

# PARISH NEWSLETTER 19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> December 2020

## St Alban's Church

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[www.stalbansderby.org.uk](http://www.stalbansderby.org.uk)

## St Hugh's Church

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[www.sthughborrowash.org.uk](http://www.sthughborrowash.org.uk)

## The Church on Oakwood

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## Hospital Support

**In an Emergency** call the   
Royal Derby Hospital on 01332  
340 131 for the On-Call Priest.

## British Sign Language

Interpreter at St Hugh's  
1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday each month. 

## Scripture Readings - Sundays Year A & Weekdays Year II

Online Readings at [www.universalis.com/mass](http://www.universalis.com/mass) & Reflections at  
<https://stpaulcenter.com/studies-tools/sunday-bible-reflections/>

## Our Sanctuary Lamp Burns this Week...

In memory of Malc Taylor RIP  
Please keep him in your prayers

**In response to the Coronavirus pandemic & Government guidance, public Masses & other liturgies have been suspended until 3<sup>rd</sup> December at the earliest. There is no obligation to attend Mass or Confession. Please do join us for Live Streamed Mass at [www.derbycatholiclive.co.uk](http://www.derbycatholiclive.co.uk)**

**Pray for those who have Died:** Marguerite Needham, Alexander Micallef & Sydney Deakin who have died recently. Marguerite's Funeral is at Markeaton Crematorium on Mon 21<sup>st</sup> Dec at 9.40am, Alexander's Funeral is on Weds 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec at 12.30pm at St Alban's & Sydney's Funeral is on Thurs 31<sup>st</sup> Dec at Nottingham Road Cemetery. With limited numbers allowed at this time, it is family only. May they rest in peace.

## Six Christmas Masses

### Booking Details

Here are the Christmas Masses that are both public & live streamed so do tell your friends & family. You can apply for as many as you like and please don't worry about others missing out as our priority system arranges this fairly:

**St Alban's - Phone 07517439084**

**Christmas Eve at 4pm**

**Christmas Day at 10am**

**Holy Family Sun 27<sup>th</sup> Dec at 10.30am**

**St Hugh's - Phone 07935609769**

**Christmas Eve at 6pm**

**St Stephen's Day (Boxing Day) at 10am**

**Holy Family Sun 27<sup>th</sup> Dec at 9am**

Phone/text our Booking Lines above by Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> Dec and let us know your name, the number of places you require, your phone number, your 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> choices & your Priority Code A, B or C:

- Parishioners who are not on the internet & those living alone.
- Families of Stewards or those helping at Mass that weekend
- All other Parishioners.

**We'll confirm by the 23<sup>rd</sup> December.**

## Join us for our Parish Carol Services

Our Online Carol Service is on Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec 7pm & our Outdoor Carol Service in St Alban's Car Park is on Weds 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec 7pm. Wrap up warm, bring a brolly, a torch, a warm drink & mince pies - you're most welcome to come dressed as your favourite nativity character.

## Thank you from Fr David

*A very big thank you for your generosity, offers of support and kindness shown to me and to others within our church communities. This year, as we all know, has been particularly challenging but by working together we have continued to celebrate God's presence in our lives in new and innovate ways.*

*A team of willing volunteers have kindly distributed newsletters and phoned individuals each week, during the two Lockdowns, to help to keep us all connected. Just as the newly planted trees and hedgerow for St Hugh's Orchard will grow together and form a visible wonder of God's love, so we grow in fellowship and faith.*

**"Just as a **body**, though **one**, has many parts, but **all** its many parts form **one body**, so it is with Christ"** (Corinthians 12:12)

*I will be taking a little break after Christmas so there will be no Masses at St Alban's, St Hugh's and the Church on Oakwood at this time but I encourage you to join Mass at St Barnabas Cathedral, where places can be booked to attend or viewed via live-stream every day during Christmastide. I look forward to welcoming you back in the New Year and wish you and families every blessing for a joy filled 2021. God Bless, Fr David*

# Live & Online Events - 4<sup>th</sup> Week of Advent & Christmastide

Events are streamed at [www.derbycatholiclive.co.uk](http://www.derbycatholiclive.co.uk) unless otherwise noted below

