

**Wedding Bells:**

Congratulations to Lizzie Winfield and Sean Hopkins who were married at Our Lady of Lourdes Church in Mickleover on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> August. We offer our prayers and best wishes for you both. Elizabeth Parlato and Paul Fisher will be married at St Alban's Church next Saturday (8<sup>th</sup> August). We wish the happy couple lots of happiness on their wedding day and in the years ahead.

**Safeguarding:**

There are several people with outstanding DBS forms that now need completing urgently to enable them to carry out their valued ministry within the parish. Please contact Sue Brown as soon as possible on 01332 673066.

For all those people with existing disclosures issued before June 2012, it is time to renew them. This is now done online wherever possible and Sue will be contacting everyone over the next few weeks to start that process.

**A Family Summer Celebration:**

The African Catholic Community of Derbyshire invite African Catholics and friends to a family summer celebration at St George's Church, Village Street, Derby (DE23 8SZ) this Sunday (2<sup>nd</sup> August). Mass begins at 2pm followed by BBQ and social gathering. For more information contact Fr Jude 07429147165 or Sylvia Mchampda 07833468893.

**The Church on Oakwood:**

Date for the diary: Our Harvest Supper at The Church on Oakwood will be on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October. Live music from 'The Open Road Musicians'. Tickets are limited and are on sale at £10 including refreshments. Please contact John Cox if you are interested on 01332 606032.

**Lourdes in a Day:**

The Lourdes pilgrimage team invites us to St Mary Crowned Church in Glossop on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> August for a day of prayer with Mary. Mass begins at 2pm with Blessed Sacrament procession at 4pm and Torchlight procession at 6pm. It's a wonderful opportunity to unite in prayer for the people of the Diocese, for the Church and for the world.

**A New Parish Secretary:**

An enormous thank you to Clare Boyle who has been our Parish Secretary over the past two years and who will be stepping down from that responsibility during the summer break. We thank Clare for her hard work, dedication and invaluable support during this time. Amanda Wilson has been appointed as our new Parish Secretary and will begin working in the office early in September.

**Job Vacancy:**

The Directors of the Nottingham Roman Catholic Diocesan Education Service (NRCDES) are seeking to appoint a new Director of Education. Further details are available from either the Diocesan Education Service website, [www.nottingham-des.org.uk](http://www.nottingham-des.org.uk) or [julie.sweeney@nottingham-des.org.uk](mailto:julie.sweeney@nottingham-des.org.uk). Closing date: 10th September 2015.

**Missio:**

The money counted from the 'Missio' red boxes from our parish came to £275.93. Thank you to everyone involved.

**Second Collection 'Day for Life':**

There will be a mandatory diocesan second collection this weekend (1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> August) for Day for Life.

**The Church on Oakwood 'Junior Heroes' Holiday Club:**

'Junior Heroes' will run for 3 mornings on 10th-12th August from 9am-12:30pm for children aged 5-11 years. Cost: £5 for 3 days or £2 per session. Places are limited, so please register by Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> August. To register, you can contact Becky on 01332 664473 or collect a form from Clare in the Parish Office. See notice board for further details.

**Missionary Appeal:**

It was good to have Sr Assumpta with us last weekend from the missionary sisters of St Peter Claver, telling us about the work of the missionaries, particularly in developing countries. Thanks to your kind generosity, we were able to send a cheque to the sisters of St Peter Claver for £498.55.

**Our Visiting Church Student:**

A special welcome this weekend to Paul Smith, one of our Nottingham Diocesan Church Students. Paul has been with us for the last few days as part of his placement – his work experience. He has just finished his first year of studies at the Beda College in Rome. Please keep Paul in your prayers as he continues his preparation to become a Priest for our Diocese.

**Revive Centre - Derwent Community Barbeque:**

The 'Our Place' team invites us to join them for their Derwent Community Barbeque this Wednesday (5<sup>th</sup> August), 12.15pm–3pm. Tickets cost 50p and are available from the Receptionist at the Revive Centre.

