# **Please Pray For**

## **Those Who Have Died**

Please remember in your kind prayers Fr Tom Breslin. Fr Tom's Vigil Mass with Reception of the Body – St Wilfrid's, Coalville – *Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2019 at 6pm*. Requiem Mass – St Wilfrid's, Coalville – *Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2019 at 11:30 am.* The family have requested a private burial, which will take place at Nottingham Road Cemetery, Derby, where Fr. Tom will be buried with his wife, Carmel. Please keep their families in your prayers at this difficult time.

# **Other News**

# A Massive THANK YOU to You All

Thank you so much for your incredible generosity with your kind gifts and cards which are very much appreciated. Thank you for all you do in the communities of St Alban's, St Hugh's and Oakwood for the celebrations over Christmas time but also throughout the year. I get thanked a lot, but really the thanks go especially to all those brilliant busy bees behind the scenes and those, front of house, who make these three wonderful communities an absolute pleasure to be your Parish Priest, may God bless you all for a restful and truly blessed Christmas. X

#### **Faith in Families**

The autumn collection from St Alban's Faith in Families collection boxes raised £502.77 from 25 boxes handed in, thank you to all who gave so generously.

# Faith in Families Christmas Appeal.

To all those who donated to this appeal from St. Alban's, St. Hugh's and Church on Oakwood. Thank you for the wonderful response. In all two car-loads were delivered to the Nottingham office. They were overwhelmed by the generosity of our parishes. A special thanks to St. Alban's dinner ladies, to the Opportunity Knocks group and Peter and Kate Salt with the ladies of Nottingham Patchwork group (for the 18 patchwork quilts!).

# **Eucharistic Ministers Training Morning**

A training morning at 10am on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> January at 10am at St Hugh's Church for Ministers from Oakwood, St Hugh's & St Alban's for leading Services of Word & Holy Communion, ministry at Mass, Adoration & ministry in homes for any Minister to attend either newly commissioned or experienced Ministers wishing to brush up their skills.

#### **Justice and Peace**

The new edition of Just Now for Winter 2018/19 is out now. To download from the diocesan website. www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/information/diocesan-commissions/justiceandpeace

#### Over 60's Lunch Club

The Revive Centre hold a lunch-club *every Thursday from 12.15pm* at a cost of £2, join others from the local area.

# What is happening in January 2019? Epiphany Meal

In an effort to help ALL the Christians who worship at the Church on Oakwood to get to know one another we are organising a Sunday Lunch at the Queen's Head Ockbrook 12.30pm on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup>January - Epiphany Sunday - meals will need to be pre-booked, booking forms will be available at the back of Church & returned by 29<sup>th</sup> December - see Fran, Sandra or Fr. David.

# **Epiphany Quiz**

The annual epiphany quiz is back! Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> January at St Alban's Parish Hall – 7.30 / 7.40pm start (as soon as the Oakwood teams have rushed back from Mass). Teams of up to 6 competing for the coveted trophy or leaving with the wooden spoon of defeat. If you have a team... brilliant! If not, then just turn up and you will be welcomed onto a team.

# New opening times from Saturday Mass starting 5<sup>th</sup> January 2019.

As of the first Saturday in January the church will be opened at *6pm* for Mass. Setting up of Altar; bookcase; offertory table etc. will be a joint effort. As will clearing away after Mass is ended. So any-one willing to lend a hand will be very welcome!

# **Defibrillator Training**

Learn how to use the Defibrillator at St Hugh's & St Alban's: **Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> January at 3pm** in St Hugh's Church Hall in Borrowash.

Post Confirmation Group - Save the Date Sunday 27th January 2019 4pm - St Alban's Post Confirmation Group are hosting an event on World Youth Day in St Alban's Parish Centre for other young people in Derby. More details in the New Year.

## Service of Christian Unity

This year we are reminded again that our prayer for unity is offered up amidst injustice. A service will be held at The Church on Oakwood, Oakwood on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2019 at 7.30pm.

