

Sunday 20th August 2023 – Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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



Emmaus Hub

*Every Moment Matters
As You Serve*

Bakewell, Hassop & Matlock



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Newsletter



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Today's Gospel presents us a unique example of faith in Jesus' encounter with a Canaanite woman, a foreigner to the Jews. The scene unfolds while He is on the way to the cities of Tyre and Sidon, northwest of Galilee: it is here that the woman implores Jesus to heal her daughter who, the Gospel says, "is severely possessed by a demon". Initially the Lord seems not to listen to this cry of grief, so much so as to solicit the intervention of the disciples, who intercede for her. Jesus' apparent detachment does not discourage this mother, who insists in her invocation.

The inner strength of this woman, which enables her to overcome every obstacle, is found in her *maternal love* and in her *confidence* that Jesus can hear her request. And this makes me think of the strength of women. With their fortitude they are able to obtain great things. We have known so many of them! We can say that it is love that moves faith, and faith in turn becomes the reward of love. Her heartrending love for her daughter induces her "to cry: 'Have mercy on me, O Lord, Son of David!'. And her steadfast faith in Jesus enables her not to be discouraged, not even when faced with His initial refusal; so the woman "knelt before Him, saying: 'Lord, help me!'.

At the end, in face of such perseverance, Jesus remains in admiration, almost astonished by the faith of the pagan woman. Therefore, He consents saying: "O woman, great is your faith! Be it done for you as you desire'. And her daughter was healed instantly". Jesus points out this humble woman as an example of unwavering faith. Her insistence on invoking Christ's intervention is a stimulus for us not to be discouraged, not to despair when we are oppressed by life's harsh trials. The Lord does not turn away in face of our needs and, if at times He seems insensible to requests for help, it is to test and strengthen our faith. We must continue to call out like this woman: Lord, help me! Lord, help me!". Like so, with perseverance and courage. And this is the courage we must have in prayer.

Pope Francis, Vatican, 20 August 2017

Important Safeguarding information - Please be aware that our Masses and Events are regularly recorded at Our Lady & St Joseph Church, Matlock and will appear online on our YouTube channel. If you would like to receive Holy Communion but wish not to be visible on YouTube, please request via a welcomer that Fr Robbie bring you communion to your pew.

Pilgrimage for Women
 The Diocese of Nottingham is organising a Pilgrimage for Women to Lincoln Cathedral on Saturday the 9th of September. We will meet at 10:30 at the Cathedral, to be ready to celebrate Mass together at 11:00, following Mass we will have lunch together and then have a private tour of this historic church built by our diocesan patron Saint Hugh, and where he was laid to rest. The day should finish by 14:00. Please note that this is an event for those aged 18 and over. For more information and to book your place visit www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events

Healing Service
 led by Retreat Master, Fr Gladson Dabre, OSA on Friday 8th September at Our Lady of Lincoln Church, Lincoln LN2 2HE starting at 18.00 with Mass. Experience healing and restoration through the transforming touch of God's healing grace during an evening of Prayer, uplifting Preaching, Adoration, Reconciliation and Healing Prayer ministry by trained teams.

Would you like to receive the Bulletin by email or update your contact information?

Please email: info@matlockcatholic.org or info@hassopcatholic.org with your name and email or updated contact information.

Are you new to the Parish?

Welcome! Please take time to complete the parish membership form and return to the parish office or place in the collection basket at the Sunday liturgy. Discover ways to become involved. We look forward to meeting you.

**Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time 2023
 Year A - Cycle I - Eucharistic Prayer: III - Psalter: IV
 Saturday 19th August - Weekday in Ordinary Time**

10:30am - 11:30am - **Hassop** - Confessions

12:30 - **Matlock - Baptism** - Lucy Adamson

4:30pm - **Matlock** - Rosary - Joyful Mysteries

5:00pm - **Matlock** - Mass - Thanksgiving (Mary & Ray Collinson)

Sunday 20th August - Twentieth Sunday in OT

9:00am - **Hassop** - Mass - George Barker RIP (Nicolette Freeman)

Evelyn Charge/Harney RIP

Birthday Anniversary (her daughters)

11:00am - **Matlock** - Mass - Private Intentions (Henry)

12:15pm - **Matlock - Baptism** - Georgia & Emily Humphreys

Monday 21st August - St Pius X, Pope

No Mass/Service

Tuesday 22nd August - Queenship of the Blessed Virgin

No Mass/Service

Wednesday 23rd August - St Rose of Lima, Virgin

9.30am - **Matlock** - Rosary - Glorious Mysteries

10.00am - **Matlock** - Mass - Michael O'Malley RIP (Mary & Ann)

12:00pm - **Hassop** - Mass - Maureen Adamson RIP (David/Family)

