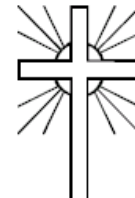


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Glossop Catholic Parishes – Jesus Christ calls everyone to experience His **transforming love**.

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

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NINETEENTH SUNDAY OF 2023 – 13th AUGUST

Fr Martin writes, RIP

Our prayers are asked for the repose of the soul of Irene Cooper, who died recently.

May her soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

The funeral of Mrs Cooper is expected to be celebrated, God willing, at St Mary Crowned at 1.30pm on Wednesday 23rd August.

Holy Mass for your Intention

The custom of making an offering to a priest when asking for Holy Mass to be offered for a particular intention began with people paying for the priest's upkeep for the day he offered Holy Mass for their desired intention.

A priest can only keep one Mass offering a day, so people gave enough to keep him for that day. Now that priests' food is paid for by the parishes they serve, the Mass offering provides those priests who have chosen not to take a salary from parish funds with an income to spend on other things, and the amount offered is entirely at the discretion of the person requesting the Mass intention, although in recent years the suggested donation has been ten pounds.

It's important to remember that nobody ever "buys" or "sells" a Mass, and when we support a priest who offers Holy Mass for our intention, none of us ever "pays for a Mass" — the payment for every Mass was offered once and for all by Christ, on the Cross, and it is from the one, perfect, saving sacrifice of Christ that the Holy Mass derives the grace that we refer to when we talk of "the holy sacrifice of the Mass."

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You may use the envelopes available in our churches to request that Holy Mass be offered for your intention. Simply fill in the information requested on the envelope and put your offering inside, address the envelope to Fr Martin, and either put it through the presbytery door at Royle House or put it into the collection at Holy Mass.

If you are requesting that Holy Mass be offered for the repose of the soul of somebody who's died, remember to add "RIP" after their name. Other intentions include "For the welfare of (person's name)" and "In thanksgiving."

If you want to request that Holy Mass be offered for someone who'd not want their name to appear in the parish newsletter, you can always request a private intention, and add your initials, so you recognise which Mass is offered for your intention; for example, "Private Intention (MPS)." If you express a preference for a particular date, and that date is not available, Holy Mass will be offered for your intention on the nearest available date. If you would prefer another arrangement (for example, the next available Saturday or next available Sunday), please indicate this after your preferred date.

Mass intentions are listed each week in the parish newsletter.

GLOSSOP ROSARY:

We will be continuing our Rosary devotion on Monday 14th August with the Mysteries of Light.

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.



Confession Times Survey

Currently the Sacrament of Reconciliation is offered each Saturday morning from 10am – 10.30am, alternating between our two churches. From late September, the Sycamore sessions will be running on Saturday mornings from 10am – 12noon. Consequently, the timing of the Sacrament of Reconciliation each Saturday will change. You are invited to give your preference for the new time. The options are: 9am – 9.30am, or 12.30pm – 1.00pm, again alternating between our two churches.

Please either: State your preference online at: <https://tinyurl.com/confessiontimes>

Or: Complete and return this slip to church next week: Name:

Circle your preference here: 9am – 9.30am, 12.30pm – 1.00pm, no preference

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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.114, Gloria p.9, Creed p.11

Saturday 12th 6.00pm,	Feria ASC Vigil Mass (The People of the Parishes)
Sunday 13th 9.15am, 11.15am, 3.00pm,	Nineteenth Sunday of the Year SMC Holy Mass (Father Kevin Gradwell RIP (CH)) <i>Tea and coffee will be served in the church after this Mass</i> ASC Holy Mass (The Holy Souls) <i>Tea and coffee will be served in the church after this Mass</i> ASC Baptism of an infant
Monday 14th 7.00pm,	St Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr <i>Please pray for today's meeting of the Core Leadership Team</i> ASC Vigil Mass for The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (The People of the Parishes)
Tuesday 15th 10.00am,	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary – Holy Day of Obligation SMC Holy Mass (The Holy Souls)
Wednesday 16th 10.00am,	St Stephen of Hungary ASC Holy Mass (Intention to be announced)
Thursday 17th 10.00am,	Feria SMC Holy Mass (Mary Machin RIP – Birthday Memories (JR)) <i>Tea and coffee will be served in the church after this Mass</i> <i>Please pray for today's meeting of our joint parishes' Maintenance Committee</i>
Friday 18th 10.00am, 7.00pm,	Feria SMC Holy Mass (Margaret Maloney – Birthday Blessing (JR)) SMH Prayer Group
Saturday 19th 10.00 – 10.30am, 6.00pm,	Feria SMC Confessions ASC Vigil Mass (Intention to be announced)
Sunday 20th 9.15am, 11.15am,	Twentieth Sunday of the Year SMC Holy Mass (Pat Turner RIP (MG)) <i>Tea and coffee will be served in the church after this Mass</i> ASC Holy Mass (The People of the Parishes) <i>Tea and coffee will be served in the church after this Mass</i>

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.”

Dates for your diary: We will celebrate Heritage Open Days 2023 with two free events:
 On **Sunday, September 10th** Owen Russell will be giving a talk from 2.30pm-4.30pm at St Mary's Church about his memories of All Saints School, and on **Tuesday, September 12th**, Tony Wright will be giving a talk from 7pm-9pm at All Saints Church about the history of All Saints Church and the Howard Family.
Saturday 16th September, Joint Coffee Morning at Bradbury House, 10am-12noon. Stalls include: Cafe, Cakes, Raffle, Bric-a-Brac, Tombola, Books, Knitted baby clothes; donations are requested for the Raffle and other stalls please, also offers of help on the day will be gratefully welcomed.
Saturday 18th November, Joint Christmas Fayre, further details to follow.
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.