

Parish Newsletter 28th/29th October

St Alban's Church

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Safeguarding The new "Parish Safeguarding Handbook" can be accessed from the Diocese Website
<https://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/departments/safeguarding> One copy is at the back of church

Scripture Readings –30th Week of Ordinary Time

Sunday's year A weekdays year 1

Online Readings at www.universalis.com/mass

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

St Hugh's

St Hugh's have a piety stall available in the meeting room with various religious items on sale. Please go and have a look after Mass. Sunday coffee mornings after Mass. Monthly coffee mornings Nov 29th. None in Dec or Jan but will return February

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

Christmas Panto 2023 Mother Goose - Sat 30th December 3pm at Derby Arena tickets £18.00 adults and £12.00 children. Best seats available. To book contact office or Linda McCauley 07758226331 - Last few tickets left

200 Club Sign up for a number in our monthly draw for a chance to win £200 first prize, £30 second prize and £20 third prize. Only £5.00 per month to join. Drawn first Sunday of every month after mass. What a great gift this would be to give a number as a Christmas present for a whole year!

Revolution of Tenderness: the 2023 annual Caritas Assembly with the SVP, **Saturday 4th November** at St Mary's church, Derby. Parishioners and SVP members are warmly invited to a day to help put faith into action and reach out to the community. The gathering starts at 10.00am with Mass celebrated by Bishop Patrick. During the day the keynote speaker is Alessandra Sciarra, SVP's parliamentary adviser, and afternoon workshops will focus on mental health, supporting refugees, offering hospitality and greening the parish. Join Caritas, the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul and Catholics from around the diocese to discover Christ in those in need, deepen our discipleship and build a more just and peaceful world. To book visit bit.ly/revolutionoftenderness or telephone 0115 648 1509

DEANERY BLESSINGS OF GRAVES on Sunday 12th November 2pm. We will meet at Nottingham Rd Cemetery with a short liturgy in the main car park (opposite Reginald Rd South) before blessing individual graves.

HOLY SOULS ENVELOPES November is the month where we especially pray for our deceased parents, relatives & friends whose name/s you can write & place inside the enclosed envelope with your Mass offering for Masses throughout the month. Envelopes are at the entrance.

St Hugh's Church

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The Royal Derby

Hospital on 01332

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Call Catholic Chaplain

30th Week of Ordinary Time

Events are streamed at www.youtube.com/@stalbandsderby

Exposition of the blessed sacrament will be half an hour before each Mass starts.

Confessions half an hour before weekday mass at St Alban's and St Hugh's

Day & Date	Place	Time	Event	Mass Intention
Saturday 28 th	St. Alban's	6.30pm	Mass	Michael Hinks RIP
Sunday 29 th	St. Hugh's	9.00am	Mass	People of the Parish
	St Alban's	10.30am	Mass	Deceased members of the Eastwood and Cholerton families and Janet Jackson RIP (10th anniversary)
Monday 30 th	St. Alban's	10.00am	Mass	
Feria				
Wednesday 1 st	St Hugh's	10.00am	Mass	
All Saints Holy Day of Obligation	St Alban's	7.00pm	Mass	Carmel Theresa Breslin RIP
Thursday 2 nd	St Alban's	6.30pm	Mass	
All Souls				
Friday 3 rd	St Hugh's	10.00am	Mass	
Feria				
Saturday 4 th	St Alban's	6.30pm	Mass	People of the Parish
Sunday 5 th	St Hugh's	9.00am	Mass	Noreen Smith RIP
	St Alban's	10.30am	Mass	Bernard Johnson RIP and Jimmy Kelly RIP

In preparation for the Jubilee Year 2025 Pope Francis has asked the Church to look again at some of the documents of the Second Vatican Council. Nottingham Deanery is hosting a series of talks, open to all, and presented by specialists in each Constitution: **Doctor Mary McCaughey, Monday 20th November**, at Saint John the Evangelist parish hall, Stapleford NG9 7BT, speaking about **Gaudium et Spes**, the constitution about the Church in the world **Bishop Patrick, Thursday 30th November**, at Our Lady and Saint Patrick in the Meadows' parish hall, The Meadows NG2 1JQ, speaking about **Lumen Gentium**, the constitution about the Church.

From the Diocesan Education Service: As a result of Bishop Patrick's Pastoral Letter for Education Sunday last month a number of appointments have been made for foundation directors and foundation governors. Thank you to all those who have responded so generously to this invitation. If you would be interested in discussing either of these rewarding voluntary roles, please contact Peter Giorgio (Director of Education) at julie.sweeney@nottingham-des.org.uk or 01332 293833.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME For children in Year 3 and above. The programme will begin in January 2024. If your child would like to join the 2024 programme please collect a form from the entrance to church, complete it and return it to the church.

CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME From January, we will begin our next course for those who wish to prepare for and receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. The program is open to those who are year 8 to year 11. (up to and including 16 years old). The sessions will generally take place on Wednesday evenings with the actual confirmation on the Sunday morning Mass of the 16th of June 2024. If you would like to sign up, then you need to collect an application form and hand it in along with a short letter outlining why you wish to undertake confirmation. If you have any questions, then please do not hesitate to contact Fr Roji, or Geoff Rowlands.

FIREWORKS! Sunday 5th of November 5pm to 7pm

Once again, it's time for Sean's firework display, the highlight of the year. We will start the display at 5:30 pm so that will give you time to get a hotdog or some chilli con carne, a vegetarian chilli will also be available. Hot chocolate also. This year we will have a donation bucket upon entry to help cover some of the costs. The price of the food shall remain the same as the last few years. It's always a great night and we hope to see you there. Wrap up warm.

Parish Donations

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