

Please Pray For

Those Who Have Died

Please remember in your kind prayers Gertrude Patricia Chisnall (known as Pat), Zbigniew Niesiolowski (known as Barry) and Ann Phyllis Bratby who died recently. The arrangements for Pat's funeral will be held on **Monday 8th April at 1.15pm** in St Alban's Church. Barry's funeral service will be held on **Wednesday 10th April at 10.00am**. Ann's funeral will be held on **Monday 15th April 2019 at 10:15am**. Please keep their families in your prayers at this difficult time.

Those being Baptized

Congratulations to Phoebe Winter & Noah Mulenga who are being baptized at St Alban's Church this weekend. Our prayers and best wishes go to the families.

What is happening in April 2019?

Rejoice and Be Glad – Response Books

During Lent we are reading excerpts from various chapters of Gaudete Et Exultate (Rejoice and Be Glad), Pope Francis' exhortation "On the Call to Holiness in Today's World". Books are available for your responses, comments, reflections or even your questions. There is a book in each of our Mass centres, on the table in the porch in St Alban's Church and in The Church in Oakwood and on a table by the votive candle stand in St Hugh's.

HCPT Second Collection This Weekend

HCPT is a registered charity offering pilgrimage holidays, to Lourdes in the south of France, for disabled and disadvantaged people from around the UK and further afield. Every Easter over 1,000 disabled and disadvantaged children enjoy a fun and safe week in Lourdes, staying in hotels with their volunteer helpers. This Easter a group of us from Derby will be heading to Lourdes to join the annual HCPT pilgrimage. As it is our first year we are taking 2 young people with us. We are looking to fundraise enough money for each young person's fare. This includes all their travel as well as all the activities that we will do while we are out there.

Any help you can give is greatly appreciated. The pilgrimage really is such a blessed time for everyone involved.

First Tuesday Service of the Word and Communion.

All services will be at St. Hugh's in Borrowwash and will start at 7pm. This month's service will be on **Tuesday 2nd April**.

The Church on Oakwood Lent Course 2019

"**Daring to see God now**" Mark's Gospel begins with Jesus 'proclaiming the Good news of God'. But, what is this 'good news', and who is it for?

Do you feel loved by God? Does Jesus always deliver what you expect?

Join us to discuss these and many more questions, five Sessions **7pm for 7.30 start** at The Church on Oakwood Bishops Drive. The fourth session is on **Tuesday 2nd April** - Change your mind. 5 session. Tuesday 9th April - Live it!

To book a place please speak to David Wright or Sandra Endors

Lenten House Masses

Mass this week will be at Wyn Hink's home this **Wednesday 3rd April at 7.00pm**. Please phone the parish office or speak to Wyn for more information if you would like to join them.

Stations of the Cross during Lent

Join us at St Alban's Church this **Friday 5th April** and afterwards for soup and a roll in the Parish Centre. We will also be discussing the parish's response to the Nottingham Diocese project on Social Action.

Life Charity

Is selling fundraising quiz sheets at £1 each after Mass on **Sunday 7th April**. Please support this music themed fun quiz to help us support many families in need in Derby.

What is happening in April 2019?

Churches together in Ockbrook & Borrowwash

Invite you to a series of talks for the season of Lent by Dr Margaret Barker on the theme "Following Jesus". The talks will be held at St Stephen's Church, Station Road, Borrowwash.

Wednesdays at 11am, following the 10am service, on **3rd, 10th & 17th April**.

Derby Youth – Lasers & Liturgy

Are you in Secondary school? Or in sixth form/college? Join us on **Sunday April 7th 3.45pm** at Megazone, picked up 7.30 at St Mary's Church, for an evening of fun, laughter and prayer, just £7 per person. Ask Fr David for more details and a consent form. Or contact Kayla@NDCYS.com

Dancing for Cancer Research

Could you learn to Salsa in 8 weeks – that's the challenge that Amanda Wilson and her dancing partner are facing! Things are hotting-up as they are preparing to compete at Derby Roundhouse, on **Sunday afternoon, 7th April**. If you would to come along and enjoy the event, tickets are £20 (£25 from April 1st) all for Cancer Research. There is a sponsor form at the back of church and Amanda has a 'Just Giving' page on her FaceBook profile or follow the link: Thank you for your generosity so far. <http://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/amanda-wilson28>

Born For This

St Alban's, St Hugh's and The Church on Oakwood are putting on 'Born For This', a Lenten reflection delivered through Music, Poetry and Drama. The performance will be on **Friday 12th April** - at our final Stations of the Cross in St Alban's Church.

Faith in Families boxes St Hugh's & St Alban's Parishes

It is time to empty these boxes. If you have one please bring it in and give to Kate Casartelli at St Hugh's or Steve Endors at St Alban's or The Church on Oakwood otherwise leave at the back of church. The boxes will then be returned to you after emptying. The closing date for handing in boxes is **Sunday 14th April**. Thank you.

