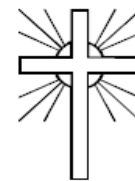


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TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY OF 2020

Sunday 18th October 2020



This is a Harvest like no other as families around the world face chronic food shortages, malnutrition and poverty as the result of coronavirus.

This Family Fast Day was on Friday 9th October. Let's stand alongside the poorest and most vulnerable people and help them to rebuild their lives.

Your donations will help to:

- provide handwashing stations in communities lacking access to clean water and soap
- distribute PPE to health workers
- supply children with books and pencils so they can study from home while schools are closed
- allow farmers to sell their produce safely
- deliver food packages to people in cities who can't go out to work.

Please pray for all those affected.

You can donate cash in the collection baskets at the back of church or by taking and returning one of the CAFOD envelopes at the back of church or online at cafod.org.uk/give. **THANKYOU!**

Caritas in the Diocese of Nottingham – Request for Parish Volunteers

There has been widespread interest in plans to launch a diocesan Caritas organisation in 2021. Volunteers are meeting in four county-based groups, to guide the development work, act as a sounding board and map local needs and opportunities, particularly in the light of the Covid-19 pandemic.

To assist these county development groups, it would be helpful to have a lay volunteer from every parish. If you might be willing to volunteer, please visit:

www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/faithintoaction

and let your parish priest know if you make a firm decision to offer yourself as a volunteer for your parish.

Finding God: Faith and Mental Health:

Drawing on both the ancient teachings of the Church and modern research, Fr Billy Swan discusses ten ways Christian faith can support good mental health and wellbeing. Cost £3.50 and you can order online at <https://www.ctsbooks.org> or you can phone 020 7640 0042.

Today is World Mission Sunday

World Mission Sunday supports missionaries who work alongside communities that are poor in need, regardless of their background or belief.

By supporting Missio, the Pope's charity for world mission, you will help missionaries like Sr Nilceia share the love of Christ with those most in need.

The theme chosen by Pope Francis for this year's World Mission Sunday is **'Here I am, send me!'** In these difficult and uncertain times, the Holy Father encourages us with these words: "God continues to look for those he can send into the world, and to the nations, to bear witness to his love, his deliverance from sin and death, and his liberation from evil."

Please pray for the mission of the Church throughout the world and give what you can to this very important collection which will sustain the future of our Church. Please call 020 7821 9755 (office hours) or visit Missio's website to give a single gift, set up a Direct Debit and Gift Aid your donation, if possible: mission.org.uk

CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)

The virus which has swept over our world continues to have a severe effect on our lives, and there are an increasing number of cases of the disease and hospitalisations all over the UK, and of course many deaths each day.

The region of 'Glossopdale' has recently been added to the list of areas for **'High Alert'** restrictions and now, in addition to previous guidance, we are asked to only meet with others out of doors to reduce the spread of the virus.

We are fortunate that our churches may remain open and we all hope that this can continue. Our Stewards are doing a tremendous job in keeping to the guidance for all of our sakes.

Please remember that face coverings (covering the mouth and nose) are compulsory at all times in the church. Social distancing is crucial in church as well as on the way in and out of the church premises.

Frequent hand washing and sanitisation also plays an important part of keeping the spread of the virus under control.

The guidance is provided for the protection of all in our community, if we follow the guidance we are protecting others, a duty we embrace as followers of Christ.

Parish Clergy PP: Fr Martin Sylvester, STB, MA Tel: 01457 852113
Postal address Royle House, Church St, Glossop, Derbyshire, SK13 7RJ
Joint Parish Pastoral council: 08445 880856. Jenny Cieslik, Lorraine Doyle, Christine Hulley, Ann King, Natalie Mellor-Fallon, Sandra Mellor-Fallon, Sue Nash, Barbara Payne and Fr Martin Sylvester. (Calls to 0844 numbers cost 7p/min plus your network charge. The parish does not receive any income from this charge - it is retained by the virtual switchboard service provider.)
Parish Newsletter Editor Liz Nash **Website** www.glossopcatholics.org.uk
The Glossop Catholic Parishes are bound by Diocesan Privacy Policy – see <http://dioceseofnottingham.uk/privacy-policy>

