The Catholic Community of All Saints Catholic Church, Hassop, and Our Lady & St Joseph Catholic Church, Matlock







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Every Moment Matters As You Serve

Bakewell, Hassop & Matlock



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Newsletter



First Sunday of Lent

In this First Sunday of Lent, the Gospel introduces us to the journey toward Easter, revealing Jesus as he remains in the desert for 40 days, subjected to the temptations of the devil. This episode takes place at a precise moment in Jesus' life: immediately after his Baptism in the River Jordan and prior to his public ministry. He has just received the solemn investiture: the Spirit of God has descended upon him, the heavenly Father has declared him "my beloved Son". Jesus is now ready to begin his mission; and as this mission has a declared enemy, namely, Satan, He confronts him straight away, "up close". The devil plays precisely on the title "Son of God" in order to deter Jesus from the fulfilment of his mission: "If you are the Son of God"; and proposes that He perform miraculous acts — to be a "magician" such as transforming stones into bread so as to satiate his hunger, and throwing himself down from the temple wall so as to be saved by the angels. These two temptations are followed by the third: to worship him, the devil, so-as-to have dominion over the world.

Through this three-fold temptation, Satan wants to divert Jesus from the way of obedience and humiliation — because he knows that in this way, on this path, evil will be conquered — and to lead Him down the false shortcut to success and glory. But the devil's poisonous arrows are "blocked" by Jesus with the shield of God's Word (vv. 4, 10), which expresses the will of the Father. Jesus does not speak a word of his own: He responds only with the Word of God. Thus the Son, filled with the power of the Holy Spirit, comes out of the desert victorious.

Pope Francis







The Seven Last Words

Fr Robbie will lead us through Lent 2023 discussing 'The Seven Last Words of Christ upon the Cross.'

Ash Wednesday Wednesday 22nd February

Location - Hassop - Spiritan Room Location - Matlock - Parish Hall

<u>Hassop</u> - Thurs Feb 23rd - 7:00pm "Father, forgive them"

<u>Matlock</u> - Thurs Mar 2nd - 7:00pm "Today you will be with me in Paradise"

<u>Hassop</u> - Thurs Mar 9th - 7:00pm "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"

<u>Matlock</u> - Thurs Mar 16th - 7:00pm "Woman, here is your son...

<u>Hassop</u> - Thurs Mar 23rd - 7:00pm "Father, into your hands I commend my spirit"

<u>Matlock</u> - Thurs Mar 30th - 7:00pm "I am thirsty"

<u>Matlock/Hassop</u> - Good Friday "It is finished"

Mass Intentions

Year A - Cycle I - Eucharistic Prayer: II - Psalter: I

Saturday 25th February - Weekday of Lent

10.30am - 11.30am - Matlock - Confessions

12.30pm - 1.30pm - Matlock - Baptisms/Weddings

4:30pm - Matlock - Rosary - Joyful Mysteries

5:00pm - Matlock - Mass - Kath & Sam Murgatroyd RIP

Sunday 26th February - First Sunday of Lent

9:00am - Hassop - Mass - Carmel Goddard RIP Ann(Bernadette Goddard)

11:00am - Matlock - Mass - Holy Souls

Monday 27th February - Weekday in Lent

No Mass/No Service (Fr Robbie's Time Off)

Tuesday 28th February - Weekday in Lent

No Mass/No Service (Fr Robbie's Time Off)

Wednesday 1st March - St David, Bishop, Patron of Wales

9.30am - Matlock - Rosary - Glorious Mysteries

10.00am - Matlock - Mass - J R Haynes

11:30am - Hassop - Stations of the Cross

12.00pm - **Hassop** - Mass - E.M. Hodgkinson

1.00pm - **Hassop** - 'Meet Fr Robbie' by appointment

3:45pm - Matlock - First Holy Communion Class

Thursday 2nd March - Weekday of Lent

9.30am - Matlock - Rosary - Mysteries of Light

10.00am - Matlock - Mass - J R Haynes

Thursday - 7:00pm - Matlock - Lenten Course

"Today you will be with me in Paradise"

