

Reflection:

Jesus knew who he was – I know where I come from – and I know where I am going. In faith Our Lord can give the same assurance. Pray constantly.

The Year of Faith:

Check out our new 'Year of Faith' page on St Alban's parish website for some wonderful reflections on the scriptures and how they relate to the Vatican documents, updated every week. There are copies of '**Doorway to Faith**', reflections for each day throughout the 'Year of Faith' - £1.50 a copy from all churches.

For those who have died:

We pray for the happy repose of the soul of Mary Murphy who died recently. Mary's funeral will take place at St Mary's with the reception of the body into church on Sunday 4th November at 7.30pm and the funeral Mass on Monday 5th November at 1pm. We remember her family in our prayers at this difficult time.

A warm welcome!

We welcome Mrs Joan McCarthy to our parish for the 10am Mass this Sunday. Joan is the new Head teacher at St John Houghton Catholic Voluntary Academy and will be available after Mass, should anyone like to have a chat with her about the school.

St Alban's First Communion 2013:

Application forms are now available from church for our Parish First Communion Programme 2013. Children eligible for First Communion must be in Year 3 or above and have been baptized into the catholic Faith. The first meeting for parents to discuss the programme will be at St Alban's Parish Centre on Wednesday 12th December at 7.30pm. Application forms must be returned to church by this date. There will be a meeting for the catechists for our Parish First Communion programme this Tuesday (6th November) at The Presbytery beginning at 7pm.

Parish Websites:

You may have noticed that St Hugh's has recently launched its new website. Why not take a look? There are galleries with photographs and interesting parish history. You can sign up for email updates if you wish. Similarly, St Alban's website has recently had a makeover. There are lots of parish events. We are also running a 'Sunday Reflection' for the Year of Faith. "Subscribe" and you can have this and other updates delivered directly to your email in box.

Marriage Preparations:

If you know of anyone who is thinking of getting married next year in church, would you ask them to make themselves known to the priests. It is the Diocesan requirement that at least 6 months' notice must be given in order for sufficient preparation for such a wonderful sacrament.

Christmas Bazaar:

The date for our parish Bazaar is Saturday 1st December, 11am – 4pm. Please continue to bring in any items for the bazaar that might be helpful. Raffle books are available from the porch for you to sell to your family and friends. If you were able to sell raffle tickets for us, please bring in stubs and money as soon as you can. Thank you!

November – Month of the Holy Souls:

There are a few 'November Dead List' envelopes still available from all Churches. During November these envelopes will be placed on our altar. Please put a list of names in the envelope together with an offering and return to church as soon as possible. Thank you.

Spiritual healing:

We warmly invite you to join us for our regular evening of spiritual healing in the parish centre on Tuesday 6th November at 7.30pm. We pray for each other in a relaxed atmosphere and there is an opportunity for people to receive individual healing. Come along and recharge your batteries! We finish with refreshments at 8.30pm.

Faith in Families Boxes:

The time has come around to empty our Faith in Families boxes at both parishes. Would all holders of the boxes please bring them to church as soon as possible.

Cleaning Rota at St Alban's:

Would anybody be willing to join the cleaning rota at St Alban's Church? If you are able to commit yourself to approximately 1½ hours per month please give Eileen Rees a call on 833672. Thanks to those who already help!

St Hugh's Coffee Morning:

The Coffee Morning after Mass last Sunday raised £95 for the Parish Roof Fund. Thank you for the support.

Ecumenical Memorial Service:

There will be a special service to remember in prayer those who have died with the lighting of candles in their memory, at The church on Oakwood on Wednesday 7th November at 7.30pm. See poster in church for details.

St Alban's 'Remembering' Service:

Our special annual service to remember those who have died from our parish community during the past 12 months will take place at St Alban's Church on Saturday 17th November at 2pm.

