

**ALL SAINTS, HASSOP (DE45 1NS) and ENGLISH MARTYRS, BAKEWELL (DE45 1DA)**

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**Last Sunday's collection: Envelopes £237.00 Loose Plate £70.74 Total £307.74****Gift Aid Envelopes are available in both churches for use by parishioners and visitors. Please use!****Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturday evenings: Hassop/Bakewell: 5.30 p.m.

Hassop/Bakewell on request.

**Week commencing Sunday, 29<sup>th</sup> April 2012**

<b>Saturday</b>	28 <sup>th</sup>	6.15 p.m.	Bakewell	CSSp Intention	<b>Fourth Sunday of Eastertide</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	29 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 a.m.	Hassop	Parishioners	
<b>Monday</b>	30 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	Hassop	Donors' Intentions	<b>St Pius V</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	1 <sup>st</sup>	9.30 a.m.	Bakewell	<i>F R E E</i>	<b>St Joseph the Worker</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	9.30 a.m.	Hassop	<i>F R E E</i>	<b>St Athanasius</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	9.30 a.m.	Bakewell	<i>F R E E</i>	<b>Ss Philip and James</b>
<b>Friday</b>	4 <sup>th</sup>	11.30 a.m.	Hassop	<i>F R E E</i>	<b>Martyrs of England and Wales</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	5 <sup>th</sup>	6.15 p.m.	<b>Hassop</b>	<i>F R E E</i>	<b>Fifth Sunday of Eastertide</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	6 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 a.m.	<b>Bakewell</b>	Parishioners	

**Ministries weekend of 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> May**

	<b>Hassop</b>	<b>Bakewell</b>
E. Ministers	M. Allsop	P. Molloy, N. Harney
Readers	C. Allsop, A. Lancashire	P. Scott, T. Scott
Welcomers	M&T Martyn	L. Elliot
Flowers		J. Molloy
Counters	This week: AKS	Next week: MPTC

**Next weekend** – already 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday in May. Please note the Mass times as given above ... no further comment! We shall have the annual collection for *Clergy Formation Fund*.

**On Wednesday evening** we had a Finance Committee meeting: Mr Edward Poyser, the Diocesan Financial Secretary, attended the meeting. Gerry Smith, after 22 years in the post, will soon hand over this department to Bernadette Goddard. They are preparing the financial returns for the Diocese together after which Gerry will be our guide when we need help and always willing to help the parish. Gerry & Shirley have done so much over the years to keep an eye on parish finances and the parish community owes them much gratitude for their work. The Finance Committee discussed the matter of the strip of land presently rented by MIDCO in Bakewell but which may be sold eventually if the terms are acceptable to the Diocesan Trustees and Charity Commissioners. We also mentioned the sitting room upstairs and windows which will be our next development project. Mr Poyser told us that the average Catholic weekly offering is about £3.50 and the average Anglican one is about £7.00. He didn't mention our Methodist and Quaker friends but, seemingly, our Anglican brethren can still teach us a valuable lesson or two! He also said our Gift Aid returns are about average for the size of the parish and he expressed thanks to all concerned.

**On Thursday evening** we had our *You Are Living Stones* meeting which was attended by just over 30 parishioners. It was very good to see so many in the parish rooms. A similar number filled in the questionnaire that was available and the next step will be to share our thoughts with the other parishes of our Deanery on Monday morning in Crich. I would like to thank John Hesper and all who helped in the discussions and the sharing that took place. Will we all get what we want? Definitely **not!** Can we all go towards the future with open minds and open hearts? Definitely **yes**  
Fr Hugh

**Monday evening** R E groups meet at 5.15pm c/o Jane**Queen's Jubilee BBQ** 2<sup>nd</sup> June in Hassop tickets on sale this weekend at £7.00, children half-price.**Anniversaries:** – We remember Paddy Frain, Monica Short and Joseph Higgins. Also, Sr Christina Murray, of the Matlock Sisters, who died last week. **May their souls rest in peace****Diary of the month (part only):**2<sup>nd</sup> Ecumenical meeting local clergy3<sup>rd</sup> Liturgy Committee meets 7.30pm presbytery

9<sup>th</sup> at 6.30pm in Bakewell church, 4<sup>th</sup> Confirmation meeting with Shane, Patrick, Solomon, Edward, Theo and Thomas. Baptism certificates must be brought and given to Fr Hugh. Two candidates were Baptised in Hassop so that makes things easier for that 33%.

13<sup>th</sup> at 6.00pm evening ecumenical service at the Methodist Church Bakewell to begin Christian Aid Week.

15<sup>th</sup> Social Committee meets at 2.00pm

16<sup>th</sup> Confirmation group – 5<sup>th</sup> meeting – at 6.30pm and this meeting will be in Hassop church.

19<sup>th</sup> Eucharistic Ministers meet in Buxton**First Holy Communion and First Reconciliation Dates:**

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> June after Mass, Fr Hugh will meet Lewis, Tilley, George, Sophie, Bernard & Nuria for a few minutes to prepare for First Reconciliation. Friday 29<sup>th</sup> June at 6.30pm in Hassop, 1<sup>st</sup> Reconciliation for all the children including Bernard and Nuria if they can come along for this. They made their First Communion in Spain earlier this year. Of course, parents are very welcome to join the children in this Sacrament. First Communion Sunday is **8<sup>th</sup> July** in Hassop. Padley Sunday is 15<sup>th</sup> July and that would be a nice moment to take the children along for a local pilgrimage. We ought now to put as much effort as possible in helping the children to prepare and support them in attending the Sunday (or Saturday evening) Mass.

**World Week for Peace in Palestine Israel:** Two events will be held in Bakewell to mark this special week of awareness. The first on **Wednesday, 30<sup>th</sup> May** at 7.30pm in the Friends Meeting House - "Building Walls – Building Bridges" by Tim Crump. The second on **Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> June** in the Parish Church at 7pm is a typical Palestinian meal with a talk by Rachel Kaunhoven. More info. and tickets from Juliet.

**Christian Aid Week:** 13-19<sup>th</sup> May, please can anyone spare an hour on Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> May to help with the street collection in Bakewell, contact Juliet Peel?

**"A Time to Shine":** A group of Christians is undertaking a prayer walk following the route of the Olympic Torch from 17-23 June. They will be in Bakewell on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup>

**Sick and Housebound:** We remember Patricia Turner, Christina Gentis, Stella Clegg, Cliff Mann, Michael & Shirley Plant, Chris Holmes, Janet Smith and Joan Mason along with all the sick of our families and friends.