Friday 3rd March - Weekday of Lent (Family Fast Day - Lent)

9:00am - Matlock - 'Meet Fr Robbie' by appointment

2.00pm - Matlock - World Day of Prayer (Host - St Joseph's)

2.00pm - Bakewell - World Day of Prayer (Host - Methodists)

5.30pm - Matlock - Stations of the Cross

6.00pm - **Matlock** - Mass - Holy Souls

Saturday 4th March - St Casimir

10.30am - 11.30am - Matlock - Confessions

12.30pm - Matlock - Baptism - Miss Sofia Castillo Douglas

4:30pm - Matlock - Rosary - Joyful Mysteries

5:00pm - Matlock - Mass - People of God

Sunday 5th March - Second Sunday of Lent

9:00am - Hassop - Mass - John Lovett RIP

11:00am - Matlock - Mass - Jessie & Roy Bonsall RIP (Family)







Safeguarding Representative Anthony Howlings

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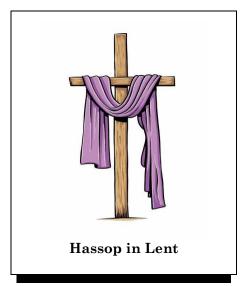
'As a Christian Family,
we will meet and celebrate
the Holy Eucharist on the first
day of the week. We will care
for and support each other.
We will strive to be good
examples of our Christian
faith and show our
commitment to that faith in
our daily lives. In love we will
support and participate
with other Christian Churches
in and around Bakewell.'

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Hassop & Bakewell - News for the Pews

The Seven Last Words - Fr Robbie will lead us through Lent 2023 discussing. 'The Seven Last Words of Christ upon the Cross."

Second session - $\underline{\text{Matlock}}$ - Thurs March 2^{nd} 7:00pm "Today you will be with me in Paradise"

Sick and Housebound - We remember in our thoughts and prayers: Marie Hopkinson, Pat Erskine-Murray, Maria Hutchinson, Peter Peel, Annalise & Shirley Plant, Mary Howlings, James Bailey and all our sick and housebound parishioners and friends.

Bakewell - World Day of Prayer, 3 March 2023 - "I have heard about your faith" Our sisters in Taiwan are sending blessings with the service they have prepared for the World Day of Prayer. Taiwan is an island rich in natural resources and culturally diverse. Do join us for this ecumenical gathering at 2.00pm in Bakewell Methodist Church on Friday 3rd March. Everyone is welcome.

Friday 3rd March - Cafod Lent Family Fast Day

CAFOD Syria-Turkey Earthquake Appeal CAFOD - is responding with support of provision of food, water, shelter, medical assistance and winter kits for survivors. Let us join CAFOD in praying for our sisters and brothers affected by the earthquakes and the winter weather. Your support for CAFOD throughout the year allows our Catholic agency to act quickly when disasters strike, but more help is needed. For more details visit CAFOD's Syria Turkey Emergency Appeal online at https://cafod.org.uk/give



Stations of the Cross - Hassop - 11:30am - Each Wednesday before Mass

Sanctuary Lamp - Repose of the soul of John Lovett

Hymns Books - If anyone has borrowed a hymn book from the church and still has it at home, please could you return it as soon as possible.

Parish Collection - Thank you for your ongoing generosity. Please consider 'Gift Aiding' your donations. It costs you nothing and benefits the parish by 25% added to your donation by the taxman - so £5 turns into £6.25. Also 'Standing Orders' support us even when you're away. Contact Lucinda in the Emmaus office to send you a pack.

