

# PARISH NEWSLETTER 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup> November 2020

## St Alban's Church

Roe Farm Lane, Derby, DE21 6ET  
[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

378 Bishop's Drive, Oakwood, DE21 2DF  
[www.thechurchonoakwood.org](http://www.thechurchonoakwood.org)

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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...

For Fr David Cain's Intentions  
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:** Lesley Craven, Tess Hodgson & Lawrence Morgan who have died recently. Lesley's Funeral is at Trent Valley Crematorium on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> December at 12.30pm, Tess's Funeral is on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> Dec at 12.30pm & Lawrence's is on Fri 11<sup>th</sup> Dec at 10.30am. With limited numbers allowed at this time, it is family only.

## Booking for a Weekend Mass

- The booking window is Sunday 1pm to Friday 11pm, please phone or text EITHER [St Alban's Booking Line: 07517439084](mailto:StAlbanBooking@stalbandsderby.org.uk) & leave a message with your choice of the 6.30pm Saturday at or 10.30am Sunday Mass at St Alban's OR [St Hugh's Booking Line: 07935609769](mailto:StHughBooking@stalbandsderby.org.uk) for the 9am St Hugh's Sunday Mass. For both churches then leave your name, phone number, the number of places you require & 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 + those who didn't get a place last weekend.
  - All other Parishioners.
- You will receive a message Fri/Sat to either confirm your booking or, if your Mass is full, to offer you a place at another Mass or to say that all are full.
- When you arrive at Mass, a Steward will guide you to your place.
- If you arrive at Mass without a booking, you will only be invited in if there are free places & a Steward will record your details.

## Six Masses over the Christmas Season Booking Details

With there still being no obligation to attend Mass, this means that there's no mad dash to cram in for any single Christmas Mass. Here are the Christmas Masses that are both public & live streamed so do tell your friends & family:

**St Alban's: Christmas Eve 4pm, Christmas Day 10am & Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> December at 10.30am**

**St Hugh's: Christmas Eve 6pm, Boxing Day 10am & Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> 9am**

Phone/text our Booking Lines 07517439084 (St Alban's) & 07935609769 (St Hugh's) at any point in December and let us know your name, your phone number, your 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> choices & your Priority Code A, B or C (see the box on the left).

## Mass for the LGBTQ Community

This coming Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> December at 7pm we celebrate Mass for the LGBTQ Community, their families & friends. You are most welcome to join us & our live streamed Mass is preceded by Exposition at 6.30pm.

## National Tree Week – Plant at St Hugh's

Young people & your family bubbles are especially invited to help with Tree & Hedgerow planting in St Hugh's Paddock after school on **Thurs 3<sup>rd</sup> & Friday 4<sup>th</sup> plus daytime Sat 5<sup>th</sup> & Sun 6<sup>th</sup> December** subject to Government restrictions. Contact Fr Dave & let him know you're interested & he'll let you know further details.

## Faith in Families at Christmas

Faith in Families are creating hampers for **families who are experiencing extreme difficulties**, who are nominated to us through our school social workers. We like to bring a ray of sunshine into these families' lives, even if it is for one day! We have created a 'Just Giving' Campaign and hope to **raise £10,000** so we can help at least **100 families**. If you could **donate a little or a lot and spread the word** this would be so helpful. Ref: **FIF XMAS APPEAL 2020**: <https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/fifxmas2020>

# Live & Online Events this 1<sup>st</sup> Week of Advent

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 28 <sup>th</sup> <i>MASS OF OUR LADY</i>	Online	9.30am	Exposition	Live Streamed	Exposition Prayer – The Dead & Anniversaries
		10.00am	Mass		John Cunniffe RIP
	Saint Alban's	11.00am till 1.00pm	Private Prayer	Public	An opportunity to pop into church for a little quiet time of prayer & no booking needed.
Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup> <i>1<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT</i>	Online	9.30am	Exposition	Live Streamed	Exposition Prayer – The Sick
		10.00am	Mass		Frank Cannon RIP and Phillip & Kevin Orrell RIP
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> <i>ST ANDREW THE APOSTLE</i>	Online	9.30am	Exposition	Live Streamed	Exposition Prayer – The Sick
		10.00am	Mass		Special Intention & People of the Parish
Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> <i>ST RALPH SHERWIN</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 2 <sup>nd</sup> <i>ADVENT FERIA</i>	Saint Hugh's	9.30am	Exposition	Live Streamed & Public	Exposition Prayer – Carers & Medical Staff
		10.00am	Mass		Les Clark
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> <i>ST FRANCIS XAVIER</i>	Trent Valley	12.30pm	Funeral Service	Zoom Meeting & In Person	Session for adult enquirers about Baptism, becoming a Catholic & growing in faith.
	Saint Alban's	6.30pm	Exposition	Live Streamed & Public	Exposition Prayer – Intentions in the Prayer Book
7.00pm		Mass	Mass for the LGBTQ Community		
Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> <i>ADVENT FERIA</i>	Saint Hugh's	9.30am	Exposition	Live Streamed & Public	Exposition Prayer – School Communities
		10.00am	Mass		Thanksgiving
Saturday 5 <sup>th</sup> <i>ADVENT FERIA</i>	Saint Alban's	9.00am to 9.45am	Confessions & Exposition	Public	An opportunity to pop in for Confession to prepare for Christmas. No obligation to attend.
	Saint Alban's	6.30pm	Mass	Public	Giovanna & Michele Adinolfi RIP
Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> <i>2<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT</i>	Saint Hugh's	9.00am	Mass	Live Streamed & Public	Catherine Tunnicliffe RIP (Walsh)
	Saint Alban's	10.30am	Mass		Thomas McArdle (89 <sup>th</sup> Birthday)

## Vocations Caf?

The Diocesan Vocations Team are holding a Zoom Caf? for men and women on Tues 1st December at 7 pm. If you would like to meet the team, ask any questions or simply just listen in, email Diane for the link & password at:

[vocationsadmin@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:vocationsadmin@dioceseofnottingham.uk) to join on your device with your drink & cake. Find out what it means!

## Discovering Our Faith

The next Session is this **Weds 2<sup>nd</sup> Dec @ 7pm on Zoom or in person at St Alban's Parish Centre** for adults thinking about Baptism, becoming a Catholic or wanting to grow in faith. Contact the parish office.

## ST ALBAN'S 200 CLUB – APPEAL

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

Are you interested in joining our monthly prize draw to win one of three cash prizes? We have some lucky numbers available for just £5 a month – they're a great Christmas present for a family member or friend or as a little treat for yourself. Anyone that would like to join the 200 club or start to pay by Standing Order, please call or email Amanda at the parish office and we'll do the rest. Good luck everyone!

## 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!

