

The Parish of St Mary the Virgin, Nunthorpe

6th September, Trinity 14

9:30 am	Café Church	Hall
10:00 am	Eucharist	Church
11:45 am	Baptism	Church
5:30 pm	Eucharist	Church

Evening readings: 2 Kings 5:9-16. Gal.5:16-24. Luke 17:11-19.

This Week in the Parish

Wed 9 th Sept 10:00 am	Eucharist	Church
Thu 10 th Sept 10:00 pm	Pram Service	Hall

Aumbry Candle

The Aumbry Candle has been kindly sponsored by Joan and Ivan Lake in thanksgiving for their marriage

Macmillan Coffee Morning. This year's Coffee Morning will take place on Saturday 26th September, 10 am - 12 noon. *Sue Cox.*

Christmas Cake orders: I am now taking Christmas Cake orders. Cakes can be 8 inch or 6 inch, iced or plain. All funds will be donated to St. Mary's Church. Please phone me on 07989 172865. *Linda Smith.*

Patronal Festival Weekend: next weekend sees the end of our centenary celebrations.

- ❖ The church will be open to view the floral displays on Friday 11th-Sunday 13th September.
- ❖ There will be a fun trail on the Saturday, music and a raffle in aid of Barney's Baby Bank.
- ❖ This weekend will be your last chance to see the knitting around Nunthorpe.
- ❖ On Sunday we finish the celebrations with a special Patronal Festival Service with the Bishop of Whitby at 10 am.

Help needed: we can't do all this without you!

- ❖ **Hamper contributions:** I am putting together a hamper ("Relax and Treats") and looking for chocolates/biscuits, candles, toiletries etc. Raffle tickets will be sold in aid of Barney's Baby Bank. Contributions can be dropped off at the hall during office hours or ring me on 01642 324319 and I will collect. *Janet Barker*
- ❖ **Church opening:** Volunteers are needed for the weekend floral displays, to keep the church open and provide tea, coffee and biscuits. At least 3 volunteers for each hour are needed— please sign up at the back of church/hall if you can help or contact 01642 324319. *Janet Barker.*
- ❖ **Publicity:** If you can think of anywhere to display a poster, please pick one up from the back of church or please share one of our Facebook posts with your friends. Thank you. *Liz Taylorson*

Bible Conversations Teesside is an initiative of the Bible Society and churches across Teesside to encourage people to find new hope through God's word. We are running a Bible Course here at St Mary's starting on Tuesday September 22nd at 7:30pm. This group is aimed at those new to faith or to St Mary's. Please take an invitation if there is someone you would like to invite along.

For prayer and reflection this week

This week, the Diocese of York prays;

Merciful God, your Son came to save us and bore our sins on the cross: may we trust in your mercy and know your love, rejoicing in the righteousness that is ours through Jesus Christ our Lord.

In the communion we pray for the Episcopal/Anglican Province of Alexandria.

Those seeking comfort and healing, or who have requested prayer:

We pray for Harry B, Doris L, Becky, Edytha B, Joan L, Madge M, Marie H, Jess, and Evelyn & Keith B.

We remember David Leyland following his funeral this week, and we pray that his family and friends may be comforted.

We give thanks for the life of George Winter and we pray for Joyce, Elaine and Angela and all his family and friends as they mourn his loss.

We pray for Isabella and Henry Gordon who are being baptised today, asking that God will bless them and their family as they are welcomed into the church.

Years Mind: We remember with thanksgiving: John Jarvis, Martha Sherratt, John Alderson, Stephen Axford, Agnes Hare, Henry Knott, Constance Jones, Allen Smith, Thomas Symes, Ada Barwick, Maureen Griffiths, Joseph McNamara, Alan Greenwell, Joan McCall Smith, Norman Bowyer, Dennis Franks, Joyce Shenan, Rosamund Burn, Tom Bainbridge, and Alfred Macmillan. May all whom we remember rest in peace and rise in glory!

Next Sunday: 13th September, Patronal Festival

10:00 am	Festival Eucharist	Church
5:30 pm	Evensong	Church

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