The Week Ahead (ASC = All Saints Church, SMC = St Mary's Church)

Saturday 17th St Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop & Martyr
10.00-10.30am SMC Confessions,
6.00pm, ASC Holy Mass for Sunday -
visit www.massbooking.uk or phone **07427 556088** to book a place
Second Collection for World Mission Sunday

Sunday 18th Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
10.30am SMC Holy Mass –
visit www.massbooking.uk or phone **07427 556088** to book a place
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Monday 19th SS John de Brebeuf, Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs
10.00am to 11.00am, SMC open for private prayer

Tuesday 20th Feria

Wednesday 21st Feria
10.00am, ASC Holy Mass

Thursday 22nd St John Paul II, Pope
10.00am, SMC Holy Mass

Friday 23rd St John of Capestrano, Priest
10.00am, ASC Holy Mass

Saturday 24th Our Lady's Saturday
6.00pm, ASC Holy Mass for Sunday –
visit www.massbooking.uk or phone **07427 556088** to book a place

Sunday 25th Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
10.30am SMC Holy Mass –
visit www.massbooking.uk or phone **07427 556088** to book a place

Help protect babies with cleft lip, cleft palate and club foot

Sadly abortion is currently available in the UK, right up to birth, for babies with cleft lip, cleft palate and club foot. All of these conditions can be corrected.

A cross-party group of MPs from the three largest parties in the UK Parliament have come together to bring forward the Abortion (Cleft lip, cleft palate and club foot) Bill. The Bill will change the law to clarify that cleft palate, cleft lip, and club foot are not grounds for abortion in the UK.

Can you help with getting your MP to support the Bill?

Please visit www.standupandsmile.org.uk to email your MP asking them to support the Bill. It only takes 30 seconds.

Mass Intentions for the nine days beginning Saturday 17th October, Fr Martin will offer Holy Mass this week:

For Tom Eyre RIP (anniv); for the people of the parishes (both Sundays); for Vittoria and George Sonczak, Bucko and Ada, RIP (A&M); for Patrick Shanahan RIP (GS); for Peter Mitcheson RIP (SM); for Shenny de Martinez (BB); For the speedy recovery of Deborah Phillips; and for Margaret and Charles Dearnley, RIP (anniv) (MM).

Live streaming services for This Weekend:

For Bishop Patrick, go to: <https://www.youtube.com/bishoppatrickmckinney/community>

For Nottingham Cathedral at 10 am, go to: <https://www.churchservices.tv/nottinghamcathedral>

This Sunday's Mass Readings are: Isaiah 45: 1, 4-6; Psalm 95: 1, 3-5, 7-10; 1 Thess 1: 1-5; Mt 22: 15-21

THANKYOU FROM CORNERSTONE DAY CENTRE FOR THE HOMELESS.

Dear friends, on behalf of Sr. Lucy and Lorraine thank you all so much for your very generous gifts of Food; Clothing; Footwear; Sleeping Bag and your donation £10.00. To Cornerstone this is indeed a blessing all round and you will have really helped many people, we are truly grateful to all for such kindness, thoughtfulness and generosity of spirit, very much appreciated. God Bless and Reward al who gave so generously. Shalom. Take care. Be safe. Sincerely in Christ. Sr. Maria. Fmsj. **We will continue to collect** all the above items plus disposable cups and small food bags. Please contact Moira to arrange. **THANKYOU!**

End of life care and Christian ethics

The Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith have published a letter, 'Samaritanus bonus [the good Samaritan]: on the care of persons in the critical and terminal phases of life' which examines these sensitive issues in the perspective of the Gospel. A translation into American English can be viewed free of charge at <https://tinyurl.com/sambonus> and the Catholic Truth Society are publishing a printed translation into British English. The printed version costs £4.95 and can be ordered by visiting <https://www.ctsbooks.org> or phoning 020 7640 0042.

All Saints Monthly Draw: The winner of the £100 Draw for September was Cath McMyllor.