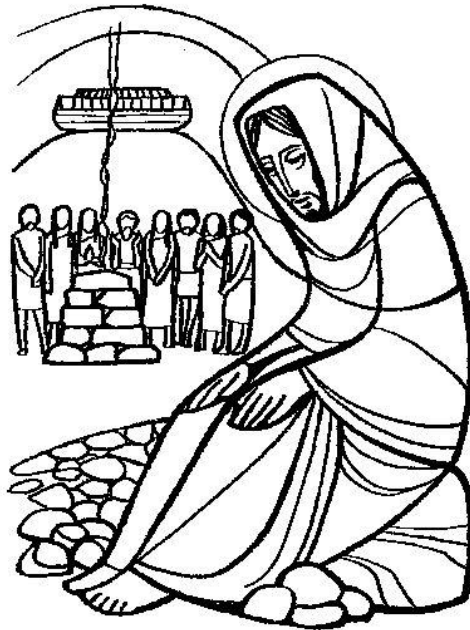


# Durham North Team Ministry

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

THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

22<sup>nd</sup> February 2015



*Come and share the Bread of Life!*

### Readings

Genesis 9:8-17

Psalms 25:1-9

1 Peter 3:18-22

Mark 1:9-15



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

## **Our worship today**

### **8.00am HOLY COMMUNION at St Cuthbert's**

(Book of Common Prayer)

President Robert Lawrance

*The Collect & Readings for The First Sunday in Lent are on p.86*

### **9.15am HOLY COMMUNION at St Aidan's**

(Common Worship)

President Robert Lawrance Preacher Edward Barlow

*Please join us for refreshments afterwards in the Church Hall!*

### **11.00am SUNG COMMUNION at St Cuthbert's**

(Common Worship)

President Liz Strafford Preacher Karen Abbott

*Please join us for refreshments in the Community Room!*

### **Stones into bread by Malcolm Guite**

The Fountain thirsts, the Bread is hungry here  
The Light is dark, the Word without a voice.  
When darkness speaks it seems so light and clear.  
Now He must dare, with us, to make a choice.  
In a distended belly's cruel curve  
He feels the famine of the ones who lose  
He starves for those whom we have forced to starve  
He chooses now for those who cannot choose.  
He is the staff and sustenance of life  
He lives for all from one Sustaining Word  
His love still breaks and pierces like a knife  
The stony ground of hearts that never shared,  
God gives through Him what Satan never could;  
The broken bread that is our only food.

[www.malcolmguite.wordpress.com](http://www.malcolmguite.wordpress.com)

***This pew slip and a calendar for St Cuthbert's & the Community Room  
are available on-line or find us on facebook!***

**<http://cuthbertandaidan.durhamnorthteam.org>**

**For your prayers this week**

## **The Collect for The First Sunday of Lent**

Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ fasted forty days in the wilderness, and was tempted as we are, yet without sin: give us grace to discipline ourselves in obedience to your Spirit; and, as you know our weakness, so may we know your power to save; 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 selection of members for the Shared Ministry Development Team.

**Diocesan Family:** we pray for Christ Church Felling, Tom Worsley the self-supporting minister in charge and Reader Mavis Worsley

**Anglican Communion:** we pray for the diocese of Maseno North in Kenya, Bishop Simon Oketch and Maseno South, Bishop Francis Abiero.

**Methodist Connexion:** we pray with and for Christians in South Korea and Japan, and for the Nottingham and Derby District.

**Among those for whom our prayers are asked** we especially pray for Anne Allen, baby Andrew Abernethy and Hazel Mullen, for Brian Rowell, Margaret Cummins, Richard Abernethy and June Tinnion, and for Ann Gordon, Glynis Pearce and Tony España, and for anyone unable to be with us because of illness.

**The blessed departed:** we pray for those who have recently died, and for Evelyn Amy Wilson, Charles Fawcett Marshall, Ian Malcolm McIntyre, Minnie Bulmer, William Bell Standish, Eunice Collier, Isaac Camsell and Peggy Wilson, whose anniversaries fall this week.

**Post Communion Prayer:** Lord God, you have renewed us with the living bread from heaven; by it you nourish our faith, increase our hope, and strengthen our love: teach us always to hunger for him who is the true and living bread, and enable us to live by every word that proceeds from out of your mouth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **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 the Team Office by telephone 0191 384 7825 or email [durhamnorthteam@gmail.com](mailto:durhamnorthteam@gmail.com)

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# THE WEEK AHEAD

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup>** Polycarp, Bishop of Smyrna, Martyr, c.155  
8.30am Morning Prayer at St Aidan's

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup>** 8.30am Morning Prayer at St Michael's Witton Gilbert

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup>** 8.30am Morning Prayer at St Aidan's  
9.30am Holy Communion at St Cuthbert's  
11.0am Holy Communion in Melbury Court *all welcome*

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup>** 8.30am Morning Prayer at St Aidan's  
9.30-11.30am Coffee & Craft Group in the Community Room  
10.0am Holy Communion at Sacriston  
10am-12pm Aidan's Kitchen in the Church Hall  
7.30pm SMDT meets at 4 Suffolk Way

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup>** 8.30am Morning Prayer at St Aidan's  
10.45am Rehearsal for Women's World Day of Prayer  
service at St Cuthbert's  
5.0pm Holy Communion at St Edmund's *Robert Lawrance*

**SUNDAY 1<sup>st</sup> MARCH**                      **THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT**  
Services at usual times

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