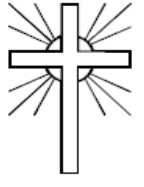


ALL SAINTS, OLD GLOSSOP, AND ST MARY CROWNED, GLOSSOP

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PENTECOST 2018

Sunday 20th May 2018

Today we celebrate First Holy Communion Sunday for St Mary Crowned Church.

Thank you to Mrs Rudd, Mrs Coomber and Mrs Monks for their Catechesis and preparation of the children. Congratulations to all of the Children who will be receiving Our Lord Jesus Christ for the first time in Holy Communion today (FG)

*Layla Flanagan, Tymon Karwat, James Mallon,
Elliott Hanks, Connor Patrick, Sophie Owolabi,
Isabel Dickson, Grace Rigg, Megan Garlick,
Oliver Waterhouse, Alicia Jozefczyk, Jack Cox,
Jack Healey, Gabriella Wood, Finley Cavanagh,
Molly Buller, Scarlett Dexter,
Summer Cockin, Jamie Harrison.*

The Corpus Christi Procession will now take place on Wednesday 4th July with All Saints School after the 10am Mass. We Will process down to the school after Mass and have Benediction in the school. (FG)

Maureen Johnson RIP – Please remember in your Masses and Prayers Maureen Johnson who died this week. Her Funeral will be on Friday at 10am at All Saints Church. Our Prayerful condolences are extended to all of the family. (FG)

Today we celebrate the great feast of Pentecost, and the coming of God's Holy Spirit amongst us – "The gifts of the Holy Spirit are meant to be shared with all, the world needs the fruits, the gifts of the Holy Spirit, as St. Paul lists them: 'love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control.'"

God sent the Holy Spirit "so that we may live lives of genuine faith and active charity, that we may sow the seeds of reconciliation and peace."

The Spirit cannot be forced on anyone, but closing oneself off from the Holy Spirit means not only a lack of freedom, it is a sin.

There are many ways one can close oneself off to the Holy Spirit: by selfishness for one's own gain; by rigid legalism — seen in the attitude of the doctors of the law whom Jesus referred to as hypocrites; by neglect of what Jesus taught; by living the Christian life not as service to others but in the pursuit of personal interests; and in so many other ways.

Strengthened in the Spirit and by these many gifts, may we be able to battle uncompromisingly

against sin, to battle uncompromisingly against corruption, which continues to spread in the world day after day (and) devote ourselves with patient perseverance to the works of justice and peace."

(Pope Francis last Pentecost)

Thoughts from today's Gospel reading; Jn 20: 19-23

In the context of the feast of Pentecost, John 20:19-23 reminds us about the integral connection between the gifts of peace and forgiveness and the action of the Holy Spirit.

Jesus greets his disciples with the gift of peace. Jesus then commissions his disciples to continue the work that he has begun:

"As the Father has sent me, so I send you."

He breathes the Holy Spirit upon the disciples and sends them to continue his work of reconciliation through the forgiveness of sins. Jesus' act of breathing the Holy Spirit upon the apostles mirrors God's act of breathing life into Adam.

In fact, both the Greek and Hebrew words for "spirit" can also be translated as "breath."

This Gospel reminds us that the Church is called to be a reconciling presence in the world. The reconciling presence of Christ is celebrated in the Church's sacramental life. In the Sacrament of Baptism, we are cleansed of sin and become a new creation in Christ.

In the Sacrament of Penance, the Church celebrates the mercy of God through the forgiveness of sins. This reconciling presence is also to be a way of life for Christians. In situations of conflict, we are to be agents of peace and harmony among people.

Thought for the Week:

*"There are different gifts
but the same Spirit;
there are different ministries
but the same Lord;
there are different works
but the same God who accomplishes
all of them in everyone."*

1 Corinthians 12.4-6

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Our offerings last week:

	Loose	Envelopes	S/O	Total
All Saints	£176.45	£146.00	£120.00	£442.45
St Mary's	£222.80	£130.50	£261.00	£614.30

Thank you for your generosity.

Many thanks for your continued contribution to the sick and retired Priests fund.

