

The Shroud of Turin Exhibition:

A full size replica of the world famous Shroud of Turin will be on display in St Barnabas Cathedral Nottingham from 27th October – 1st November. Please see the display on the notice board for more details. This replica is the only one on display in Britain.

Bingo Night:

There will be a Parish social evening on Friday 8th 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.

Memorial Services:

Our annual services to remember those who have died during the last year from our parish community (since November 2012) will take place on Saturday 2nd November, 2pm at St Alban's Church and on Wednesday 6th November, 7:30pm at The Church on Oakwood.

Job Vacancies:

St John Houghton Academy is looking to appoint a teacher of Religious Education. Telephone the school on 01193228965. Closing date: 24th October.

World Mission Sunday:

We will be having a second collection next weekend for World Mission Sunday. Through Missio, our prayers and donations will support the work of missionaries and the young Churches as they build schools, provide health care and spread the faith. Envelopes are available from church through which you can Gift Aid your contribution.

Faith in Families:

The autumn collection for the Faith in Families boxes is now ready. Please bring your boxes into church before 3rd November for collection. Thank you.

Simon Baldwin Fundraising:

Simon has now completed his two fund raising events; the Robin Hood Marathon and the 50 mile Great Notts Bike Ride. So far he has raised £1,236 including Gift Aid. The money will be split between Cancer Research and Dementia UK. He passes on many thanks for your support. If you still have money to pay, please leave it in the Sacristy for Simon to collect or pay online at <https://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/simonbaldwin>

All Saints day:

Friday 1st November is a Holy Day of Obligation. There will be two Masses at St Alban's to celebrate this special day; a Vigil Mass on Thursday 31st October at 7pm and Mass on Friday 1st November at 9.30am. Please note there will be no evening Mass on Friday 1st November.

School news:

St Alban's School PTA is organizing a 'bags2school' collection and invite us to join them! Clothes recycling bags will be available from 3rd/4th November for us to take away and any donation of clothing in these bags can be brought in to school or church. Textiles, shoes, clothes and bags can be included but not bedding or curtains.

St Alban's Youth Group:

Youth Group takes place on Wednesday 7pm – 9pm every 2 weeks. The next Youth Group is on Wednesday 23rd October and is open to all young people from Year 6.

Christmas Bazaar:

Our annual Christmas Bazaar will take place on **Saturday 30th November 11am – 3pm**. We are now asking for items for the stalls – bottles for the bottle stall, items for the nearly new & bric-a-brac, toys & 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. Thank you to those who have already brought in some lovely items. Raffle tickets for the special Christmas raffle will be on sale from next week. Books of 5 tickets for £1.

Planned Giving Boxes/Gift Aid:

The new Planned Giving envelopes for those of you who are in the scheme are now available. 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, speak to Fr Paul or Clare in the Parish Office.

Silent Prayer:

You are invited to come and enjoy a period of silent prayer in the Weekday Chapel on Monday 21st October, 7.30pm – 8.30pm. Everyone is welcome.

Church Cleaners:

We are looking for anyone who might be available for an hour once a month to help clean our lovely church of St Alban's. The number of people on the rota is dwindling! Would you be able to spare an hour of your time and work with others in keeping the church tidy and clean? Please contact Clare at the office if you can. Thanks!

Parish Pastoral Council (PPC):

There will be a meeting of the PPC on Thursday 24th October at 7:30pm in The Parish Centre. If anyone has anything they would like raising at the PPC please use the new suggestion box and forms or have a word with one of the members of the PPC.

Sick and Retired Priests Appeal:

We are looking for volunteers for a Parish Appeal Committee. This Diocesan appeal is for the next 4 years and duties will involve identifying funding events, setting up standing orders, attending Diocesan appeal meetings and giving updates to the parish. If you are interested in helping contact Fr Paul or James Kissane. Thanks for your help.

November – Month of the Holy Souls:

The Month of November is traditionally a time for us to remember those of our family and friends who have died. There are 'November Dead List' envelopes available from church. Please put the names of those you would like us to pray for in the envelope, together with an offering and bring them into church as soon as possible. A number of Masses will be celebrated during November for those whose names are included in the envelopes. All the envelopes will remain on the altar throughout November.

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.



PARISH NEWSLETTER



St Alban's Church

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The Church on Oakwood

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Contact details:

Parish Priest: Fr. Paul Newman
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Parish Secretary: Clare Boyle

Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time 19th/20th October 2013 YEAR C (Weekdays Cycle 1) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 1

Services, Mass Times and Intentions for the coming week

Saturday	19 th	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Marie Lambert's Intention
Sunday	20 th	10.00 am	St Alban's	The People of the Parish
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	Barney Kelly RIP
Monday	21 st	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Private Intention
Tuesday	22 nd	9.15 pm	St Alban's	Phyllis Delay RIP
Wednesday	23 rd	9.15 pm	St Alban's	Joan Eastwood RIP
Thursday	24 th	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Stephen Wilkinson RIP
Friday	25 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	Special Intention
Saturday	26 th	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Deceased members of the Duncombe Family
Sunday	27 th	10.00 am	St Alban's	The People of the Parish
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	George Endsor & Hilary Lodge

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 the intention of Lisa, Joe & Mary Farmer. Please keep them 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 26th/27th October

St Alban's Sat 6.30 pm Ellen Taylor Alice White
Sun 10.00 am Clare & Aoife Boyle

Readers for weekend 26th/27th October

St Alban's Sat 6.30 pm Ellen Taylor Carl Mendonca
Sun 10.00 am Sue Brown Kevin Boyle
Oakwood Sun 5.00 pm Sandra Mike
Counters Gillian Dove Sanju Sabu

Catholic Schools:

St Alban's Catholic Primary -
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St Benedict Catholic
Voluntary Academy -
01332 557032
St John Houghton Catholic
Voluntary Academy -
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