

**For those who have died:**

Please keep in your prayers those who have died recently: **Kathleen Patrick**, whose funeral will take place at Markeaton Crematorium on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November at 9.50am; **Dick Ennis** whose funeral arrangements are as follows: Reception into St Alban's Church on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November at 6pm and Funeral Mass on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 9.30am (Canon Ka Fai Lee will celebrate this funeral), and **Leokadia Mazurkiewicz**, whose funeral will take place at St Alban's Church on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> November at 11.30am. Our thoughts and prayers are also with their families at this difficult time.

**Christmas Bazaar:**

Our Christmas Bazaar takes place at St Alban's Parish Centre after the Masses this weekend (19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> November). Please pop in and support those who have helped make the Bazaar a special event.

**Spiritual Healing:**

There will be a 'spiritual healing' session on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November from 7.30 – 8.30pm in the Parish Centre. Refreshments will be served afterwards. This will be the last opportunity for spiritual healing before the New Year.

**A Time to Remember:**

On Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November at 2pm, we are holding a service to remember by name, those who have died from our community during the year. Everyone is invited to join us. Refreshments will be served afterwards.

**Diocesan Youth Service:**

The Briars Advent Retreat takes place from 9<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> December and is open to Year 11 and above. If you need more information contact The Youth Service website at [www.ndcys.com](http://www.ndcys.com) or telephone 01773852044

If you are interested in joining the Briars Team for 2012, booking forms are also available from the office. See the posters on the church notice board.

**'So this is Advent':**

Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> December at The Church on Oakwood - an afternoon of reflection, meditation, prayers and activities for all ages to celebrate Advent led by Deacon Rosemary Bets. There will be a special session for the younger children led by Angela Oldroyd. Everyone is welcome.

**Extraordinary Ministers:**

Minutes from the recent meeting for Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist are now available. Please pick up your copy from the sacristy as soon as possible.

**Youth Event – Wembley Arena:**

Derby's going to Wembley! Why not represent your parish, school and Diocese at this massive event for Catholic Young People? If you are Year 10 upwards, you are invited to the National Youth Congress at Wembley Arena. Over 6000 Young People have already signed up so don't delay if you want to be part of this big day. You can get more information from Angela Gillespie (Derby City Catholic Youth Worker) on 07894726754 or Andy Clare at St Benedict's school on 557032 ext 341.

**Faith in Families Toy Appeal:**

Thank you to those who took a Christmas present label from church last week to help make Christmas special for a child this year. When you have bought your gift, please wrap it and put the label on the gift before bringing it back to church no later than next weekend (26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> November). We will make sure it gets to the Faith in Families 2011 Toy Appeal. Warm baby and children's clothes are also needed, together with toiletries for older children. A box will be available as you come in to Church for any items and gifts.

**Our Parish Cafod Project:**

As we approach the end of our first year of 'Connect2Rwanda' we would like to say thank you to all who have contributed to this initiative by your messages of support, your prayers and your contribution from the Cafod boxes and Cafod envelopes. The total amount of money sent so far is: **£1,161.86!** Once again during Advent there will be a large Christmas card available at church for you to sign with your good wishes to your fellow parishioners. There will also be a collecting box for any contribution you would like to make in lieu of what it may have cost to send individual cards. The money will be added to the Connect2Rwanda Project. There will also be a smaller card for you to sign which we will send to the people of Musha in Rwanda.

We know that many of you have continued to use the small collecting boxes throughout the year. Please bring them to church and leave them in the basket at the side of the cards. We hope to have a supply of new boxes and also weekly Cafod envelopes available next weekend. If you want to read more about what's happening in Rwanda and Musha go to [www.cafod.org.uk/connect2rwanda](http://www.cafod.org.uk/connect2rwanda) or see the Cafod notice board in church.

**Christmas with Jo Boyce & Friends:**

This concert will be held at St Joseph's RC Church, Derby on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> December beginning at 8pm. Tickets are £8.50 and available from Pat Orrell.

**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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Mary Woods 820319  
Malcolm Taylor 602346  
Steve Endsor 661819  
Sandra Endsor 661819  
Maureen Gray 832190  
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



## St Alban's Church

Roe Farm Lane, Chaddesden, DE21 6ET

## The Church on Oakwood

Bishop's Drive, Oakwood, DE21 2BA

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Websites: [www.stalbansderby.org.uk](http://www.stalbansderby.org.uk) [www.thechurchonoakwood.org](http://www.thechurchonoakwood.org)

Parish Secretary: Diane Williams

## The Feast of Christ The King (34<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time) 19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> November 2011 YEAR A (Weekdays Cycle 1) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 2

### Services, Mass Times and Intentions for the Coming Week

Saturday	19 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 pm	St Alban's	George and Edie Grayley RIP
Sunday	20 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am	St Alban's	The People of the Parish
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	Phyllis Kelly RIP
Monday ( <i>The Presentation of Our Lady</i> )	21 <sup>st</sup>	7.00 pm	St Alban's	November Dead List
Tuesday ( <i>St Cecilia</i> )	22 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>6.00 pm*</b>	St Alban's	November Dead List
Wednesday	23 <sup>rd</sup>	7.00 pm	Oakwood	<b>NO SERVICE AT ST ALBAN'S</b> Service of the Word & Holy Communion
		6.00 pm	St Alban's	Reception of Dick Ennis
		9.30 am	St Alban's	Funeral Mass of Dick Ennis
Thursday ( <i>St Andrew Dung-Lac</i> )	24 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am	St Alban's	George Eastwood RIP
Friday	25 <sup>th</sup>	<b>7.00 pm*</b>	St Alban's	
Saturday	26 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 pm	St Alban's	The People of the Parish
Sunday	27 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am	St Alban's	Philip Orrell RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	Daniel Wickes RIP

**\*Please note changes**

### **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 26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> November 2011

St Alban's Sat 6.30 pm Cheryl Ashcroft  
Sun 10.00 am Walter & Win Stone

### Readers for weekend 26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> November

St Alban's Sat 6.30 pm Malc Taylor Win Hinks  
Sun 10.00 am Shaun Reid

Counters F Holmes & M Allsopp

### Thought for the week!

"No one can be perfectly free till all are free;  
no one can be perfectly moral till all are moral;  
no one can be perfectly happy till all are  
happy." (Herbert Spencer)