

# Durham North Team Ministry

## The Parish of St. Cuthbert with St. Aidan Durham

THE THIRD SUNDAY BEFORE LENT

5<sup>th</sup> February 2012

### Introducing Shared Ministry



#### Readings

*Isaiah 40:21-31*

*I Corinthians 9:16-23*

*Mark 1:29-39*



At both churches there is sound reinforcement with a loop system: please turn hearing aids to T to benefit

## Our worship today

**10.30am Café Church in the Parish Hall**

**Welcome....**

**have a cup of coffee, eat some cake,**

**find a seat and say hello to your neighbours**



We welcome Canon Judy Hirst who is the diocesan local church growth and development adviser who will speak and help facilitate our service this morning

### **SHARED MINISTRY**

***THIS WILL BE THE ONLY SERVICE TODAY*** and it takes the form of a café-style Eucharist. *I imagine that this will be different and new for most (if not all of us!), and I hope that it will enable us to do something different and important together. I hope it will be refreshing and energizing!*

*If you have not already done so, please take a copy of the leaflet explaining Shared Ministry and the process for choosing people to be members of our Shared Ministry Development Team. There are boxes for nomination slips, and these will be in both churches for the next two Sundays. Please consider deeply and pray earnestly for wisdom to decide who you might nominate, ideas will be explored in today's service about what qualities might be good – and remember you can suggest more than one person!*

*Robert*

A copy of this pew slip and a parish calendar is now available on-line at  
<http://cuthbertandaidan.durhamnorthteam.org>

The vicar is now tweeting @robertlawrance and look out for us soon on facebook

## **For your prayers this week**

### **The Common Worship Collect for the Third Sunday before Lent**

Almighty God, who alone can bring order to the unruly wills and passions of sinful humanity: give your people grace so to love what you command and to desire what you promise, that, among the many changes of this world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**Parish Community:** we pray for the discernment of a Shared Ministry Development Team in our parish

**Durham Diocese:** we are asked to pray for the parish of Elwick Hall St Peter, their priest Janet Burbury and Authorised Pastoral Assistant Mary Scott, and for their work in the Church of England School.

**Anglican Communion:** we pray for The Anglican Church of Canada and their Primate The Most Reverend Frederick Hiltz

**Methodist Connexion:** we pray with and for Christians in Cameroon and Nigeria, and the Birmingham District of England.

**Among those for whom our prayers are asked:** we pray for members of our church fellowship unable to be with us today because of frailty and ill health, especially Betty Connor and Liz Strafford.

**The blessed departed:** we pray for those who have recently died, and we remember Freda Edith Hawkins, Annie Crampton, Nancy Elizabeth Blake, Stanley Hunter, Edna Joyce Eve, Anthony George Wise and Norman Oswald Wragge, whose anniversaries fall this week.

**The Post Communion Prayer:** Merciful Father, who gave Jesus Christ to be for us the bread of life, that those who come to him should never hunger: draw us to the Lord in faith and love, that we may eat and drink with him at his table in the kingdom, where he is alive and reigns, now and for ever.. **Amen**

**If you have any notices** for the pew slip or would like someone included in the list of the sick, or of the blessed departed, please contact Miriam Loader in the Team Office by telephone 0191 384 7825 or email [durhamnorthteam@gmail.com](mailto:durhamnorthteam@gmail.com)

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## This week and forthcoming events

- TODAY** Services as noted inside this leaflet
- Monday 6<sup>th</sup>** Accession of Elizabeth II, 1952  
8.30am Morning Prayer at All Saints' Newton Hall
- Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup>** 8.30am Morning Prayer at St Michael's Witton Gilbert  
7.30pm Wedding Preparation in the Community Room
- Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup>** 8.30am Morning Prayer at St Aidan's  
9.30am Holy Communion at St Cuthbert's *Tom Glover*
- Thursday 9<sup>th</sup>** 8.30am Morning Prayer at St Aidan's  
10.0am Holy Communion at Sacriston *Caroline Dick*
- Friday 10<sup>th</sup>** Scholastica, Abbess of Plombariola, c.543  
8.30am Morning Prayer at St Aidan's
- SUNDAY 12<sup>th</sup>** THE SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE LENT  
Services at usual times and in usual places!

**A Victorian bonnet-making group** welcomes anyone who would like to help. Led by Karen Wheelhouse on Thursdays 9.30am-12 noon at 9 Leazes Place, Claypath. See Kirsty or telephone 0191 386 8479

### ADVANCE NOTICES

**Make a Mother's Day event** at Aidan's Kitchen will be on *THURSDAY* 16<sup>th</sup> February (not 15th as in magazine). Stall/cakes/raffle/bacon butties 10am-12pm. All proceeds to Mothers' Union campaign for 2012. Bring a friend.

**Team Ceilidh** on March 17th at 7pm in The Parish Hall. Cost £6 per adult for pie, pea and mash supper and £1.50 for children, bring your own drinks. Tickets available shortly

### **Durham North Team**

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	Caroline Dick	0191 371 2465	(Sacriston and Witton Gilbert)

Minister in secular employment	Remi Omole	0191 378 9756	(Kimblesworth)
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Team	Liz Strafford	0191 384 9802
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Team	Pauline James	0191 384 5293
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