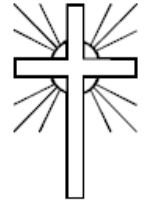


# ALL SAINTS, OLD GLOSSOP, AND ST MARY CROWNED, GLOSSOP

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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## SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 2024 – 5<sup>TH</sup> MAY

### **Fr Martin writes,**

Soon to marry:

Please remember in your prayers the couples planning to marry at All Saints in the months ahead: James Craggs & Marie Godward (1st June); and Enzo Lebella & Julie Mellor (27th July). May their wedding days be filled with joy, and may they be blessed with many years of happy married life.

### **Fr Martin and the Core Leadership Team write,**

Our recent 'Vision survey' showed that the majority of parishioners (nearly 80%) feel a greater sense of welcome and belonging in our parishes. We are keen to extend this feeling further and, in particular, to reach out to any new parishioners and visitors to our churches.

**This weekend** you are invited once again to wear a name label at Holy Mass, and to pray for one of your fellow parishioners during Mass.

The survey also showed that over 60% of us feel there to be a greater sense of community in our parishes. Please join us for a drink and a chat after Mass, and also please continue to pray for your fellow parishioners during the week.

### **The Confirmation Team write, Confirmation Mass, at All Saints church, Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May, at 7pm.**

*Confirmation gives us a special **strength** of the Holy Spirit to spread and defend the faith by **word and action** as true witnesses of Christ, to confess the name of Christ boldly, and **never to be ashamed** of the Cross.*

We ask you to join us in our prayers for the young people from Glossop and Hadfield who have been preparing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, that their faith and their lives may be strengthened and emboldened by the gifts and fruits of the Holy Spirit,

*Bishop Patrick will be celebrating the Confirmation Mass at All Saints church on 17<sup>th</sup> May at 7pm and we invite you to celebrate with us when our young people are confirmed.*

### **During Eastertide, our bishops invite us to join them in praying for:**

New members of the Church; Human Work; Vocations; Survivors of Abuse; The Church; The Right Use of the Media.

### **Bishop Patrick writes,**

**"Today is Safeguarding Sunday**, an opportunity to reflect a little on our ongoing journey as a diocese to build a safer environment for every person. You will recall that the Elliott review in 2020 recommended that the Catholic Church in England and Wales put in place a national Safeguarding body.

In July 2021 the Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency was formed. Its task is to ensure that all dioceses are regulated to meet the national standards in Safeguarding.

As a diocese, we have worked well to develop clear structures and guidance for our Safeguarding practices so as to help ensure safe environments through the promotion of best practice. This has included, regular training in Safeguarding for the clergy, diocesan staff and parish volunteers; ensuring that everyone is safely recruited; that victims and survivors are carefully listened to and supported, and that we are always transparent and accountable in the way that allegations and concerns are managed effectively.

I welcome this opportunity to thank our central Safeguarding team, Rachael Campion, Alan Booth and Jane Black, for all their good work. I would also like to express my gratitude to the parish Safeguarding Representatives for their hard work and commitment. Through them, we are now embedding excellent Safeguarding practices across our parishes and chaplaincies to make our churches safe and welcoming."

### **Safeguarding Representatives Janine Carter (ASC) and Liz Nash (SMC) write,**

We will be speaking to you at the end of Mass today updating you on the safeguarding developments in our diocese, as well everything we have done during the last year towards ensuring that our churches offer a safe environment for all members of our church communities.

Our safeguarding documentation is available for you to look at in our church porches as well as on our parish website:

[www.glossopcatholics.org.uk](http://www.glossopcatholics.org.uk)

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<b>The Week Ahead (ASC = All Saints Church, SMH = St Mary's Hall, SMC = St Mary's Church, SMS = St Mary's School)</b>	
<b>Parish Mass Book: This weekend's readings: p.270, Gloria p.9, Creed p.11/12</b>	
<b>Saturday 4<sup>th</sup></b> 6.00pm,	The English Martyrs, Feast <b>ASC Vigil Mass</b> (Alan Munnerley RIP (D&MT))
<b>Sunday 5<sup>th</sup></b> 9.15am,  11.15am,	<b>Sixth Sunday of Easter – Labels Sunday – Also Safeguarding Sunday</b> <b>SMC Holy Mass</b> (Tony Berrisford RIP (M&PH)) <i>Fairtrade tea and coffee will be served in the church after this Mass</i> <b>ASC Holy Mass</b> (The People of the Parishes) <i>Fairtrade tea and coffee will be served in the church after this Mass</i>
<b>Monday 6<sup>th</sup></b> 10.00am,	Easter Feria <b>ASC Holy Mass</b> (Private Intention) <i>Please pray for today's meeting of the Core Leadership Team</i>
<b>Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup></b>	Easter Feria <i>Father Martin will offer Holy Mass today for The Holy Souls</i>
<b>Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup></b> 7.00pm, 7.30pm,	Easter Feria <b>ASC Holy Hour, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</b> <b>ASC Vigil Mass for The Ascension of The Lord</b> (The People of the Parishes)
<b>Thursday 9<sup>th</sup></b> 10.00am,	<b>The Ascension of The Lord, Solemnity – Holy Day of Obligation</b> <b>SMC Holy Mass</b> (Sister Brigit RIP (AT))
<b>Friday 10<sup>th</sup></b> 10.00am, 7.00pm,	Memorial of St John of Avila, Priest and Doctor <b>SMC Holy Mass</b> (The welfare of Kath Thompson (DL)) SMH Prayer Group
<b>Saturday 11<sup>th</sup></b>  6.00pm,	Easter Feria <i>The Sacrament of Reconciliation will next be celebrated at SMC at 9am on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May</i> <i>Please pray for today's "Called, Gifted and Sent" Study Day</i> <b>ASC Vigil Mass</b> (The People of the Parishes) <b>Second collection for Catholic Communications</b>
<b>Sunday 12<sup>th</sup></b> 9.15am,  11.15am,	<b>Seventh Sunday of Easter – Also World Communications Day</b> <b>SMC Holy Mass</b> (Terry Burns and John McLeish RIP (BB)) <b>Second collection for Catholic Communications</b> <i>Fairtrade tea and coffee will be served in the church after this Mass</i> <b>ASC Holy Mass</b> (Angela Kelly RIP (B&CMcM)) <b>Second collection for Catholic Communications</b> <i>Fairtrade tea and coffee will be served in the church after this Mass</i>
<b>This week's prayer intentions for Vocations are:</b>	
Mon: Staff and Seminarians at VEC, Rome; Tues: Priests in Leicestershire and Rutland; Weds: Secular Orders and Associates; Thurs: Staff and Seminarians at Oscott College, Birmingham; Fri: Those at University; Sat: 'Christus Vivit' Young Adults Groups; Sun: Vocations to Religious Life.	
<b>THE GLOSSOP ROSARY:</b>	
We will be continuing our rosary devotion on Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> May with the Joyful Mysteries.	
Please join your fellow parishioners in praying our parish prayer daily – <i>"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."</i>	
<b>Please remember in your prayers this week:</b>	
Don and Roseline McLeish who are unwell. Cath Broadbent (née Walsh) who is unwell. Philomena Brennan who asks for prayers for healing and relief from a long standing problem. Lynda Berrisford, who is unwell. Vernon Johnson who is unwell.	