January - Groups and Regular Events - All welcome - Anytime!					
Choir Practice		Tuesdays at 3:30pm			
Matlock Friday Bible Study Group		Fridays 11:00am - Matlock Parish Hall			
Holy Hour & Benediction		Thursdays 7:00pm - Alternating			
Rotas	Hassop 26 th February		Hassop 5 th March		
Sunday Wardens - Close	Volunteers		Volunteers		
Welcome - Sunday	Keohane-Gaskell Family		Mike Ward		
Readers - Sunday 9am	Family Mass		Roland		
Sunday Morning Coffee	Fiona & Volunteer		Vicky & Volunteer		
Wednesday - Reader	Liz		Marie		
Bidding Prayers	Christine		Ken		
Flowers	Lent - No Flowers		Lent - No Flowers		
Hassop/Bakewell - Thank You so much for supporting Your Parish					

Loose: £167.05 Env: £85.00 S/0: £452.07 Total: £704.12



Safeguarding Representative Position Pending

Our parish community is called to build the Kingdom of God. We gather for **WORSHIP** to strengthen our Christian unity; also included are our various ministries where you can SERVE those most in need with love and dignity, and opportunities to GROW your faith in the truth of life that Jesus provides us. We appreciate and are open to your willingness to GIVE of your time; treasure and talent. We want you to know, furthermore, that it is here that you have a place to **BELONG**: there is always a pew for you! This beautiful building belongs to you. Cherish your time here, as God the Father cherishes you.

Make a donation to Matlock



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Society for the Protection of Unborn Children

SPUC White Flower Appeal, making it one of our largest and most important educational and fundraising events of the year.

Next Weekend - we shall be hearing a Talk from SPUC and there will be a retiring collection at all Masses to support their work - to support their life.

Matlock - News for the Pews

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Sick and Housebound - We prayer for - Bob Hilton, Gordon Smythe, Lily Chapman, Imelda Hanlon, Ann Holland, Anna Thompson, Peggy Flynn, Kath Dyson, Linda Houghton, Brenda Wain and Stephanie.

First Holy Communion Classes 2023
St Joseph Parish Hall, Matlock - Wednesdays at 3:45-5:15pm
Sessions: 1st March, 15th March, 29th March
First Confessions Saturday 1st April @10 am
Sessions: 19th April, 3th May, 17th May, 24th May and 7th June
Rehearsal Session: Saturday 3rd June 11:30am
First Holy Communion Day - Sunday 11th June 11:00am

Confirmation - the sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated in Our Lady & St Joseph Church, Matlock on Friday 15th September at 7pm by Bishop Patrick McKinney.

Friday 3rd March - Cafod Lent Family Fast Day

Matlock - World Day of Prayer, 3 March 2023 - "I have heard about your faith" Do make a special effort to join us for this ecumenical gathering this year, as it is St Joseph's turn to host the service. It will be at 2.00 pm at St Joseph's on Friday 3rd March. Everyone is welcome. If anyone would like to help with preparing the service/be willing to do a reading, you would be doubly welcome.



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Welcome - Saturday	Mary & Ray		Paula & David		
Readers - Saturday 5pm	Tim L & Chiara McG		Amelia M & Liz C		
Simple Saturday Supper	Jill & Tim		Caroline & Ged		
Welcome - Sunday	Phyl E & Volunteers		Phyl E & Volunteers		
Readers - Sunday 11am	Ingrid P & Sheila S		Derrick & Catherine C		
Church Cleaners	Volunteer Needed		Bernard & Shirley		

Matlock - Thank You so much for supporting Your Parish

Loose: £98.32 Env: £192.50 S/0: £738.81 Total: £1,029.63

Parish Requiem Mass for the loss of children

Friday, 4th March 2023 at 6:00pm

Our 'Annual Requiem Mass for the Loss of Children'



It will be celebrated in memory of our children who have died whatever age or however long ago - my hope is that this will be a source of hope and grace to us all.



ALL are encouraged to attend this beautiful Mass and Ceremony of Light, celebrated by Fr Robbie.