ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST NEWS

Happy New Year to everyone.



Thank you for all those who helped prepare the Church inside and outside for our Christmas services. It was wonderful to see all ages at the outdoor crib service on Christmas Eve.

We raised £281 for the Children's Society-many thanks





Thank you to all those who helped prepare the Church for Christmas!





<u>Crib service Christmas Eve 2021</u>







Now we've completed repointing and roof works, we're beginning to plan future projects. We'd welcome input from anyone in the congregation or the wider village community - it's a real chance to say what you see as a priority. It could be anything to do with outreach in the community, supporting worship, equipment or the fabric of the church building, inside and out. If you have ideas to share, please let the churchwardens or anyone on the PCC know or email stjohnthebaptistalnmouth@gmail.com



Church Services

Sunday February 6th Parish Communion 9.15 am

Sunday February 13th. Family Worship
10.30 am

Sunday February 20th Parish Communion 9.15 am

New Story about where and how we encounter God day by day and how that encounter shapes our life as individual Christians, and together as the Church in our Benefices and beyond.

<u>Saturday 5 February 2022 from 10am until 1pm</u>. Venue Creighton Hall, Embleton .

Please let Rev Alison know if you intend to take part 01665 571314 or revalisonhardy@gmail.com

Soup for Lent in aid of Christian Aid



This year we will be making take away bags of soup with bread to be collected on Wednesday 9th March in Church. We are also planning on delivering for those who are unable collect.

Please contact Barbara Galbraith on 07752 461172 if you are interested in an order.

Alison Rudd will be giving an organ recital in Newcastle Cathedral on Monday 31 January at 1.00pm. The programme will include the Northumbrian suite.

If anyone can spare any time at all during the year to help look after our Church please drop an email to the above on this newsletter or phone 07989865537 .. thank you



May the road rise to meet you,
May the wind be always at your back.
May the sun shine warm upon your face;
the rains fall soft upon your fields,
and until we meet again,
May God hold you in the palm of His hand.

Finally, the first verse from Andrew Baxter's favourite hymn -

Through all the changing scenes of life, in trouble and in joy, the praises of my God shall still my heart and tongue employ.

