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Our Lady & St Joseph Catholic Church

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'We are called to be individuals of Peace. The birth of Jesus was announced by the angels with: "Glory to God in the Highest and peace to those of goodwill!"

WORSHIP • SERVE • GROW • GIVE • BELONG

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.



A Family Welcoming Parish www.matlockcatholic.org Welcome

Mass and Community Provision Details from 1st August 2022 for Bakewell, Hassop & Matlock

Vigil Mass - Matlock - 5:00pm, Sunday Mass - Hassop - 9:00am, Sunday Mass - Matlock - 11:00am

Monday - Fr Robbie's Day Off

Tuesday - Bakewell Community Day - House Masses/Luncheons/Masses/Visits TBA

Wednesday Masses - Matlock - 10am & Hassop - Noon

Thursday Mass - Matlock - 10am Friday Mass - Matlock - 6:00pm

Confession - weeks 1-5

Saturdays 1,3 & 5 - Matlock 10:30am - 11:30am

Saturdays 2 & 4 - Hassop 10:30am - 11:30am

Baptisms - weeks 1-5

Saturdays 1,3 & 5 - Matlock - 12:30pm

Saturdays 2 & 4 - Hassop - 12:30pm

Fr Robbie's Anniversary of Priestly Ordination 26th July 2008-2022 - Congratulations

Sanctuary Lamp - Intentions of Bob Hilton

SVP - The Good Samaritan - Two weeks ago the gospel told the story of the Good Samaritan. The newsletter asked us to understand that Jesus was concerned with those on the margins of social and religious society. It then asked us to find out who in our community is in need. If you know someone in need, please let the SVP know so that they can help this neighbour. The next meeting will be Tuesday August 2nd at 7pm in the parish hall. You can make a referral by visiting the church's website or by contacting Lance Philpott at lancep@svp.org.uk

Last Week's Collection - Thank You so much for supporting Your Parish 16th/17th July Loose: £294.70 Envelopes: £188.50 S/0: £738.81 Total: £1,222.01 The Presbytery, 1 St Joseph Street, Matlock, DE4 3NG

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	Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday: Yr.	C Weekday: Cycle II Eucharistic Prayer: II Psalter: I
Saturday	23 rd July St Bridget, Religious, Patron of Europe
	*** No Confessions ***
Noon	The Marriage of Miss Catherine Dunne Wragg & Mr Steven Taylor
3:30pm	Reciting of the Rosary - Joyful Mysteries of Saturday
4:00pm	Mass - Welfare of Alma Howard (Margaret Beardsley)
5:30pm	Reciting of the Rosary - Glorious Mysteries of Sunday
6:00pm	Mass - Bridget & John McLarkey RIP (John McLarkey & Family)
Sunday	24 th July Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30am	Mass - Welfare of Helen Fox (Fox & Hanlon Families)
10:30am	Mass - People of the Parish
11:45am	Mass - Presentation Convent
Monday	25 th July St James, Apostle (Feast)
	No Mass/No Service (Joyful Mysteries of Monday in private)
Tuesday	26 th July Ss Joachim and Ann, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary
	No Mass/No Service (Sorrowful Mysteries of Tuesday in private)
Wednesday	27 th July Weekday in Ordinary Time
9:30am	Reciting of the Rosary - Glorious Mysteries of Wednesday
10:00am	Mass - Thanksgiving - Fr Robbie's Ordination Anniversary 26/7/08
11:45am	Mass - Presentation Convent
Thursday	28 th July Weekday in Ordinary Time
9:30am	Reciting of the Rosary - Mysteries of Light of Thursday
10:00am	Mass - Sick & Housebound
Friday	29 th July St Martha, Mary and Lazarus
5:30pm	Reciting of the Rosary - Sorrowful Mysteries of Friday
6:00pm	Mass - Welfare of Sr Margaret Murphy LCM (Dublin)
Saturday	30 th July St Peter Chrysologus, Bishop, Doctor of the Church
10:30-11:30am	Confessions in Church
3:30pm	Reciting of the Rosary - Joyful Mysteries of Saturday
4:00pm	Mass - Welfare of Ukrainian Refugees and the Victims of War
5:30pm	Reciting of the Rosary - Glorious Mysteries of Sunday
6:00pm	Mass - Welfare of Bakewell, Hassop & Matlock Parishioners
Sunday	31 st July Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30am	Mass - People of the Parish
10:30am	Mass - John Kirk RIP (Dorothy, Josie & Family)
11:45am	Mass - Presentation Convent
Parish Priest	Fr Robbie O'Callaghan (*Mobile: 07449 835 765 Emergency Only*)
Contact Details	□ priest@matlockcatholic.org Telephone: 01629 582804
Parish Assistant	Lucinda Watson (Thurs/Fri 8:30am - 4:00pm)
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Safeguarding	Parish Rep: Paula Scully - Diocesan Safeguarding Tel: 0115 9539850