**Spiritual Healing:**

There will be a spiritual healing service at St Joseph's on Burton Road on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> August at 7.30pm. It will end with tea and coffee at 8.30pm. All are welcome.

**Healthwatch Derby:**

There will be a chance to speak to 'Healthwatch Derby' about services for children (0-11 years) and pregnancy and maternity services. Two days are planned during August. If you would like to be involved see the poster on the notice board, email: [info@healthwatchderby.co.uk](mailto:info@healthwatchderby.co.uk) or phone 01332 643988.

**Rosary Rally:**

The Annual Rosary Rally will take place at Grace Dieu Manor, Leicestershire on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> August, beginning with Mass at 3pm. The principal celebrant will be Fr John Martin. After Mass there will be a break for picnics and refreshments resuming at 5pm with solemn crowning of the statue of Our Lady followed by the rosary, benediction and the blessing of the sick. See notice for more details.

**Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA):**

A new course will begin for the Derby Deanery on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> September at English Martyrs Church, Alvaston beginning at 7.30pm for anyone who may be interested in learning more about the faith or is thinking of becoming a Catholic. Please have a word with Fr Paul and we can forward your name on to the team in Alvaston.

**Sacramental Policy**

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

**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 or contact the Parish Office.

**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 or Angela Fairbrother 01332 544146.

# PARISH NEWSLETTER



## St Alban's Church

Roe Farm Lane, Chaddesden, DE21 6ET

## The Church on Oakwood

Bishop's Drive, Oakwood, DE21 2DF

### Parish Priest:

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### Parish Deacon:

Rev. Dr. Juan Carlos Valer  
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Parish Secretary: Clare Boyle

## Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> August 2015 YEAR B (Weekdays Cycle 1) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 2

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

Saturday	1 <sup>st</sup>	6.30 pm	St Alban's	The People of the Parish
Sunday	2 <sup>nd</sup>	10.00 am	St Alban's	Stanley Rowley RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	Eileen Holmes RIP
Monday	3 <sup>rd</sup>	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Bernadette Ward RIP
Tuesday ( <i>St John Vianney</i> )	4 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	St Alban's	Ronnie & Agnes Smith's Intentions
Wednesday	5 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	St Alban's	Jim Dawson RIP
Thursday ( <i>The Transfiguration of the Lord</i> )	6 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Fr James Murphy RIP
Friday	7 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	St Alban's	Phyllis Delay RIP
Saturday	8 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 pm	St Alban's	James Blaney's Intentions
Sunday	9 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am	St Alban's	Jim Dawson RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	The People of the Parish

### **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 6.15pm in the Weekday Chapel.

### **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 Royal Derby Hospital:** Contact switchboard on 01332 340131 or Sister Mary Barry on 01332 346920.

**For Grove Community Hospital:** Fr Mark Brentnall or Fr Slavic Hermanowicz on 01332 574474.

**For Nuffield Hospital:** Fr John Trenchard on 01332 343777

**For Kingsway Hospital:** Fr Paul Chipchase on 01332 514107.

Alternatively, you can have a word with Fr Paul at St Alban's.

### **SANCTUARY LAMP:**

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

### Welcomers for weekend 8<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup> August

St Alban's Sat 6.30 pm Malc & Ellen Taylor  
Sun 10.00 am Pat Orrell Pam Carberry

### Readers for weekend 8<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup> August

St Alban's Sat 6.30 pm Anne Forrest Malc Taylor  
Sun 10.00 am Lorraine Collins Aidan Keogh  
Oakwood Sun 5.00 pm Sandra Fran  
Counters John & Judith Davies

### **Catholic Schools:**

St Alban's Catholic Primary -  
01332 673823  
St Benedict Catholic  
Voluntary Academy -  
01332 557032  
St John Houghton Catholic  
Voluntary Academy -  
0115 9322896