The recent **Coffee Morning** raised over £300 for church funds, thank you to all who supported this event.

St Mary's 100+ Club:

April Winners: 1st Prize, £17.50, Anne Morgan; 2nd Prize, £10.50, Anne Walsh; 3rd Prize, £7, Paddy Campbell

Parish Rotas: Weekend of 26th / 27th May

Sacristans: All Saints, 6pm TBA, 11am TBA;

St Mary's, Liz;

Welcomers: All Saints, 6pm Patrick, 11am Chris;

St Mary's, Brenda & Michael;

Ministers: All Saints, 6pm Monica & David, 11am

Maddie & Peter B; St Mary's, Doreen, Rita & Jan;

Readers: All Saints, 6pm, Maddie, 11am Natalie;

St Mary's, Megan, Wynn & Louise;

Bidding Prayers: Andrew (following week – Liz)

(Please remember to conclude with the Memorare)

Parish Diary - for the next few months:

9th June	Missio Coffee Morning, Bradbury House
16th June	Let's Act Theatre Company play, Parish Hall, 6pm – 7.15pm
17th June	Matinee of the Let's Act Theatre Company play, Parish Hall, 3pm – 4.15pm
23rd June	Brownies Coffee Morning, Bradbury House
7th July	Joint Garden Party, at All Saints, with AS School

Northern Catholic Conference Saturday 23rd June, Liverpool Hope University.

Speakers include, Fr Pat Deegan, Michelle Moran, Gary Stephens, Fr Eamonn Mulcahy. A number of us will be attending from Glossop. If you would like to come or find out more, please contact Barbara Payne.

MISSIO COFFEE MORNING

A coffee morning for our Catholic Missionaries **MISSIO** will be held in **Bradbury House** on **Saturday June 9th from 10.00am - 12.00noon**. Donations would be very much appreciated for tombola to **Rita Hussell** or **Margaret Maloney**, raffle prizes and bric a brac to **Margaret Burke** or **Rita Hussell**. Homemade cakes, biscuits and jams on the day. "Thank you"

Confessions: St Mary's – Saturday 10.05 – 10.45am

All Saints - Saturday 5.15 – 5.45pm

Parish Mass Book: Sunday: **Gloria p.9**; **Readings, p. 282**; **Creed p.11**; **Preface p.76**; **Eucharistic. Prayer, p.28**

			All Saints	St Mary's
Saturday	19 th	May	6.00 pm Vigil Mass <i>Christopher Eaton RIP</i>	
Sunday Pentecost, Solemnity <i>Eucharistic Prayer: No 3</i>	20 th	May (White)	11.00 am Mass <i>People of the Parish</i>	9.30 am Mass <i>Peter Robinson RIP</i>
Monday <i>SS Christopher Magallenes, Priest, and Comps, Martyrs</i>	21 st	May (Red)	9.40 am Rosary 10.00 am Mass <i>Tom & Mary Broaders - Birthday Memories</i>	
Tuesday	22 nd	May		No Service Today
Wednesday <i>Feria</i>	23 rd	May (Green)	9.40 am Rosary 10.00 am Mass <i>Gervase Tinley RIP</i>	
Thursday <i>Feria</i>	24 th	May (Green)		9.40 am Rosary 10.00 am Mass <i>Fr Jack McLeish RIP</i>
Friday <i>St Bede the Venerable, Priest, Doctor of the Church</i>	25 th	May (White)	8.40 am Rosary 9.00 am Mass <i>Ernest Hall RIP</i> 10.00 am Funeral Service Maureen Johnson RIP	
Saturday <i>St Philip Neri, Priest</i>	26 th	May (White)	6.00 pm Vigil Mass <i>Louis McMylor RIP</i>	10.00 am Exposition/Confessions 10.45 am Benediction 11.00 am Mass <i>Tim Killeen RIP</i>
Sunday The Most Holy Trinity, Solemnity <i>Eucharistic Prayer: No 4</i>	27 th	May (White)	11.00 am Mass <i>People of the Parish</i>	9.30 am Mass <i>Maureen Elliott RIP</i>