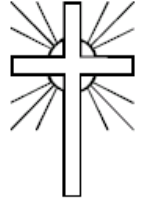


ALL SAINTS, OLD GLOSSOP, AND ST MARY CROWNED, GLOSSOP

Glossop Catholic Parishes – Jesus Christ calls everyone
to experience His **transforming love**.

We **joyfully** embrace our responsibility to **proclaim** this good news.

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PENTECOST SUNDAY 2023 – 28th MAY ALSO DAY OF SPECIAL PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH

Glossop Catholic Parishes – An Invitation:

Following on from last week's meeting,

'The Future of our Parishes',

you are invited to an open planning meeting on
Saturday 10th June, from 2pm – 3.30pm in St
Mary's Parish Hall, St Mary's Road.

*The meeting is for anyone who wants to play their
part in renewing the life of our parishes.*

This time we will be planning some sessions which
will offer opportunities for people to discuss, share
and develop their understanding and opinions
about our faith.

We will look at the content of the sessions and
sort out teams for welcoming, for making tea and
coffee, for discussions and for many other roles.

The sessions we will plan will include:

The WHY? Sessions:

An introductory series of three sessions –

Why God? Why Christ? and Why Church?

The WHY? sessions will be offered in July and also
at other times of the year.

The Sycamore Sessions:

Sycamore is a longer series of sessions, which
consider the Christian faith and its relevance for
life today. These sessions will start in September.

*We hope to see you at the meeting, the sessions
will be interesting and thought provoking, and
we will need helpers in a wide variety of roles!*

GLOSSOP ROSARY:

We continue our Rosary devotion on Monday
29th May with the Sorrowful Mysteries.

Cycle of Prayer for Ordinary Time:

We pray for these Intentions:

A deeper understanding of Christians and Jews;
Those who suffer Persecution, Oppressions, and
Denial of Human Rights; Europe; Human Life,
Seafarers.

Christine Hulley writes,

Is anyone free to go on a rota to be on
welcoming duty for Confessions at SMC on a
Saturday, 10am to 10.30am? If yes, please speak
to Jenny or Christine. Thank you!

A letter from Bishop Patrick - Safeguarding Part 2: Bishop Patrick writes,

"The diocesan website has all our Safeguarding
information and the support that is offered to
our parishes and chaplaincies. Finally, thank
you for all that you each do to help ensure that
our churches are safe and welcoming.

I say this because we cannot simply delegate
this duty to parish Safeguarding Representatives
or the Diocesan Safeguarding Team. Keeping
everyone safe is part and parcel of the DNA of
every Christian; an essential characteristic of
our identity as Christ's followers, and so it must
be reflected in the way we respect, protect,
and treat each other with care.

Only if each one of us is engaged in this way of
thinking and acting can we continue to embed
a culture of safeguarding throughout our
diocese.

Your parish has someone who has generously
volunteered to help support the parish
community in making your church a safe place
to be, particularly for children, young people
and vulnerable adults.

But building this safe culture in our parishes
can't just be left to them – it is the responsibility
of all of us.

Today, I urge everyone to give your parish rep
your full support. Please join with them in
fostering a deeper and more evident culture of
safeguarding, care and protection for
everyone in your parish. We can all play our
part in ensuring that every single individual feels
respected, safe, and loved, just as Our Lord
asked of us:

*"As long as we love one another God will live in
us and his love will be complete in us."* (Jn 4:12)

With prayer and good wishes, Rt Rev Patrick
McKinney Bishop of Nottingham"

Parish Safeguarding Representatives Janine

Carter and Liz Nash will speak to you this
weekend about the procedures in place for the
Safe Recruitment of the volunteers who serve
you in their various roles within our parishes.

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

Parish Mass Book: This weekend's readings: p.280/p.288, Gloria p.9, Creed p.11/12

Saturday 27th 6.00pm,	St Austine of Canterbury, Bishop, Feast ASC Vigil Mass of Pentecost Sunday (Brigid Bonham RIP (P&M McD))
Sunday 28th 9.15am, 11.15am, 3.00pm,	Pentecost Sunday, Solemnity SMC Holy Mass (Special Intention – Anna and Jim Travis (SD)) ASC Holy Mass (The People of the Parishes) SMC Baptism of Samuel and Grace Leyden
Monday 29th 10.00am,	Mary, Mother of the Church ASC Holy Mass (The Holy Souls)
Tuesday 30th	Feria <i>Fr Martin will offer Holy Mass today for the Holy Souls</i>
Wednesday 31st 10.00am,	The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Feast ASC Holy Mass (Patrick Shanahan RIP (GS))
Thursday 1st 10.00am, 11.00am,	Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest, Feast SMC Holy Mass (The Holy Souls) SMC Summer Garden Party Planning Meeting
Friday 2nd 10.00am, 7.00pm,	SS Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs SMC Holy Mass (Father Jack McLeish RIP – 7 th Anniversary (BB)) SMH Prayer Group
Saturday 3rd 10.00 – 10.30am, 6.00pm,	SS Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs of Uganda SMC Confessions ASC Vigil Mass of The Most Holy Trinity (John Elliott RIP (LD))
Sunday 4th 9.15am, 11.15am,	The Most Holy Trinity, Solemnity SMC Holy Mass (David Divall RIP (S&MH)) ASC Holy Mass (The People of the Parishes)

Please join your fellow parishioners in praying our parish prayer daily – *“Heavenly Father, bless and prosper our efforts to renew the life of our parishes. Help me to discover the part you want me to play, and give me the courage to trust in the power of the Holy Spirit. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.”*

Date for your Diary: Saturday 8th July: Joint Parish Summer Garden Party in All Saints church grounds. Put the date in your diary now & start planning your stall!! Further details to follow.

“See, I Do a New Thing”: *Bringing the Church's social mission to life*, Saturday 10th June at St Alban's, Chaddesden, 10am – 2pm. This is a workshop from Caritas for anyone who wants to see the Gospel come alive in their parish, neighbourhood and wider world. Join fellow Catholics to grow in skills and confidence for outreach, with the isolated and vulnerable, asylum seekers and migrants, the environment. Volunteers who have run a parish 'warm space' or drop-in are especially encouraged to attend to share experience and build mutual support. For further details visit bit.ly/new-thing-poster. Book your place at bit.ly/new-thing or call Paul on 0115 648 1509.

Love the Stranger- Bishops' Conference of England and Wales: A Catholic Response to Migrants and Refugees, 'Love the Stranger' is a new teaching document, underlining the right to migrate, as well as to flourish in one's own homeland. It suggests looking 'beyond labels, and seeing the person who seeks a better life': <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/love-the-stranger>

Please remember in your prayers this week: Don and Roseline McLeish who are unwell. Philomena Brennan who asks for prayers for healing and relief from a long standing problem.