



**Our Lady Immaculate & St Cuthbert, Crook  
St Thomas of Canterbury, Wolsingham  
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**Sunday 21st June – 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Year A**

Saturday	20	4.00pm	Mass in Wolsingham	Deceased members of the Swinhoe family
Sunday	21	9.00am	Mass in Tow Law Church	Deceased members of the A & A family
Sunday	21	10.30am	Mass in Crook Church	Richard & Priscilla Gallagher
Monday	22	6.00pm	Mass in Wolsingham Church	People of the Parishes
Tuesday	23	10.00am	Mass in Crook Church	Emer Mallen
Wednesday	24	<b>NO SERVICE</b>		
Thursday	25	10.00am	Mass in Tow Law Church	Special intention of T.K
Friday	26	10.00am	Mass in Crook Church	Deceased members of the Berry family
Saturday	27	4.00pm	Mass in Wolsingham	Deceased members of the Smiles family
Sunday	28	9.00am	Mass in Tow Law Church	Northern Brethren Fund
Sunday	28	10.30am	Mass in Crook Church	Eugene McCarthy

*Please pray for Samuel Beardsmore and his family as they prepare for his 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion in Tow Law*

**PRAYERS FOR PARISHIONERS:** Billy Allison, Jean Mallett, Grace Dewell, Marjorie Martin, Margaret Rejoiced, Peter Crawford, Nancy Hayton, Jean Taylor, Alberto delle Fratte, Kevin Bell, Senara Wilton, Michael Rowell, Maureen Smith, Marie Elliott, Ken Gowland.

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Edward Michael Dinsley, Walter Chatterton, Thomas Anthony Hanlon, Florence Edwards, George Edward McConville, James Alphonsus Cunningham.

**SAINTS FEAST DAYS:**

Mon 22        Ss John Fisher & Thomas More  
 Tues 23      St Etheldreda  
 Wed 24      The Nativity of St John the Baptist

**RESPONSE TO THE PSALM**

*In your great mercy, answer me, O Lord*

**OPEN CHURCH:** St. Cuthbert's Church is open on Tuesdays and Fridays at 8.30am until 4.00pm. We invite everyone, families and young people to visit and spend some time with Our Lord in peace and reflection.

**HALF-HOUR VIGIL FOR PEACE IN ISRAEL/PALESTINE & AROUND THE WORLD:** St. Cuthbert's Church, 7:00pm on Thursdays.

**LIVE STREAMING:** Masses are streamed via [Church Services TV](http://ChurchServicesTV). We welcome all our parishioners and fellow worshippers who join us at Mass online. A Spiritual Communion Prayer will be read out by the 1<sup>st</sup> reader of each Sunday for those watching.

## OUR LADY IMMACULATE & ST CUTHBERT'S CROOK

### Ministries for Sunday 28th June

Welcomers	Readers	Eucharistic Minister	Refreshments
DDL Sisters	A. Berry ML. Massagli-Gallagher	J.Tarn	Mary and Carol

Flowers	Bidding prayers	Bulletin	Fatima Statue
Libby	Anne and Patrick	Ann C <a href="mailto:bulletinstcuthbert@gmail.com">bulletinstcuthbert@gmail.com</a>	M. Spedding

**SPECIAL COLLECTIONS:** Day for Life

*Next week's special collection is for Peter's Pence & the support of the Holy See on Sunday, 28<sup>th</sup> June*

**DAY FOR LIFE:** On **Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June**, we mark the Day for Life under the theme "The Wonder of the Child in the Womb". The theme also recognises the loss of children who died before birth and the grief of their parents. The bishops' message and prayers can be found on the Day for Life website: [www.dayforlife.org](http://www.dayforlife.org). The second collection will go towards the Day for Life Fund, which distributes grants to organisations that promote respect for life from conception until natural death. You can also donate online via the Day for Life website.

**SIGNIFICANCE FESTIVAL:** Significance and the Youth Ministry Team invite you to join them at the Emmaus Village for the annual Significance Festival on **Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> June**. Arrivals from 12.00pm, Guided Walk of the Laudato Si' Environmental Project at 1.15pm, Presentation from Significance and Mass, celebrated by Bishop Stephen, at 3.00pm. Entry is free with charges for accommodation on Friday and Saturday nights. BBQ tickets cost £10. To request a booking form and for further information email Evie at [evie.rea@ymt.org](mailto:evie.rea@ymt.org) or Tel. 01207 592244.

**FR. ANTHONY HOGARTH:** Fr Anthony's body will be received into St Joseph's Church, Hartlepool on Tuesday **23 June at 5.00pm**. Requiem Mass will take place on Wednesday **24th June at 12.00pm**

**SUMMER RAFFLE:** Tickets are still on sale, £1 each or £5 per book. Loads of lovely prizes to be won, so don't miss out! Raffle due to be drawn on the 26 July. Any questions, please contact Anne Timothy 07920104529.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY:** We are restarting the children's liturgy and are still looking for volunteers. We are now looking for 3 people to make up a team of 6. The liturgy will be on once a month, so the commitment will only be twice a year. Resources will be provided. Please contact Anne Timothy on 07920104529.

**CROOK AND WEARDALE CHORAL SOCIETY:** Summer Concert. **July 14th** 7.30pm refreshments and raffle. All welcome. Donations on the door.

**NEWMAN TYNESIDE CIRCLE** invites you to come and hear Tom O'Loughlin (Emeritus Professor of Historical Theology at the University of Nottingham) speak on Luke 5:27-32 about Christian hospitality and the contemporary rejection of liturgy, in the Holy Name Church Hall, Jesmond, Newcastle, NE2 3JX, on **Tuesday 14 July 2026, at 7.30pm**. Dr Tom O'Loughlin has written on a wide variety of theological topics, particularly liturgy and the Eucharist. His book *The Eucharist: Origins and Contemporary Understandings* is a major contribution to our understanding of the central ritual of our faith. All welcome.

**CENTENARY FLOWER FESTIVAL:** All Saints Steering Group from Lanchester have inviting us to join them for a celebration of colour, fragrance and floral displays as they tell their story of faith, hope, love and grace on **4th, 5th & 6th July, 10.00am to 4.00pm**. Esh Gospel Choir and Harpists 5th July at 4.00pm. Everyone is warmly welcome.

*<sup>57</sup> Now the time came for Elizabeth to be delivered, and she gave birth to a son. <sup>59</sup> And on the eighth day they came to circumcise the child; and they would have named him Zechari'ah after his father, <sup>60</sup> but his mother said, "Not so; he shall be called John." <sup>61</sup> And they said to her, "None of your kindred is called by this name." <sup>62</sup> And they made signs to his father, inquiring what he would have him called. <sup>63</sup> And he asked for a writing tablet, and wrote, "His name is John." [Luke 1:57, 59-63]*