# **Other News Continued**

## Lay Chaplain Vacancy

The St Ralph Sherwin Catholic Multi Academy Trust seek to appoint a dynamic Lay Chaplain to work in Blessed Robert Sutton Secondary Catholic Academy, it's two feeder primary schools St Edward's Swadlincote and Holy Rosary Burton; as well as a day a week in the school's parishes of St Joseph the Worker with Ss Peter and Paul Swadlincote. This would be an ideal position for anyone seeking to start a career in Chaplaincy or Catholic Youth Work as they will receive support and mentoring form the Catholic Multi Academy Trust. For more information please visit <a href="www.srscmat.co.uk/vacancies">www.srscmat.co.uk/vacancies</a> or contact the CMAT's Lead Lay Chaplain Joe Hopkins <a href="mailto:ihopkins@srscmat.co.uk">ihopkins@srscmat.co.uk</a> or 07708907498

## **Sacramental Policy**

Baptism: Parents wishing to have their babies or young children baptized please contact Fr David or Deacon Juan Carlos.

Adults seeking Baptism or wanting to find out more about the Catholic Faith, please contact Fr David or Deacon Juan Carlos.

Marriage: Couples wishing to marry are required to give at least six months' notice. See Fr David or Deacon Juan Carlos.

Communion to the Sick & Housebound: If you know of anyone unable to get to Mass & would like Communion, contact Fr David.

# PARISH NEWSLETTER 29<sup>th</sup>/30<sup>th</sup> December 2018

# St Alban's Church - Chaddesden

Roe Farm Lane, Chaddesden, Derby, DE21 6ET

# The Church on Oakwood

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# Hospital

If someone is in Hospital who would like a visit please let Fr David know or:

Royal Derby Hospital: Urgent 01332340131

London Road Hospital: Fr Mark 01332574474

Nuffield Hospital: Fr John 01332343777

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# St Alban's & Oakwood - St Paul Sunday Missal Reference:

Readings: p468, Preface p 19

St Hugh's Parish Mass Book - Part 1:

Readings p 40, Preface p 8

### **SANCTUARY LAMPS:**

The Sanctuary Lamp at St Alban's burns for Loreta & Derek Hay's Intentions.
Please keep them in your prayers.

# Services, Mass Times & Intentions for the Coming Week The Holy Family - Second Week of Christmas - Year C (Psalter week 1) Saturday 29th 6.30pm Mass Oakwood Duncombe & Downing Families Sunday 30th 9.00am Mass St Hugh's Tony Gregory RIP

Catalday	29	6.30pm	IVIASS	Cakwood	Duncombe & Downing Families Intentions
Sunday	30 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Mass	St Hugh's	Tony Gregory RIP
		10.30am	Mass	St Alban's	The People of the Parish
Monday Seventh Day within the Octave of Christmas	31 <sup>st</sup>	7.00pm	Mass	St Alban's	Joe Conlon RIP
Tuesday Mary, The Holy Mother of God	1 <sup>st</sup>	10.00am	Mass	St Alban's	Philomena Boyle RIP
Wednesday SS Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen	2 <sup>nd</sup>	9.30am	Mass	St Hugh's (weather dependent)	David Hanzseros RIP
Thursday Christmas Feria	3 <sup>rd</sup>	7.00pm	Mass	St Alban's	Guiseppe Baldi RIP
Friday Christmas Feria	4 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Mass	St Hugh's (weather dependent)	Adolf & Zofia Kolodziez RIP
Saturday	5 <sup>th</sup>	6.30pm	Mass	Oakwood	The People of the Parish
Sunday	6 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Mass	St Hugh's	John Ashman RIP
		10.30am	Mass	St Alban's	Mary Fletcher, Bridie Lee, Tom Hardiman RIP

# Sacrament of Reconciliation:

St Alban's: Thursday 6.15pm-6.50pm

St Hugh's: By appointment

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:** 

St Alban's - Thursday 6.15pm-6.50pm

Welcomers for weekend 5th/6th January

Oakwood 6.30 pm Andrew Cara St Alban's 10.30 am Walter Win

Readers for weekend 5th/6th January

C Endsor A Goodwin Oakwood 6.30 pm St Hugh's 9.00 am Terry McMenamin Carlo Coumo Luca Cuomo St Alban's 10.30 am P Peek A Kearney Counters St Alban's Shey Cleaners St Hugh's Mrs McQuinn St Hugh's Flowers M McDermott