

As usual you will be offered  
a warm  
welcome at St. Mary's,  
The Mother Church of  
Teesside

### Mass times and intentions

Sunday	6.00pm	Patricia Dowd & Ron
Wednesday	12.00 noon	Kath Reed
Friday	12.00 noon	Jean Watson
Sunday	6.00pm	People of the Parish

**Please note the Church will be open  
30minutes before services on weekdays  
and from 5.00pm on Sundays**

**There will be Stations of the Cross before  
Friday's Mass during Lent**

**Baptisms by appointment only following a course of instructions. First requests for Baptism or Marriage to Fr. Cooper on 01642 674321**

**Confessions will be available 5.15-5.45pm on Sunday  
and after Mass on Wednesday**

*Please continue to pray for the sick and housebound of our Parish. If you are aware of anyone in the parish who is sick or housebound and would like to receive Holy Communion then please let one of our priests know.*

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***Sunday 17th March 2019  
Second Sunday of Lent***



### Candle Intentions

Sanctuary	In memory of Mary Moore (GEM)	March, 31st April 7th, 14th
Sacred Heart	Healing & Health for Eileen Pratt (LT)	March 31st, April 7th, 14th
Lady Altar	In memory of Michael Manning (MP)	April 7th, 14th, May 5th

### Collections

### Weekly Draw

10.3.19	£360. 17	£25	3 & 7	C. Stanley
		£15	5 & 19	Rupert Coyne
		£10	11 & 18	B. Goldsmith

## **EDWIN**

*Last Sunday, 10th March, Edwin hung up his cassock for the last time after 81 years of service to St. Mary's.*

*He will still be joining us for services and will continue to help out in the Sacristy on Fridays.*

*On Sunday 24th March after mass we will be having a Cheese and Wine Reception and we hope all of Edwin's friends, new and old, will be able to stay and celebrate with us.*

*Thank you Edwin for your devoted service and commitment to St. Mary's and your friendship and generosity.*

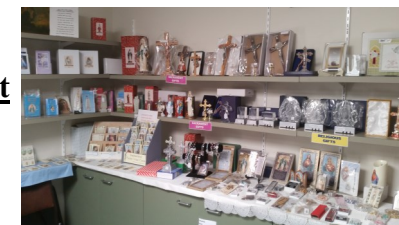
### Available



**Teas & Coffees available after Wednesday Mass.  
All welcome.**

Theotokos Prayer Group meet every Tuesday at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre. All welcome

**Don't forget to visit Margaret in the Piety Shop, she has a good selection of cards including Easter Cards**



**Next Sunday there will be a special collection for Cafod Lent Fast Day. Please be generous in helping the world's poor**

*Please remember our new Bishop in your prayers as he begins his new appointment.*

**Future dates for St. Patrick's**

***Mon 18th March Understanding the Scriptures 7.00pm***

***Pro Life Holy Hour Monday 25th March from 9.45—10.56am following the 9.15 Mass***

***Sunday evening services during Lent at 7.15pm***

**Walsingham Pilgrimage 2019: Friday 14th June to Sunday 16th June.** A few places are still available. Please contact Mary Atkinson 07952 321396 to secure a place. £30 deposit (non-refundable) as soon as possible, please. Cheques made payable to 'Walsingham Account'.