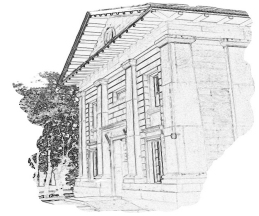




The Catholic Church in Glossop NEWSLETTER



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St. Mary Crowned, Glossop 1886

All Saints', Old Glossop 1836

Fourth Sunday on the Year 2009

LITURGICAL TABLE FOR OUR PARISHES 31st Jan. – 8th Feb. 2009

AS = All Saints' Church **SM** = St. Mary's Church **SMS** = St. Mary's School
Vestment Colours: *G* = Green, *W* = White, *R* = Red, *V* = Violet
CBC = CBC Sunday Missal Collins = Collins Sunday Missal
EP = Eucharistic Prayer

| <u>Day</u> | <u>Date</u> | <u>Feast</u> | | <u>Time</u> | | <u>Service</u> | <u>Mass Intention</u> |
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| Sat | 31 st | | G | 6.00 pm | AS | Vigil Mass | Mgr. John Ryan RIP |
| Sun | 1 st | 4th Sunday of the Year CBC p.174 Collins p. 461 - EP 3 | G | 9.30 am | SM | Mass | Rose Betty Moore RIP |
| | | | | 11.00 am | AS | Mass | For the parishes |
| Mon | 2 nd | <i>Presentation of Our Lord</i> | W | 10.00 am | AS | Service of | Word & Communion |
| Wed | 4 th | <i>St. Gilbert of Sempringham</i> | W | 10.00 am | AS | Service of | Word & Communion |
| Thu | 5 th | <i>St. Agatha, Virgin and Martyr</i> | R | 10.00 am | SM | Service of | Word & Communion |
| Fri | 6 th | <i>The Japanese Martyrs</i> | R | 10.00 am | SM | Service of | Word & Communion |
| Sat | 7 th | <i>Saturday Memorial of BVM</i> | W | 10.00 am | SM | Exposition | |
| | | | | 11.00 am | SM | Service of | Word & Communion |
| | | | | 5.15 pm | AS | Confessions | |
| | | | G | 6.00 pm | AS | Vigil Mass | Betty Moore RIP |
| Sun | 8 th | 5th Sunday of the Year CBC p.183 Collins p. 464 - EP 3 | G | 9.30 am | SM | Mass | Patrick Ginty RIP |
| | | | | 11.00 am | AS | Mass | For the Parishes |

May the Angels lead them to Paradise.

Please pray for two of our Diocesan Priests recently deceased: Canon Patrick Snee, who died in Ireland, and Father Philip O'Dowd, who died in Nottingham. *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord!*

Second Collection this weekend:

The Sick and Retired Priests Fund. *Please be very generous!*

Parish Rotas:

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| <u>Next Week's Readers:</u> | <u>St Mary's:</u> | Rita Hussell | Liz Nash | Jan Holland |
| <u>Bidding Prayer Writers':</u> | <u>8th Feb:</u> | Chris Hulley | <u>15th Feb:</u> | Trish O'Hara |
| | | | <u>22nd Feb:</u> | Liz Nash |
| <u>St Mary's Welcomers:</u> | <u>8th Feb:</u> | Rob Faulkner, Peter Brown | <u>15th Feb:</u> | Stella Groake and family |
| | <u>22nd Feb:</u> | Colleen and Peter Whittam | <u>1st March:</u> | Anne Walsh and Sue Nash |

Please remember to pray for our sick and housebound parishioners
NRCDT - A Registered Charity

Prayer & Formation

Junior RCIA This special course of instruction for children aged 10+ takes place at midday on Saturday in the Parish Room at Royle House. Their parents are most welcome to come and share in the sessions

Adult RCIA Our course for adults who wish to learn more about Catholic belief and living takes place in the Parish Room at Royle House at 3.30 pm on Saturdays .

Taize Prayer Evening in All Saints on Thursday at 7.30 pm.

'Prayer and Praise' at St. Mary's: each Friday, 8.30pm, in St Mary's Prayer Room. All are welcome.

