

For those who have died:

We continue to remember in our prayers Joan Eastwood who died recently. May she rest in peace. Joan's funeral will be at St Alban's on this Tuesday (1st October) at 1.15pm. Please keep her family in your prayers.

The Parish Centre:

If you know of anyone who would like to use our great facilities on a regular basis, please let them know it is available during weekdays and give them our details.

The Church on Oakwood:

There will be the annual collection on Harvest Sunday (6th October) for the Padley Group. Sandra Endsor has an 'item list' for those who would like to contribute.

Peace Garden:

If you would like to access the Peace Garden for a quiet moment you can do so at any time using the gate to the rear of the car park. Please ask for the code.

Rosmini Centre:

Saturday 12th October at the Rosmini Centre, Fr John Daly IC will be talking about 'The Foundation of our beliefs'; Mary Mother of God and Virgin Birth. Starting at 10:30am, finishing at 2pm, bring your own lunch. There is a suggested donation of £10.

A weekend conference is being held at the Rosmini Centre on 19th/20th 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. Suggested donation for the weekend of £30; See website for further details: www.rosminicentre.co.uk or register at 01509813078 or rosminicentreinfo@gmail.com

Job Adverts:

The Good Shepherd Catholic Voluntary Academy, Arnold, Nottingham is seeking to appoint a Deputy Headteacher from January 2014. For further details email: office@goodshepherd.notts.sch.uk or telephone school on: 0115 926 2983.

Holy Family Catholic Academy, Grimsby are looking to appoint a Religious Education Lead Teacher, a teacher of Modern Languages and a Head of facility (with ability to teach DT Engineering/RM and/or Science). Contact Mrs Farr on 01472328888 or info@hfca.co.uk (Closing dates for these jobs from 27th September – 4th October)

Thank You and Farewell:

Our thanks and appreciation go to Diane Williams, our Parish Secretary, who has been with us for the last 2 ½ years. Diane is leaving us for a Diocesan job at Willson House in Nottingham. Altogether, Diane has helped Fr Paul for over 6 years and has felt very much a part of our parish community through working in the office. Diane will be leaving us on the 4th October and we wish her every happiness and success in her new role as Diocesan Courses and Events Coordinator for Adult Formation. She will be greatly missed. Our new secretary is Clare Boyle. Clare is already working alongside Diane to get an idea of what the job consists of and will take over officially when Diane leaves.

St Alban's Youth Group:

Youth Group takes place on Wednesday 7pm – 9pm every 2 weeks. The next Youth Group is on Wednesday 9th October and is open to all young people from Year 6 and above. Come along to a safe, friendly environment and meet with new friends.

Harvest Supper at Church on Oakwood:

The Harvest Fellowship and Light Supper will be on Saturday 5th October, 6.30 pm – 9 pm. The entertainment is provided by "The Saxophonix". Tickets are now on sale: Adults £6, Children £3 and family tickets £15 – to include a light supper but bring your own drinks.

CAFOD:

St Alban's Parish Pastoral Council has agreed to support CAFOD's fundraising for Ethiopia. Marie Malloy (Diocesan CAFOD representative) will be coming on Friday 4th October to share her thoughts with us and tell us more about how we can get involved. This Friday (4th October) is also CAFOD Fast Day, so why not join us at 7.30pm that evening to learn more about Ethiopia and share some food in the parish centre. CAFOD Fast Day envelopes are now available from church. Please return any envelopes next weekend 5th/6th October. Thank you.

Christmas Bazaar:

Our annual Christmas Bazaar will take place on **Saturday 30th November 11am – 3pm**. Last year was fantastic! It was a great atmosphere with lots of people coming together to meet with friends and buy things from the stalls. Just over £3000 was raised! Let's see if we can equal that this year! We will be selling raffle tickets soon and 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. Thanks for your help. Put the date in the diary!

10th Wedding Anniversary:

Congratulations to Helen and Mike Clohessy Evans who are celebrating 10 years of marriage. Helen and Mike will renew their marriage vows at the 10am Mass this Sunday.

Spirituality Group:

On Tuesday 1st October, the eve of the feast of the Guardian Angels, you are invited to meditation and to share your favourite angel story. It begins in the Parish Centre at 7.30pm, refreshments at 8.30pm.

School Mass at St Alban's:

Year 6 invite us to their Class Mass on Wednesday of this week – The Feast of the Guardian Angels (2nd October). Mass begins at 9:30am. Everyone is welcome.

Bingo Night:

There will be a Parish social evening on Friday 8th November 7.30pm. Bingo and fun for all the family! Put it in your diary and come along to enjoy each other's company.

Financial Statement:

The annual Parish Financial Statement will be available at all Masses next weekend together with the new Planned Giving envelopes for those of you who are in the scheme.

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.



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PARISH NEWSLETTER



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Parish Secretary: Diane Williams

Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time 28th /29th September 2013 YEAR C (Weekdays Cycle 1) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 2

Services, Mass Times and Intentions for the coming week

Saturday	28 th	6.30 pm	St Alban's	John Fletcher RIP
Sunday	29 th	10.00 am	St Alban's	The People of the Parish
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	Frederick Huxtable RIP
Monday (<i>St Jerome</i>)	30 th	7.00 pm	St Alban's	In Thanksgiving - Roberts Family
Tuesday (<i>St Theresa of the Child Jesus</i>)	1 st	1.15 pm	St Alban's	Funeral Mass Joan Eastwood RIP
Wednesday (<i>The Holy Guardian Angels</i>)	2 nd	9.30 am	St Alban's School	Canon Timothy Russ RIP
Thursday	3 rd	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Rosa Anzelmo RIP
Friday (<i>St Francis of Assisi</i>)	4 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	Bill Ganley RIP
Saturday	5 th	6.30 pm	St Alban's	People of the Parish
Sunday	6 th	10.00 am	St Alban's	Stephen Wilkinson RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	James Gallagher 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 John Evans RIP.
Please keep John 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 5th/6th October

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Ellen Taylor	Alice White
	Sun 10.00 am	Walter & Win Stone	

Readers for weekend 5th/6th October

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Anne Kearney	Cheryl Ashcroft
	Sun 10.00 am	Christianne Sammut	Carlos Cuomo
Oakwood	Sun 5.00 pm	Allan	Susan
Counters	F Holmes	E Rees	

Catholic Schools:

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Voluntary Academy -
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