



CATHOLIC CHURCH IN LONGDENDALE



PARISH NEWSLETTER

PENTECOST (c)

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Come, Holy Spirit

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Sun 5th	PENTECOST 9.15 (BB) for the parish 11am (HAD) for Her Majesty the Queen's welfare 12.15 (HAD) Starkey baptism	
Mon 6th	Mary, mother of the church 9.30 (HAD) Anne Scanlon RIP (VG)	
Tues 7th	feria (week 10 in ordinary time) 9.30 (HAD) Dan Neylon RIP	
Weds 8th	feria 9.00 (HAD) Angela Byrne RIP	(deanery meeting, Buxton)
Thurs 9th	OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, ETERNAL HIGH PRIEST no parish Mass today	(Chapter meeting, Cathedral)
Fri 10th	feria 9.30 (BB) Mark Townsend RIP (MD)	
Sat 11th	ST BARNABAS, patron of our Cathedral 9.30 (HAD) JH Anderson (P&PA)	noon (HAD) bapt : Knapper
Sun 12th	TRINITY 9.15 (BB) Margaret Mollahan RIP (J&SH) 11am (HAD) for the parish	HAD F&F meeting after Mass 2pm (BB) bapt : Topley

PENTECOST SUNDAY (C)

Psalter Week 2

Introduction: *Christ keeps his promise and sends the Holy Spirit to enliven the Church.*

First Reading: **Acts 2** : They were filled with the Spirit and spoke in tongues.

Resp Ps: **Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth.**

Second Reading : Rom 8 : Everyone renewed in the Spirit is a child of God.

Gospel : Jn 14 : The Holy Spirit will teach you everything.

SICK AND HOUSEBOUND and ANNIVERSARIES OF DEATH

Please remember to support and pray for those listed as sick and housebound in our parish: Peter James, Pauline Anderson, Isabella Phillips, Joe Singleton, Joan Killeen, Una Wilkinson, Christine Wild, Josie & Peter Cowden, Jacob Ibbotson, Evelyn Matthewman, Alice Canning.

Please recall in prayer our deceased priests and parishioners whose anniversaries occur about this time: Rev Andy Murdoch, Bishop McNulty; Tony Atherton, Bernard McCaughey, Regina Hamer, Catherine Millington, Ronald Bailey, David Wiedemann, Margaret Biddle, Joan Drabble:

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine on them: may they rest in peace. Amen

PARISH NOTES

THIS SUNDAY is Whit Sunday, more formally known as Pentecost. We join the apostles and Our Lady gathering in the locked prayer-room in Jerusalem. Our Saviour keeps his promise to send the Paraclete to empower the apostles with missionary zeal. The Spirit descends with wind and flame to cause them to speak in tongues of Jesus' saving works. This is the birthday of the church Our Lord came to found on earth. Thy Kingdom Come!

THIS EXTRACT from the Second Vatican Council document on 'The Church' (Lumen Gentium) was part of our reading during the week :

"When the work which the Father gave the Son to do on earth was accomplished, the Holy Spirit was sent on the day of Pentecost in order that the Spirit might continually sanctify the Church, so that all those who believe would have access through Christ in one Spirit to the Father. This is the Spirit of Life, a fountain of water springing up to life eternal. To mankind, dead in sin, the Father gives life through the Spirit, until, in Christ, the Spirit brings to life their mortal bodies. The Spirit dwells in the Church and in the hearts of the faithful, as in a temple. In them the Spirit prays on their behalf and bears witness to the fact that they are adopted sons. The Church, which the Spirit guides in way of all truth and which He unifies in communion and in works of ministry. The Spirit both equips and directs with hierarchical and charismatic gifts and adorns with His fruits. By the power of the Gospel the Spirit makes the Church keep the freshness of youth. Uninterruptedly the Spirit renews it and leads it to perfect union with its Spouse. The Spirit and the Bride both say to Jesus, the Lord, "Come!""

WELCOME into the life of our church and parish **Abel Andrew Starkey** baptised this weekend at Saint Charles. May your guardian angels care for you.

