



# The Catholic Church in Glossop NEWSLETTER



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St. Mary Crowned, Glossop 1886

All Saints', Old Glossop 1836

## The Baptism of Our Lord 2010

### LITURGICAL TABLE FOR OUR PARISHES 9<sup>th</sup> January – 17<sup>th</sup> January 2010

**AS** = All Saints' Church    **SM** = St. Mary's Church    **ASS** = All Saints School    **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>
Sat	9 <sup>th</sup>		6.30 pm	AS Service of (Vigil)	Word and Communion
Sun	10 <sup>th</sup>	<b>The Baptism of Our Lord</b> CBC p.149 Collins p. 120	9.30 am	SM Service of	Word and Communion
			11.00 am	AS Service of	Word and Communion
<i>No weekday services this week</i>					
Sat	16 <sup>th</sup>		G 6.30 pm	AS Vigil Mass	Holy Souls
Sun	17 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Second Sunday of the Year</b>	G 9.30 am	SM Mass	Joan & Terry Graham
			G 11.00 am	AS Mass	Holy Souls

**Masses scheduled for the weekend of 16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> January are subject to the weather and availability of priests.**

**Father John's** father had a major operation in Ireland on Friday.

Please pray for him, and the family, that he may soon be restored to health.

**Father John** expects to return to Marple Bridge from Ireland this weekend, but we do not yet have an arrival date for Father Hippolytus, who is due to come to Glossop to assist him. We will let you know as soon as we have any further news. Father John hopes that all those with ministries and other duties in the parish will continue to give their valued support to him and the parish community.

He hopes to be able to celebrate Mass with us in the near future.

Please remember Father John in your prayers as he prepares to take on these added responsibilities.

We must all do everything we can to help him and to make his task easier.

### FATHER JONATHAN

*Following the recent Retirement Collection on behalf of Father Jonathan, parishioners of St Mary's were able to present Father Jonathan with a donation of over £600 in recognition of his inspiring and generous service to the parish during his years in Glossop.*

*Father Jonathan was most touched to receive this generous gift from the people of St Mary's parish on his retirement. He sends his sincere thanks and prayers to you all for your great generosity.*

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

## Prayer & Formation

**Praying with the Holy Father:** Pope Benedict has asked us to pray particularly for these intentions:

Openness to the Word of God; migrants and refugees; expectant mothers;  
Awareness of the need for Christian unity for effective proclamation of the Gospel.

**The Rosary** St Mary's Rosary Circle will next meet on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> January at 6.30pm in the Prayer Room. The Rosary is also said during exposition each Saturday morning at St Mary's.

**'Prayer and Praise' at St. Mary's:** each **Thursday**, please arrive by 7.50pm for 8.00pm start, St Mary's Prayer Room. All are welcome. If you have prayer intentions, please leave them in the box in church, the prayer group will pray for them.

**RCIA:** Our course for adults who wish to learn more about Catholic belief and living continues on Saturday **16<sup>th</sup> January** in the **Prayer Room at St Mary's** at 3.30 pm. If you would like to know more about the course, please speak to Joan or speak to Liz. All are welcome to attend.

## Parish Diary January 2010:

- 13<sup>th</sup> Presentation Associates, St Mary's Prayer Room, 7.45 pm  
16<sup>th</sup> RCIA course, St Mary's Prayer Room, 3.30 pm  
20<sup>th</sup> St Mary's Fundraising Meeting, St Mary's Sacristy, 7.30 pm – **re-scheduled**  
21<sup>st</sup> St Mary's Rosary Circle, St Mary's Prayer Room, 6.30 pm

**Mass intentions:** where planned Masses have not taken place during the current bad weather please be assured that the intentions will be reapplied to future Masses as soon as possible.

**Weddings 2010:** Will all those with weddings planned to take place in Mary's / All Saints in 2010 please contact Fr John Cairns as soon as possible to discuss dates / arrangements etc. (Tel: 0161 427 2408).

## Parish Rotas:

**Next Week's Readers:** **St Mary's:** Peggy Reddington Katie Jones David Havilland  
**Bidding Prayer Writers:** **17<sup>th</sup> Jan:** Wyn Moran **24<sup>th</sup> Jan:** Monica Townend **31<sup>st</sup> Jan:** Chris Hulley  
**St Mary's Welcomers:** **17<sup>th</sup> Jan:** Jean McMylor & Chris Pearn **24<sup>th</sup> Jan:** Clara & Colin Brazier

## All Saints Events

**All Saints Gift Aid/Planned Giving:** envelopes will be available in January, anyone wishing to join the scheme or would like more information should contact Kathy Ford.

## St Mary's Events

**St Mary's Fundraising Committee Present** a concert with 'Cold Flame', Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> January, 8pm, St Mary's Hall, tickets, £6, available soon, includes superb buffet, licensed bar also available.

**National Marriage Week 7-14 February 2010:** Bishop Malcolm will be presiding at the annual Mass of Celebration during National Marriage Week in St. Barnabas Cathedral on Sunday 14th February 2010 at 3pm. A welcome is extended to all who have ever received the sacrament but a special welcome is extended to those celebrating anniversaries of ten years, Silver, Ruby, Golden and Diamond anniversaries as well as to engaged couples and those experiencing difficulties in their marriage. Light refreshments will be served after the Mass. Representatives of Catholic organisations concerned with marriage and family life in the diocese will be in attendance. For further information please contact Sue Sanderson or Fr John Sherrington.

A limited supply of **Parish diaries** (free) is still available at the back of our churches. First come, first served!

**Father David Everitt** is currently in hospital, and would appreciate our prayers.

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

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