

willing hands here and there will be busy next Saturday empurpling our images.
Sunday Mass next weekend at St Charles will welcome the affirmation by the schoolchildren preparing for First Holy Communion in June.

After Sunday morning Mass at St Charles there will be a joint meeting for Eucharistic ministers, 12.15 to 12.45.

HOLY HOUR gives way this Sunday to the organ recital at St Charles. Next Sunday it returns from 3pm at Immaculate Conception. Come and adore, reflect and be graced.

SPRING FORWARD the clocks change this Sunday morning. Hope I remembered!

ST CHARLES RESTORED ORGAN is ready for its rededication and opening recital. This Sunday afternoon at 3pm is diaried for this great event. Come one! Come all - and enjoy a glass & a nibble at the end.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS Please note that Stations at St Charles will be prayed on Thursday after morning Mass, and not on Friday afternoon.

PUBLICATIONS

- "Crusader" is available free-of-charge
- The diocesan newspaper is available free-of-charge;
- "MAGNIFICAT" is delayed until early this coming week

FIRST FRIDAYS We hope to visit the sick & housebound towards the end of the week. Please tell us of any who might wish to avail of this chance.

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES are boxed and ready for your collection from the back of church.

HOME BAKE This weekend at BB/GAM you will be tempted to Mothering Sunday baked delights, as this familiar fund-raiser is in the diary.

LENTEN ACTIVITIES

1. Sunday afternoons : exposition & adoration : 3pm in alternate churches;
2. Every Friday : Stations of the Cross : after Mass at HAD on Thursday; after Mass at BB on Friday.
3. Deanery Reconciliation Services : Sun 14th April - All Saints Glossop 3pm;
Mon 15th April : 10am & 7pm, Buxton
4. Ecumenical Gatherings : every Wednesday morning 7.15-8.15 at various churches in the area.
St Charles plays host this Wednesday 3rd April.

EASTER LILIES Envelopes are found at the back of BB church for you to purchase a lily at Easter in church. A £4 donation is sought.

MOIRA PENDRY RIP The family have asked that this message be publicised:

Following the funeral service at noon on 12th April, family and friends are invited to celebrate Moira's life at Stalybridge Labour Club (SK15 2JR). Because we want this to be a celebration of her life, the family request that attenders please wear blue or an item of blue clothing since this was Moira's favourite colour and also represents the forget-me-not of the Alzheimer's Society. Family flowers only, but donations to the Alzheimer's Society can be made in Moira's name through her tribute page moira-pendry.muchloved.com



PARISH NEWSLETTER

FOURTH (Laetare) SUNDAY OF LENT (C)

Mothering Sunday

31st March 2019



5pm (GAM) for the parish

Sun 31st

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

9.15 (BB) Hannah Robinson's welfare (fam)

11am (HAD) Elizabeth Heffron RIP (JM)

3pm (HAD) Organ Recital

I will return to my Father

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DATE	MASS	OTHER
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Mon 1st April **Lenten feria**
9.30 (HAD) V McNoilus RIP

Tues 2nd **Lenten feria**
9.30 (HAD) Teresa Phillips welfare (TP)

Weds 3rd **Lenten feria** Lenten prayer : 7.15am : HAD
10am (HAD) Tim Killeen RIP (fam) *f/by Weds Gp*

Thurs 4th **Lenten feria**
9.30 (HAD) E Berry's welfare *f/b Stations of the Cross*

Fri 5th **Lenten feria FIRST FRIDAY VISITS TODAY DV**
9.30 (BB) Sean Quinn RIP (fam) *f/by Stations after Mass*

Sat 6th **Lenten feria**
9.30 (HAD) J Couban RIP (KMH) *confessions 10.30*

5pm (GAM) S & S Kennedy

Sun 7th **FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**
9.15 (BB) M Pendry RIP (KMH)
11am (HAD) for the parish
3pm BB Holy Hour

LENT 4 (C)

Psalter Week 4

Introduction: *We celebrate this mass in the joy of forgiveness, and gratefully eat the manna, the food that our Father gives us for our journey to the Kingdom where his banquet is prepared for us.*

First Reading: Josh 5 : The people of God keep the passover on their entry into the promised land.

Responsorial Psalm: TASTE AND SEE THAT THE LORD IS GOOD

Second Reading: 2 Cor 5 : God reconciled us to himself through Christ.

Gospel: Lk 15 : Your brother here was dead and has come to life.

MONEY MATTERS - Last weekend's collections

Hadfield	BB/GAM
Envelopes - £214.37	Envelopes £167.20
Loose plate £101.15	Loose £71.83
SOs £261.00	SOs £126.93
Total £576.52	Total £365.96

RECENT TOTE WINNERS

HAD : 1st £40 : M Revell 2nd £25 : K Kennedy

DUTY CALLS : Next weekend : Lent 5 : 7th April

	READER	B PRAYERS	E MINS	TEA	MUSIC
GAM	D Norton	D Norton	RT	Set-up RT	
BB	C Wardle	M Pickford	SQ MD	Maree	KB
HAD	(school)	(school)	PP	MA	var

SICK AND HOUSEBOUND and ANNIVERSARIES OF DEATH

Please remember to support and pray for those listed as sick and housebound in our parish:

Philip Love, Mary Perry, Peter James, Adrian McHugh, Fr John Cairns, Fr John Sullivan, Sheila Doyle, Pauline Anderson, Marion Robinson, Eileen Berry, Monica Krommendijk, Nella Lewykyj, Neil Appleton, Alice Canning, Dorothy Yarwood.

Please recall in prayer our deceased priests and parishioners whose anniversaries occur about this time: Fr Geoffrey Kitchin, Fr David Everitt, Bishop James McGuinness, Kathleen O'Grady, Tim Killeen, Richard Cooke, Thomas Brown, Mary Bramhall, Ian Daniels, Philip Tweedie, John Thornton, Celia Draper, Annie Ackers, Mary Simpson :

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord : May they rest in peace : Amen

PARISH NOTES

THIS SUNDAY we celebrate *Laetare* Sunday. This designation is taken from the first word of the introit of the Mass : "Rejoice!". It is mid-Lent. It is Mothering Sunday—a chance to give thanks to God for his generosity to his people in the gift of maternity. And a chance to pray for our own mothers, alive or dead.

An exotic touch is the possibility for the clergy to wear rose-coloured vestments at Masses this weekend.

NEXT WEEKEND we begin the season-within-a-season of Passiontide. I'm sure that