

Service/Mass Times

Mass at St Paul's, Alnwick

Tues 18th Nov	6:00 pm Mass
Wed 19th Nov	10:00 am Mass followed by Lectio Devina
Fri 21st Nov	10:00 am Mass
Sun 23rd Nov	10:00 am Mass

Mass Intentions

Sun 16th Nov	Catherine & Selby Naples
Sun 23rd Nov	Dr David Peeble

Mass at Sacred Heart & St Cuthbert

Tues 18th Nov	10.30 am Service of Word & Holy Communion
Thurs 20th Nov	10.30 Mass
Sat 22nd Nov	5:pm Vigil Mass

Mass Intentions

Thurs 20th Nov	Rodney Burge
Sat 22nd Nov	Sandra Newell

Ministers of the Word for Sunday 23rd Nov (Christ the King)

Tony Wynn; Marie Thomas; Catherine Torjussen

Ministers of the Eucharist for Sunday 23rd Nov

Yvonne Douglas; Joanna Dassen; Louis Dassen

Counters

17th Nov	Team 3	John and Edith Humphries
24th Nov	Team 4	Stanley Trafford and John Knight

Tea & Coffee Helpers : Sun 23rd Nov Mary Donaghey and Gwen

Flower Arranger : Sun 23rd Nov Mary Frater

Feasts of the Week-November

Mon 17 St Hilda of Whitby Fri 21 Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Sat 22 St Cecilia Sun 23rd Christ the King

Refreshments served every Sunday after Mass. Everyone is welcome

**St Paul's Church is open daily for Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament
between 5pm and 6pm. Please join us even for a few minutes**

33rd Sunday of the Year
16th November 2025

St Paul's Newsletter



Welcome to St Paul's Church!

The deadline for items for the newsletter is 9pm Wednesday,

Items to be sent to

newsletter.stpaul.alnwick@diocesehn.org.uk

Canon Stephen Watson 01665 602012

stpaul.alnwick@diocesehn.org.uk

www.stpaulschurchalnwick.co.uk

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Carbon Literacy Training – North East Churches Acting Together

Three online sessions will examine the science of climate change, our own personal carbon footprints, and what we can do together as churches. The course can lead to Carbon Literacy Certification (cost £15) for those who choose this option, it will be free for those who do not wish to obtain certification. The course will run 7 – 9pm on Weds 19th, 26th Nov and 14th Jan. To express an interest, please email minnie.fraser@diocesehn.org.uk

Knit and Natter

Next meeting, Thurs 20th Nov. See June Etterley for details and location.

MacMillan Soup Lunch Friday 21st November

This is being held at 4 Clive Terrace from 11am until the soup runs out! A donation towards MacMillan Cancer Support would be gratefully received. All welcome

St Paul's Primary School

On the 27th November 5:30-7:30, we are holding a wreath making session £35 pp pre-booking is essential. Please ring the school office 01665 602547 by 20th November. All Welcome.

Christian Together in Alnwick Christmas Appeal

This year we are asking for knitted angels and bells to distribute around the town. Knitting and crochet patterns are available at the back of Church. Please return any finished items at the end of November to June Etterley.

Gift Aid Envelopes

The envelopes for 2026/27) need to be ordered by Christmas so if you are a taxpayer and would like a box of envelopes and don't already have any could you please let me know. All you need to do is fill in a form. If you already donate via envelopes and would like to change to a standing order, could you also let me know please and your envelopes can be cancelled. You will need to fill in a form for your bank. I'll be at the back of the church with the forms and to answer any questions. Chris McElhone

Advent Friendship Event

The Parishioners of the Sacred Heart & St Cuthbert cordially invite their friends from St Paul's Alnwick to a joint Advent Friendship Event on Thursday 11th December at 10.00 am. There will be Adoration, Advent hymns and readings with Holy Mass celebrated at 10.30 am followed by tea/coffee and mince pies in the hall afterwards. Please come and join us if you can

Youth Ministry

On Sunday 30th November, we welcome members of the Youth Ministry Team. It would be wonderful to offer the young people some light refreshments after Mass.

Can we please have some volunteers to make some sandwiches?

St Paul's Primary School Christmas Fair

This is on Friday 12th December 3:15-5pm. Admission Adults £1.50, children free, it includes tea/coffee and a mince pie. Hot food is also available. Santa will be there.

Winter Fayre Sat 13th December

There will be a sale of books and bric-a-brac in the church from 2-4pm. Any donations suitable for resale can be left at the back of Church. Tea and coffee will be available.

Re-Imaging Pastoral Councils

There are a series of Zoom meetings open to all about the future of Pastoral Councils Please book via the Diocesan Website. The next session is on the 16th December at 7 pm.

Look for [whats-on/event/reimagining-pastoral-councils](https://diocesehn.org.uk/whats-on/event/reimagining-pastoral-councils)

Northumberland Hospitals

If you, a friend or relative are admitted to hospital, a visit/Holy Communion/ the Sacraments can be arranged by the chaplaincy team. Contact the chaplaincy via the hospital switchboard on 03448118111 and ask to be put through to the chaplaincy department. If the call is urgent, please ask the nurse to contact the Roman Catholic Priest on call.

Safeguarding

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency(CSSA) and the Diocese's policies and procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Pam Slater 07976851470 and the Diocesan Safeguarding Team can be contacted on 0191 2433305 or at safeguarding@diocesehn.org.uk. The diocesan policy can be found on the noticeboard in the porch or online at <https://diocesehn.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/Safeguarding-Policy-Dec-2023.pdf>