

St Anne, St Augustine, Holy Family, St Mary, St Osmund

# Hogarth Partnership

St Teresa, St Thomas Aquinas, SS William & Francis De Sales

## ST AUGUSTINE'S BULLETIN

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*10<sup>th</sup> February 2019 – 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Year C*

*BREVIARY WEEK : 1*

## WORD FOR TODAY

Jesus tells Simon Peter to row his fishing boat a little further into deeper water. Then it happens. They catch so many fish that their nets begin to tear. Staying in a comfortable religious place is tempting, but our faith only grows if we're prepared to explore other waters.

Next Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> February we will be celebrating **Racial Justice Sunday** which this year has a theme of 'Dignity for all Workers'. It recognises the problems faced by people due to racism and ethnic discrimination in the workplace. Please keep these people in your prayers. There will be a retiring collection.

### THE SUMMIT

Everyone welcome to come along to an evening of inspiring Praise and Worship mixed with teaching and testimony specially designed to stir the Spirit within you. This will take place on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February 7-9pm in St Augustine's Parish Centre.

### BACK SACRISTY – CLEAN-UP

It is planned to do some spring cleaning in the back sacristy on **Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> February after the 10.00am Mass**. If you have any items stored, or use any items, it would be helpful if these could be labelled (with a name/contact number and group) prior to the day, otherwise they might/will get thrown out.

DARLINGTON CREDIT UNION would like to apologise to anyone attending "Coffees after Mass" last Sunday as we were a little underprepared for the event. We promise that for the remaining 3 Sundays, in February, we will up our game and deliver a quality service and quality produce. We would like to thank those generous parishioners who came to our aid and helped us last Sunday – you were amazing. Finally, we would like to point out that, although the credit union is providing the service, all monies raised throughout February are going to **First Stop Darlington**, a local charity working with people who are homeless, at risk of homelessness and those who are chronically excluded. We have adopted them as our Charity of the Year and have been executing a series of fund-raising events on their behalf. Thanks, Tony Brockley, CEO Darlington Credit Union

### FIRST STOP 20<sup>th</sup> BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

First Stop Darlington is celebrating its 20th birthday this year and will be hosting a number of events for clients and supporters of the charity throughout the year.

The first event is on the 2nd March 2019 in

St. Augustine's Parish Centre at 7.00 pm.

The event will feature the SUGAR B's who will perform live at 7.30pm and the ticket price of £15.00 will include food which will be provided by Stable Hearth. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

Tickets are available from First Stop, John Kilgour or Bernadette Chapman

We wish Bishop Seamus a long & happy retirement after being Bishop of the Diocese of Hexham & Newcastle since 2009.

His retirement Mass will take place on Friday 22nd February 7.00pm in St Mary's Cathedral, Newcastle. All are invited.

WE WELCOME Bishop Robert Byrne as the 14th Bishop of our Diocese.

He will be installed on 25th March 2019, and will be by invitation only.

## **FLAME**

Youth celebration in Wembley on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> March, there are seats available on the coach FOC, leaving Carmel College at 4.45am and returning after midnight. Names and telephone numbers today to Fr Gordon and if you are lucky you might get a seat.

**CONFIRMATIONS 2019** The Sacrament of Confirmation will take place on Thursday 7th March at Holy Family Church 7.00pm, followed by refreshments in the Parish Hall. Please keep the young people, their sponsors & families in your prayers.

## **HOGARTH PARTNERSHIP NEWS**

***PARTNERSHIP MATTERS*** The December edition of Partnership Matters is now available on the front page of the Diocesan website ([www.rcdhn.org.uk](http://www.rcdhn.org.uk)). It includes items on future support for Partnerships and an update on the Property and Community Review.

***Alpha***            ***Please note no session on 13<sup>th</sup> February 2019.***

Alpha is a chance to explore life and the Christian faith in a friendly, open and informal environment. You are invited to Alpha for a time of great food, even better conversation and talks that make you think.

***Venue: Saint Augustine's Parish Centre, Larchfield Street DL3 7TG***

***Date & Time: Starting January 30th Wednesdays at 19:00-21:00***

To confirm attendance for catering purposes or for any questions please contact: Ray Abbott 07796 610757 or email [rpabbott@btinternet.com](mailto:rpabbott@btinternet.com)

## First Reading: Isaiah 6:1-8

In the year of King Uzziah's death I saw the Lord seated on a high throne; his train filled the sanctuary; above him stood seraphs, each one with six wings. And they cried out one to another in this way,

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts.