MAY HE REST IN PEACE We took note during the week of the death of **Patrick Kirwan** (83) (Vale House Drive, Hadfield). His funeral rites are planned for Monday the 13th at St Charles. We pray for his eternal rest and the comforting of his family and friends.

HER MAJESTY'S PLATINUM JUBILEE Our Bishops have asked that at Sunday Mass this weekend we include additional prayers for God's blessings on our queen. We are also invited to sing the National Anthem at the end of Mass.

CONFIRMATION Bishop Patrick plans to come to our Deanery on Tuesday the 14th June to confirm the Confirmation candidates. That celebration will take place in the evening at Saint

Mary's in Glossop. I'm sure that relatives and friends will be there to support the young ones. The visit of our Bishop to our area is welcome. I hope that many Catholics in our Deanery will come for that celebration and to greet our Bishop.

PUBLICATIONS the diocesan newspaper recently arrived, and copies are available from the back of the church.

Additionally, a lovely publication in celebration of Her Majesty's jubilee, focusing on her life of faith and prayer came to our attention recently. It is entitled '**Our Faithful Queen**'. Copies may be found at the back of church. Please take one, and if you wish to offer £1 donation please do so.

PARISH TOTE Recent winners: **St Charles** : 1st : £40 - D Garlick; 2nd : £20 - M Walsh.

Thank you to all who support our parishes through the totes, and greater thanks to those who administer them.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION is planned to be celebrated on Sunday the 19th of June, the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, in St Charles church. Thanks to those teachers, parents and catechists who have helped the young ones on this journey of faith.

WELCOME VISITORS it was good recently to meet with some Ukrainian families who have come to lodge in our area. There are many such refugees staying all over the Glossopdale area. They meet from time to time at central Methodist Church in Glossop. Our parish also plays a part in making them welcome. This we did last Saturday and plan to do so again next Saturday the 11th from 10.30 in the oratory at St Charles. It is good to meet, greet and support these new friends.

PARISHES PLANS The minutes are published of our recent joint-parishes meeting regarding proposed future amalgamations of parishes in our area. These minutes and other notes can be found on the parish website under 'Minutes—Reorganisation.' The next meeting in the matter of reorganisation of parishes local is to be at Matlock at 7pm on Thursday 23rd June.

NEIGHBOURLY NEWS At Bradbury house next Saturday the 11th of June there is a coffee morning from 10am organised by the Catholics in the Glossop parishes. This event is in support of Missio. I hope that you may find your way to that place to offer friendly support.

RED BOXES please bring your Red Missio boxes to church for emptying.

THE 'WHY' COURSE is a three-session short introduction to Catholic life. It is planned to take place at Saint Mary's parish hall in Glossop starting on Sunday the 26th June 5.30 - 7 pm. This venture will seek to answer the big questions about God, about Christ, and about the church. The three gatherings will include a light meal and refreshments. All are welcome.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2022 The theme for the next World Meeting of Families, to be held between Wednesday 22nd – Sunday 26th June, is 'Family Love: a Vocation and a Path to Holiness', and will have a focus on families at the local (parish and diocese) level, as well as the Rome-based event, in which six delegates from England and Wales will participate. The celebration in our diocese will be focused on a Mass for Families which I will celebrate on Saturday 25th June, at 4.00pm, in Our Lady of Lincoln Church, Lincoln, followed by a BBQ open to all. Please let your parishioners know about this event and ensure that bookings (numbers and any dietary requirements) are made by 18th June to Joe Hopkins (joe.hopkins@dioceseofnottingham.uk).

THE INTERDIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO PADLEY, in honour of Blessed Robert Ludlam and Blessed Nicholas Garlick, will be celebrated on Sunday 10th July, meeting at 3pm in Grindleford (S32 2JA). Bishop John Arnold, of Salford, will preach – and all are very welcome.

STANDING ORDERS: Immaculate Conception : Sort Code 30-13-32 A/c "St Margaret's church/collection" 00510567 ; St Charles : Sort Code 30-13-32 A/c "Charles church/collection" 00269177.

Veni, Creator Spiritus!