

**Rosmini Centre:**

A weekend conference is being held at the Rosmini Centre on 19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> October 10.30am – 4pm with lunch provided. 'Clarity in Today's Muddled Thinking' – a presentation of Blessed Antonio Rosmini's thought and teaching challenging our post modern world. Register at 01509813078 or rosminicentreinfo@gmail.com

**The Shroud of Turin Exhibition:**

A full size copy of the world famous Shroud of Turin is coming to St Barnabas Cathedral in Nottingham. It will be on display from 27<sup>th</sup> October – 1<sup>st</sup> November. Please see the display on the notice board for more details. The exhibition includes a beautiful fifteen-foot replica image that is a photograph printed on to cotton by an American photographer, Barrie Schwartz. This replica is the only one on display in Britain.

**Bingo Night:**

There will be a Parish social evening on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November 7.30pm. Bingo and fun for all the family! Nibbles provided, bring your own drink and come along to enjoy each other's company.

**A Time to Remember:**

Our annual service to remember those who have died during the last year (since November 2012) from our parish community will take place on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 2pm at St Alban's church. At this service, the names of those who have died will be read and they will be remembered in prayer. Please come along to remember family and friends who have died.

**Job Vacancies:**

St Alban's School Derby is looking to employ a dedicated enthusiastic practicing Catholic for the role of Deputy Headteacher. The successful candidate will play a leading role in improving learning and raising the achievement of the pupils still further. Further information is available from [www.stalbans-derby.frogprimary.com](http://www.stalbans-derby.frogprimary.com) and visits to the school are most welcome. Please ring the office for a convenient time 01332 673823. Closing date for applications is at noon on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October. Information and applications are available from school. St John Houghton Academy is looking to appoint a teacher of Religious Education. Telephone the school on 01193228965. Closing date: 24<sup>th</sup> October.

**St Alban's School Inspection:**

Ofsted Inspectors spent 2 days St Alban's School (25<sup>th</sup>/26<sup>th</sup> September) and the result of their inspection showed that St Alban's is a 'GOOD' school with some outstanding features including 'exemplary behaviour of the children'. Congratulations to all the staff and Governors who work really hard to ensure our school is a happy and successful environment for the education of our children.

**Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:**

Ed Duncombe is at the Eucharistic Ministers training course this weekend. Ed will be joining the team of Eucharistic Ministers here in the parish. Please keep Ed in your prayers as he prepares for his commissioning.

**St Alban's Youth Group:**

Youth Group takes place on Wednesday 7pm – 9pm every 2 weeks. The next Youth Group is on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October and is open to all young people from Year 6 and above. It's a safe, friendly environment to meet friends.

**Christmas Bazaar:**

Our annual Christmas Bazaar will take place on **Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November 11am – 3pm**. We are now asking for items for the stalls – bottles for the bottle stall, items for the nearly new and bric-a-brac, toys and teddies, and items for the hamper (see the notice board). There's a box in the foyer for anything you'd like to bring for the stalls. Thanks for your help.

**Financial Statement:**

Copies of the annual Parish Financial Statement are available at both churches, together with the new Planned Giving envelopes for those of you who are in the scheme. Please pick up your box of envelopes as soon as possible. You'll need them from the beginning of November. If you would like to join the Planned Giving Scheme or give your contribution by standing order and Gift Aid your regular contribution to the church, have a word with Fr Paul, one of the Parish Council members or Clare in the parish office.

**Parish Pastoral Council (PPC):**

You will see special gold PPC boxes available at both St Alban's Church and the Church on Oakwood, and with them you will find suggestion slips for you to use any time. Questions, suggestions, ideas or concerns – these will be brought to the next PPC meeting and discussed. You can leave your name and details on the slip if you wish, or if you would rather remain anonymous, it's up to you. This is being implemented so that all parishioners have the opportunity to ask questions or put their ideas forward. Don't forget, you can approach any of the members of the PPC at anytime to raise issues or ask for clarification on any matter. Thank you for your help.

**A 'Quiet' Request:**

A number of people have commented recently on the noise level of chatting that takes place in church before the weekend Masses. It's great to use the opportunity to meet up with people and have a conversation, but you are respectfully reminded that a lot of people come to church early so that they can have a quiet time for prayer and preparation before Mass begins. Thank you for remembering our beautiful church is a sacred place for peace and reflection.

**CAFOD Fast Day**

Our second collection last weekend for CAFOD Fast Day raised £425.42. Thank you for your contribution.

**A 'thank you' from Diane:**

"I would like to thank everyone for their kindness and help during my time working at St Alban's. I thoroughly enjoyed my time there and have made some good friends whom I will miss very much (including Father Paul). Thank you for the lovely cards and presents, they are all very much appreciated."

**Sacramental Policy**

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

**Adults seeking Baptism** or wanting to find out more about the Catholic Faith, contact Fr Paul.

**Marriage:** Couples wishing to marry are required to give at least six months notice. See Father Paul.

**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 Father Paul, Loreta or Derek Hay: 280511.



YEAR OF FAITH 2012-2013

# PARISH NEWSLETTER



## St Alban's Church

Roe Farm Lane, Chaddesden, DE21 6ET

## The Church on Oakwood

Bishop's Drive, Oakwood, DE21 2BA

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Parish Secretary: Clare Boyle

## Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time 12<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup> October 2013 YEAR C (Weekdays Cycle 1) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 4

### Services, Mass Times and Intentions for the coming week

Saturday	12 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Helen Clohessy RIP
Sunday	13 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am	St Alban's	People of the Parish
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	Special Intention
Monday	14 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Helen Clohessy RIP
Tuesday (St Teresa of Jesus)	15 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 pm	St Alban's	Phyllis Delay RIP
Wednesday	16 <sup>th</sup>	<b>7.00 pm</b>	<b>Oakwood</b>	Sean & Bernie's Intention
Thursday (St Ignatius of Antioch)	17 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Yvonne Woodward RIP
Friday (St Luke)	18 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	St Alban's	Johnny Kilkelly RIP
Saturday	19 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Marie Lambert's Intention
Sunday	20 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am	St Alban's	The People of the Parish
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	Barney Kelly RIP

### **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:**

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

### **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:**

Thursday from 6.15 pm in the Weekday Chapel ending with Mass at 7 pm

### **SANCTUARY LAMP:**

This week our Sanctuary Lamp burns for Helen Clohessy RIP. Please keep Helen in your prayers during the week.

### **Patients in our Hospitals:**

If you know of anyone in Hospital who would like a visit from the Chaplain, please use the following numbers:

For The Derby Royal contact switchboard on 01332 340131 or Sister Mary on 01332 346920

For The Grove Hospital contact Fr Mark Brentnall on 01332 574474

For Nuffield & Kingsway Hospitals contact Fr Paul Chipchase on 01332 514107. Alternatively have a word with Fr Paul.

### Welcomers for weekend 19/20<sup>th</sup> October

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Cheryl Ashcroft	
	Sun 10.00 am	Marie Rowley	Sheila Caruth

### Readers for weekend 19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> October

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	David Gilhooley	Jessica Gilhooley
	Sun 10.00 am	Mark Booton	Karen Billyeald
Oakwood	Sun 5.00 pm	David	Fran
Counters	Anne Kearney	Peter Peek	

### **Catholic Schools:**

St Alban's Catholic Primary -  
01332 673823

St Benedict Catholic  
Voluntary Academy -  
01332 557032

St John Houghton Catholic  
Voluntary Academy -  
0115 9322896