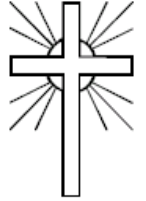


## ALL SAINTS, OLD GLOSSOP, AND ST MARY CROWNED, GLOSSOP

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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# ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF 2023 – 18<sup>th</sup> JUNE

## ALSO DAY FOR LIFE

**Fr Martin writes,**

### **Preparing for a baptism**

#### **Second course of 2023**

The church wants parents to take their child's baptism seriously, and to approach the day of their child's baptism fully aware of the commitment they will be undertaking to bring up their child in the practice of the faith. The next course for people hoping to have a baby or infant baptised in a Glossop parish will take place at All Saints Catholic Church on two Sunday afternoons, each time from 3.30pm until 5pm.

*Part One is on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July, and Part Two is on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> July, God willing.*

The courses also help parents enjoy the day of their child's baptism more fully, because they know what to expect and have had a chance to reflect on the meaning behind the ceremonies of baptism.

Please pray for children soon to be baptised in our parishes, and for their parents. Please bring this information to the attention of anyone whom you think might be wishing to have a baby or infant baptised this year, and who might not see this newsletter; even if they have already made contact with Fr Martin.

#### **Today we celebrate the Day for Life**

The Church teaches that life is to be nurtured from conception to natural death. The theme this year is '**Listen to Her**' and focuses on post-abortion trauma and the impact of abortion primarily on women, but also men and others. Each year a message is released, usually by the Church's Lead Bishop for Life Issues, offering a reflection on the year's theme. The 2023 message is unique in that the bishops' have given it over to a Catholic woman who has had an abortion to share her experiences. Often the voices of women who have had an abortion are silent in Church and in society. The hope is that this will help break this silence and offer further opportunities for healing and reconciliation. The 2023 message is available at:

<https://www.cbcew.org.uk/df123-message/>

**Fr Gregory Tobin** would be delighted to see parishioners past and present at any of the forthcoming Masses of thanksgiving for his 40 years of priesthood:

1. Christ the King Church Mackworth (DE22 4BG) on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> July at 5.30pm. (Tea & Cake to follow).
2. Holy Family Church Allestree (DE22 2LG) on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July at 9.30am (coffee & cake to follow).
3. St Mary's Derby (DE1 3AU) Nearest car park (DE1 3GU) on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> July at one of the 9am and 11am Masses (coffee and cake @ 10am). Thanks be to God!

#### **Forthcoming Events:**

**GLOSSOP ROSARY:** We will be continuing our Rosary devotion on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> June with the Mysteries of Light.

**Betty Dewey writes:** I am organising a gardening group to tidy up the grounds at All Saints ready for the Garden Party on 8<sup>th</sup> July. We will be tidying on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> June after Mass at approximately 11am (weather permitting). No gardening experience is necessary just plenty of enthusiasm!

**Our Joint Garden Party** is on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July in the grounds of All Saints church, from 11am - 3pm. *(More details overleaf)*

**Mid-Summer Concert:** You are invited to a mid-summer concert with Simon Groarke at St Mary's church, on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July, at 2.30pm. Admission is £3 & includes tea/coffee and cake.

**The WHY? Course Sessions:** *Three sessions in St Mary's Hall on St Mary's Road on:* Sundays 2<sup>nd</sup> July, 9<sup>th</sup> July, and 16<sup>th</sup> July, each starting at 5.30pm with a light meal and finishing at 7.00pm. The sessions are open to everyone. Whether you are new to the church or a regular attender, you will find something of interest here.

**St Mary's Church Saturday Opening:** St Mary's church will be open to visitors on Saturdays 1<sup>st</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, and 29<sup>th</sup> July from 2 – 4pm. Tea and coffee will be available.

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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.91, Gloria p.9, Creed p.11**

<b>Saturday 17<sup>th</sup></b> 6.00pm,	The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary <b>ASC Vigil Mass</b> (The People of the Parishes) <b>Second collection for the Day for Life</b>
<b>Sunday 18<sup>th</sup></b> 9.15am, 11.15am,	<b>Eleventh Sunday of the Year</b> <b>SMC Holy Mass</b> (David Divall RIP (O&PB)) <b>ASC Holy Mass</b> (A Mass of thanksgiving (B&CMc)) <b>Second collection for the Day for Life</b>
<b>Monday 19<sup>th</sup></b> 10.00am,	St Romuald, Abbot <b>ASC Holy Mass</b> (The welfare of John Broadbent (D&MT))
<b>Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup></b>	St Alban, Martyr <i>Fr Martin will offer Holy Mass today for the Holy Souls</i>
<b>Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup></b> 10.00am, <b>10.30am,</b>	St Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious <b>ASC Holy Mass</b> (Val Gebbit – for a speedy recovery (The Presentation Associates)) <b>SMC Grotto clearing</b>
<b>Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup></b> 10.00am,	SS John Fisher, Bishop, and Thomas More, Martyrs <b>SMC Holy Mass</b> (Elizabeth O'Hara RIP (O&PB)) <i>Please pray for today's meeting of the Maintenance Committee</i>
<b>Friday 23<sup>rd</sup></b> 10.00am, 7.00pm,	St Etheldreda (Audrey), Virgin <b>SMC Holy Mass</b> (Angela Buckley – For the grace of a happy death (VJ)) SMH Prayer Group
<b>Saturday 24<sup>th</sup></b> 10.00 – 10.30am, 6.00pm,	The Nativity of St John the Baptist <b>ASC Confessions</b> <b>ASC Vigil Mass</b> (The People of the Parishes)
<b>Sunday 25<sup>th</sup></b> 9.15am, 11.15am, <b>3.00pm,</b>	<b>Twelfth Sunday of the Year</b> <b>SMC Holy Mass</b> (Marie Jubb RIP (Australia) (FJ)) <b>ASC Holy Mass</b> (Peter Mitcheson RIP - Birthday Memories (JR)) <b>SMC Baptism of Emily Webster</b>

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.”

**Our Joint Garden Party** is on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July in the grounds of All Saints church, from 11 am - 3pm. Admission is free. Stalls include: Café with baked potatoes and sandwiches, and, later on, Cream Teas; Raffle, Tombola, Baby wear, Books, Cakes, Tuck shop, Plants, Bric-a-brac, Jewellery. Raffle prizes to Margaret Maloney (ASC) and Liz Nash (SMC) by Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July. **Helpers needed to set up the stalls etc at 10am on the day please! Also, if you have a gazebo, please lend it for the day.**

**Bernard McMyler writes**, The winner of the £100 in the Thrifty Fifty All Saints draw is Kevin McGovern, number 43. We have four spaces left to fill to make up the fifty, if you would like to join, please contact Bernard McMyler.

**Chris Hulley writes**, If you have made your first Holy Communion and would like to become an altar server at St Mary's church, please come and speak to Christine after Mass. Everyone is welcome.

**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.