

**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, 26<sup>th</sup> November 2017**

<b>Saturday</b>	25 <sup>th</sup>	6.15 p.m.	Bakewell	Parishioners	<b>Christ the King</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	25 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 a.m.	Hassop	A & F Marsh RIP (E M)	
<b>Monday</b>	27 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	Hassop	CSSp Intention (S Gen.)	<b>Feria</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	28 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m. 7.00 p.m.	Bakewell Hassop	CSSp Intention (†) Evening Prayer	<b>Feria</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	29 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	Hassop	Wedding Anniversary (M H)	<b>Feria</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	30 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	Bakewell	CSSp Intention (H D)	<b>St Andrew</b>
<b>Friday</b>	1 <sup>st</sup>	11.30 a.m.	Hassop	Mary F Greensmith RIP (K H)	<b>Feria</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	6.15 p.m.	<b>Hassop</b>	Parishioners	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent (Year B)</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	10.00 a.m.	<b>Bakewell</b>	Deacon John & Family (6 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.)	

<b>Ministries 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> Dec.</b>	<b>Readers</b>	<b>E. Ministers</b>	<b>Welcomers</b>
<b>Hassop 6.15 p.m.</b>	Y. Campbell, G. Smith	J. Peel	C&T Kilbride
<b>Bakewell 10.00 a.m.</b>	L. Brooks, M. Etchells	L. Elliot, N. Harney	E. Marsh
<b>Counters</b>	26 <sup>th</sup> Nov: JNM	3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec: TSF	

**The Creed for young parishioners' Mass**

We believe in God the Father who made the whole world.

We believe in Jesus Christ, the son of God.

He was born by the power of the Holy Spirit and Mary was his mother.

Jesus was crucified and died for us, but after three days he rose from the dead

He returned to heaven and one day he will come again.

We believe in the Holy Spirit who brings life and love to us all.

We believe that the church is one family and that one day we will share everlasting life with God in heaven. Amen.

**December 1st Sunday** next week – Mass times above.**This Sunday** we celebrate *National Youth Sunday*, always celebrated on the feast of Christ the King, and it coincides with our young parishioners' Mass. We'll have a little Blessing for the young after the Bidding Prayers.**After 10.00am Mass** We have a meeting with parents + young people to discuss our 2018 1<sup>st</sup> Communion class.**The Parish Social Committee** expresses a huge 'thank you' to all who helped them and supported our parish Christmas Fair last weekend. So many volunteered, gave their time, generously donated and came along – people from quite far away came along and greatly contributed to make it a very successful Fair. Peter Marsh has already given the final figure to many by email which is £3,568.03. Thank you all so very much and Peter will have short rest!**December diary****5<sup>th</sup>** Evening Prayer for Advent (see above)

Marriage preparation

**8<sup>th</sup>** Feast of the Immaculate Conception**9<sup>th</sup>** Advent penitential service in Ripley (Fr Hugh)**14<sup>th</sup>** Advent penitential service in Matlock (Fr Hugh)**16<sup>th</sup>** Advent recollection time and penitential service beginning at **11.00am in Hassop** – open to all, young & old!**20<sup>th</sup>** Advent penitential service in Buxton (Fr Hugh)**Christmas Mass times****23 – 24<sup>th</sup>** Fourth Sunday of Advent – weekend Mass times as usual.**24 – 25<sup>th</sup>** Christmas Eve and Christmas Morning Mass times are:- 5.30pm Children's Christmas Eve Mass in Hassop. 9.00pm Carols followed by Mass at 9.30pm in Hassop. Christmas Morning Mass at 10.00am in Bakewell.**Last Wednesday afternoon** we had a crisis meeting to discuss the future of the *Association of Bakewell Christians*. Unfortunately our parish community was not well represented having only 3 parishioners present. One person did offer apologies for not being able to come.**On Wednesday morning** after 9.30am Mass, we have the monthly meeting of the St Vincent de Paul members. The SVP members are thinking of changing the *day* for meetings from Wed to Tuesdays. If you have a preference, please let Mickey Etchells or Cynthia Rider know.**From Bishop Patrick** (just received 24.11.17): "*In 2010 the Coalition Government placed a cap on faith-based schools. This had an impact on admissions policies. The Government acknowledged that this policy discriminates against Catholic schools. The Church has been working with the Government since 2010. The Prime Minister reiterated her belief that the cap should be removed in 2016 and the 2017 Conservative Party Manifesto promised to do this. The present Secretary of State for Education may be about to reverse this decision. If she does, it will rob parents of the right to choose a Catholic education for their children.*" **YOU** can do something about this. Write to your MP to express your concerns. Go on line and search for 'Catholic Education' **or** to <http://catholicnews.org.uk> for follow-up.**Recently**, clergy were asked: 'Do you ever ask your parishioners about styles of worship and the content of homilies?' Well we have a Liturgy Committee and folks are invited to contact them but, if you have a burning desire, to do something special, please do contact a committee member. The same applies re our use of the Eucharistic Prayer. There are many options – feel free to make your preferences known and who knows what might happen!**The Diocesan newspaper** is available this weekend.**Sick and Housebound:** Margaret Taberner, Patricia Turner, Shirley Plant, Mary McNulty, Eileen Simpson, Rosaline Varnes and Mary Howlings. We also remember the many parishioners and friends not mentioned here especially those who have recently had surgery**Anniversaries:** – We pray especially this week for Dora Mathias, Nancy Sinclair, Mary Frances Greensmith and Thomas Butterell. **May their souls rest in peace****Last Sunday's collection: Envelopes £160.00 Loose Plate Bakewell: £36.86 Hassop: £84.18 Total £281.04****Remember, please, parish account is simply Hassop & Bakewell RCP – that's all! Thank you.****Gift Aid Envelopes are available in both churches for use by parishioners and visitors. Please use!**