'It's no use boasting of a special relationship with Jesus unless our behaviour shows that we are indeed special in our response to the needs of those around us'

Would you like to read at mass? The reading team is looking for new readers, particularly for the 11am mass, starting in August. If you are interested, please contact Lance Philpott on lance.philpott59@gmail.com

Live Stream and Returning to Mass - Most people have now resumed the wide range of normal activities, no longer restricted by the previous Covid measures. Therefore the Bishops' of England and Wales believe that the reasons which have prevented Catholics from attending Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation no longer apply. Masses, Adoration and 24/7 Live will continue to be streamed and recorded for your use when housebound, sick, away on holiday.

Traidcraft - If anyone would like to assist with running the Traidcraft stall after mass on Saturday or Sunday, contact Ingrid Pasteur on ipasteur@btinternet.com

Becoming a Catholic - We are now looking ahead to this coming autumn's RCIA Programme and invite any adult non-Catholic or non-Christian, or Catholic adult who has not received the Sacraments, or is interested knowing more about the Catholic Church and perhaps becoming a member to contact Fr Robbie.

SVP DONATION BOX - SVP DONATION BOX - SVP DONATION BOX is now available for regular giving on the wall at the back of church

A Holy Water Dispenser - at the font of church is once again available. Please bring a bottle to fill with Holy Water - or the one previously given out. A good Catholic practice is that Holy Water should be available in our homes.

VISION OF THE FUTURE - Surely we should be searching for the future vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life. We are a Sacramental Church who makes the Risen Christ present for all through Sacrament, yet dependent upon the Sacrament of His High Priesthood. Pope Pius X once said, "a group of altar servers is the first seminary!" Vocations to the priesthood and religious life come from our youth serving and attending the Mass.

'Every day we read a page of the Gospel, we pray with the Psalms, we read the Prophets! We will be moved by the Lord's faithfulness. Scripture will also help us to understand what the Lord asks of our lives today.' (Pope Francis, 2021)

The relics of Saint Bernadette - will travel from the Upper Basilica in Lourdes to every Catholic Cathedral in the UK in the autumn of 2022. The Catholic Bishops Conference has announced that each Dioceses will host the relics for two days.

Gift Aid - Do you pay tax? Have you signed a Gift Aid form? No, then please contact the parish office as soon as possible on 01629 582 804

Altar Servers - If there are any parents whose child took their FHC this year & would like their son / daughter to be an alter server please see Fr Robbie. We would love to have more children volunteering for the role.

Rotas - Fr Robbie feels that September is a good time to reintroduce the rotas for the sign up sheets you all filled in a few weeks ago - they will be displayed on the noticeboard at the back of the church from mid-August. For those whose names are on the rota your help is very much appreciated - if you wish to be added to the newly created rotas once up please let the office know.

"The first thing, then is not be afraid, either of ourselves or of others. We must face life. It is this deep and prolonged contemplation of reality which brings us to God, for he is behind everything" A Carthusian writer

'The Eucharist is the embodiment of that same bountiful and eternal love, and this is what we celebrate today. This is what challenges us today. It's easy to surround ourselves with like-minded people. It's much more difficult to be with those who challenge us and to make them feel equally welcome and valued' Fr A. Sherbrooke