1/2/3pm - **Hassop** - 'Meet Fr Robbie' by appointment

Thursday 24th August - St Bartholomew, Apostle

9.30am - **Matlock** - Rosary - Mysteries of Light

10.00am - **Matlock** - Mass - Vocations to the Priesthood

Friday 25th August - St Louis

9/10/11am - **Matlock** - 'Meet Fr Robbie' by appointment

5.30pm - **Matlock** - Rosary - Sorrowful Mysteries

6.00pm - **Matlock** - Mass - Sick & Housebound (Matlock/Hassop)

Saturday 26th August - Weekday in Ordinary Time

10:30am - 11:30am - **Matlock** - Confessions

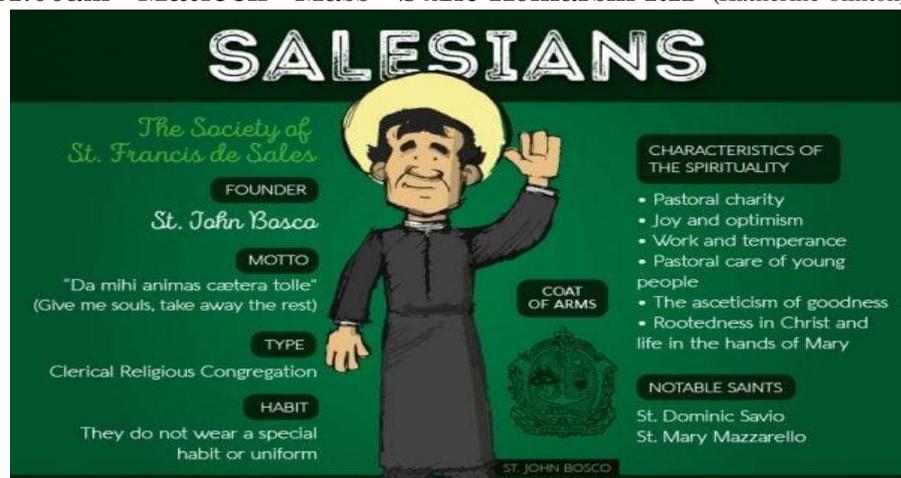
4:30pm - **Matlock** - Rosary - Joyful Mysteries

5:00pm - **Matlock** - Mass - Mary Bennett RIP Ann(Stephen Bennett)

Sunday 27th August - Twenty First Sunday in OT

9:00am - **Hassop** - Mass - People of God

11:00am - **Matlock** - Mass - Suzie Koniarski RIP (Katherine Clinton)



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 and all our sick parishioners and friends

First Holy Communion (Hassop) - will take place for our children on Sunday 24th September. Please keep them in your thoughts and prayers

Emmaus Bereavement Group (Autumn) - At whatever stage you are at in your Bereavement journey it can feel a very lonely place. Dealing with the loss of a loved one. Whenever you feel the need to talk don't be afraid to reach out and ask for help from those who care. For those of you who wish to join there will be a new Emmaus Bereavement Group starting in the Autumn. There will be a time to share – a time to listen to others – a chance to support – a chance for a fully agreed confidential journey as a group. Facilitator will be Fr Robbie and it will be held on the 2nd Wednesday in the month at Hassop and the 4th Wednesday of the month in Matlock, both starting at 7pm. You can choose to attend either, or both groups. More information will be available in September.

Sanctuary Candle - Intentions of Evelyn Charge/Harney RIP



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.'

Make a donation to Hassop



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100 CLUB AUGUST WINNERS congratulations



1st Prize £50.00
Cathy Colhoun
2nd Prize £35.00
Kathleen Addley
3rd Prize £30.00
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4th Prize £20.00
Margaret Hudson
5th Prize £15.00
Tony Marlton

NEW MEMBERS WELCOME please contact

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Visit of the Relics of St Columba St Margaret of Scotland and the Apostle Andrew



Tuesday, 29 August

Church opens 9am and closes 9pm

9AM Lauds (Morning Prayer) with reception of the Relics

MIDDAY Rosary

5PM Vespers (Evening Prayer)

FOLLOWED BY Eucharistic Adoration, Confessions, and Solemn Benediction

6PM Votive Mass of St Columba

FOLLOWED BY Confessions until 7.30PM

9PM Compline (Night Prayer)

Wednesday, 30 August

Church opens at 8.30am and closes 6pm

8.30AM Eucharistic Adoration

9.10AM Rosary

9.30AM Votive Mass for the Evangelisation of Peoples

FOLLOWED BY final veneration and departure of the Relics

AFTER WHICH tea and coffee is served in the parish centre

Organised in collaboration with the Knights of St Columba

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We say a big thank you to our choir members and the commitment they show in making our worship to the Lord so glorious!

If you would like to join the choir, please speak to a member of the choir and they shall give you more information.

