

Pope Benedict XVI:

On Tuesday (24th May) the Church throughout the world celebrates the 6th anniversary of the Inauguration of Pope Benedict as our Pope. Please remember to keep the Holy Father in your prayers on Tuesday that he may continue to guide the Church in faith and truth.

Cafod News:

Simon Nsabiyeze, a CAFOD programme officer based in Kigali in Rwanda, will be speaking on connect2Rwanda at St Margaret Clitherow Parish at Keyworth near Nottingham on Thursday 7th July at 7.30pm. Simon knows the community in Musha, the town we are connected with. There is time to think about it, but if you would like to go along and listen to Simon speak, put your name on the list provided in church and indicate if you require a lift.

The Lent boxes and envelopes have been collected and we have raised £330.60.

Chilli plants are available on our CAFOD display area this weekend- donations please in the box provided.

Parish Website:

For those who have not looked at the website for a while, why not take a look at it? We have some new photos from various events over the last 6 months. To view any of these, go to the home page www.stalbansderby.org.uk and look at the links under the 'what's new' heading. If you have any articles, photos, etc you think might be good for the website, have a word with Fr Paul, Simon Baldwin or email web@stalbandsderby.org.uk

Spirituality group:

The Spirituality group invites you to a spiritual healing evening this Thursday, (26th May) beginning at 7.30pm at the Parish Centre. There will be gentle 'hands-on' healing and prayer, ending with tea and coffee at 8.30pm.

Deanery event:

Fr Ken O'Riordan is back to celebrate Fr Tim O'Sullivan's Golden Jubilee, the 50th Anniversary of his Ordination. Fr Ken is leading two reflection evenings open to the Deanery parishes. The evenings are entitled: 'Exploring what it means to be a Christian Community'. The dates are: Thursday 2nd June, beginning at 7.30pm at St Mary's and Friday 3rd June at Holy Family Church, Allestree beginning at 7.30pm. Everyone is welcome to attend.

The Briars Youth Centre:

The Briars are celebrating their annual 'Open Day' on Sunday 26th June beginning with Mass at 1pm. Fr Joe and the team invite us to go along and enjoy the day.

The Church on Oakwood – 25 years:

At the 10.30am service next Sunday (29th May), Fr Paul has been asked to preach at The Church on Oakwood as part of the Partnership of Churches. Please try to come along to this service and represent our Church community.

Reflecting on the Scriptures:

Our next evening to reflect on the scriptures will be on Monday 30th May at 7.30pm. Once again we will use the Gospel reading for the forthcoming Sunday. It's very easy and relaxed. It is a time for quiet prayer, reflection and sharing thoughts.

Second Collection:

The second collection last weekend raised £306.41 for The Clergy Formation Fund. Thank you for your generosity.

Education Service:

The Diocese of Nottingham Education Service is seeking to appoint an assistant director. Details and application form are available on their website: www.nottingham-des.org.uk Closing date 27th may 2011.

The New Missal:

In September the Catholic Church in England and Wales is asked to begin celebrating the Eucharist using the new Order of the Mass. It is our intention, during June, to have four sessions in the parish to introduce and look at the new Order of the Mass. There is also a day entitled; 'Deepening the Renewal – pastoral opportunities presented by the new missal'. This is being offered by the Liturgical Commission of The Diocese. Our local venue for this day is The Diocesan Centre at Mackworth on Saturday 11th June from 9.45am – 3.30pm. We have a booking form in the office if anyone would like to go. It would be good to have some representation from our parish. Have a word with Fr Paul.

Ecumenical weekend:

An Ecumenical weekend will take place at The Hayes Conference Centre at Swanick on the weekend of 10th/11th June. The subject is; 'Marriage and Ecumenism'. Ensuite and full board accommodation is £140 and booking forms and further details are available from the parish Office.

'Faith in Families':

If you have a 'Faith in Families' box at home, next weekend is the last opportunity to bring it in for collection.

Oakwood:

There will be a retiring collection after the 5pm mass at Oakwood next weekend (29th May) for flowers for the 25th Anniversary Flower Festival.

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.

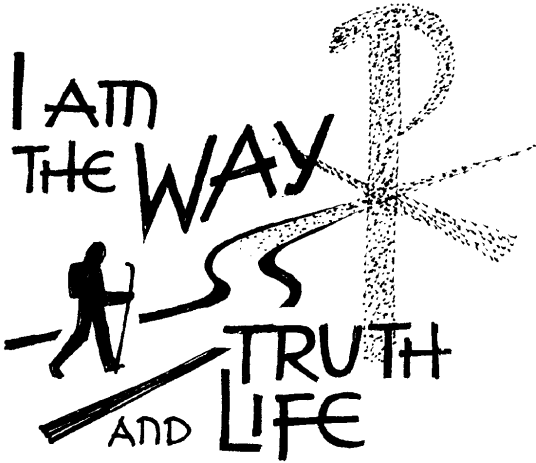
Communion to the Sick and Housebound: If you know of anyone who is unable to get to Mass and would like Communion at home, contact Father Paul, Loreta or Derek Hay.

PARISH CONTACTS

Parish Council Chair	Hall Bookings:	office@stalbandsderby.org.uk		
Child Protection (Chaddesden)	Maria Neads	663602	Children's Liturgy	Maria Neads 663602
Child Protection (Oakwood)	Mary Johnson	678506	Communion to the sick	Loreta & Derek Hay 280511
Readers	Mary Woods	820319	Music	Jo & Geoff Rowlands 670040
Planned Giving	Malcolm Taylor	602346	Faith Journey Course	Shaun & Di Reid 672091
Oakwood Committee	Steve Endsor	661819	Social Committee	Cecilia Lewis 674422
200 Club	Sandra Endsor	661819	Spirituality Group	Angela Fairbrother 544146
CAFOD Group	Maureen Gray	832190	Welcome	Pat Orrell 664152
	Sally Parlato	609207	Youth	Jim & Sally Parlato 609207

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

PARISH NEWSLETTER



St Alban's Church

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The Church on Oakwood

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Websites: www.stalbansderby.org.uk www.thechurchonoakwood.org

Parish Secretary: Diane Williams

Fifth Sunday of Easter 21st/22nd May 2011

YEAR A (Weekdays Cycle 1) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 1

Services, Mass Times and Intentions for the Coming Week

Saturday	21 st	6.30 pm	St Alban's	The People of the Parish
Sunday	22 nd	10.00 am	St Alban's	Helena Posthumus RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	George Endors RIP
Monday	23 rd	9.15 am*	St Alban's	John Gibney RIP
Tuesday	24 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	Mr B B Dutta's Intention
Wednesday (St Bede)	25 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	Service of the Word and Holy Communion
		7.00 pm	Oakwood	Service of the Word and Holy Communion
Thursday (St Philip Neri)	26 th	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Isaac McNauls's Intention
Friday (St Augustine)	27 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	Bonaria Zuddas RIP
Saturday	28 th	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Norah Adams RIP
Sunday	29 th	10.00 am	St Alban's	Edith Caruth RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	The People of the Parish

***Please note change in Mass times**

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

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 28th/29th May 2011

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Dawn Kiddie	
	Sun 10.00 am	Avril Mather	Sheila Caruth

Readers for weekend 28th/29th May 2011

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Anne Kearney	Carl Mendonca
	Sun 10.00 am	Mark Booton	Karen Billyeald

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Thought for the week!

"The greatest healing therapy is friendship and love".
(Herbert Humphreys)