

Baptisms:

Congratulations to Joshua James and Joseph Benjamin Middleton-Rees who will be baptized at St Alban's Church on Saturday 3rd September at 12 noon. Our prayers and best wishes go to Alison and Brendan, their Mum and Dad, on this very happy occasion. Well done!

The New Translation of the Mass:

Next weekend (3rd/4th September) we will see the launch of the new translation of the Mass. Special laminated 'Order of Mass' cards will be given to you as you come into church. Please return them to the table as you leave church at the end of mass. We have been preparing for the new translation for some time now, and no doubt it will take some getting used to. It will be really important during the next few weeks, for all of us to stick closely to the new words from the 'Order of Mass' cards. Bishop Malcolm has informed us that he will be issuing a Pastoral letter to coincide with the launch next week.

Living Ministry Course:

For those involved in areas of ministry such as teaching, catechists, Eucharistic ministers, parish council members, youth work, etc. this course runs from December at The Diocesan Centre at Mackworth. Flyers are available from the parish office. If you are interested, please email Janet Hornsby janet.hornsby@nottingham-des.org.uk or see the poster on the notice board.

The Church on Oakwood news:

There will a presentation to Rev Jo Whitehead at the end of the 5pm mass this weekend to thank her for the work she has done during her curacy here at The Church on Oakwood. Our prayers and thoughts are with Jo and her family as they move to another church. You are invited to stay for tea/coffee and refreshments after the mass.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Our regular Tuesday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament resumes at St Alban's on Tuesday 6th September from 10am – 4pm. If anyone would like to commit themselves to ½ hour or so before the Blessed Sacrament, please add your name to the list in the porch. There are prayers and reflection cards available for you to use during this quiet reflective prayer time.

Scripture and prayer:

Join us for a time of quiet prayerful reflection and an opportunity to share thoughts on the Sunday gospel reading. Beginning at 7.30pm at St Alban's church on Monday 12th September. Everyone is welcome.

East African Appeal:

The scale of this disaster is outstripping all local capacity to act as it comes on the heels of two drought-affected years. Tens of thousands of people are affected. We will be holding a second collection at the weekend Masses of 10th/11th September and sending the money to Cafod following their urgent appeal.

'Missio':

There will be a special Anniversary Mass at Nottingham Cathedral on Sunday 18th September at 3pm, to celebrate the work of the APF-Mill Hill Missionaries over the past 75 years. Everyone is welcome. Please see the poster on the board for further details.

Missionary Appeal:

We welcome Fr Vincent Oates to our parish this weekend (27th/28th August). Fr Vincent is a Mill Hill Missionary who will be asking us to consider taking a 'red box' home with us, for the work the Mill Hill Missionaries are doing throughout the world.

Children's Liturgy (Sunday mass 10am):

There will be a meeting on Tuesday 6th September, 7.30pm, at the parish centre for all those involved in leading the children's liturgy.

Journey to Easter joy:

Following the footsteps of Jesus through the scriptures of Holy Week and staying on the Mount of Olives in Jerusalem, this 7 day retreat pilgrimage will be led by 2 priests from the East Anglia Diocese. Numbers are limited to 25. If you require further information please email info@palestinepilgrimage.org.uk or contact Palestine Pilgrimages on freephone 08006123423.

Bridges of faith Project:

Please join us and take part in a fun range of activities, including henna/mehndi, quiz, workshops, food tasting from different cultures and calligraphy, at St Alban's parish centre on Thursday 15th September from 7.30 – 9.30pm. Admission is free. For further information see the poster on the notice board or contact sndra.endsor@ntlworld.com

Understanding the faith:

If anyone is interested in learning more about the faith and what it means to be a Catholic, we are beginning a course at the parish Centre on Monday 19th September, 7.30 – 9pm. We will be meeting every other week on Mondays. Have a word with Fr Paul or Shaun and Di Reid for further details.

