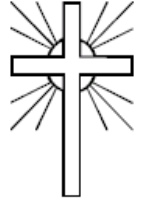
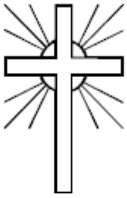


ALL SAINTS, OLD GLOSSOP, AND ST MARY CROWNED, GLOSSOP

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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SOLEMNITY OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL - 30TH JUNE 2024 ALSO DAY OF SPECIAL PRAYER FOR POPE FRANCIS

Fr Martin writes, Preparing for a baptism Second course of 2024

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 make 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 St Mary Crowned Catholic Church on two Sunday afternoons, each time from 3.30pm until 5pm.

Part One is on Sunday 7th July, and Part Two is on Sunday 21st July, God willing.

The courses 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.

Joint Parish Garden Party, next Saturday, 6th July.

Our Garden Party is next Saturday in the grounds of All Saints church, from 11am to 3pm, with the raffle being drawn at 2.30pm.

Refreshments will be available all day, and there will be plenty of room to sit and have a chat with friends over your cuppa and cake!

We particularly need some gazebos on loan for the day, and lots of cakes to sell on the day.

Helpers are also needed on the day, with setting up of tables for stalls from 10am on the morning. Please speak to Margaret Maloney (ASC) or Liz Nash (SMC) if you can help in any way.

Church opening in July and August:

Our churches will be open to visitors during July and August on Saturday afternoons from 1 – 3pm. If you would like to help with welcoming visitors on these occasions, please speak to Janine Carter at ASC or to Liz Nash at SMC if you know them, or you can phone them at: 08445 880856. Thank you!

Report from the team who attended the recent Catholic parishes summit organised by the Divine Renovation group:

We would like to thank all of those who prayed for the Catholic parishes summit which we attended earlier this month. The summit was organised by the **Divine Renovation** group from whom we have been receiving coaching to support us in realising our vision to become more missionary parishes.

Of our recent initiatives, we have found that **servicing tea and coffee** after Sunday and Thursday Masses has strengthened our sense of community, and the enthusiasm of our welcome teams and our recently produced 'welcome pack' have enhanced parishioners' welcome.

The WHY? Course and Sycamore sessions have been very well received and participants' feedback shows how helpful these are in nourishing and deepening our faith.

Holy Hour and Vespers have also been highly appreciated and have provided wider opportunities for worship and prayer.

The '**vision survey**' showed how much progress we have made in many areas. It also resulted in the current survey '**Our parish vision: what's next**', asking your help in inviting people who don't come to Mass. Through the PPC we are now working on a five year plan to reach out to our wider community and invite more people to experience the transforming love of Jesus Christ.

You can help the vision to become reality by:

- Continuing to pray our parish prayer daily
- Wearing your label and praying for another parishioner next weekend on 'labels Sunday'
- Inviting someone to come to Mass with you
- Returning your completed 'Our parish vision: What's next' survey
- Responding to the 'An urgent call for volunteers' handout
- Inviting someone to come to the WHY? Course, which next runs as a full day course on Sunday 21st July in St Mary's hall, 1pm – 5.30pm, and on Saturday 3rd August in St Mary's hall, 10am – 3pm.

Please continue to support our vision.

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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.169/172, Gloria p.9, Creed p.11/12	
Saturday 29th 6.00pm,	Feria ASC Vigil Mass of the Solemnity of SS Peter and Paul (Private Intention) Second collection for Peter's Pence
Sunday 30th 9.15am, 11.15am, 4.00 – 5.30pm,	Solemnity of SS Peter and Paul – Holy Day of Obligation Day of special prayer for the Holy Father, Pope Francis SMC Holy Mass (The People of the Parishes) Second collection for Peter's Pence <i>Fairtrade tea and coffee will be served in the church after this Mass</i> ASC Holy Mass (Anthony and Howard Mellor and Kevin Fallon RIP (SM-F)) Second collection for Peter's Pence <i>Fairtrade tea and coffee will be served in the church after this Mass</i> At St James Church, 'Leading your Church into growth' - Being a Witness – Session 2
Monday 1st 1.00pm,	Memorial of St Oliver Plunket, Bishop and Martyr SMC Funeral Mass of Eamon Duggan RIP <i>Please pray for today's meeting of the Core Leadership Team and for this evening's meeting of the Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion</i>
Tuesday 2nd	Feria <i>Father Martin will offer Holy Mass today, Intention to be announced</i>
Wednesday 3rd 7.00pm, 7.30pm,	Feast of St Thomas, Apostle ASC Holy Hour, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament ASC Holy Mass (Intention to be announced)
Thursday 4th 9.00am,	Memorial of St Elizabeth of Portugal SMC Holy Mass (The welfare of Doreen Leech (CH)) <i>Please pray for today's day of recollection for priests, and for this evening's meeting of the events group</i>
Friday 5th 10.00am, 7.00pm,	Memorial of St Anthony Zaccaria, Priest SMC Holy Mass (Intention to be announced) SMH Prayer Group
Saturday 6th 9.00 – 9.30am, 11.00 – 3.00pm, 6.00pm,	Feria ASC Sacrament of Reconciliation ASC Joint Summer Garden Party ASC Vigil Mass of the Fourteenth Sunday of the year (Intention to be announced)
Sunday 7th 9.15am, 11.15am, 3.30 – 5.00pm,	Fourteenth Sunday of the year – Labels Sunday SMC Holy Mass (The People of the Parishes) <i>Fairtrade tea and coffee will be served in the church after this Mass</i> ASC Holy Mass (Anthony and Howard Mellor and Kevin Fallon RIP (SM-F)) <i>Fairtrade tea and coffee will be served in the church after this Mass</i> SMC Part 1 of the Baptism course for parents aspiring to have a child baptised
This week's prayer intentions for Vocations are: Mon: Vocations to the Priesthood; Tues: Vocations to Religious Life; Weds: Vocations to the Diaconate; Thurs: All Discerners; Fri: Our Schools; Sat: Staff and Seminarians at VEC, Rome; Sun: Priests in Leicestershire and Rutland.	
THE GLOSSOP ROSARY devotion continues on Monday 1 st July with Mysteries of Light.	