Day & Date	Place	Time	Event	Description	Mass Intention & More Information
Saturday 19 <sup>th</sup> <i>ADVENT FERIA</i>	Saint Alban's	9.00am to 9.45am	Confessions & Exposition	Public	<i>An opportunity to pop in for Confession to prepare for Christmas. No obligation to attend.</i>
		6.30pm	Mass		Agnes Bergin RIP
Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> <i>4<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT</i>	Saint Hugh's	9.00am	Mass	Live Streamed & Public	Iris Theresa Reid RIP
	Saint Alban's	10.30am	Mass		Frank Cannon RIP
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> <i>ADVENT FERIA</i>	Markeaton	9.40am	Funeral Service	Live Streamed & Private	Funeral Service of Margueritte Needham RIP at Markeaton Crematorium
<b>Note Change</b> →	Saint Alban's	12 noon	Mass	Live Streamed & Public	The Nolan Family's Intention
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> <i>ADVENT FERIA</i>	Online	1.00pm	Mass	Live Streamed at the Cathedral	<a href="http://www.stbarnabascathedral.org.uk">www.stbarnabascathedral.org.uk</a> scroll down & click Live Video Stream
Weds 23 <sup>rd</sup> <i>ADVENT FERIA</i>	Saint Hugh's	9.30am	Exposition	Live Streamed & Public	<i>Exposition Prayer – Carers &amp; Medical Staff</i>
		10.00am	Mass		John Cunniffe RIP
	Saint Alban's	12.30pm	Funeral Mass	Live Streamed & Private	Funeral Mass of Alexander Micallef RIP
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> <i>ADVENT FERIA</i>	Saint Alban's	4.00pm	Mass	Live Streamed & Public	Ben Woolley RIP
	Saint Hugh's	6.00pm	Mass		Angela Fairbrother RIP
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> <i>NATIVITY OF THE LORD</i>	Saint Alban's	10.00am	Mass	Live Streamed & Public	Ann McArdle RIP & Tommy McArdle's Intentions
Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup> <i>ST STEPHEN</i>	Saint Hugh's	10.00am	Mass	Live Streamed & Public	Raffaele Anzelmo RIP & Albino Anzelmo RIP (Anniversary)
Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup> <i>THE HOLY FAMILY</i>	Saint Hugh's	9.00am	Mass	Live Streamed & Public	Hugh McDermott RIP & Frazer McDermmot RIP
	Saint Alban's	10.30am	Mass		Mary Fletcher RIP

## Wedding Bells

Our congratulations to Fran Wicks & Trevor Hazel and Andrew Ryan & Lindsey Berry who celebrate their weddings just after Christmas. Please keep them and their families in your prayers on these happy occasions.

## ST ALBAN'S 200 CLUB – APPEAL & WINNERS

**There are still some lucky numbers available, at just £5 a month...** they're a great Christmas present for a family member or friend or as a little treat for yourself. Please contact Amanda in the parish office if you'd like to join this prize draw. December prize winners are: 1<sup>st</sup> prize £200 Clare #15, £30 Dawn #8 & £20 Julie #32. Congratulations and good luck everyone!

**If you have a Red Missio Box do pop it into church for counting. Thank you!**

## Parish Giving & Donations Online

Whether it's for a weekend collection, a one-off donation or planning a more regular donation to the church, you can do this online by clicking on the donate buttons at [www.sthughsborrowash.org.uk](http://www.sthughsborrowash.org.uk), [www.stalbansderby.org.uk](http://www.stalbansderby.org.uk), [www.derbycatholiclive.co.uk](http://www.derbycatholiclive.co.uk) or via our various social media platforms. You can also scan in a QR code here on the right. iPhone users can just use the normal camera function but other phones may need a QR Scanning App. Thank you for your generosity!

St Alban's



St Hugh's



**St Paul's Sunday Missals:** We have a limited number of Sunday Missals available & include readings and Mass settings for the coming year. At just £7, they make an ideal stocking filler or gift to yourself. Contact Amanda to arrange collection: 07729283455