

ALL SAINTS, HASSOP and ENGLISH MARTYRS, BAKEWELL

(Holy Ghost Fathers)

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Sacrament of Reconciliation: SATURDAY Hassop: 11.30 a.m. - 12 noon and by arrangement Bakewell: 5.30 p.m.

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: Envelopes £190.47 Loose Plate £232.97 TOTAL= £423.44 along with a generous donation of £100.00. Thanks to all who support the parish and its needs.

Gift Aid envelopes are available in both churches for visitors and parishioners to use.

WEEK BEGINNING SATURDAY 6th to SUNDAY 14th December 2008

Saturday	6 th	6.15 p.m.	Bakewell	D & P Knowles RIP	Mass of 2nd Sunday of Advent
Sunday	7 th	9.00 a.m.	Hassop	Parishioners	
		10.30 a.m.	Bakewell	A. Dathan + Ints.	
Monday	8 th	11.30 a.m.	Hassop	Sam Burrell RIP	Immaculate Conception of Our Lady
Tuesday	9 th	9.30 a.m.	Bakewell	Communion Service	Advent Feria
Wednesday	10 th	9.30 a.m.	Hassop	<i>FREE</i>	Advent Feria
Thursday	11 th	9.30 a.m.	Bakewell	<i>FREE</i>	Advent Feria
Friday	12 th	9.30 a.m.	Hassop	<i>FREE</i>	Advent Feria
Saturday	13 th	6.15 p.m.	Bakewell	<i>FREE</i>	Mass of 3rd Sunday of Advent
Sunday	14 th	9.00 a.m.	Bakewell	Parishioners	
		10.30 a.m.	Hassop	<i>FREE</i>	

Next Sunday's Masses: **Saturday:** 6.15 p.m. Bakewell **Sunday:** 9.00 a.m. Bakewell 10.30 a.m. Hassop
Reader: P. Erskine-Murray Hoare Family L. Brooks, J. Byrne
Eucharistic Minister: P. Molloy L. Elliot R&J Burkey
Welcomers: B. Goddard, D. Wilson J. Peel A. Lancashire, T. Clarke
Bakewell Flowers: C. Rider
Collection Counters: JRH

The Mass leaflet has a different format from this weekend: it will help us all to have the same text. The aging Mass booklets are still available for those who prefer to use them but the text we follow is the one on the new leaflets.

A Word of Thanks to all who supported and helped at the parish Christmas Fair last Saturday. It was a splendid effort on the part of all who did their "little bit". We raised over £1,500.00, which is an excellent result.

December Diary

Sunday 7th: Taizé Ecumenical Service in English Martyrs Bakewell at 6pm. This is an Advent evening service together.

Monday 8th Feast of the Immaculate Conception – Mass at 11.30am in Hassop.

Tuesday 9th Parish Finance Committee meeting - presbytery

Wednesday 10th at 1.45pm the afternoon prayer will be led by Fr Hugh in the *Age Concern* building next to the Bakewell library. Parishioners can participate in this gathering.

At 7.30pm Parish Liturgy meeting in presbytery.

Thursday 11th Parish Social Committee meeting.

Saturday 13th (Feast of St Lucy) Advent Reconciliation Service at 11am in Hassop.

Advent Reconciliation Service takes place on Saturday 13th December at 11a.m. in Hassop with Frs Bernard and Michael visiting us. It would be good to make this also a time for a family celebration of this Sacrament and parents will obviously take the lead here. Other services will be held in our deanery parishes. Please see notice boards for information and Fr Hugh for other preferred times.

The Sick and Housebound are remembered at Mass. Fr Hugh would like to visit them to offer the Sacrament of Anointing the Sick during Advent. The Eucharistic Ministers are asked to keep this in mind and to make arrangements with those concerned

Altar Servers Meeting: takes place on Saturday 20th December in Bakewell church from 10.30 to 11.30am. It will help us to prepare for Christmas and our First Communion young parishioners will be most well welcome at this meeting. Once again, parents can support this plan and bring the younger parishioners along. We will finish with the blessing of the crib in Bath Gardens.

Bakewell Church Cleaning: Please come and help on December 17th starting at 10.15 a.m. If you are unable to attend but would like to get the work started the evening before please contact Judy Burkey (01246 583382).

SVP Advent Collection: The SVP is very grateful for the collection last weekend, which amounted to just over £180. We wish to thank everyone in the parish for supporting the work we do. For further information contact Chris Holmes. Chris has also agreed to be our parish Justice & Peace representative. We are very grateful for this.

Catholic Herald price goes up this weekend: it is now £1.20 for a larger paper! Also, various Advent booklets and *Catholic Diaries* are available. Please check the prices!

During this past week Fr Hugh has written to all 5 of our Confirmation candidates asking them for suggestions about our pre-Confirmation meetings which begin in January.

Christmas Flower Collection to help with our preparations for Christmas will be taken over the weekend 13-14th Dec. And looking ahead to Christmas, please note that our "Midnight" Mass will take place at 9.30pm this year.

Dave Keegan is still looking for volunteers to help with local Christmas card deliveries. Contact him on 01246 234792.

Anniversaries: – We pray this week especially for Walter Cobb and Alice Bennett. **May their souls rest in peace.**