

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

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Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday evenings: Hassop/Bakewell: 5.30 p.m.

Hassop/Bakewell on request.

Week commencing Sunday, 31st March 2013

Saturday	30 th	8.00 p.m.	Hassop	Parishioners	EASTER SUNDAY
Sunday	31 st	10.00 a.m.	Bakewell	Joe Wilson RIP (A W)	
Monday	1 st	11.30 a.m.	Hassop	Family Intention (P G)	Easter Bank Holiday
Tuesday	2 nd	9.30 a.m.	Bakewell	C S Sp Intention (S Gen)	Easter Tuesday
Wednesday	3 rd	9.30 a.m.	Hassop	Special Intention (E S H)	Easter Wednesday
Thursday	4 th	9.30 a.m.	Bakewell	Kevin Scully (g/w C S)	Easter Thursday
Friday	5 th	11.30 a.m.	Hassop	Holy Souls	Easter Friday
Saturday	6 th	6.15 p.m.	Hassop	Parishioners	2 nd Sunday of Easter
Sunday	7 th	10.00 a.m.	Bakewell	Joan Mason RIP (SVP)	

Once again I would like to express my thanks to all who have helped during Holy Week and, indeed, throughout the Lenten period. Preparations had to be made even though we knew the weather was not "on our side"! In actual fact, the weather undoubtedly affected our attendances especially last weekend, Palm Sunday, when we had 15 present at the Bakewell Mass and 16 present for the Sunday morning Mass in Hassop. At the evening Mass, one parishioner said to me, "There'll only be people of our generation here tonight!" However, that wasn't quite correct. Solomon, Julia & Zack were present so that greatly reduced the average age of the congregation! For Maundy Thursday we had about 40 at the evening Mass, Good Friday Way of the Cross in Bakewell about 15 and Good Friday afternoon's Liturgy of the Lord's Passion in Hassop about 60. I am giving this information because some people say to me, "Not many here – are there?" and I, of course, cannot make any comment on such an observation except either to agree to try to understand a situation – such as the havoc caused by the weather.

Having said all that, I renew my expression of gratitude to the parishioners who carry the parish and our needs in their prayer (often at home where they can pray quietly) and to those who have helped throughout these past seven weeks of the Lenten season. Thank you again and I close by wishing you and your families a Very Blessed Easter Season, as we proclaim again our weekly 'Mysterium Fidei', Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again. Fr Hugh

Ministries weekend of 6th / 7th April

	Hassop	Bakewell
E. Ministers	E. Muller	E. Hague, A. Shimwell
Readers	L. Elliot, J. Paxman	P&T Scott
Welcomers	T&M Martyn	E. Marsh
Flowers		M.Trend
Counters	This week: GSS	Next week: TSH

April Diary Dates and Activities:

6-7th next Sunday is first Sunday weekend – Vigil Mass Hassop 6.15pm and morning Mass Bakewell at 10.00am.

10th S V P meets after Hassop morning Communion service

11th Morning Communion service in Bakewell

13th Quiz, Pie & Pea evening in Hassop presbytery at 7.30pm. Only 2 weeks left now for tickets: these are limited to 40 only because of our facilities. First come, first served – this helps the Social Committee and the organisers. Tickets £10, children £5. Virginia Hope would like to hear from you if you can help with a dessert for the evening.

13-14th Nigel Trend will speak to us about the new Gift Aid regulations that come into force this year for new members.

23rd Parish "thank you evening" for everybody ... as we say a sincere "thank you" to all who keep things together no matter what the weather is like! It is the feast of St George so we have a double celebration lined up for the evening! Our different groups, committees, backer-uppers in every little corner, benefactors to our social events and lots more who serve the parish and help to keep things together are worthy of our thanks and gratitude. The parish will provide the beverages and, nearer the date, we'll ask for some plates to be brought along for the evening.

24th Christian Aid bumper lunch at the Medway Centre

25th COUNTERS' EVENING to bring ourselves up to date with the new system re loose cash for our 2 churches and other questions that we may have about counting.

TOTALLY LOCALLY: is a marketing initiative that is out to promote and assist 'our locals'. The Bakewell At Work newsletter speaks about it and we are being frequently reminded to keep in mind our local shops and traders. The initiative will be launched on 28th April and there will be various outlets of information. The newsletter is available.

St Mary's Catholic Primary School DERBY is advertising for a school chaplain: further details at www.stmarys.derby.sch.uk or 01332 554 831.

Regarding our Choir Gallery handrail, Peak Park Planning have registered a reservation about it. Be patient!

Lent Jars can be returned for counting and proceeds will be sent off to support our Lent mission project in Tanzania.

Clergy Easter Offerings – envelopes available as usual in both churches and the weekly envelopes can also be used.

Individually Guided Retreat led by *Secular Discalced Carmelites* will be held 13 – 17th May at Mt St Bernard's Monastery. Further details on notice boards.

From St Malachy's Parish Syracuse New York: "Since the beginning of the summer, many people have been away, and our collections have fallen way below what we need to keep going. We depend on everyone to do their part to contribute to the parish's needs if they can." Well, even in New York, they're feeling the pinch – my, my!

Sick and Housebound: Jenny Lovett, Patricia Turner, Cliff Mann, Shirley Plant, Janet Smith, Margaret (our Organist) and David Hurd.

Anniversaries: – We pray this week especially for Rebecca Wiles and Geoffrey Barkworth.

May their souls rest in peace

**Last Sunday's collection: Envelopes £78.20 Loose Plate £11.96 Total £90.16. Weather stopped "PRAY"!
Gift Aid Envelopes are available in both churches for use by parishioners and visitors. Please use!**