His glory fills the whole earth.

The foundations of the threshold shook with the voice of the one who cried out, and the Temple was filled with smoke. I said:

What a wretched state I am in! I am lost,

for I am a man of unclean lips

and I live among a people of unclean lips,

and my eyes have looked at the King, the Lord of hosts.

Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding in his hand a live coal which he had taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. With this he touched my mouth and said:

See now, this has touched your lips,

your sin is taken away,

your iniquity is purged.

Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying:

Whom shall I send? Who will be our messenger?

I answered, Here I am, send me.

## Psalm

Before the angles I will bless you, O Lord.

## SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Brothers, I want to remind you of the gospel I preached to you, the gospel that you received and in which you are firmly established; because the gospel will save you only if you keep believing exactly what I preached to you - believing anything else will not lead to anything.

Well then, in the first place, I taught you what I had been taught myself, namely that Christ died for our sins, in accordance with the scriptures; that he was buried; and that he was raised to life on the third day, in accordance with the

scriptures; that he appeared first to Cephas and secondly to the Twelve. Next he appeared to more than five hundred of the brothers at the same time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died; then he appeared to James, and then to all the apostles; and last of all he appeared to me too; it was as though I was born when no one expected it.

I am the least of the apostles; in fact, since I persecuted the Church of God, I hardly deserve the name apostle; but by God's grace that is what I am, and the grace that he gave me has not been fruitless. On the contrary, I, or rather the grace of God that is with me, have worked harder than any of the others; but what matters is that I preach what they preach, and this is what you all believed.

### Gospel: Luke 5:1-11

Jesus was standing one day by the Lake of Gennesaret, with the crowd pressing round him listening to the word of God, when he caught sight of two boats close to the bank. The fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. He got into one of the boats - it was Simon's - and asked him to put out a little from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat.

When he had finished speaking he said to Simon, 'Put out into deep water and pay out your nets for a catch.' 'Master,' Simon replied, 'we worked hard all night long and caught nothing, but if you say so, I will pay out the nets.' And when they had done this they netted such a huge number of fish that their nets began to tear, so they signalled to their companions in the other boats to come and help them; when these came, they filled the two boats to sinking point.

When Simon Peter saw this he fell at the knees of Jesus saying, 'Leave me, Lord; I am a sinful man.' For he and all his companions were completely overcome by the catch they had made; so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were Simon's partners. But Jesus said to Simon, 'Do not be afraid; from now on it is men you will catch.' Then, bringing their boats back to land, they left everything and followed him.

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## THE MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION TRAINING AND FORMATION

This helps to develop knowledge and skills to support those at the end of life and their families as well as those who have been bereaved. Places are limited so early application is strongly advised.

*St Anne's Parish Hall, Welbeck Avenue, Darlington*

*4 sessions on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> March and Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> April.*

Email [spirituality@diocesehn.org.uk](mailto:spirituality@diocesehn.org.uk), or ring -0191 2433302 to book your place.

### The Ministry of Consolation : Spirituality in Times of Trauma

Saturday 23 March 2019 in Ushaw College, Durham DH7 7AW

10.00am Refreshment for 10.30am start : ending 3.30pm.

Bishop John Wilson is an Auxiliary Bishop of Westminster who has considerable experience in times of trauma. Further information or to pre-register please contact the Department for Spirituality on 0191 243 3302.

### COFFEES AFTER MASS

We only have 1 month available for any group wishing to fundraise, **August**. If you would like to take this month please let the office know. Thank you.

March	HCPT – Group 195	August	
April	St Augustine's PFA	September	SVP
May	CAFOD	October	HCPT Group 195
June	Kumi – Uganda	November	Air Ambulance
July	RAF Air Cadets	December	Carmel HCPT

### JOB VACANCY Deputy Head of School, Holy Family RC Primary School

See Noticeboard for full details. For further information & application forms visit [carneleducationtrust.org.uk/vacancies](http://carneleducationtrust.org.uk/vacancies) or contact Headteacher Jane Weatherall Tel : 380821 or CEO Maura Regan OBE DL Tel : 523414.