Sacramental Policy

Baptism: Parents who would like to have their babies or young children baptised please contact Fr Paul.

Adults seeking Baptism or wanting to find out more about the Catholic Faith, please contact Fr Paul, Shaun or Di Reid.

Marriage: Couples wishing to marry are required to give at least six months notice. See Father Paul.

Communion to the Sick and Housebound: If you know of anyone who is unable to get to Mass and would like Communion at home, contact Father Paul, Loreta or Derek Hay.

PARISH CONTACTS

Parish Council Chair
Child Protection (Chaddesden)
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Readers
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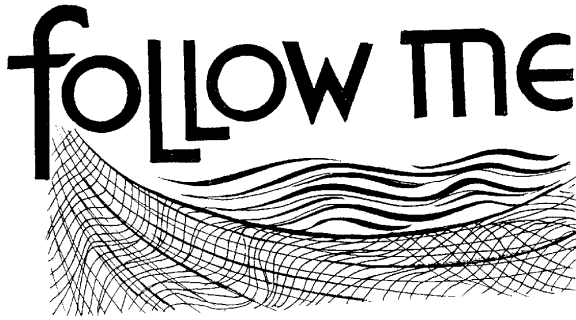
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Sandra Endsor 661819
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Sally Parlato 609207

Maria Neads 663602
Loreta & Derek Hay 280511
Jo & Geoff Rowlands 670040
Shaun & Di Reid 672091
Cecilia Lewis 674422
Angela Fairbrother 544146
Pat Orrell 664152
Jim & Sally Parlato 609207

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

PARISH NEWSLETTER



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The Church on Oakwood

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Parish Secretary: Diane Williams

Twenty Second Week in Ordinary Time 27th/28th August 2011 YEAR A (Weekdays Cycle 1) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 2

Services, Mass Times and Intentions for the Coming Week

Saturday	27 th	6.30 pm	St Alban's	James & Dorothy Mealy RIP
Sunday	28 th	10.00 am	St Alban's	Peter Brown RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	John Goodwin RIP
Monday (<i>Martyrdom of St John the Baptist</i>)	29 th	10.00 am*	St Alban's	The People of the Parish
Tuesday (<i>Dedication of Our Cathedral</i>)	30 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	John Francis Buckley RIP
Wednesday	31 st	9.15 am	St Alban's	Anne Donovan RIP
		7.00 pm	Oakwood	Service of the Word and Holy Communion
Thursday	1 st	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Fr Frank Gavin RIP
Friday	2 nd	9.15 am	St Alban's	Donor's Intention
Saturday	3 rd	6.30 pm	St Alban's	James & Dorothy Mealy RIP
Sunday	4 th	10.00 am	St Alban's	Stanley Rowley RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	People of the Parish

***Please note change in Mass time**

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

St Alban's – Saturday 5.45pm – 6.15pm
And if required after the evening Mass on Saturday at St Alban's and the Sunday Mass at Oakwood.
The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available at other times on request.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

In the Weekday Chapel at St Alban's every Tuesday 10am-4pm (From 6th Sept)

Patients in our Hospitals:

If you know of anyone in Hospital who would like a visit from the Chaplain, please use the following numbers:
For The Derby Royal contact switchboard on 01332 340131 or Sr Mary on 01332 346920
For The Grove Hospital contact Fr Mark Brentnall on 01332 574474
For Nuffield & Kingsway Hospitals contact Fr Paul Chipchase on 01332 514107
Alternatively have a word with Fr Paul.

Welcomers for weekend 3rd/4th September 2011

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Cheryl Shanks	
	Sun 10.00 am	Cecilia Lewis	Angela Fairbrother

Readers for weekend 3rd/4th September 2011

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	William Breslin	Anne Kearney
	Sun 10.00 am	James Kissane	Pat Orrell

Counters	C Mendonca	D Kiddie
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Thought for the week!

"Happiness is found in wanting what we have rather than having what we want!"

(Anonymous)