute Children), an international charity with UK-based support for children in the Bible lands who have lost their parents or whose parents are unable to get work, to provide for example, school and hospital fees.

News from St Hugh's – Revd Ruth Birnie is leading worship today

Weekly Small Group Events

Coffee and Conversation in the Centre Mondays from 10.30am – 11.30am in the All Saints Centre. Please come along and join our companionable group.

Little Saints is taking a break. We'll be back on Tuesday 2nd of September

SING at the Centre Now paused for a summer break.

Next meeting will be on **Tuesday September 16**. Thank you! *Diana Lavin*

Sew, Knit and Natter. This friendly group of knitters, ranging from the totally inexperienced to the very skilled, meets each Wednesday morning from 10-12 in the upper room of the Centre. There is plenty of knitting and nattering, with coffee and biscuits always provided. All are welcome. If you would like to know any more about the group, do ring me on 07474040267, or you can just turn up and see what we do. *Diane Henderson*.

Donations



We now have a number of ways to donate to All Saints online:
By QR code. Simply hold your mobile phone camera over the code,
follow the link to your browser and follow on-screen instructions

Or go to:

<https://givealittle.co/campaigns/8ecfe5b6-18c7-4179-aba0-2ebc43a82f7b>

Contact us

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**Sept
20**

Farmers' Market
Live Music
10am till 2pm
All Saints Church
West Ave/Linden Road
NE3 4ES
"Fresh & Local, That's your market!"

Bring a
game ...

... or
use ours

BOARD GAMES NIGHT

Fun for all the family and your friends

ADULTS £2
CHILDREN £1

Includes pizza & soft drink
(Bring your own wine/beer)

5.30PM
START

SATURDAY 27 SEPT

5.30 - 8.00PM

8.00PM
FINISH

ALL SAINTS CENTRE, WEST AVENUE, NE3 4ES

Tickets: All Saints Parish Office 2130450

BIBLE Study

The Psalms

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This Autumn



Sunday 28th September

Sunday 26th October

Sunday 30th November

at 3.00pm

in the

All Saints Centre

West Avenue, NE3 4ES

Tel 0191 2130450 for more details