

## Please Pray For

### Those Who Have Died

Please pray for Kevin Whelan who died recently. Kevin's Funeral will take place at St Alban's on **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> March at 1:00pm**. Our prayers are with his families, at this difficult time.

Also, Mgr Cummins would appreciate prayers for his sister Colette (Cryan) who died in mid-January after a long illness. Thank you. May she rest in God's peace.

## What is happening in February 2018?

### On the Third Day

How can we re-capture the explosive power of the resurrection that ricocheted around the world? How can we live in the glow of the resurrection and be an Easter people? How can "there and then" become "here and now"? Come along to the York Courses, 5 sessions **7pm (tea & coffee) for 7:30pm**. Starting on **Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> February** at The Church on Oakwood. Further information contact Sandra Endsor 07977 886171 or David Wright 01332 733639

### Lenten House Masses

During Lent, Fr David will celebrate Mass each week in the homes of some of our parishioners, in different parts of the parishes. It's an opportunity to support each other through prayer and fellowship. Mass will be at Clare and Carlo Cuomo's home, from St Alban's, this **Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> February at 4pm** and at Eileen Rees', from The Church on Oakwood, on **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February at 7pm**. Please phone the parish office for more information or if you would like to join them.

### Stations of the Cross during Lent

The Stations of the Cross is a popular Lenten devotion. It will take place each Friday during Lent beginning at **7pm** and alternating between St Alban's and St Hugh's. Join us at St Alban's Church this **Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February** and afterwards for soup and a roll in the parish Centre.

### St Alban's Youth Group

The group have organised a sponsored half-term non-sleep over Star Wars-athon in the parish hall for **Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February** (during half term). Yoda, Chewbacca or any other Star Wars characters welcome.

### CAFOD Fast Day – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February

CAFOD envelopes are available this weekend at all Masses. If you intend to contribute to CAFOD Fast Day, please return the envelopes for a second collection at all Masses next weekend (**24<sup>th</sup> /25<sup>th</sup> February**).

### '30 Minute Meets'

Following the completion of the Parish Census there will be 30-minute meetings for St Alban's/ Church on Oakwood to meet with new and existing volunteers these are:

Welcomers & Ushers: **February 25<sup>th</sup> at 12 noon**

Children's Liturgy: **March 4<sup>th</sup> at 12 noon**

Readers: **March 11<sup>th</sup> at 12 noon**

Counters: **March 18<sup>th</sup> at 12 noon**

### Rediscovering Our Faith:

Our faith exploration evening continues on **Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> February at 7.00pm** at St Hugh's. the next session will explore Chapter 11 "Living a Christian Life" If you haven't been before you are more than welcome to come along to discuss and discover with us.

## What is happening in March 2018?

### World Women's Day of Prayer

Many of you will already be aware of this annual worldwide event, which this year takes place on **Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> March**. This year's theme is "All of God's creation is good".

This is an opportunity for the women of our Roman Catholic community to join in worship with other churches in Derby and district.

In **Derby** there is an event at St Peter's Church, St Peter's Street, Derby at **2:30pm**.

In **Borrowash and Ockbrook**, traditionally, the event rotates between the different churches in the area. This year it is being hosted by St Stephen's on Station Rd, Borrowash: it's the small church on the left at the top of Station Rd, on the way to Elvaston Castle. The event begins at **10.30am** and is usually followed by tea and coffee and an opportunity to get to know our neighbours of other faiths.

I would encourage anyone who is able to come, to do so. So please put the date on your calendar, the more the merrier!

### Women's Retreat at The Briars: Taste and See

The Briars is once again offering this weekend from **Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> - Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> March**. Women of all ages are welcome to take part in this relaxed, inspiring and welcoming retreat. Cost £70. Please note that early booking is advised as places are on a first come first served basis.

Contact [bookings@ndcys.com](mailto:bookings@ndcys.com)

### AGM at The Church on Oakwood

Our Annual General Meeting this year will be on **Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> March at 12:30pm**. All welcome. Report booklet, previous minutes, finances and agenda will be available from Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> February.

### Hot Potato Evening (please note change of date)

Should we allow Assisted Dying in the UK? Yes or No? A chance to hear two sides of this debate and to share your views! The evening begins with a Jacket Potato & Filling – cost just £4.50p. **Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> March 7pm** at Royal Oak Pub in Ockbrook. Please contact Rev Tim Sumpter 01332 820084 [tsumpter@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:tsumpter@hotmail.co.uk) for more information and to book a place. Please sign up at the back of church to reserve your jacket potato!

## Other News

### Joseph in a Week!

Are you interested in a Summer 2018 Holiday Event – would you like to be involved in a one-week family event of putting on a performance of Joseph? To start 28th August 2018, with the performance the following weekend! Contact Jo Rowlands via the church office.

