THE GATESHEAD FAMILY OF CHURCHES OF ST ANNE, ST AUGUSTINE, AND ST OSWALD. Parish Priest and Dean: Father Paul Zielinski BD JCL. tel. 0191 4384585 Email address for Parish Office

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THE WEEKLY SUNDAY OFFERTORIES <u>19/20th November 2022</u> St Augustine £328.57 (£111.16) St Anne £248.10 (£55.60) St Oswald £239.30 (£56.30) (Inclusive of monthly donations via Standing Orders) Special collection for Catholic Youth in brackets.

> Why the Nativity? A new feature film from Turning Point at Cineworld Cinemas across the UK. 10.00 am – 12.00 pm Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> December To order your <u>free tickets</u> visit WhyTheNativity.co.uk or Call 0800 058 2856

Christmas Coffee Morning at St.Anne's Parish Hall. Saturday 3rd December 10:am--12 noon. Raffle and Cake stall.( Donations for raffle prizes and cake stall will be most appreciated.) Please come and join us!

#### TIMES OF MASSES AND MASS INTENTIONS

#### FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Vigil St Anne 5.30 p.m.	November Altar Lists
9.15 a.m. St Augustine	November Altar Lists
11.15 a.m. St Oswald	November Altar Lists

Tuesday St Augustine 10.00 am Wednesday St Anne 10.00 am Thursday St Oswald **10.00 am** 

#### SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Vigil St Anne 5.30 p.m.William Hill9.15 am St AugustineJames Spoors11.15 a.m. St OswaldFor the Parishioners

#### First Communion Preparation Meetings with Catechists

St Oswald Tuesday 3.35 pm St Anne Wednesday 5.30 pm St Augustine Friday 3.15 pm

#### **BAPTISM PREPARATION FOR PARENTS**

Pastoral Support Programme for parents preparing for the Baptism of their children. Next quarterly series of three sessions starts on **Tuesday December 6<sup>th</sup> 7.00 pm** at St Augustine's Presbytery. Talks led by Deacon Paddy Jackson and Denise Smith. **Contact Deacon Paddy on 07800814589** 

Hexham and Newcastle Diocese MARRIAGE CARE 2023 MARRIAGE PREPARATION DAYS IN PERSON FACE TO FACE: 'RELATIONSHIPS' Saturday 11 March 2023: St Joseph, BLAYDON, NE21 5AE Saturday 25 March 2023: St Mary, BISHOP AUCKLAND, DL14 6PQ Saturday 27 May 2023: St Robert of Newminster, MORPETH, NE61 1QF Saturday 23 September: St Robert of Newminster,

MORPETH, NE61 1QF one booking service: 0800 389 3801.

# ADVENT REFLECTIONS

As we begin to enter the season of Advent, the Vicariate for Faith & Mission have produced a series of reflections on the readings used throughout our Advent preparations. The reflections have been written by members of the Diocese and offer an opportunity to pause and

reflect. The first and second week of Advent reflections can be downloaded from <u>bit.ly/DHNAdvent2022</u>. The second part of the Advent reflections will be available shortly

## St Oswald Christmas Raffle

A group of people in the parish would like to try to raise some funds for our church, We hope to have a Christmas raffle. IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP, can you donate any of the following please? BOTTLE OF WINE OR SPIRITS BOX OF CHOCOLATES OR BUSCUITS, TOILETRIES CHILDREN'S STOCKING FILLERS SWEETS. DONATIONS CAN BE LEFT IN CHURCH PORCH.

### PARISH MERGERS

A Joint Meeting of all three parish Finance Committees will take place on Tuesday 29th November at 6 pm at St Augustine's Presbytery to examine the current state of the finances of each parish, and to discuss the potential financial advantages and potential financial disadvantages of amalgamating the three parishes into one.

## GROWING TOGETHER IN PRAYER AND FAITH AS A FAMILY. FAITH AND FAMILY RESOURCES FAMILY PRAYER RESOURCES

Parents and Grandparents, check out the link below for lots of help:https://diocesehn.org.uk/living-thefaith/family-sacraments/growing-togetherin-faith-and-prayer-as-a-family/

November Altar Lists November Altar Lists November Altar Lists L & D members of the Thursday Club

