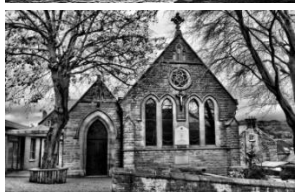


The Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

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

Newsletter



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This is day three of Jesus' ministry. John again proclaims the "Lamb of God" title to two of his disciples, one is Andrew (Simon Peter's brother) and the other is believed to be John, the writer of this gospel. John the Baptist shows great humility and purpose when he continues to point his own disciples to Jesus. John is fulfilling his purpose.

And then a remarkable thing happens. Jesus *turns to face* and initiates a conversation with the two disciples. This shows us God's heart. He does not leave us to search and search on our own, but He is there helping us all along the way, even in the seeking itself. God is like the prodigal's father. He is One who is always standing vigilant, waiting for us, wanting us to turn to Him.

Jesus doesn't bother with any introductions, for He knows the disciples and that they know of Him. So, Jesus gets to the point immediately, and asks them what they are looking for. This is an interesting question; one that we need to ask ourselves.

Reflection by Theresa Fronius



Parish Spiritual Support 2024

'Meet Fr Robbie'

Hassop - Wednesdays
 Matlock - Fridays
 Contact the Emmaus Hub to book.

Confession

Matlock & Hassop
 Saturdays
 10:30-11:30am
 Alternating
 See Newsletter.

Holy Hour

Matlock & Hassop
 7pm Thursdays
 Alternating
 See Newsletter

Holy Rosary

Matlock
 9:30am Wednesday,
 Thursday, Friday and
 4:40pm Saturday.

Bible Group

Matlock
 Fridays at 11am

Second Week of Ordinary Time Year B - Cycle II - Eucharistic Prayer: III - Psalter: II	
Saturday 13th January - St Hilary, Doctor of the Church	
10:30am - 11:30am - Matlock - Confessions	
4:30pm - Matlock - Rosary - Joyful Mysteries	
5:00pm - Matlock - Mass - Welfare of Sr Frederica (Godfrey/Caldicott)	
Sunday 14th January - 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	
9:00am - Hassop - Mass - Dermot, Angela & Jack RIP (E Hague)	
11:00am - Matlock - Mass - People of God	
5:30pm - Matlock - Mass - Holy Souls	
Sunday - 5:30pm Mass - Matlock A MASS FOR THE BUSY CATHOLIC	
Monday 15th January - Weekday in Ordinary Time	
No Mass/Service	
Tuesday 16th January - Weekday in Ordinary Time	
No Mass/Service	
Wednesday 17th January - St Anthony, abbot	
9.30am - Matlock - Rosary - Glorious Mysteries	
10.00am - Matlock - Mass - Holy Souls	
12:00pm - Hassop - Mass - Holy Souls	
12:30pm - Hassop - 'Meet Fr Robbie' by appointment	
3:45pm - Matlock - First Holy Communion - Sign Up Session	
Thursday 18th January - Weekday in Ordinary Time	
9.30am - Matlock - Rosary - Mysteries of Light	
10.00am - Matlock - Mass - Holy Souls	
7:00pm - Hassop - Holy Hour (Adoration & Benediction)	
Friday 19th January - Weekday in Ordinary Time	
9/10/11am - Matlock - 'Meet Fr Robbie' by appointment	
5.30pm - Matlock - Rosary - Sorrowful Mysteries	
6.00pm - Matlock - Mass - Holy Souls	
Saturday 20th January - Weekday in Ordinary Time	
10:30am - 11:30am - Hassop - Confessions	
4:30pm - Matlock - Rosary - Joyful Mysteries	
5:00pm - Matlock - Mass - Holy Souls	
Sunday 21st January - 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	
9:00am - Hassop - Mass - Ornella Fancesca Luisa Allsop RIP (Nasini) 8th Anniversary (Family)	
11:00am - Matlock - Mass - Ann Roe RIP - 4 th Anniversary	
5:30pm - Matlock - Mass - People of God	
Sunday - 5:30pm Mass - Matlock A MASS FOR THE BUSY CATHOLIC	



Hassop & Bakewell - News for the Pews

Sick and Housebound - Thoughts and prayers for: Marie Hopkinson; Maria Hutchinson; Peter Peel; Annalise & Shirley Plant; Mary Howlings; Henry Coleman; Gerry Carlton, Gitte Turnbull and all our sick.

Sick and Retired Priests Fund - There will be a second collection next weekend, 20th/21st January, in aid of the Sick and Retired Priests Fund. Donations to this fund are to provide a sum for the priests of the Diocese who are currently in service, so that an annual grant can be paid to them when they retire. They are also used to support these priests if they are sick and unable to work for any reason. These amounts are needed in addition to those collected by the Retired Priests Appeal, which were primarily for those who have already retired, and also in respect of past service for those currently working.

Do you have any leftover items of non-perishable food or toiletries that are unwanted after the Christmas festivities?

Then please think about donating them to our 'Warm Space Mondays' where we can make sure the food and toiletries are given to those in need as we enter what will be a New Year struggle for many moving forward. You can leave your goods at the back of church and Fr Robbie will deliver them over to Matlock on a weekly basis.