August - Groups and Regular Events - All welcome

Choir Practice	Tuesdays at 7:30pm	
Matlock Friday Bible Study Group	Starts back in September	
Rotas	20th Sunday – 20th Aug	21st Sunday – 27th Aug
Sunday Wardens - Close	Volunteers	Volunteers
Welcome - Sunday	Chris A	Youth of Parish
Readers - Sunday 9am	C Allsop	M Hopkinson
Sunday Morning Coffee	Cathy & Volunteer	Youth of Parish
Wednesday - Reader	Roland	Youth of Parish
Bidding Prayers	Ann Shimwell	Mike Ward
Flowers	Kathy C	Chris F

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

Loose £122.00 Env £80.00 S/O £316.26 Total £518.26



**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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Adoration & Benediction

Will begin once again in September at Matlock/Hassop

Matlock - News for the Pews

Sick and Housebound - We prayer for: Bob Hilton, Lily Chapman, Imelda Hanlon, Ann Holland, Anna Thompson, Peggy Flynn, Kath Dyson, Linda Houghton, Greta Carne, Olga Black, Mike Koniarski and all our sick and housebound.

Sacrament of Confirmation - will be celebrated in St Joseph Church, Matlock on **Friday 15th September at 7pm** by Bishop Patrick.
Briars Youth Centre, Crich - Retreat Day
Saturday 9th September - 10:30am - 3:30pm

Sanctuary Candle - Intentions of Bob Hilton

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Serving others as we grow in faith and fellowship

Our St. Vincent de Paul parish members are men and women who strive to grow spiritually by offering person-to-person service to neighbours in need. Members of all ages, every race, and all incomes are welcome! We simply share an awareness that our blessings of time, talent, and treasure are to be shared with people in need. Please contact the Emmaus Hub if you require help and support in your life through the SVP.

Request a Mass Intention - Did you know? The custom of requesting a Mass for a specific intention, even when one cannot be physically present at the Mass, is a longstanding tradition in the Church. Masses can be offered to celebrate Baptisms, Birthdays, Anniversary, and/or to commemorate the anniversary of a loved one's death. Please contact the Emmaus Hub or submit a Mass Envelope from the church.



Why did God create you? What is He calling you to do? What line of work will fulfil you and truly make you happy? Discerning a vocation is a key step in everyone's life. Here is some helpful advice concerning the beautiful vocation of the Catholic priesthood. Marriage is a vocation, and so too are all the various professions, such as a doctor, teacher, or carpenter. God thus calls us all to a certain vocation, one which best suits our talents, best prepares us for Heaven, and most honours Him. Everyone has a duty to discern and fulfil this vocation. The priesthood is also a vocation, but one infinitely superior to all other vocations because it is supernatural. God wants to shower humanity with abundant blessings and graces, and He has chosen the priest to be the special instrument for this task. Without the priest and the sacraments, many souls will spiritually starve and will find it hard to get to Heaven. This is why discerning true priestly vocations is of the utmost importance. **Speak to Fr Robbie, anytime.**

August - Groups and Regular Events - All welcome

Matlock Friday Bible Study Group

Starts back in September

Rotas	20 th Sunday 20 th August	21 st Sunday 27 th August
Welcome - Saturday	Summer Volunteers	Summer Volunteers
Readers - Saturday	A Monteiro & L Philpott	J Carter M Rhodes
Simple Saturday Supper	Summer Break	Summer Break
Welcome - Sunday	Linda & Sheila	Linda & Sheila
Readers - Sunday 11am	C Johnson & F Kornas	K McCluskey & I Pasteur
Church Cleaners	Summer Volunteers	Summer Volunteers

Matlock - Thank You so much for supporting Your Parish

Loose: £126.20 Env: £204.00 S/0: £822.20 Total: £1,152.40

The Last Supper with Jesus



On the first day of the Feast of Unleavened Bread, the disciples asked Jesus:
"Where would you like us to plan for you to eat the Passover feast?"

The Holy Mass in Church



Fr Robbie stands there as the 'Person of Christ' and invites all to the House of God and the Altar of Sacrifice. Our holy Mass is celebrated as a memorial of the Last Supper Jesus had with His disciples. He is Present in Holy Communion

Jesus blesses the Bread



He thanked God for the bread and shared it with the disciples and said,
"Take this and eat it. This is my body which is given for you".

Jesus' words of Consecration over the Bread



Fr Robbie says the words Jesus said at the Last Supper and calls upon the Holy Spirit to come down upon the Bread which will become Jesus' Body.

Jesus blesses the Wine



Then He took a cup of wine, thanked God for it and said, "This is my blood, which will be poured out for many so their sins may be forgiven."

Jesus' words of Consecration over the Wine



Fr Robbie once again says the words Jesus said at the Last Supper and calls upon the Holy Spirit to come down upon the Wine which will become Jesus' Blood.

ENCOUNTER



Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

DISCIPLESHIP



St Paul in response to a call of the Holy Spirit, the church in Antioch chose Barnabas and Paul to proclaim the gospel. They first traveled to Cyprus, then to Antioch in Pisidia, a city in present day west central Turkey.

MISSIONARY DISCIPLESHIP



"By virtue of Baptism we become 'missionary disciples,' called to bring the Gospel to the world (cf. Apostolic Exhortation 'Evangelii Gaudium,' n. 120). 'All the baptized, whatever their position in the Church or their level of instruction in the faith, are agents of evangelization...."