### DIOCESE OF HEXHAM & NEWCASTLE | HILDA PARTNERSHIP

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Epiphany Monday 8th January Baptism of the Lord	10:00am	Cathy Quinn	Holy Rosary
Tuesday 9th January	10.00am	Td & Nell Kemp	Holy Rosary
Wednesday 10th January	7.00pm	Sally Paczynski	Holy Rosary
Thursday 11th January St Aelred	10:00am	Baby Cassian	Holy Rosary
Friday 12th January St Benet Biscop	10.00em	Ian Blakemore	St John's
Saturday 13th January  2nd Sunday of Year (Vigil)	5.00pm	Dorothy Dolan	St John's
Sunday 14th January  2nd Sunday of Year	10:00am	Parishioners	Holy Rosary

#### Please pray for the sick and everyone who is ill:

Rev. Dan Mckie, Sarah McAllister, Max Simpson, Carol Brownlee, Grace Ollie, Judy Houchen, Peter Smith, Cai Rive, Avril Wordsworth, Lily Ward-Thurlbeck, Rose Wall, Peter Chapman, Christine Rooney, Brian Kane, Margaret Hitchinson, Helen Webb, Jim Hodgson, Fr Stephen Dye, Judith Sowerby, Kate Williams, Faustina Morgan, Maureen Maddren, Daisy Elliott, Maureen Braithwaite, Baby Cassian, Sheila Allen, May Hutchinson, Paul Griffiths Please remember those lately dead or with anniversaries:

#### Next Weekend- White Flower Appeal 2024

SPUC (Society for Protection of Unborn Children) works for a world where abortion is unthinkable. This year's appeal calls for the Government to end pills-by-post DIY abortion policy.

#### SVP-

a very big thank you to our parishioners for their extraordinary generosity towards the food club and the SVP generally. And a special thanks to the volunteers without whom the club could not function.

#### THE NORTHERN CATHOLIC CALENDAR 2024

Our Diocesan Directory on sale at £3

# The Northern Cross-JANUARY £1.50p

#### Statue of Our Lady

For many years the statue was available to parishioners to have in their homes for a week. JANUARY now on noticeboard. Please sign up.

## Walsingham Pilgrimage: 30<sup>th</sup> August-1<sup>st</sup> September 2024

Anyone interested please contact Fr Butters

#### 2025 Jubilee Year

Every 25 years the Church keeps a jubilee year and to prepare for it the pope has asked that 2024 be a yar of prayer and reflection especially concentrating on the Our Father.

Welcome back to all who work and learn in our schools- may God bless all their endeavours this year.

Confessions next Saturday, St John's, 10.30-11am