

Parish Newsletter 18th/19th February 2023

St Alban’s Church

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St Hugh’s Church

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Hospital Support

In an emergency call The Royal Derby Hospital on 01332 340131 for the On-Call Catholic Chaplain

British Sign Language Interpreter at St Hugh’s 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month

Scripture Readings –7th Week of Ordinary Time.

Sunday’s year A weekdays year 1

Online Readings at www.universalis.com/mass

Our Sanctuary Lamp Burns this week:

BIGGUNS & LITTLEUNS 11.00am-1.00pm

A group for all ages. An opportunity to meet new people and enjoy watching the children explore and play. We do activities for the children and the adults should they wish to join in. But it’s also fine for you to sit back and relax with a coffee and cake. @ St Alban’s Parish Hall

Job Vacancy - Youth Formation Lead at Our Lady of Lourdes, Mickleover:

We are looking for committed practising Catholic with experience of working with young people in a Catholic context, who has a passion for parish-based youth ministry. The successful applicant will work part-time to build, coordinate, and resource a team of volunteers to provide a variety of opportunities for those aged 8 to 18 in the parish. Closing date, 24 February 2023. For more details, please visit www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/careers/youth-formation-lead

Memorial Garden

Our memorial garden, with burial ground attached to it, is nearly ready. Those parishioners who wish to bury the ashes of their deceased loved ones who were parishioners of St. Alban’s may contact the parish office.

The BIG knit

Thank you so much to all of those who have played a part in the Big knit for BBC Radio Derby. The blankets need to be in before the end of February.

So if you have any squares or knitted blankets to donate this week will be the last opportunity.

Chaddesden Library

Is to remain open until at least July. It is currently open on a Tuesday and Friday but if they have more volunteers, it will be able to open on other days too. If you feel you could give some of your time to volunteer, please go in and speak to someone when they are open.

World Day of Prayer: Friday 3rd March 2023 @ 11am

This annual event is being held this year at All Saints C of E Parish church, Ockbrook. It is an ecumenical event which representatives from all the churches of Borrowash, Ockbrook and Spondon get together to organise. The liturgy is prepared by a different country each year and this year it is the turn of Taiwan the same liturgy is used world wide, so this is truly an international opportunity to pray together. Come along, pray and enjoy a coffee afterwards.

St Hugh’s

are wanting unwanted books for ALL AGES to swap at their coffee mornings after Mass, each Sunday until end of February. Please bring along previously read or unwanted books to exchange or donate. You can bring these to St Alban’s, or the Church on Oakwood and we will get them to St Hugh’s. The next St Hugh’s Coffee Mornings will be on: March 29th and April 26th. 9.30-11.30am. All welcome to go and show your support.

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7 th Week of Ordinary Time				
Events are streamed at www.derbycatholiclive.co.uk				
Day & Date	Place	Time	Event	Mass Intention
Saturday 18 th	Oakwood	6.30pm	Mass	People of the Parish
Sunday 19 th	St. Hugh’s	9.00am	Mass	Margaret Devonish RIP, Len Indyk RIP
	St. Alban’s	10.30am	Mass	Suffering Ukrainians
Monday 20 th Feria	St. Alban’s	10.00am	Mass	
Wednesday 22 nd Ash Wednesday	St. Hugh’s	10.00am	Mass	A day of fasting and abstinence
	St Alban’s	7.00pm	Mass	
Thursday 23 rd Feria	St Alban’s	6.30pm	Mass	Carmel Theresa Breslin RIP
Friday 24 th Feria	St. Hugh’s	10.00am	Mass	
	St. Hugh’s	11.30am	Stations	Stations, soup and shack chat
Saturday 25 th	Oakwood	6.30pm	Mass	People of the Parish
Sunday 26 th	St. Hugh’s	9.00am	Mass	
	St. Alban’s	10.30am	Mass	Charlotte, Laura & Anna-Jo Sutherland RIP Bruno Graca RIP
Exposition of the blessed sacrament will be half an hour before each Mass starts				

Retreats in the Diocese of Nottingham this Lent – After the great success last year, The Diocese of Nottingham is again offering day retreats to help you grow closer to God this Lent through talks, discussion, prayer, Mass, confession and social time. The Men’s Retreat on Saturday 18th March given by Father Julian Green (Birmingham Priest) will be focused on men of scripture and what we can learn from them; the Women’s Retreat given by Sister Ann Swailes on Saturday 25th March will follow the theme ‘Here I am Lord I Come to do your Will’ – How can we know and accept God’s will for our lives? The Retreats will be held at the Rosmini House of Prayer (LE7 4SJ) and cost £20, including lunch and a light breakfast. To book visit: www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events, email adult.formation@dioceseofnottingham or call 0115 953 9841.

Catechist Course @ St Hugh’s Parish

6 weeks from 20th February covering Discipleship

Catechesis People can join us online or in person. It is £55 per person. Please email adult.formation@dioceseofnottingham.uk for more information.

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Lent Fast Day

5th March

Ring Rosary members

respectfully reminding you all that on March 1st. We begin another year of commitment to pray one decade of the Rosary each day. Our intention this year is for ‘Peace and Just Resolutions to all Troubled Areas of the World.’ After many years of organising the Ring Rosary Paddy has decided to pass the baton onto Margaret Birkin and on behalf of all the Ring Rosary members and all of the Parishes we would like to give a very big **THANK YOU** to Paddy for all her work and commitment to the Ring Rosary

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Donations

St. Hugh’s

St. Alban’s