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The current 7-day infection rate in North Tyneside is slightly down from last week at 257.6 per 100,000 but locally (Weetslade ward) it is up slightly to 219.2 per 100,000

Please follow Public Health guidance and wash your hands, wear a face covering in crowded spaces and give others plenty of space and fresh air. Test and self-isolate where appropriate. **We can keep each other safe**

### Summer Fair

#### We Pray for

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We pray for all who have recently died, especially Thomas Chapman, and his family and friends as they mourn.

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#### Parish Walk

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At their anniversary we remember:

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We lift before you the people of Ukraine and  
the people of Russia,  
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in fear of what tomorrow might bring,  
We long for the time you spoke of through  
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