

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, 15th February 2015

Saturday	14 th	6.15 p.m.	Bakewell	Parishioners	6th Sunday of Ordinary Time
Sunday	15 th	10.00 a.m.	Hassop	Lisa Gilkes (S P M)	
Monday	16 th	9.30 a.m.	Hassop	George McGrory RIP (BJD)	Feria
Tuesday	17 th	9.30 a.m.	Bakewell	Deacon John (E H)	Feria
Wednesday	18 th	11.30 a.m. .6.15 p.m.	Hassop Bakewell	David Hurd R I P C S Sp (†)	Ash Wednesday [fasting, Prayer, sharing]
Thursday	19 th	9.30 a.m.	Bakewell	Donor's Intention (C Sh)	Lenten Feria
Friday	20 th	11.30 a.m.	Hassop	Amelia's B'day (C Sh)	Lenten Feria
Saturday	21 st	6.15 p.m.	Bakewell	Parishioners	1st Sunday of Lent
Sunday	22 nd	10.00 a.m.	Hassop	Arthur & Sheila Scott RIP	

Every year Catholics try to answer the age-old question: What should I do for Lent? Well, who better to pick as your Lenten spiritual director than Pope Francis? He has some great ideas for you! Take this one for example: **Don't remain indifferent** "Indifference to our neighbour and to God also represents a real temptation for us Christians. Each year during Lent we need to hear once more the voice of the prophets who cry out and trouble our conscience. God is not indifferent to our world; he so loves it that he gave his Son for our salvation." – Pope Francis Lenten Message, 2015 (through Kevin Cotter Lakewood CO)

Ministries weekend of 21st/22nd February

	Readers	E. Ministers	Welcomers
Bakewell 6.15 p.m.	A. Jenkins, M. Trend	A. Shimwell	V. Dooley
Hassop 10.00 a.m.	Young People	N. Harney, E. Muller	B&A O'Connor
Counters	15 th Feb: AJWF	22 nd Feb.: JNM	

Diary of the month:

18th Ash Wednesday, day of fasting and abstinence – the season of Lent begins: morning Mass Hassop at 11.30am – evening Mass in Bakewell at 6.15pm. Lent Jars are available to support our Lenten charity: this year we have agreed to help the *Street Children* in Sierra Leone.

22nd Usual last Sunday of month Mass at 10.00am with our younger parishioners in mind. Please prepare as usual.

24th Finance Committee meets at 7pm in presbytery

27th Family Fast Day for **CAFOD**: envelopes are available for this and there will be a 2nd collection for **CAFOD**. Some of you will know already that **CAFOD** is undergoing a re-organising of its main London office but it still depends heavily on local volunteers.

Our Parish and the season of Lent: every Lent is an invitation to become more attached to the ways and the teaching of Christ. This Lent will be no different! Pope Francis will write a message to the Faithful and invite them again to embark on this journey with faith, hope and love. The activities in parish life are only little "props" for us to use and people may choose to ignore these and have their own "props". This is fine except, of course, a community activity does give us something to build around and to have as a focal point especially if we make such activities an important part of our planning as *'living stones'* in the parish community.

This year, we will have Mass at 11.30am on Fridays followed by a short form of the Way of the Cross: soup will be available in the parish rooms afterwards and donations can be given for our Lent charity. *If you would like to volunteer to make soup please let Fr Hugh know*, we have volunteers already for the first 3 Fridays. Obviously, people who would like to make the Way of the Cross at other times are free to make their own arrangements in either of our churches. Many of you have keys already.

Gerry Coates + Friends are giving a concert with the theme **God's Gift of Love** on Tuesday, 10th March in **Sheffield** at *St Vincent's Parish Hall, 40 Pickmere Rd, Crooke S10 1GY* – starts at 7.15pm and open to all.

Last Sunday's collection: Envelopes £149.00 Loose Plate Hassop £74.75 Bakewell £35.96 Total £259.71
Gift Aid Envelopes are available in both churches for use by parishioners and visitors. Please use!

You will be very happy to know that our Lourdes Fund Raising last Sunday realised £145.23 and a further £50.00 donation was given for the fund by a parishioner. Our next fund raising event will be on Sunday 1st March after Mass in Bakewell. Again, our "pilgrims" have to prepare for this!

As we prepare for March ...1st is a Sunday so we have our first Sunday Mass schedule with Lourdes fund raising in Bakewell. **14th** is *Mothering Sunday* ... some preparations needed! **22nd** 'Bacon Butty Sunday' arranged by Social Committee: this is a parish fund raising event since we have reduced the number of social events in the parish. St Joseph's Matlock has something similar and it works well there. We hope it will work equally well in Hassop.

Bryan Barkley a Red Cross volunteer was dismissed by the British Red Cross because of his views on traditional marriage according to the *Coalition for Marriage* email recently received. You can obtain more information by consulting the *Coalition's* web site.

A word of thanks from the Loughnane family who celebrated their Mother's 80th birthday with us last Sunday: "Having Mass at Hassop with your community, the choir, fantastic weather, and a great meal gave us a day to remember."

Many news and opportunity items, especially from the Diocese, are received from various sources – too many to mention individually in the newsletter. A number of their posters are placed on the notice boards so, please, have a look at the boards for further details.

Sick and Housebound: We remember Audrey Brooks, Jenny Lovett, Patricia Turner, Cliff Mann, Shirley Plant, Peggy Johnson, Agnes Wilson and Eileen Simpson along with all the sick of the parish.

Anniversaries: – We pray this week especially for Anthony Culshaw and Bishop Vincent Ezeonyia CSSp who died suddenly last weekend in Nigeria.

May their souls rest in peace.