

PARISH NEWSLETTER 20th/21st November 2021

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Hospital Support

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

British Sign Language

Interpreter at St Hugh's 
1st & 3rd Sunday each month.

Scripture Readings - Sundays Year B & Weekdays Year I

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

Our Sanctuary Lamp Burns this Week...

For those on our November List of Dead
May they rest in peace.

Holy Souls Envelopes

November is a month where we especially pray for our deceased parents, relatives & friends whose name/s you can write & place inside the enclosed envelope with your Mass offering for Masses throughout the month.

Pray for those who have Died

Please pray for Valerie Howell & Gracinda Mashud who have died recently. Valerie's Funeral Service is at Markeaton Crematorium on Weds 1st December at 10.30am & Gracinda's Funeral Service is on Weds 15th Dec at St Alban's at 12.30pm. Please pray for their families & may they rest in peace.

Christmas Fair 2021

Our Christmas Fair at St Alban's is on **Saturday 11th December 11am to 2pm** & we're seeking the following items:

- bottles of something lovely for the bottle stall
- cakes, homemade or bought (bring near the day)
- Items in great condition for the Toy & games Stall
- Chocolate donations for the hamper

Also, do you have contact with a shop or firm that could donate a prize... let Fr David know?

RETURN OF THE YOUTH GROUP

The long awaited sequel to The Youth Group Strikes Back will be begin on **Wednesday the 24th of November**. With the original cast in place and hopefully a new old friend joining us. All existing cast members are welcome and also any new exciting characters from light years 7 and up. If you know of any one who has moved up from the planet of St Albans to any academy, either Alliance or Empire, please let them know. See you at moon base Yavin 4 (also known as the Parish Hall) starting at 7pm to 9pm. Any *Padawan* (young person) will need a parent or carer to come in to sign the consent forms. May the force be with you. Andy.

Fellowship & Formation - Young Adults 18-35

Join the Diocesan team at their next monthly meeting on **2nd December 2021** at St Barnabas Cathedral commencing 6.30 pm with prayer followed by talk and discussion at 7.30 and then at 8 pm, moving to the local pub to continue the conversation. For further information contact the Vocation Director Fr Neil People vocations@dioceseofnottingham.uk or Fr Liam Carpenter at Our Lady & St Edward's, Nottingham 0115 9501064

Padley Centre Appeal

Wanted NEW thermal hats, gloves, scarves, socks, small and medium underwear and 200g chocolate bars. There will be a collection box at the back of St Hugh's Church for any donations.

Vocation Discernment Evening

'When a person is conquered by the Fire of His gaze, no sacrifice seems too great to follow Him' If you feel called to the Priesthood and want to know more, join us at the Vocation Centre, Our Lady & St Edward's, 247 Gordon Road, Nottingham, NG3 2LG on **Friday 26th November at 7 pm** for a time of prayer, informal discussion and social time. For more information email: vocations@dioceseofnottingham.uk

Congratulations to our Altar Servers

Congratulations to our team of Altar Servers who are renewing their promises to the Guild of St Stephen this weekend and to those who receive their bronze medals after 1 year plus and silver for 10 years plus.

First Holy Communion Programme 2022

Children in Year 3 and above. For a First Holy Communion Programme Application Form, email: office@stalbandsderby.org.uk and return it to us by **Sunday 5th December**. The Induction Mass for all children and their families involved on the programme will be on **Sun 12th December** at our 10.30am Mass here at St Alban's.

Confirmation Programme 2022

For young people in Year 9 and above (but please do speak to us if you are in Year 8 and feel you're ready). Please email: office@stalbandsderby.org.uk for a Confirmation Registration Form and return it to us by **Sunday 5th December**.

Dates for your Diary

Join us on

- ⇒ **Tuesday 21st December**
Carols on the circus @ 4pm at Sussex Circus.
- ⇒ **Thursday 23rd December**
Christmas Carol Service @ 7pm in St Alban's Church. Followed by mince pies and mulled wine!

Live & Online Events this 34th Week of Ordinary Time

Events are streamed at www.derbycatholiclive.co.uk unless otherwise stated below

Day & Date	Place	Time	Event	Description	Mass Intention & More Information
Saturday 20 th	Oakwood	6.30pm	Vigil Mass	Public Mass	Peggy Bardon RIP
Sunday 21 st <i>Christ the King</i>	Saint Hugh's	9.00am	Mass	Public Mass & Live Streamed	November Dead List
	Saint Alban's	10.30am	Mass	Public Mass & Live Streamed	Kevin & Philip Orrell RIP
Monday 22 nd <i>St Cecilia</i>	Saint Alban's	9.30am	Exposition	Public Mass & Live Streamed	<i>Exposition Prayer—The Sick & Dying</i>
		10.00am	Mass		Peter Peek RIP
Tuesday 23 rd <i>St Clement I</i>	Online	1.00pm	Mass	Live Streamed from the Cathedral	www.stbarnabascathedral.org.uk scroll down & click live video stream
Wednesday 24 th Sts Andrew Dung-Lac and his Companions	Saint Hugh's	9.30am	Exposition	Public Mass & Live Streamed	<i>Exposition Prayer - Carers & Medical Staff</i>
		10.00am	Mass		People of the Parish
		10.30am	Gardening Club	In Person	St Hugh's Gardening & Grounds Club meets after Mass – bring tools & green fingers
Thursday 25 th St Catherine of Alexandria	Saint Alban's	6.00pm	Exposition & Confessions	Public Mass & Live Streamed	<i>Exposition Prayer - Book of Prayer</i>
		6.30pm	Mass		Mick O'Donnell RIP
Friday 26 th <i>Feria</i>	Saint Hugh's	9.30am	Exposition & Confessions	Public Mass & Live Streamed	<i>Exposition Prayer - Our Schools</i>
		10.00am	Mass		For the Repose of All Souls
Saturday 27 th	Oakwood	6.30pm	Vigil Mass	Public Mass	November Dead List
Sunday 28 th <i>1st Sunday of Advent</i>	Saint Hugh's	9.00am	Mass	Public Mass & Live Streamed	Noreen Smith
	Saint Alban's	10.30am	Mass	Public Mass & Live Streamed	Jimmy Kelly RIP

Knitted Poppy Sale

The Polish Scouts and Guides would like to thank the generosity of St Alban's and St Hugh's parishes for kindly supporting the knitted poppy sale, we managed to raise £100.65 for the Royal British Legion.

Faith In Families Christmas Appeal.

In the past donations of toys have been requested, but with Covid they changed to collecting monetary donations and providing Supermarket vouchers to nominated families. This was so successful (they raised more than £12,000 last year) they are continuing this year. There are several ways to donate: Just Giving - online donations at www.justgiving.com/campaign/FIFXmas2021, through Faith in Families' website - <https://faithinfamilies.org/support-us/ways-to-support/donate-online/>. Add a note to say 'Christmas Appeal', or by sending a cheque made payable to 'Faith in Families', to their office, with a note saying 'Christmas Appeal'

Monday Club for Biguns 'n' Littleuns

Biguns "n" Littleuns met for the first time last Monday. We had a lovely time. Please feel free to join us this coming **Monday 11am to 1pm**. Biguns "n" Littleuns are looking for toys, especially a dolly's cot, play kitchen, pots and pans etc. Any donations will be gratefully received. Thank you!

Parish Donations

For weekend collections, one-off donations & planning regular donations to the church, you can do this online by clicking donate at: www.sthughsborrowwash.org.uk, www.stalbansderby.org.uk, 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!

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