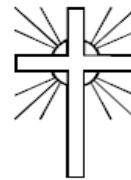


ALL SAINTS, OLD GLOSSOP AND ST MARY CROWNED, GLOSSOP

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT 2017

Sunday 26th March 2017

Happy Mother's Day to all Mothers, Grandmothers and Great Grandmothers of the parish.

May you be strengthened in your vocation by Mary the Mother of us all. May she who brought the Saviour into the world, and Mothered him throughout his life assist you when life is painful and difficult. (FG)

Pope Francis has asked us all to be aware of modern day slavery,

and asked all Bishops throughout the world to lead awareness initiatives. To this end Bishop Patrick has organised a High Peak conference on 20th April. 6.30pm – 8.30pm at New Mills Church hall. The speakers will be Paul Broadbent Chief Executive and Chairman of the Gangmaster Licensing Authority, Inspector Harry Dick of the Derbyshire Police, Gill Spatcher from Medaille Trust, and Margaret Shanahan an immigration tribunal judge. There will be light refreshments. To help with arrangements please contact Louise Cooke: jpnottingham@nrcdt.org.uk or Diane Williams: formation@nrcdt.org.uk (FG)

Last week I received this letter – “.....At the moment I am helping a friend called Alan Field who has an independent film production company named 'Noah R. Productions', formed in 2011. Their aim is to produce faith based documentaries and films, with the ethos to create projects that will inspire as well as entertain. A previous documentary tracked Alan's challenging journey along the Camino de Santiago, which resulted in Noah R Productions' first documentary: 'The Road to Santiago'.

This experience brought Alan back to the church and closer to the Christian faith and this is how we met. In light of this, we have been inspired to take this further, bringing us closer to home, by rediscovering the ancient route to England's own Nazareth: Walsingham. This new documentary 'The Road to Walsingham' will follow our pilgrims, all seeking to deepen their faith and understanding through pilgrimage. Starting from the North West (Liverpool area) of England to Walsingham. Hoping to arrive Good Friday until Easter Sunday”. These pilgrims will be in the parish next weekend and staying over in the Church Hall. We thank God for their sense of outreach, and for involving our parish through the efforts of Jack Nash. (FG)

There will be a Deanery Lenten Station Mass on Tuesday 4th April at 7pm at St Anne's Buxton.

Bishop Patrick will be the main celebrant. (FG)



Bare Necessities Food Bank

Helping High Peak families in crisis. Donation boxes will be at the back of our churches during Lent. The simplest way to support the foodbank is by adding one or two items to your regular shopping basket. Donations of tins, jars, cereals, UHT milk, tea and coffee are all very welcome. Thank you!

Lenten Devotions continue throughout the week with Morning Prayer of the Church (Monday, Wednesday & Thursday) and Stations of the Cross (Friday) before Mass. (FG)

Lenten Ecumenical Project – Thank you to those parishioners who were able, ready and willing to attend early Stations of the Cross last week, and provide breakfast for our brothers and sisters in Christ. This week we are off to the Methodist Church on Wednesday at 7.15am (FG)

This weekend I will be going to Buxton to say the Masses. Mgr Brian Dazeley will saying the Glossop Masses. He has been very active in the recently relaunched Sick and Retired Priests fund. Thank you to all of you who have responded positively to this venture. You might like to use this opportunity to get involved. Please talk to Paddy Campbell (SMC) or Ann King (AS) for further details. (FG)

Lourdes 2017 – The pilgrimage badges for this year's July Pilgrimage have arrived. Designed by Fr Kevin Athaide, they reflect the theme of all pilgrimages to Lourdes this year:

“The Lord has worked marvels for me”. This simple line from the Magnificat is reflected in this year's badge with the image of Our Lady of Walsingham. Please see me if you are going and would like one. (FG)

Entrance Antiphon – 4th Sunday of Lent

RE-joice, Je - ru - sa-lem, * and all who love her.
 Be joy - ful, all who were in mourn - ing;
 ex - ult and be sat - is - fied at her con - sol - ing breast.

