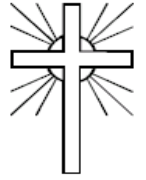


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# THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY OF 2018

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2018

## **Next Sunday - The Annual Mass of Anointing,**

**Healing and Blessing**, which has become such a beautiful event in our Parish Calendar will take place in the parish hall on St Mary's Rd. Please advertise this event to anyone who you think may be interested in coming along. There will be a bumper tea afterwards! (FG)

Anyone can come to the Mass and welcome our sick and housebound friends; there are also lists at the back of both churches for the shared table after the Mass. *Thank you in anticipation for your contributions and help.*

**As we go to press there a lot of people working very hard for this year's Christmas Fayre.** When you read this it will all be over! Can I thank you once again for your efforts and the love that you have for your Church here in Glossop. (FG)

**Operation Christmas Card** – As we all know there have been a number of developments in Glossop with lots of new houses and apartments. How about we send them all a Christmas Card, and invite them to either 'come home' or join our Catholic Faith? Including the details of our Churches and Mass times etc? If you would like to offer your services with this initiative please speak to Barbara Payne. (FG)

**Last Saturday we joined the nation in commemorating the centenary of Armistice Day and the end of World War One.** Patrick Kennedy narrated a very moving piece with a Millennial (Sarah Hussell) with appropriate music from the parish house band and members of the parish Choirs. Once again Thank you to those of you who worked so hard to make this memorial such a powerful reminder of the horrors of war, and to keep alive the names of all those parishioners who died from our parishes. We will remember them. (FG)

## **Congratulations**

To Tony & Judith Wright on the occasion of their Ruby Wedding Anniversary. *Ad Multos Annos!*

## **Thoughts from Today's Gospel Reading: Mark 13:24-32**

Chapter 13 is Jesus' longest speech in Mark's Gospel. He tells of the destruction of the Temple (end of the age) and of the coming of the Kingdom of God. Mark tells us that Jesus spoke these prophecies only to Peter, James, John and Andrew (in that order), but Matthew and Luke suggest that it was to all the disciples.

Jesus speaks of signs; first, of the afflictions the disciples will have to face; then, of the destruction of the Temple; and in today's reading of the coming of the Son of Man, the completion of the Kingdom.

The angels of the four winds that will destroy the world (an image carried on in the Book of Revelation) will gather God's elect to the wonder of eternity.

A simple parable ends the reading.

We know the seasons and the land - so learn to read the signs of the times. We smile. The signs are always being repeated!

Yes, for everyone and for every age the passing and changing nature of the universe can be seen by the human race and by every individual person.

Note in the last line that Jesus' human knowledge is limited. © Waternead Apostolate

## **Bishop Patrick writes-**

**Real Advent Calendar 2018:** The Meaningful Chocolate Company have created a new Advent Calendar.

Behind each of the 25 windows there is a line of the Christmas story, and the calendar comes with a free Christmas Story/Advent activity book which has a page for every day in Advent. Not only does it reinforce the Christmas story with narrative, quizzes and challenges, it also gives a sense of the Advent journey. Please encourage people to visit [www.meaningfulchocolate.co.uk](http://www.meaningfulchocolate.co.uk) to find out more.

**God, Love & Sex: Sat 1<sup>st</sup> December, 10.30-4pm at the University of Nottingham.** A one-day conference to explore how Pope St. John Paul II's landmark Theology of the Body can transform our lives. Organised by the Diocesan Marriage and Family Life Commission in association with the University of Nottingham Catholic Chaplaincy. Keynote speaker: Edmund Adamus + workshops on marriage, the Gospel of Life and same sex attraction. Cost is £10 (£5 unwaged/students). For more details and to book visit: <http://www.totbday.org.uk/>

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**Our offerings last week:**

	Loose	Envelopes	S/O	Total
All Saints	£83.86	£97.00	£120.00	£300.86
St Mary's	£212.52	£168.70	£261.00	£642.22

Thank you for your generosity.