### PIETY SHOP

New stock now available in the Piety Shop.....

Please take a moment to pop in to the shop (back of church in the confessional) and see what's on offer.

All sales from the Piety Shop go straight back to church funds and all profits from Piety Plus go to the SVP. Thank you for your support and for all the positive comments from parishioners - Catherine Holborn, Phyllis Howard and Daisy Turnbull

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## ST AUGUSTINE'S PARISH CLUB/CENTRE INFORMATION

### PARISH CENTRE INFORMATION

To book the Parish Centre : email [staugspc@gmail.com](mailto:staugspc@gmail.com) or  
telephone 07909 747145

Bar Opening Times: Sunday 7-10.30pm

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February Book Club 2-3.30pm

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> February Tuesday Lunch Group 12noon

### FRIDAY NIGHTS AT THE PARISH CENTRE

We are trialling over the next few months, 'Family Nights' where all ages will be catered for, and 'Over 18' nights, exclusively for the adults. They are as follows:

Friday 8 March - Family

Friday 5 April - Over 18

Friday 3 May – Family

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### PADDINGTON BEAR APPEAL

*This Week* £ 34.07  
*Total in Bank* £496.14  
*Total so far* £31,967.03

### COFFEES AFTER MASS



Provided by  
Credit Union  
Supporting First Stop

### THE CHRISTMAS COLLECTION will be divided equally (£370 each) between

*HCPT Group 195 Down Syndrome North East Spiritans – Republic of Congo*  
*DAR Neo Natal Unit – James Cook Hospital Blood Run*  
*First Stop*

Thank you for your kind generosity

Other collections that have been held over the last couple of months:

Pax Christi £278.04 Youth Ministry Trust £298.99  
Clergy Training £534.27 World Mission Sunday £442.12

*Once again thank you for your generosity*

<u>February 10<sup>th</sup></u>		<u>5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year - YEAR C</u>	
SUNDAY	St Augustine's St Augustine's	9.15 am 6.30 pm	Margaret Lindsay RIP Margaret Rickaby RIP
MONDAY	No. 10	12.15 pm	NO MASS
TUESDAY	St Augustine's	12.15 pm	Eucharistic Service
WEDNESDAY	No. 10	7.00 pm	May Early & Rosemary Owens RIP
THURSDAY	St Augustine's	12.15 pm	Nancy & Michael McGowan RIP
FRIDAY	St Augustine's	7.00 pm	In Thanksgiving
SATURDAY	St Augustine's	10.00 am	Maureen Robertson RIP Followed by Confessions
SUNDAY 17 <sup>th</sup> February 6 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Year C	St Augustine's St Augustine's	9.15 am 6.30 pm	John Collins RIP Neil Dannatt RIP
THOSE WHO ARE SICK	Please remember Fr Gary Dickson, Fr Richard Harriott, Fr Wilfrid Elkin, Fr Jim Doherty, Sister Evelyn and all priests and religious in the diocese who have health problems. Also the sick & housebound of the parish - Michelle Butler, Anne Kee, Betty Smith, Philip Robinson, Elizabeth Leeman, Michael Grogan, Madeleine Swift, Joan McIntyre and those looking after them.		
LATELY DEAD			
ANNIVERSARIES	<b>February Anniversaries</b> –John Taylor, Shaughan Bainbridge, Joseph Armstrong, Nora Killy, May Early, Ted Brownless, Donald Glendenning, James McCulla, Margaret Lindsay, Fr Seamus Doyle, Thomas Hendrick, Tommy Marley, Ann Shepherd, Grainne Hacket. May they rest in peace.		
MINISTERS	SUNDAY 17 <sup>th</sup> February		
	9.15 am		6.30 pm
WELCOMERS	Mr & Mrs Lynch	Mr & Mrs Humphrey	
READERS	J Daley/C Iley	S Donnellan/S McEvoy	
OFFERTORY	Springfield Family	P Widdall	
COUNTERS TEAM ( B ) T Appleton/ G Harrison/J Poad/G Doherty			
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February		£ 419.42	
January Bankers Orders £2,295		£ 175.41 (£219.26 gift aided)	
£2,754 gift aided		£ 594.83	