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<u>Congratulations and best wishes</u> to: Allistair and Karen Grimwood as they celebrate their Silver Wedding Anniversary. We wish them every blessing, both now and in the years to come. God bless!!

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<u>Please remember especially in your prayers</u> Davey Graham (81) who sadly died on Wednesday 14th October. May he rest in peace. We remember his family especially in our prayers at this sad and difficult time. <u>Funeral arrangements</u>: Requiem Mass at St. Joseph's, Blackhall on Tuesday 3rd November at 10.30am followed by Burial at Hesleden.

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<u>Please remember especially in your prayers</u> Peter Devine – who sadly died on Tuesday 6th October. May he rest in peace. We remember his family especially in our prayers at this sad and difficult time.

<u>Funeral arrangements:</u> Requiem Mass St. Joseph's, Blackhall, Wednesday 4th November at 11.00m, followed by Burial at Hutton Henry.

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<u>Clergy Training Fund.</u> The Diocesan Annual Appeal for the Clergy Training Fund has now opened. Donations can be placed in an envelope marked "P.T.F" and returned to Church. The fund remains open until 29th November for any further donations. Many thanks for your continued generosity!!

<u>Christmas Candles</u> This year we are sending out forms along with your bulletin to sign up for the Christmas Candles. Although at this time there is much uncertainty, we can still think of those we love and have lost at Christmas time. If you would like to purchase a Christmas Candle for someone please complete the form and place £5 per candle in an envelope and send back to St. Joseph's Blackhall, or drop into the White Presbytery porch.

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The candles will be labelled and a photo will be taken, for those who are unable to attend Church to see. These candles will be lit all over the Christmas period. At the end of the Christmas period they will be available to pick up and take home or alternative arrangements can be made. Please call Pam on 07483318764 if you have any questions. Thank you.

<u>Piety goods</u>: Anyone wanting Christmas cards etc. or any other cards from Piety Shop please contact:

Joan Crozier on 0191 5864173 (Blackhall) or

Anne Magee 01429 836443 (Hutton Henry) or

Joan Regan on 07717826758 (Thornley) with your requests as they have a range of goods to offer. They can arrange home delivery or phone and collect!

<u>PUBLIC MASSES</u>: Please note St. Joseph's Church in our family of parishes is open to ALL, including those from our family of parishes and those further afield. Please call **0191 5864319** on **Wednesday 4th**November to book a place for Mass on **Saturday 7th** or **Thursday 12th** November. Please give your name and **contact number**. If you are not able to get through on the phone, please keep trying or *leave a message stating your name*, how many attending and your contact number.

God Is in the Overcoming: by Vinita Hampton Wright

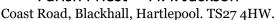
We like to identify God with a day that goes well, speaking of God's presence in terms of "blessings." Sometimes we go so far as to equate God's presence with our success or happiness. There is some truth to this, but such perceptions of God greatly limit our capacity to recognise holy presence every day. More often than not, God is in the *overcoming*, the action we take in order to navigate the constant difficulties of life. When we solve a problem, face the truth, wrestle with a decision, suffer through illness, wait for help, learn to pray, lend a hand, or admit our doubt—these are the situations in which holy energy is powerfully at work. God's love is not static; it moves and acts within our real circumstances. Holy life is not some pretty scene to admire; God is in the *doing*, in the living, and the growing.

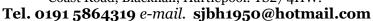
So, as you overcome today's challenges—in your workplace, in your relationships, and in those problematic regions of the heart—know that God's love is pulsing through your struggle. Holy wisdom informs your soul as you wonder and ponder. And the grace of God walks right along with you, toward the change you need and the joy you desire.

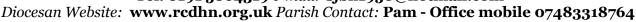
St. Joseph's, St. Peter & St. Paul's, Sacred Heart & English Martyrs With Pastoral responsibility for Our Lady of Lourdes.



Parish Priest— Fr. I. Jackson







Hutton Henry: Tony 01429 837186 Thornley: Joe 01429 823327

Safeguarding: Blackhall: Bill 07527552049 Hutton Henry: Mary 07817136092 Thornley: Elaine 07539475333

The Feast of All Saints.

1st November 2020

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ST. JOSEPH'S, BLACKHALL. Non-Public MASSES WILL BE CELEBRATED IN PRIVATE			
Sat 31st Vigil (Public Mass)	6.00 pm	Karen & Allistair Grimwood's (Ints.) – In Thanksgiving	
(Public Mass)		(Silver Wedding Anniversary)	
Mon 2nd	9.15am	The Holy Souls – Dcd. Ms. of our family of Parishes.	
Tues. 3rd	10.30am	Requiem Mass: Davey Graham (R.I.P)	
Wed. 4th	11.00am	Requiem Mass: Peter Devine (R.I.P)	
Thurs. 5th (Public Mass)	9.15am	Ellen Reed (R.I.P) & Muriel Jones (R.I.P)(1at Anniv.)	
Sat. 7th	10.15am	Liz Bryce (Ints.) (Birthday)	
(Public Mass – Vigil)	6.00pm	Moya, Jim & David Emerson & Anne Dolan (R.I.P) &	
		People of the Parish	
ST. PETER & PAUL, HUTTON HENRY.			
Sun. 1st	8.30am	Peter Devine (R.I.P)(L.D)& People of the Parish	
Wed. 4th	9.00am	Ted Hilton (R.I.P) (L.D.)	
Fri. 6th	10.00am	Jim Wilkinson (R.I.P)	
Sun. 8th	8.30am	Geraldine Douglas & John Murphy (R.I.P)	
SACRED HEART & ENGLISH MARTYRS, THORNLEY			
Sun. 1st	11.00am	Dcd. Ms. Morton Family.	
Tue. 3rd	6.30pm	Paul Duffy & Family (Ints.)	
Thurs.5th	6.30pm	Mary Hamill (R.I.P)	
Sun. 8th	11.00am	Margaret Maddison (R.I.P)	

Feasts of the Week: Monday: The Feast of All Souls

Wednesday: St. Charles Borromeo

Saturday: St. Willibrord

Next Sunday: Thirty Second Sunday of the Year

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I passionately desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come spiritually into my heart and soul so that I may unite myself wholly to you now and forever. Amen.

Mass by phone service: During these times when our churches are closed and masses are Being streamed online, the Diocese of Middlesbrough have set up a system to allow people who do not have internet access to listen to Mass over the telephone. If you would like to access, the telephone number to call is 01642 130120.



Mass online: Newcastle, The Cathedral Church of St. Mary – the Cathedral will live stream Holy Mass each day Monday to Saturday at 12.00 noon and on a Sunday at 11.30am. The live stream of Mass can be found on the Cathedral's YouTube Channel. There will also be a live streaming of a time of quiet prayer before the Blessed Sacrament and devotions from 5.00pm until 5.45pm.

UK online services: https://www.churchservices.tv/timetable/

EWTN: https://ondemand.ewtn.com/Home/Series/ondemand/video/en/daily-catholic-mass

