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, 17th December 2017

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Saturday	16 th	6.15 p.m.	Bakewell	Parishioners	3 rd Sunday of Advent					
Sunday	17 th	10.00 a.m.	Hassop	Joan Coleman RIP (H C)	Gaudete Sunday (Rejoice!)					
Monday	18 th	9.30 a.m.	Hassop	Angela & Peter Intentions	Advent Feria					
Tuesday	19 th	9.30 a.m. 7.00 p.m.	Bakewell Hassop	Deacon John RIP (C R) Evening Prayer	Advent Feria					
Wednesday	20 th	9.30 a.m.	Hassop	Mgr James Hagan CSSp (A F)	Advent Feria					
Thursday	21 st	9.30 a.m.	Bakewell	Family Intention (B D J)	Advent Feria					
Friday	22 nd	11.30 a.m.	Hassop	Jordan Family Int. (V J)	Advent Feria					
Saturday	23 rd	6.15 p.m.	Bakewell	Parishioners	4 th Sunday of Advent					
Sunday	24 th	10.00 a.m.	Hassop	Nigel Etchells RIP (C R)						
Sunday	24 th	5.30 p.m.	Hassop	Parishioners	Children's Christmas Mass					
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Ministries 23 rd /24 th Dec	Readers	E. Ministers	Welcomers	Ministries 24 th /25 th Dec	Readers	E. Ministers
Bakewell 6.15 p.m.	P.Greenhalgh, A.Jenkins	E. Hague	P.Greenhalgh	Hassop 5.30pm	Children	L Elliot, M.Etchells
Hassop 10.00 a.m.	E.Marsh, P.Robinson	B.Cain, J.Hespe	TBA	Hassop 9.pm	Blankenstein,.Campbell	A.Shimwell, N.Harney
Counters	17 th Dec: TNM	24 th Dec: C	ABG	Bakewell 10am	A.Jenkins, H.Hoare	J.Peel, A.Shimwell

The prophets foretold his coming... the Virgin Mary longed for his coming... John the Baptist sang of his coming and proclaimed his presence when at last he came. May he find us watchful in prayer and exultant at his coming again.

Diary of the Month

This Sunday we have a retiring collection to help the parishioners who will prepare both churches with Christmas decorations. Thank you! Also, Liz Marsh requests that you help with some greenery. If you can help, please bring your greenery to Hassop church next Saturday morning (23rd).

PLEASE note the Mass times and Ministries given above and arrange a substitute if necessary.

Last days of December diary

19th –a Tuesday - SVP meeting after morning Mass. Please note the change of day at the request of some members. We hope this change will help our SVP's parish outreach.

20th Advent penitential service in Buxton (Fr Hugh)

Christmas Mass times

23 – 24th Fourth Sunday of Advent – weekend Mass times as usual in Bakewell and Hassop.
24 – 25th 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.

30th – **31**st December -Weekend Mass times as usual

Rachel Wilson will coordinate our 5.30pm Children's Christmas Eve Mass and, obviously, we have to put some preparation into this special service. Please let Rachel know if your children will be with us for Christmas. Rachel's email is: Rachel Moore rlynnme@gmail.com The choir is already very busy rehearsing – thank you all for your Tuesday after Tuesday. Now time to encourage the children to prepare as well. There is not an over-generous response to this request. If **no** preparations, **no** special children's service!

The Advent Liturgy has special readings and antiphons for each day from 17th to 24th December. We have the beautiful "O" antiphons ... O Clavis David ... O Radix Jesse... O Rex gentium ... O Emmanuel. These are called 'the major antiphons'

Parish 100 Club winners last week were Wm & A-m Fell, B Goddard, M Watkiss, A Lancashire and J & G Heyes. Grateful thanks to all who support the Club and to those who keep it going. We still have not yet reached that **100**!

<u>Clergy Christmas Offerings</u> is a longstanding custom in our Catholic parishes and in other Christian churches. Envelopes will be available next week for this.

<u>Catholic News (diocesan paper)</u> is available. They are looking for a parish contact person! <u>YOU</u> COULD BE THE ONE! Our contact with the Diocese is not a huge contact but we should try to know what is going on in it.

<u>Sick and Housebound</u>: 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 and are still in hospital.

Anniversaries: - We pray this week especially for Joan Coleman, Christine Roper, Tony Furness and Albert Fidler.

May their souls rest in peace.

Last Sunday's collection: Envelopes £133.00 Loose Plate Bakewell: £17.88 Hassop: £32.71 Total £183.59. The heating was still on last week even if <u>you</u> could not make it! Please remember parish a/c name is just Hassop & Bakewell RCP Gift Aid Envelopes are available in both churches for use by parishioners and visitors. Please use!