### An Online Retreat for Lent

Go to [www.retreat-online.karmel.at](http://www.retreat-online.karmel.at) and complete the form to register for this online retreat offered by the Discalced Carmelite Friars. Participation in the retreat is absolutely free! You will receive a confirmation message as well as giving you the introduction to the retreat. Every Friday during Lent an email message will give you a new point of inspiration for the following week, along with short texts for daily prayer. If you have difficulties in registering or if there are any problems, please email [retreat-online@karmel.at](mailto:retreat-online@karmel.at) Invite family and friends to join you, just refer them to the website details.

### Parish Newsletter

You are very welcome to take this newsletter home to read at your convenience.

## 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 and Housebound:** If you know of anyone who is unable to get to Mass and would like Communion at home, contact Fr David or Angela Fairbrother 544146 for St Albans or Anne & Peter Rochford, 674234 for St Hugh's.

**SCHOOLS:** St Alban's Primary 01332 673823, St Benedict Secondary 01332 557032, St John Houghton Secondary 0115 9322896

# PARISH NEWSLETTER 17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup> February 2018

## St Alban's Church – Chaddesden

Roe Farm Lane, Chaddesden, Derby, DE21 6ET

## The Church on Oakwood

378 Bishop's Drive, Oakwood, Derby, DE21 2DF

## St Hugh's Church – Borrowwash

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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

**Kingsway Hospital:**  
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## SANCTUARY LAMP:

The Sanctuary Lamp at St Alban's burns in memory of Margaret Glew RIP (nee O'Brien) and in memory of Mark Cheetham RIP at St Hugh's. Please keep them in your prayers.

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

Reading and prayers p 108, Preface p 19, Eucharistic Prayer for Reconciliation II (refer to 'Profession of Faith in Leaflet')

## St Hugh's Parish Mass Book:

Reading and prayers p 75, Preface p 10, Eucharistic Prayer for Reconciliation II (refer to 'Profession of Faith in Leaflet')

## Services, Mass Times and Intentions for the Coming Week - (1<sup>st</sup> Week of Lent)

|   |                  |                        |                   |                                 |
|---|------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|
| Saturday  | 17 <sup>th</sup> | 6.30 pm                | Oakwood           | The People of the Parish        |
| Sunday  | 18 <sup>th</sup> | 9.00 am                | St Hugh's         | Frank Panci RIP                 |
|   |                  | 10.30 am               | St Alban's        | Guisepppe Baldi RIP (Carmelina) |
| (Lenton Feria)                                  | 19 <sup>th</sup> | 7.00 pm                | St Alban's        | Geraldine Noonan's Intentions   |
| Tuesday<br>(Lenten Feria)                       | 20 <sup>th</sup> | No Mass                |                   |                                 |
| Wednesday<br>(Lenten Feria)                     | 21 <sup>st</sup> | 9.30 am                | St Hugh's         | Eileen Nineham (Good Health)    |
|   |                  | 4.00 pm<br>(half term) | Lenten House Mass | Fr Michael Lynch RIP            |
| Thursday<br>(The Chair of St Peter the Apostle) | 22 <sup>nd</sup> | 7.00 pm                | St Alban's        | Michal Zapoticznyj RIP (MMM)    |
| Friday<br>(St Polycarp)                         | 23 <sup>rd</sup> | 9.30 am                | St Hugh's         | Walter Kaschte RIP              |
|   |                  | 7.00 pm                | St Alban's        | Stations of the Cross           |
| Saturday  | 24 <sup>th</sup> | 6.30 pm                | Oakwood           | Tom Noonan's Intentions         |
| Sunday  | 25 <sup>th</sup> | 9.00 am                | St Hugh's         | The People of the Parish        |
|   |                  | 10.30 am               | St Alban's        | Bruno Graca RIP                 |

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

**St Hugh's –**

by appointment.

**St Alban's -**

Thursday 6.15pm- 6.50pm

Saturday 9.00am – 9.45am

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction:

Thursday 6.15pm- 6.50pm

## Welcomers for weekend 24<sup>th</sup>25<sup>th</sup> February

Oakwood 6.30 pm Beckie Downing

St Alban's 10.30 am Cecelia Lewis Marie Rowley

## Readers for weekend 24<sup>th</sup>25<sup>th</sup> February

Oakwood 6.30 p Eileen Rees Steve Beech

St Hugh's 9.00 am Margaret Burns

St Alban's 10.30 am Joe Campbell Kalina Campbell

Counters St Alban's P Peek A Kearney

Cleaners St Hugh's Mrs Grace Mrs Crowe

Flowers St Hugh's Lent