

For those who have died:

We pray for the happy repose of the soul of Catherine Walsh who died recently. Reception into St Alban's Church, by Fr Ka Fai, will be on Sunday 12th February at 5pm and the Funeral Mass will be at 1.45 pm on Monday 13th February. Please keep the family in your prayers.

First Communion 2012:

Next Sunday, 19th February, we will be welcoming the families of those taking their First Holy Communion this year. In front of the community, all parents will promise to support the children during the preparation and the community will promise to pray for the children.

Marriage Mass:

Bishop Malcolm will be celebrating the annual Mass for all married couples at the Cathedral in Nottingham on Sunday 11th March at 3pm. A special invitation is made to any couples who have been married recently and those who are celebrating a significant anniversary this year.

Next Weekend (19th/20th February):

We will be welcoming Geoffrey Dennis who will be talking to us on behalf of the Barnabas Fund which supports Christians who are being persecuted. There will be an opportunity to offer financial support at the end of Mass or to have regular communication via a magazine.

'Gift' – a new group for students:

Is there anything about the Catholic faith you would like to know about? Is there anything about the faith you don't understand? Has someone asked you a question about the faith you couldn't answer? If so this group could be for you. Its aim is to give a better understanding of our faith. Each week there will be a different topic to discuss...and free food! Starting Tuesday 31st January at 6pm at the multi-faith centre at the Kedleston Road Campus of Derby University.

Lent 2012:

There will be a special leaflet available soon with details of all the events taking place during Lent at St Alban's, the Church on Oakwood, St Hugh's Borrowash and English Martyrs Alvaston. We will have 3 special Masses during Lent in the different parishes, followed by discussion on the new initiative introduced by Bishop Malcolm – 'The Living Stones'. These are open to all parishioners from our local parishes. It will be an opportunity to see how we can begin to work together more closely and creatively look to the future of our communities.

Emergency Calls:

Fr Paul will be away for the next two weekends. There will be visiting priests celebrating Mass at weekends and Diane, our parish secretary, will be around the office during the week but if you need a priest in an emergency, please contact Fr Ka Fai on 01332 673562.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

There will be **NO** adoration next week, Tuesday 14th February.

The Church on Oakwood – Lent Course:

The dates for this are 29th February, 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th, March – Wednesdays – starting at 7 pm with tea/coffee. This year's course is "Handing on the Torch – Sacred words for a Secular World" and will be led by Fr Paul, Deacon Rosemary Bell or Sister Catherine. All are welcome so do come along to share an evening of fellowship and lively discussion. Booklets are available from Sandra Endsor at a price of £3.25.

Catholic Parliamentary And Public Policy Internships:

For the last nine years the Catholics Bishops Conference has organised parliamentary and public policy internships for recently graduated Catholics. This year we are looking to offer 8 internships: five interns will be placed with Christian MPs at Westminster; two in public policy with Cafod and Caritas social action network; and one in a media internship at Archbishop's House, Westminster. All internships will run from September 2012 - July 2013 and include accommodation and subsistence allowances. Full details and an application form can be found on our website: <http://www.catholicnews.org.uk/interns>. Completed application forms must either be emailed to interns@cbcew.org.uk or posted to: Michaela Kelly, head of HR, 39 Eccleston Square, London SW1V 1BX. The closing date is 5pm on 29th February 2012 and assessment days will be 28th and 29th March 2012. If you know anyone who may be interested in this opportunity, please encourage them to apply.

Holy Spirit Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes:

2nd - 9th June 2012, £530. Fr John McCay has 7 places left. See poster in church or contact him on 0115 9810320 or email jmccay1982@yahoo.co.uk Fr John advises that the coach could possibly pick up from St Alban's Church.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes:

Will be on 16th – 21st July this year. There are various accommodation prices with coach or air travel. See poster.

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, Loreta or Derek Hay.

PARISH CONTACTS

Parish Council Chair
Child Protection (Chaddesden)
Child Protection (Oakwood)
Readers
Planned Giving
Oakwood Committee
200 Club
CAFOD Group

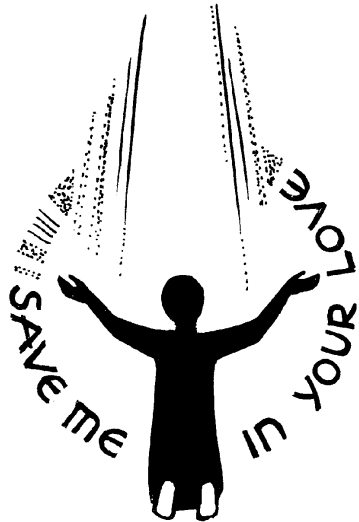
Hall Bookings: office@stalbandsderby.org.uk

Maria Neads 663602
Sue Brown 673066
Mary Woods 820319
Malcolm Taylor 602346
Steve Endsor 661819
Sandra Endsor 661819
Maureen Gray 832190
Sally Parlato 609207

Children's Liturgy 663602
Communion to the sick 280511
Music 670040
Faith Journey Course 672091
Social Committee 674422
Spirituality Group 544146
Welcome 664152
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

Roe Farm Lane, Chaddesden, DE21 6ET

The Church on Oakwood

Bishop's Drive, Oakwood, DE21 2BA

Contact details:

Parish Priest: Fr. Paul Newman
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Parish Secretary: Diane Williams

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time 11th/12th February 2012 YEAR B (Weekdays Cycle 2) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 2

Services, Mass Times and Intentions for the Coming Week

Saturday	11 th	6.30 pm	St Alban's	The People of the Parish
Sunday	12 th	10.00 am	St Alban's	Joseph Farthing RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	Dick Ennis RIP
		5.00 pm	St Alban's	Reception of Catherine Walsh RIP
Monday	13 th	1.45 pm*	St Alban's	Funeral Mass of Catherine Walsh
Tuesday (<i>SS Cyril. Monk & Methodius</i>)	14 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
Wednesday	15 th	7.00 pm	Oakwood	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
Thursday	16 th		St Alban's	No Service
Friday	17 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
Saturday	18 th	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Phyllis Delay RIP
Sunday	19 th	10.00 am	St Alban's	Gorman & Watton Families RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	The People of the Parish

***Please note Mass change**

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:

No adoration next week.

SANCTUARY LAMP:

This week our Sanctuary Lamp burns for Harry Manley RIP. Please keep Harry 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 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 18th/19th February 2012

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Dawn Kiddie	
	Sun 10.00 am	Pat Orrell	Sheila Caruth

Readers for weekend 18th/19th February 2012

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Anne Kearney	Marianna Aitchison
	Sun 10.00 am	Lorraine Collins	Shaun Reid
Counters	M Rafferhati	D Blackwood	

Thought for the week!

"Forgive everyone everything".