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Our offerings last week:

| | Loose | Envelopes | S/O | Total |
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| All Saints | £116.75 | £201.80 | £120.00 | £438.55 |
| St Mary's | £198.59 | £160.00 | £261.00 | £619.59 |

Thank you for your generosity.

Please remember your Church in your will.**The Fairtrade Stall:** raised £105.45, thanks for your support .**St Mary's Church Cleaning:** Thursday 6th April after Mass.**Easter Lilies** to remember loved ones will be available again; £1 each at both churches, please put £1 & your loved one's name in the basket provided, thank you!**Parish Rotas:** Weekend of 1st / 2nd April**Sacristans:** All Saints, 6pm Monica & David, Maddy & Peter B; St Mary's, Liz;**Welcomers:** All Saints, 6pm TBA, 11am TBA;

St Mary's, Beatrice & John;

Ministers: All Saints, 6pm Monica & David, 11am Ann & Chris; St Mary's, Rita, Aidan & John;**Readers:** All Saints 6pm P Donald, 11am Natalie;

St Mary's David H, Jan & Chris;

Bidding Prayers: Andrew (following week – Jim T)

Glossop's All Saints & the Dukes of Norfolk: A PowerPoint presentation by Tony Wright using photos and material from Glossop Heritage Trust's extensive archives as well as Tony's own research. It looks at the contribution made by the Catholic Dukes of Norfolk to the development of Glossop with particular reference to All Saints' Church which they continued to own until 1936. It's easy listening – not a lecture! The talk is on 5th April, at 7.30pm at AS church, and will last about 2 hours including a 'tea' break.

Parish Diary - for the next few months:

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| 6th May | Parish Coffee Morning, 10-12noon |
| 21st May | First Holy Communion Mass, SMC |
| 21st-27th May | Parish Mission |
| 25th May | Confirmation Mass |
| 3rd June | Brownies' Coffee Morning, 10-12noon |
| 3rd June | Let's Act Drama Production, 6pm |
| 4th June | All Saints First Holy Communion Mass, 11am |
| 4th June | Let's Act Drama Production, 3pm |
| 10th June | Missio Coffee Morning, 10-12noon |
| 19th August | Parish Coffee Morning, 10-12noon |

Confessions: St Mary's – Saturday 10.15 – 10.45am All Saints - Saturday 5.15 – 5.45pm**Parish Mass Book:** Sunday: Gloria p.9; Readings, p. 165; Creed p.11; Preface p. 72; Eucharistic. Prayer, p. 31

| | | | All Saints | St Mary's |
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| Saturday | 25 th | March | 6.00 pm Vigil Mass Ursula Stokes RIP Belated Golden Wedding Blessing – Eilish & Jimmy King | |
| Sunday | 26 th | March | 11.00 am Mass People of the Parish | 9.30 am Mass Belated 80 th Birthday Blessing – Cath Broadbent (Friends of the Parish) |
| Monday | 27 th | March | 9.40 am Morning Prayer of the Church 10.00 am Mass Parents of Simon Page & Bernard Duffy RIP (S Turner) | |
| Tuesday | 28 th | March | | No Service Today |
| Wednesday | 29 th | March | 9.40 am Morning Prayer of the Church 10.00 am Mass Albert & Muriel Barnes RIP & S Townend (SI) | |
| Thursday | 30 th | March | | 9.40 am Morning Prayer of the Church 10.00 am Mass Intentions of the Sweeney Family (MH) & Catherine & John Thornton RIP (JH) |
| Friday | 31 st | March | 9.15 am Stations of the Cross 10.00 am Mass Maurice RIP (G Rowbottom) & Bernard Rowbottom RIP (G Rowbottom) | |
| Saturday | 1 st | April | 6.00 pm Vigil Mass Ken Bradshaw RIP (B Burns) | 10.00 am Exposition /Confessions 10.45 am Benediction 11.00 am Mass Philip Higgins RIP (Jean Mannion) & Maureen Smith RIP (CW) |
| Sunday | 2 nd | April | 11.00 am Mass People of the Parish | 9.30 am Mass Colleen Whittam RIP (Eileen & Stella) |