Weddings 2024 - Any couples who are hoping to get married during 2024 in Matlock or Hassop, are firstly required to make an appointment with Fr Robbie. A minimum of 6 months notice prior to the wedding is needed. This enables all the necessary arrangements and preparations to be made. All couples without exception must attend a Marriage Preparation Course. January is the month to contact Fr Robbie.

Laudate Deum - Pope Francis has published a second 'part' of his groundbreaking 2015 letter 'Laudato Si' on Care of the Earth, Our Common Home. The new document published this past week is called Laudate Deum (Praise God) and continues to call for urgent action to protect and care for the earth. This document can be found here: https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/apost_exhortations/documents/20231004-laudate-deum.html.

CAFOD - The Catholic Agency for Overseas Development, are looking for people to give some time and join them in their mission. Could you help in our parish, inspiring our Church to help build a better world or by visiting our local schools? Maybe you could raise a voice and campaign for justice, or perhaps speak for CAFOD throughout the area? Could you support local volunteers or share your admin or people skills to help CAFOD keep costs low? Roles are flexible to meet your availability, and full training and support are provided. For more information see: cafod.org.uk/Volunteer or get in touch with Will, the local CAFOD worker on wcruddace@cafod.org.uk or 07710094455. Or could you take part in The Big Lent Walk? cafod.org.uk/walk

January - Groups and Regular Events - All welcome

Bible Group begins again in Matlock at 11am on Friday 19th

Choir Practice		Tuesdays at 3:30pm	
Rotas	2 nd Ordinary - 14 th Jan	3 rd Ordinary - 21 st Jan	
Welcome - Sunday	Mike	Vicky	
Readers - Sunday 9am	TBC	Allsop Family	
Sun Eucharistic Minister	C Allsop	M Etchells	
Sunday Morning Coffee	Helen & Liz	Vicky	
Sunday Bidding Prayers	K Heap	C & M Hambleton	
Sunday Flowers	L Marsh	J Howling	
Wednesday - Reader	TBC	TBC	

Hassop/Bakewell - Thank you so much for supporting Your Parish

Loose £69.86 Env £105.00 S/O £408.92 Total £583.78



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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.'

Make a donation to Hassop



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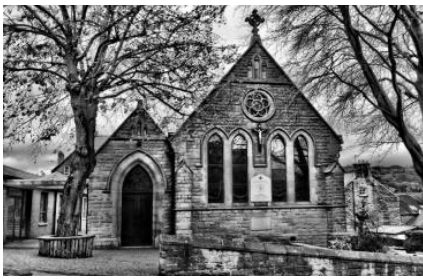
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HASSOP WINNERS
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Giles Village
- 2nd Prize £35.00
Christine Franklin
- 3rd Prize £30.00
Margaret Frost
- 4th Prize £20.00
Sarah Davidson
- 5th Prize £15.00
Bob Parsons

NEW MEMBERS WELCOME please speak to

Michael Allsop after Mass



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Caroline Rodgers**

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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.

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Matlock - News for the Pews

Sick and Housebound - We prayer for: Lily Chapman; Imelda Hanlon; Ann Holland; Anna Thompson; Peggy Flynn; Kath Dyson; Linda Houghton; Greta Carne; Olga Black; Eileen Bermingham; Shirley Smith Celia McLarkey, Ged Wilson, Margaret Beardsley and Janet Walker.

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**First Holy Communion Classes
St Joseph Parish Hall, Matlock
Wednesdays at 3:45-5:15pm**



A First Holy Communion preparation course 2024 will be starting soon - forms are at the back of church. Registration will be accepted for **children in Year 3 or above**. Acceptance onto the course requires at least one parent with their child to attend the 'Sign On' session, where there will be an introduction to the course, it's timetable and home support explanation. We shall be asking the children once again to complete 90% Mass attendance - using the 'Footsteps' card this year.

****Sign On Parent & Child Meeting - 17th January at 3:45pm****

Sessions: 31st January, 14th February, 28th February, 13th March

First Confessions Saturday 16th March @10 am

Sessions: 27th March, 17th April, 1st May, 15th May and 22nd May

Rehearsal Session: Saturday 1st June 11:30am

Corpus Christi - First Holy Communion Day

Sunday 2nd June at 11:00am

Church Tote - As you know this has been my last year for organising the Church Tote Fundraising and January will be the last draw after 34 years. I would like to thank all the tote members for their support with special thanks to those who have been members since the first draw in 1990. Over this period, you have raised tens of thousands towards church funds. Would those members who pay by standing order please cancel your payments after the 31st January with their banks.

A happy new year to everyone & thank you. **Nick Murgatroyd.**

Beginning in April 2024 a new Parish Lotto will be launched. Watch this space...

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Readers - Saturday 5pm	J Langley & E Grant	L Bayfield & J Carter
EMHC Saturday Vigil	A Hodgkinson	J Gilbert
Sat Vigil - Tea & Coffee	Liz & Paul	Sue & Michelle
Sunday Welcome	Sheila & Linda	Sheila & Linda
Readers - Sunday 11am	B Everett & C Johnson	I Pasteur & K McCluskey
EMHC Sunday 11am	Pat Gallon	Shiela Sheppard
Reader - Sunday 5:30pm	Anne Marie Wilson	Shiela Sheppard
Church Cleaners	Shiela & Linda	Bernard & Shirley

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