Other News

Derby Deanery Baptism Programme

Thinking of having your child baptized in the near future at St Alban's or St Hugh's? You will be asked to attend an evening of Preparation on the Derby Deanery Baptism Programme. Please ask Fr David for a form so that you can be invited to one of the evenings. The next evening of preparation will take place at English Martyrs' Parish Hall, Alvaston on **Wednesday 1st May at 7.30pm**.

Derby Catholic School Lunchtime Vacancies

We are looking for experienced catering staff to join our friendly team at Chartwells. We provide lunch time meals during Term time only and in your local area. If you have cooking experience and would like more information. Please call. 01332 340662 or send your CV to helena.gould@compass-group.co.uk

Open Day at Borrowwash Library

The public library service strategy *Libraries for Derbyshire* was approved by Cabinet on 20th December 2018. Part of this strategy is to transfer 20 Derbyshire libraries, including **Borrowwash library**, to community management. The council are now seeking organisations to take on the running of Community Managed Libraries. Borrowwash library's open day has been arranged for **Thursday 11th April 12 noon – 6.00pm**.

Save the Date

Join with Bishop Patrick and the communities of St Alban's, St Hugh and The Church on Oakwood on pilgrimage to the national Shrine of Our Lady, Walsingham on **Saturday 15th June 2019**. Coach will depart St Hugh's Church at 8am.

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.

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

PARISH NEWSLETTER 30th/31st March 2019

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The Church on Oakwood 378 Bishop's Drive, Oakwood, DE21 2DF thechurchonoakwood.org
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 If someone is in Hospital who would like a visit please let Fr David know or:

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London Road Hospital:
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Kingsway Hospital:
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***Pope Francis' Exultation Rejoice & Be Glad
 Chapter 3 (Part 2) – In the Light of the Master***

"Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy"

Read: "We need to think of ourselves as an army of the forgiven. All of us have been looked upon with divine compassion. If we approach the Lord with sincerity and listen carefully, there may well be times when we hear his reproach: "Should not you have had mercy on your fellow servant, as I had mercy on you?" (Mt 18:33). (82)

Reflect: When has the Lord or some person shown you mercy? Is there someone in your life in need of your love and mercy?

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

Readings: p137, Preface p 19, Eucharistic Prayer – p50

St Hugh's Parish Mass Book - Part 1:

Readings p 80, Preface p 10, Eucharistic Prayer – see sheet

SANCTUARY LAMPS:

The Sanctuary Lamp at St Alban's burns in memory of Peter Joseph Lewis RIP.

Please keep him in your prayers.

Services, Mass Times & Intentions for the Coming Week
Laetare Sunday - Fourth Week of Lent - Year C (Psalter week 4)

Saturday	30 th	6.30pm	Mass	Oakwood	Frank Deacy RIP
Sunday	31 st	9.00am	Mass	St Hugh's	The People of the Parish
		10.30am	Mass	St Alban's	Peter Joseph Lewis RIP
Monday <i>Lenten Feria</i>	1 st	7.00pm	Mass	St Alban's	Ryan Poole RIP
Tuesday <i>Lenten Feria</i>	2 nd	7.00pm	Service	St Hugh's	Service of the Word and Holy Communion
Wednesday <i>Lenten Feria</i>	3 rd	9.30am	Mass	St Hugh's	Matthew Melbourne
		7.00pm	Mass	Lenten House Mass 4	Malcolm Taylor RIP
Thursday <i>Lenten Feria</i>	4 th	7.00pm	Mass	St Alban's	Martin and Anne Divine RIP
Friday <i>Lenten Feria</i>	5 th	7.30am	Mass	St Hugh's	Cain Family
Saturday	6 th	11.00am	Service	St Alban's	Service of Reconciliation
		6.30pm	Mass	Oakwood	The People of the Parish
Sunday	7 th	9.00am	Mass	St Hugh's	Paddy Gorman RIP (McDermott)
		10.30am	Mass	St Alban's	Raffaele and Albino Anzelmo RIP & Franco & Pasquale Contelldo (Carmelina)

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

St Alban's:

Thursday 6.15pm – 6.50pm

or by appointment

St Hugh's: Friday's 7.00am – 7.30am or

by appointment

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

St Alban's Thursday 6.15pm – 6.50pm

Welcomers for weekend 6th/7th April

Oakwood	6.30 pm	Beckie	Wyn
St Alban's	10.30 am	P Orrell	K Dobridge

Readers for weekend 6th/7th April

Oakwood	6.30 pm	C Bulman	W Breslin
St Hugh's	9.00 am	E Hughes	
St Alban's	10.30 am	C Cuomo	L Cuomo
<u>Counters</u>	<u>St Alban's</u>	C Mendonca	D Kiddie
<u>Counters</u>	<u>St Hugh's</u>	A Gorman	K Johnson
<u>Cleaners</u>	<u>St Hugh's</u>	Mary Verissimo	
<u>Flowers</u>	<u>St Hugh's</u>	Lent	