

Parish Newsletter 11th/12th March 2023

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Scripture Readings –3rd Week of Lent. Sunday's year A weekdays year 1 Online Readings at www.universalis.com/mass	Our Sanctuary Lamp Burns this week: For Tom Noonan RIP @ St Alban's And for Patrick Frawley RIP @ St Hugh's
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BIGGUNS & LITTLEUNS 11.00am-1.00pm A group for all ages. An opportunity to meet new people and enjoy watching the children explore and play. We do activities for the children and the adults should they wish to join in. But it's also fine for you to sit back and relax with a coffee and cake. @ St Alban's Parish Hall
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St Patrick's Charity Party (Saturday 18 th March 7.15 for 7.30pm start) @ St Hugh's Parish Hall St Hugh's Music Group (plus guests) are planning a St Patrick's Celebration. We will have music, a raffle, best Irish joke competition etc. Please bring your own drinks and a contribution to the shared food table. Entry will be by ticket (£7), available now from Caroline Styles either at coffee morning after St Hugh's Sunday Mass at or by emailing mrs.styles@sky.com . All proceeds will be split between the Padley Centre for the homeless and the Parish Activities Group Malawi Fund. Everyone is Welcome
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Derby Deanery Youth Choir For children aged 7 upwards every Tuesday 6:30pm until 7.15pm @ St Alban's Church. (£1 a week) Derby Deanery Choir for adults every Tuesday 7.30pm until 8.30pm (£2 a week) no audition – just lots of great singing! Contact Jo for more info 07745 517371	The Oakwood Partnership will be holding three prayer meetings during Lent: 13th March & 27th March 2023 starting at 7.15pm-8.00pm These will be a time of reflection and prayer to prepare us for the great celebration of Easter. On Good Friday. 7th April, again at 7.15pm , we will have a service of prayer and hymns based around the Passion of Jesus Christ	THE HOLY GIFT SHOP is stocking up for Easter and Holy Communion gifts. Come along after Mass every week to look in St Alban's Church Hall . We take cash and contactless payments
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Cafod are still taking donations for the Turkey-Syria earthquake appeal, you can donate on-line at the following link https://cafod.org.uk/news/emergencies-news/turkey-syria-earthquake-how-your-support-is-helping You can donate on-line to the Lent appeal at https://cafod.org.uk/ As Sally mentioned last week at Mass, she is doing the Big Lent Walk, if you'd like to sponsor her or check on her progress you can do this at https://cafod.enthuse.com/pf/sally-parlato . In addition Will from Cafod is coming to join me for a walk on Thursday 16 th March and we'd like to invite people to join us. We'll be meeting at St Albans at 10:30am and plan to walk about 5km, please join us if you can. For any of the donations, if you prefer to work in cash please pop your money in an envelope with the appeal you want to support written on the front

'Christus Vivit,' An Evening for Young Adults: 6.15pm Thursday 16 March, St Mary's Church. Every third Thursday of the month young adults aged 18-35 from across Derby gather for an evening of prayer, formation, and fellowship. The evening begins with a time of Adoration & personal prayer with confession available, Canon John Cahill will then be speaking to us about the Season of Lent, after we will go for some social time at the Dolphin pub.
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3 rd Week of Lent				
Events are streamed at www.derbycatholiclive.co.uk				
Day & Date	Place	Time	Event	Mass Intention
Saturday 11 th	Oakwood	6.30pm	Mass	People of the Parish
Sunday 12 th 3 rd Sunday of Lent	St. Hugh's	9.00am	Mass	Patrick Frawley RIP Margaret Devonish RIP
	St. Alban's	10.30am	Mass	Olive Conlon RIP Geraldine Noonan RIP Tom Noonan RIP
Monday 13 th Lenten Feria	St Alban's	9.00am	Mass	
Wednesday 15 th	St Hugh's			No Mass today
Thursday 16 th Lenten Feria	St Alban's	7.00pm	Mass	
Friday 17 th St. Patrick	St. Hugh's	10.00am	Mass	
	St. Alban's	7.00pm	Stations	Stations, followed with soup
Saturday 18 th	Oakwood	6.30pm	Mass	People of the Parish
Sunday 19 th 4 th Sunday of Lent	St. Hugh's	9.00am	Mass	Int of Metro Werezak
	St. Alban's	10.30am	Mass	Sydney Herbert Deakin RIP Les & Betty Brown RIP
Lena Endor has sadly passed away on the 7 th March. Please pray for her and her family at this time. Details of her funeral will follow.				
Exposition of the blessed sacrament will be half an hour before each Mass starts				

St Hugh's Coffee Mornings There will be no coffee mornings on the following dates: 19 th March, 16 th April & 28 th May	Retreats in the Diocese of Nottingham this Lent – After the great success last year, The Diocese of Nottingham is again offering day retreats to help you grow closer to God this Lent through talks, discussion, prayer, Mass, confession, and social time. The Men's Retreat on Saturday 18 th March given by Father Julian Green (Birmingham Priest) will be focused on men of scripture and what we can learn from them; the Women's Retreat given by Sister Ann Swailes on Saturday 25 th March will follow the theme 'Here I am Lord I Come to do your Will' – How can we know and accept God's will for our lives? The Retreats will be held at the Rosmini House of Prayer (LE7 4SJ) and cost £20, including lunch and a light breakfast. To book visit: www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events , email adult.formation@dioceseofnottingham or call 0115 953 9841.
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Parish social committee: Do you like to socialise with others? Do you like to help plan events? Do you have any suggestions for future social events for any of our churches? Then we need you! Please come along on Friday 24th March at 7pm . This will be held at St Alban's on this occasion, to share our ideas and talents. We will be having a planning meeting for future social events for all of our Churches. Thank you.

Cake Sale 19th March after 10.30 Mass Molly Turner will be selling Gluten free Cakes and Biscuits to everyone. All donations will be going to Cafod.	Baptism Preparation Meeting The next meeting for all the parents wanting to have their child Baptised is at St Alban's on the 27 th March at 7pm	March 200 Club Winners 1st Prize , £200, Liz Annetts (52) 2nd Prize , £30, Eileen Rees (101) 3rd Prize , £20, Fiona Baines (146) To join the 200 club contact the office
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Parish Donations



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