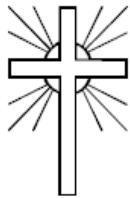


ALL SAINTS, OLD GLOSSOP, AND ST MARY CROWNED, GLOSSOP

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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THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST 2023 – 11th JUNE

We pray for Father Martin as he celebrates the 34th anniversary of his Priestly Ordination this weekend. We wish him a joyful celebration of his anniversary and pray that he celebrates many, many more years of priesthood.

We give thanks for his generous service to our community here in Glossop, and pray that we respond in service to him in his mission to deepen our faith and to know the love of God in our lives.

Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ – Corpus Christi Sunday

Corpus Christi is the solemn commemoration of the institution of the sacrament of the Holy Eucharist. It is, moreover, the Church's official act of homage and gratitude to Christ, who by instituting the Holy Eucharist gave to the Church her greatest treasure.

Holy Thursday marks the anniversary of the institution, but the commemoration of the Lord's passion that night suppresses the rejoicing proper to the occasion. Today's observance, therefore, accents the joyous aspect of Holy Thursday.

'Anyone who does eat My flesh and drink My blood has eternal life, and I shall raise that person up on the last day. For My flesh is real food and My blood is real drink. Whoever eats My flesh and drinks My blood lives in Me and I live in that person.' John 6:54-56

This is the mystery that is at the heart of our Eucharistic theology. In the elements of bread and wine, Jesus' Body and Blood are truly present. When we share in the Body and Blood of Christ, Jesus himself comes to dwell within us. This communion with the Lord makes us one body, brings us eternal life, and sends us forth to be Christ's Body in the world.

GLOSSOP ROSARY:

We will be continuing our Rosary devotion on Monday 12th June with the Joyful 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.

The WHY? Course Sessions:

A three-part introduction to the Catholic Faith from the Catholic Truth Society.

These sessions aim to get people thinking about three particular big questions:

Why God? Why Christ? And why the Church? And to show that the answer to these questions is hugely important for people today, both as individuals and as a society.

The sessions for the Why? Course will take place in St Mary's Hall on St Mary's Road on:

Sunday 2nd July, Sunday 9th July, and Sunday 16th 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.

Please come along to one or more of the sessions, and bring a friend with you!

Parish Safeguarding Representatives Janine

Carter and Liz Nash will meet with group leaders after our Masses this weekend to discuss the necessary procedures in place to ensure a safe environment for all who come to our churches for services and events.

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

St Mary's Grotto Clearing,

Please join us at St Mary's to help tidy up the grotto area on Wednesday 21st June at 10.30am. We have some gardening tools, but if you can bring your own gloves and any small light tools it would be a great help. Tea/coffee and biscuits will be provided! Thank you!

Our Joint Garden Party is on Saturday 8th July in the grounds of All Saints church, from 11am - 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.

If you have a gazebo, please lend it for the day. Raffle prizes to Margaret Maloney (ASC) and Liz Nash (SMC) by Sunday 2nd July. **Helpers needed to set up at 10am on the day please!**

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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.83, Gloria p.9, Creed p.11

Saturday 10th 6.00pm,	Feria ASC Vigil Mass of The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (The People of the Parishes)
Sunday 11th 9.15am, 11.15am, 3.00pm,	The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ – Corpus Christi, Solemnity SMC Holy Mass (Paul and Maria Burns – Wedding Anniversary (BB)) ASC Holy Mass (Patrick Shanahan RIP (GS)) SMC Baptism of Roman and Eva Cockin
Monday 12th 10.00am,	Feria ASC Holy Mass (Barbara Watts and Pauline Wallwork RIP (MT))
Tuesday 13th	St Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor <i>Fr Martin will offer Holy Mass today for the Holy Souls</i>
Wednesday 14th 10.00am,	Feria ASC Holy Mass (The Holy Souls)
Thursday 15th 10.00am,	Feria SMC Holy Mass (Angela Buckley – For the grace of a happy death (PJ))
Friday 16th 10.00am, 7.00pm,	The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Solemnity SMC Holy Mass (Brian Callaghan RIP (AT)) SMH Prayer Group
Saturday 17th 10.00 – 10.30am, 6.00pm,	The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary SMC Confessions ASC Vigil Mass (The People of the Parishes) Second collection for the Day for Life
Sunday 19th 9.15am, 11.15am,	Eleventh Sunday of the Year SMC Holy Mass (David Divall RIP (O&PB)) ASC Holy Mass (A Mass of thanksgiving (B&CMc)) Second collection for the Day for Life <i>Please pray for the joint parishes events group meeting which takes place today</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.”*

Thornycroft Hall Fast Track Programme – An opportunity open to girls aged 16 or over
 Are you interested in gaining experience in a real work environment? If you are, join our six-day Fast Track Programme especially designed to help you develop a set of transferable skills, while learning, having fun and earning a wage.
 You will spend three days in a commercial kitchen and three days in a food service and accommodation area. During this time with us you will receive personal training and mentoring by the professionals in each area.
 On completing the programme, you will receive a certificate and a folder with all the material you have used during the training. We are happy to offer our fast trackers a weekend or school holiday job with us. This programme provides valuable work experience that will open doors to further training and employment in many different areas.
 Contact us by telephone: 01260 224219 or by email: thornycrofthall@gmail.com
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.