Praying with the Holy Father: *Openness to the Word of God; immigrants and refugees; expectant mothers.*

Parish Diary for January/February 2009

February

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| 1 st | Second Collection for the Sick & Retired Priests Fund | 18 th | St Mary's Fundraising Committee Meeting, 7.45pm, St Mary's Prayer Rm |
| 2 nd | Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord | 21 st | RCIA Groups (Junior at Midday, Adult at 3.30 pm) Royle House |
| 4 th | First Communion Course at St. Mary's School 3.30 pm | 25 th | ASH WEDNESDAY First Communion Course at St. Mary's School 3.30 pm |
| 5 th | High Peak Deanery Meeting in Hadfield First Communion Course at All Saints School 3.30 pm Taize Prayer Evening, All Saints 7.30 pm | 26 th | First Communion Course at All Saints School 3.30 pm |
| 7 th | RCIA Groups (Junior at Midday, Adult at 3.30 pm) Royle House | 28 th | RCIA Groups (Junior at Midday, Adult at 3.30 pm) Royle House CAFOD Speaker at our weekend |
| 11 th | First Communion Course at St. Mary's School 3.30 pm Presentation Associates, 7.30pm, St Mary's Prayer Room | | |
| 12 th | Pre-Lenten Service for KS1 in St. Mary's School 11 am. First Communion Course at All Saints School 3.30 pm St. Mary's Finance and Facilities Committee Meeting 7.30 pm | | |

All Saints Events

All Saints will host a **Valentine's Day Concert** by the **Master Singers Sat 14th February 7.30pm**. Judith Sims (nee Wright) who grew up at All Saints is a member of this excellent group, they have stunning arrangements of a wide variety of music from Shows to Classical. Tickets **£6.50** inc tea/coffee, wine will also be available by donation. Tickets are available from Margaret Maloney, Tony Wright, Bernard McMylor, Sandra Mellor-Fallon or by calling Kathy Ford. The Mayor & Mayoress of High Peak will be attending. Proceeds for Parish Funds.

All Saints Envelopes: available now, anyone wishing to join this planned giving scheme should contact Kathy Ford. Taxpayers can **Gift Aid** donations enabling the Parish to claim back 28p (currently) in the £1.

St Mary's Events

St Mary's Sunday Special: We invite you to join with fellow parishioners for 10 minutes **TODAY** in our 'Sunday Special' - a cuppa after Sunday Mass and a friendly chat - all proceeds to Parish Restoration Funds.

A donation of £50 was sent to '**Mary's Meals**' following our Christmas Card Board in church, *thank you for contributing!*

Coffee Morning: at Bradbury House, 21st March; tombola gifts and Books / CDs needed for our stalls; *thank you!!*

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes: The youth service is leading a group on the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes for Catholic young people not in Catholic Education or whose Catholic school is not already taking a group. We will be travelling by coach along with the other school groups from the diocese and staying with them in Lourdes.

If you are 16 - 18 on the 19th July this year (just left Year 11, in 6th form or just left 6th form) then check out www.ndcys.com for details on how to be part of the group. For more details, look on the website or contact Fr Joe.

Holy Communion Fayre in St Mary's Hall on Sunday 15th February, 10.30 am - 2.30 pm. Display of First Holy Communion dresses, headwear, shoes, Bibles and gifts to view, buy or order. *Everyone welcome!*

Celebration of CAFOD's work locally & globally: Sat 7 March, 3 - 7pm, St Mary's Parish Hall. *All ages welcome!*

JUSTICE AND PEACE: An invitation to anyone willing to participate in **Justice and Peace / CAFOD** activities. Please come to St Mary's Prayer Room **TODAY** at 10.30am. *All ages welcome!*

Coffee Morning: Awareness of **Women's World Day of Prayer**, Sat 7th Feb, 10 - 12, at Central Methodist Church.

Newsletter Entries: Please send to **Liz Nash** or to **Ann King**.

Sick & hospitalised parishioners: Parish contacts: **All Saints'** John Logan; **St. Mary's** Peter Whittam. Please give details of the hospital or nursing home, the number of the ward or room where the sick person may be found.