

**Our Lady Immaculate & St Cuthbert, Crook
St Thomas of Canterbury, Wolsingham
St Joseph, Tow Law**

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9th September 2018 – 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

In your prayers, please remember those who are sick in our parish communities and those whose anniversaries occur now:

SICK: Shaun Aspinall, Hilda Bills, Grace Dewell, Marjorie Martin, John McConville, Eileen Mooney, Margaret Peacock, Mary Halladay (Patterdale Close), John Lally, Bridget Burke, John Williams, Sr. Loreto, Peter Crawford, Madelaine Portwood, Nancy Hayton, Bill Laws, Jean Taylor.

ANNIVERSARIES

Margaret Divine, Florence Annie Wilson, Mary Dando, Eddie Richards, Christopher Glenister, John Eaves, Sheila Thompson, Ernest Heal

SAINTS FEAST DAY,

Thursday 13 St John Chrysostom, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

Friday 14 [The Exaltation of the Holy Cross](#)

Saturday 15 Our Lady of Sorrows

RESPONSE TO THE PSALM

My soul give praise to the Lord. Or Alleluia!

.ST JOSEPH'S, TOW LAW

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION on request

ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY, WOLSINGHAM

Ministries for Saturday 15th Sept.

Eucharistic Ministers: C Wilson, Sr Loreto, H Whalley
Readers: N Portwood
Welcomers: R Dunn & Harrison
Bidding Prayers: E Young

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION before 5.30pm Mass on Saturday.

FOOD BANK / ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY'S CHURCH: the contribution that we as a parish make to the Salvation Army's food bank in Crook is much appreciated. May we ask that we all continue with our support. Colin & Alice Hardy

OUR LADY IMMACULATE & ST. CUTHBERT'S, CROOK

Ministries for Sunday 16th Sept.

Eucharistic Ministers: F Wilkinson, Sr Paschaline, A Berry, M Rowell, L Swinhoe
Readers: A Crawford, M Crawford
Bidding Prayers: A Smith & K Mooney
Welcomers: Sr Paschaline, Lucy Maguire
Children's Liturgy: Janette
Flowers: Janette
Refreshments: Brian & Edith
Fatima statue: Mrs M Spedding (week beg. 9th)
Cleaning: Witton le Wear Group (week beg. 9th)
Bulletin: Maeve, bulletinstcuthbert@gmail.com

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION – on request.

MASS AT CROOK THURSDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER – Please note that Mass will begin five minutes earlier than usual this week, because of the Funeral of Ronald Farthing.

ART SHOW REFRESHMENTS NEXT WEEKEND: Thank you to everyone who kindly agreed to bake for the refreshments at the Art Show just to remind you any cakes etc.can be left in the hall on Friday evening after 6-30pm or Sat morning after 10-30am. Thanks again. Brian

GENERAL NOTICES

SPECIAL COLLECTION this weekend is for Catholic Education.

CROOK ART SHOW St Cuthbert's Centre 14, 15 & 16 September. Displaying wonderful work of local artists to view and buy. Preview on Friday 14th at 7pm, cost £3. Saturday 15th and Sunday 16th 11am-4pm, admission free. Tea, coffee and lovely cakes available.

SERVE THE LORD WITH GLADNESS Day of Reflection for all Ministers led by Fr Andrew Downie at Ushaw College on Saturday 29 September 10.30-3.30. Tea, coffee and a light lunch will be provided, cost £7.50. Booking is essential as places are strictly limited. There will be a list for names at the back of churches.

ADOREMUS LIVEPOOL – “Moreover, I want to encourage everyone to visit – if possible, every day – especially amid life's difficulties, the Blessed Sacrament of the infinite love of Christ and His mercy, preserved in our Churches, and often abandoned, to speak filially with Him, to listen to Him in silence, and to peacefully entrust yourself to Him”.

NAZARETH HOUSE ORPHANAGE, PAKISTAN: The orphanage's annual report and newsletter are on display at the back of each church.

PARTNERSHIP EVENT: There will be a talk at St John's School on Friday 14th September at 6.30pm for a start at 7.00pm. The speaker will be David Wells and tickets are £2. Please sign the list at the back of church if you wish to attend.

DISCIPLESHIP CONFERENCE: 15th Sept. at Sacred Heart High School, Fenham from 10am-3.30pm. For anyone involved or interested in Partnership development. Key speaker is David Wells. For more information contact adult.formation@discesehn.or.uk or 0191 2433316.

DAYS OUT: St Mary's & St Wilfrid's are arranging a Quiet Day at Minsteracres on 17th October, this is open to the whole Partnership and also a visit to Crook Gardens on 24 September with afternoon tea (optional). If you are interested in either of these events, please contact Jeanette.shaughnessy@btinternet.com or dandzwhite@tiscali.co.uk