**Many thanks for your continued contribution** to the sick and retired Priests fund.

**All Saints £43.50; St Mary Crowned £92.30.**

**Parish Diary - for the next few months:**

<b>15<sup>th</sup> Dec'ber</b>	Let's Act Performance, 6.00pm – 7.30pm, St Mary's Parish Hall
<b>16<sup>th</sup> Dec'ber</b>	Let's Act Matinee Performance, 3.00pm – 4.30pm, St Mary's Parish Hall

**Parish Rotas: Weekend of 24<sup>th</sup> / 25<sup>th</sup> November**

**Sacristans:** All Saints, 6pm Margaret McC & Barbara P; 11 am Ann & Len; St Mary's, Jack & Liz;

**Welcomers:** All Saints, 6pm Trina; 11am Natalie & Tracey; St Mary's, TBA;

**Ministers:** All Saints, 6pm Maddy & Peter B; 11am Jane & Doreen; St Mary's, Steve, Joan & Vernon;

**Readers:** All Saints, 6pm, P Donald, 11am Natalie; St Mary's, Liz, David B & Margaret;

**Bidding Prayers:** Chris (following week – Wynn)

**Band Concert, All Saints Church** December 4<sup>th</sup>, 7.45pm, Admission £5, donations of Mulled Wine and Mince Pies would be appreciated. Tickets now on sale.

**Remembering Our Loved Ones:** Throughout November there will be a large candle on the Sanctuary of both churches with the names of all those who have died in the last twelve months. On the First Sunday of Advent the names will be read out during Vespers. The candles will then remain at the front of the church until after Christmas.

**The First Holy Communion Programme** will be beginning soon in St Mary Crowned Church. Baptised children from Year 3 and above are invited. Application forms are available from the school office or from the back of church. Thank you.

**Christmas Roses:** Our churches will again be decorated with roses in memory of our loved ones, please put the names of your loved ones with a donation of £2 per rose in the basket at the back of your church. Thank you.

*"We should consider those moments spent before the Blessed Sacrament as the happiest of our lives"*

*St John Vianney*

**Confessions:** St Mary's – Saturday 10.05 – 10.45am

All Saints - Saturday 5.15 – 5.45pm

**Parish Mass Book:** Sunday: **Gloria p.9; Readings, p. 158; Creed p.11; Preface p. 68; Eucharistic. Prayer, p. 18**

			All Saints	St Mary's
<b>Saturday</b>	17 <sup>th</sup>	November	<b>6.00 pm Vigil Mass</b> Charlie & Mary Russell RIP	
<b>Sunday</b>	18 <sup>th</sup>	November	<b>11.00 am Mass</b> People of the Parish	<b>9.30 am Mass</b> Deceased members of the Hewitt & Roberts Families and Friends
			<b>12.30 pm Baptism of Tommy Bailey</b>	
<b>Monday</b>	19 <sup>th</sup>	November	<b>10.00 am Mass</b> Margaret & Charles Dearnley RIP	
				No Service Today
<b>Tuesday</b>	20 <sup>th</sup>	November		
<b>Wednesday</b>	21 <sup>st</sup>	November	<b>10.00 am Mass</b> Anthony & Howard Mellor RIP & Kevin Fallon RIP	
<b>Thursday</b>	22 <sup>nd</sup>	November		<b>10.00 am Mass</b> Thanksgiving to Our Lady, Sacred Heart, & all Angels for Prayers answered
<b>Friday</b>	23 <sup>rd</sup>	November	<b>10.00 am Mass</b> Ellison Family RIP	
<b>Saturday</b>	24 <sup>th</sup>	November	<b>6.00 pm Vigil Mass</b> James Winterbotton - 100 <sup>th</sup> Birthday Memories	<b>10.00 am</b> Exposition/Confessions <b>10.45 am</b> Benediction <b>11.00 am Mass</b> Danuta RIP
<b>Sunday</b>	25 <sup>th</sup>	November	<b>11.00 am Mass</b> Audrey Juby RIP	<b>9.30 am Mass</b> Frank Mannion RIP – Special Intention – Jean Mannion <b>2.00 pm Healing Mass in SM Hall</b> People of the Parish