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Fourteenth Sunday of Ordinary Form (OF) Seventh Sunday after Pentecost (EF) 7th July 2024

MASS TIMES, INTENTIONS AND SERVICE TIMES

Day	Date	Saint Wilfrid's	Time	Saint Joseph's	Time
Saturday	July 6 th	Priest's Intention	5.00pm		
Sunday	July 7 th			People of the Parish Tony Turnbull	10.00am Midday
Monday	July 8 th	Requiem Mass George Adams	1.00pm		
Tuesday	July 9 th			FR Patrick Kennedy (NBF)	12.05pm
Wed	July 10 th			Adrian Barnes	12.05pm
Thursday	July 11 th			Mary Wright & Jean McCormick	12.05pm
Friday	July 12 th	Priest's Intentions	10.00am	Fr Graham Williams (NBF)	12.05pm
Saturday	July 13 th	People of the Parsish	5.00pm	Protection of the unborn	11.00am (EF)
Sunday	July 14 th			Hannah & Frederick Lawson Priest's Intentions	10.00am Midday (EF)

"E F" = EXTRAORDINARY FORM OF THE MASS IN LATIN ACCORDING TO 1962 ROMAN MISSAL

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Thursday 11-11.55am & Saturday 7.00am

Confessions: - St Joseph's: Saturday 12-12.30 and Wednesday after Mass

St Wilfrid's - before Mass on Saturday evening

African Mass 2.00pm LAST Sunday of the Month

The SANCTUARY LIGHT

St Wilfrid's:
St Joseph's: Nancy & Family

Congratulations to all the children who made their first Holy Communion yesterday, they all looked wonderful and did an amazing job, please keep them in your prayers.

A Huge Thank You to Sonia Elliot who provided all the wonderful food for the first Holy Communion party

CAN YOU HELP?

St Joseph's is in dire straits financially, we have a huge debt to the diocese, an overdrawn deposit account and a less than healthy current account. The hall needs a new roof which will cost more than £84,000, and the Church is in need of repair and re-decorating. We are trying to get funding for this or part of it, but there is no guarantee we will be successful.

Anything extra you can donate will be a help. If you know of any organizations which could help please contact them.

Cheese and Wine Quiz Night

We are planning another social and hopefully fund raising event. This was a great success last time with lots of fun, laughter and new friendships forged. We would need to know numbers in advance in order that we don't overspend, so if you think you would like to come along please put your name on the list at the back of church. If there is enough interest we will give further information with possible dates etc in the coming weeks.

HOLY ISLAND CHILDREN'S CAMP

Holy Island Camp has a limited number of places available on weeks 3, 5 and 7 for children in school years 5-7. A week's holiday costs £150 for food, accommodation, activities and transport by coach from Tyneside. **There are still some assisted and free places.** The holiday is a traditional one with lots of fun, sports, craft activities and excitement. For further details please visit

<https://svp.org.uk/microsite/holy-island>

Teas, Coffees and juice will be served in the church hall today after the 10.00am Mass at St Joseph's.

New Preparation Classes for First Holy Communion beginning in September

If you have a child aged 7+ who would like to make his/her first Holy Communion please collect an application form from the office.

New classes will begin in September in the hopes of children being ready to receive this wonderful sacrament in time for Christmas.

The Good Shepherd Catechesis Programme

for children aged 3+ to 7years old will begin again in September. If you have a child who would like to benefit from this wonderful child centred, hands on learning to deepen their faith and relationship with Our Lord please collect and fill in a registration form. For more information please speak to Peter Armstrong.

St Joseph's Sunday morning coffees in the hall after 10.00am Mass, **will resume in September.** If you would be interested in attending or helping with this please sign your name on the sheet at the back of church and watch this space for further information.

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