Parking at St Hugh's:

Now that we have only 1 Mass on Sunday morning, the car park can get quite full. May I ask parishioners to show due consideration when parking and take extra care not to damage or block other cars. If the car park is full, you can park the car at the Surgery across the road or on the drive at the presbytery (but not the grass lawn). Thank you.

Traidcraft catalogue:

The new winter Traidcraft catalogue is available on the table at the back of the worship area at The church on Oakwood.

Sacramental Policy

Baptism: Parents who would like to have their babies or young children baptized please contact Fr Paul or Canon Ka Fai.

Adults seeking Baptism or wanting to find out more about the Catholic Faith, please contact Fr Paul or Canon Ka Fai.

Marriage: Couples wishing to marry are required to give at least six months notice. See Father Paul or Canon Ka Fai.

Communion to the Sick and Housebound: If you know of anyone who is unable to get to Mass and would like Communion at home, contact Loreta or Derek Hay, 280511 or Father Paul for St Albans and Anne & Peter Rochford, 674234 or Canon Ka Fai for St Hugh's.

SCHOOLS: St Alban's Primary 01332 673823, St Benedict Secondary 01332 557032, St John Houghton Secondary 0115 9322896

PARISH NEWSLETTER

St Alban's Church

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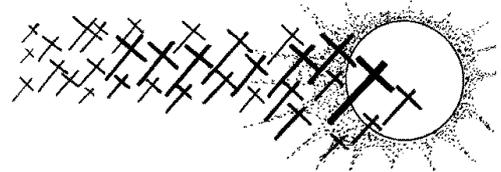
The Church on Oakwood

Bishop's Drive, Oakwood, DE21 2BA
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Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time 3rd/4th November 2012 YEAR B (Weekdays Cycle 2) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 3

Services, Mass Times and Intentions for the Coming Week

Saturday	3 rd	6.30 pm	St Alban's	John Winifred and Ian Duff-Cole RIP
Sunday	4 th	9.30 am	St Hugh's	Private Intention
		10.00 am	St Alban's	Mr & Mrs M Pitt Payne's Intention
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	The People of the Parish
Monday	5 th	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Carmelina Baldi RIP
Tuesday	6 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	November Dead List
		9.30 am	St Hugh's	Benjamin Grist RIP
Wednesday	7 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	Richard Cunliffe RIP
Thursday	8 th	7.00 pm	St Alban's	November Dead List
		9.30 am	St Hugh's	Theresa Birkett RIP
Friday (<i>Dedication of the Basilica of St John Lateran</i>)	9 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	November Dead List
		9.30 am	St Hugh's	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
Saturday	10 th	6.30 pm	St Alban's	James Moore RIP
Sunday	11 th	9.30 am	St Hugh's	Mary Kelly RIP
		10.00 am	St Alban's	The People of the Parish
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	Mrs Phyllis Kelly RIP

THIS WEEK'S SANCTUARY LAMP:

The Sanctuary Lamp at St Alban's burns for Mrs Catherine Softley RIP and at St Hugh's burns for the wellbeing of Harry Chater. Please keep them in your prayers during the week.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

St Alban's – Saturday 5.45pm – 6.15pm
The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available at other times on request.

St Hugh's – Before Sunday Mass and after week day Mass.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AT ST ALBAN'S:

Thursday from 6.15pm (Mass at 7pm) ending with Evening Prayer of the Church at 7.45pm.

Welcomers for weekend 10th/11th November

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Dawn Kiddie
	Sun 10.00 am	Walter & Win Stone

Readers for weekend 10th/11th November

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Ben Mason	Anne Forrest
	Sun 10.00 am	Sue Brown	Juan Carlos Valer
Oakwood	Sun 5.00 pm	Susan	Allan
St Hugh's	Sun 9.30 am	Eamon Hughes	
<u>Counters</u>	<u>St Alban's</u>	R & R Adinolfi	
<u>Cleaners</u>	<u>St Hugh's</u>	Mrs Woodhall	