

Baptism:

Congratulations to Holly Sarah McDermott who will be baptized at St Alban's church on Sunday 5th August at 12.30pm. Our prayers and best wishes go to Holly's Mum and Dad, Anna and Darren, on this really special occasion. Well done everyone!

Journeying in Faith:

What do Catholics believe? A course to discover more about the Catholic faith in a friendly interesting way begins on Tuesday evenings from 11th September at St Alban's Parish Centre. If you want to learn more or might be thinking of becoming a catholic, come along and see what it's all about!

'Songs from the Heart':

Long Eaton Operatic Society presents 'Songs from the Heart' at May Hall, Trent College, Long Eaton on Saturday 8th September at 7.30pm. Tickets are £10 and available from Wyn Hinks. All proceeds go to Derby Hospitals Charity (Stroke and Heart). For further details see the poster at St Alban's church.

Summer concert:

On Friday 31st August we are having a Summer concert at St Alban's Centre beginning at 7.30pm. Kevin and Marie Baines (son and granddaughter of the late Ken and Peggy) proudly present: 'Flying the Flag' – a musical show celebrating the Queen's Diamond Jubilee. It's a chance to come together and enjoy each other's company. Bring some food along for a shared table. Tickets are available from the middle of August at £5 which includes a glass of wine. All profits will go towards our 'peace garden' we are hoping to create at the back of the Parish centre. Put the date in your diary!

Holy Land Pilgrimage 2013:

The parishes of St Alban's Chaddesden and St Hugh's Borrowash have arranged for a joint parish pilgrimage to take place to the Holy Land next year, 23rd – 30th August 2013. The cost will be £1119.00 per person which includes return flights from Manchester airport and 7 nights' accommodation (half board). Single room supplement will be £182 for the 7 nights. It will be a fantastic opportunity to spend 4 nights in the heart of Jerusalem and 3 nights in Tiberius by the Sea of Galilee with an experienced guide, Canon Mervyn Tower from the Archdiocese of Birmingham. If you are interested, please have a word with Fr Paul or Fr Ka Fai. A £250 deposit is all that is needed at this stage to secure your place.

Emergencies:

In the event of needing a priest urgently and Fr Paul is not able to answer the phone or away from the office, please contact Fr Ka Fai at St Hugh's on 01332 673562.

Bishop's Certificate in Catechesis:

The BCC is a foundational course of 12 sessions (taking place in two venues, Matlock and Leicester) covering the basics of faith and also practical skills needed for catechesis. The course is helpful to new catechists and also for those who wish to learn more and begins in October 2012. See poster in church for further details and the booking form can be obtained from Fr Paul.

Altar Servers:

A number of young people have expressed interest in becoming Altar Servers. If your son or daughter is interested please collect a form from the Sacristy after Mass. It would also be nice to have some servers for the Oakwood 5pm Mass. We will be organizing some training towards the end of the summer so let us know in good time. Please return the completed form to Father Paul, Cheryl Ashcroft or Simon Baldwin. Thanks.

Farewell to Rev Kirk Thomasson:

There will be a farewell service at Spondon Methodist Church on Sunday 5th August at 5pm for Rev Kirk Thomasson, the Methodist Minister who looks after Mayfield Road Methodist Church. Our prayers and best wishes go to Kirk as we wish him every blessing to wherever his ministry may take him.

Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament:

Just to remind you that during the school summer holidays, there will be no adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Tuesday's. There will however be adoration in the weekday chapel on Thursday's from 5.30 - 6.45pm.

Memorial Mass for Fr Ken O'Riordan:

There will be a memorial Mass for Fr Ken O'Riordan at St Mary's Church Derby on Friday 7th September at 7pm. Put the date in your diary. Bishop Malcolm will preside and preach at this mass.

Diocesan Ecumenical Commission:

An ecumenical day of reflection, 'Seasons of faith', will be led by Fr John Daley at two venues; Holy Trinity Community Centre, Newark (NG24 4AU) on 15th September or Sacred Heart Convent Rearsby (LE7 4YY) on 22nd September 10.30am – 4pm. The cost is £12 which includes a light lunch. To book a place you can contact Monica Purdue on 01159939235. See poster in church.

Sacramental Policy

Baptism: Parents who would like to have their babies or young children baptized 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, Loretta 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)	Sue Brown	673066	Communion to the sick	Loretta & 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



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The Church on Oakwood

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Parish Secretary: Diane Williams

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 4th/5th August 2012 YEAR B (Weekdays Cycle 2) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 2

Services, Mass Times and Intentions for the coming week

Saturday	4 th	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Tom Ennis RIP
Sunday	5 th	10.00 am	St Alban's	Martin McKeaveney RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	The People of the Parish
Monday <i>(The Transfiguration of Our Lord)</i>	6 th	9.15 am*	St Alban's	Brooklyn Townsend RIP
Tuesday	7 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
Wednesday <i>(St Dominic)</i>	8 th	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Helen Booton RIP
Thursday <i>(St Theresa Benedicta)</i>	9 th	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Mike Hinks RIP
Friday <i>(St Lawrence)</i>	10 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	Pat Denning RIP
Saturday	11 th	6.30 pm	St Alban's	The People of the Parish
Sunday	12 th	10.00 am	St Alban's	Annita Cuomo RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	Frank Deacy RIP

***Please Note Change in Mass**

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

St Alban's – Saturday 5.45pm – 6.15pm
The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available at other times on request.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Every Tuesday, 9.30 am – 11.00 am and every Thursday, 5.30 pm – 6.45 pm.

SANCTUARY LAMP:

This week our Sanctuary Lamp burns for Michael Hinks RIP. Please keep Michael in your prayers during the week.

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 Sister 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 11th/12th August

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Ellen Taylor	Alice White
	Sun 10.00 am	Doreen Blackwood	Sheila Caruth

Readers for weekend 11th/12th August

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Ellen Taylor	Malc Taylor
	Sun 10.00 am	Carlo Cuomo	Clare Beech
Oakwood	Sun 5.00 pm	Ben	Fran
Counters	C Menonca	D Kiddie	

Charlotte's fabulous facts!

"Crocodiles can't stick their tongues out!"

(Charlotte is sharing some interesting & random facts with us during the 6 weeks holidays.)