

**Baptism:**

Congratulations to Samuel Leo Kristiansen and Isla May Forbes who will be baptized at St Alban's Church on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> April at 1pm. Our prayers and best wishes go to their families. Well done everyone.

**Job Vacancies:**

**The Diocesan Education Service** is seeking to recruit a Finance Officer to be based at The Diocesan Centre, Derby. The post is part-time; hours negotiable (minimum of 20 hours per week). Salary £22-24,000 pro rata. Closing date: **23rd April**. For further details and application pack visit: [www.nottingham-des.org.uk](http://www.nottingham-des.org.uk).

**St Joseph's Primary School** Derby is looking to appoint a Full Time Classroom teacher for FS2. Application packs can be downloaded from the school website: [www.stjosephsderby.org.uk](http://www.stjosephsderby.org.uk) Closing date 30<sup>th</sup> April.

**Faith in Families Boxes:**

It's time for the spring collection from Faith in Families boxes. Could you please bring boxes in to church by **Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> April**. Thank you for your support.

**Rolling Stone Café:**

Rolling Stone Café presents 'The Preparation – Holy Week according to the Gospels' on Wednesday of this week (16<sup>th</sup> April), 7pm at The Church on Oakwood.

**Vocations weekend:**

The Franciscan sisters at Clay Cross are offering a taste of what it means to live life as a sister at a 'Vocation Discernment Weekend' for women aged 18 – 40 who may be interested in the Religious Life. Date: Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May, 6pm – Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> May, 2pm at St Clare's Convent, Stretton Road, Clay Cross. Contact Sr Marianne at the above address or telephone 01246 862621 or email: [vocations@googlemail.com](mailto:vocations@googlemail.com)

**Royal British Legion:**

The Royal British Legion is looking for Voluntary Poppy Appeal Organizers for the Chaddesden, Derwent and Breadsall Hilltop areas. If you are interested in helping please contact Christine Selden on 07973 750816.

**Holy Week Celebrations:**

Please try to join us for the special Holy Week celebrations – The Easter Triduum begins on Holy Thursday with Mass of The Lord's Supper at 7:30pm (St Alban's), Good Friday 'Walk of Witness' begins at 10am (St Philip's, Taddington Road), Solemn Liturgy at 3pm (St Alban's) and Stations of The Cross at 7pm (The Church on Oakwood). Easter Vigil Mass is at 8pm (St Alban's) beginning with the blessing of the Fire and service of light. Easter Sunday Mass will be at 8:30am (The Church on Oakwood) and 10am (St Alban's) Please remember there is **no Sunday evening Mass** at The Church on Oakwood for Easter Sunday

**Altar Servers Sponsored Walk:**

The servers are asking for sponsorship for the Sick and retired Priests Fund. Their sponsored walk will take place on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> May. If you can help and encourage them, they will be asking your help over the next few weeks. Thank you.

**Stations of the Cross:**

On Good Friday (18<sup>th</sup> April) you are invited to The Stations of the Cross at 7pm at The Church on Oakwood.

**Passover Celebration:**

Join us at The Church on Oakwood this Tuesday (15<sup>th</sup> April) for a Passover celebration beginning at 7.30pm. Please bring finger food for a shared table afterwards.

**Christians Together on Oakwood**

Launched during the global Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, this local initiative is for those who live, work or worship in Oakwood and would like to meet once a month for fellowship and to pray for our community. The next meeting is on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> April, 7.15pm for 7.30pm start. Please contact the Coordinator, Steve Judd, 01332 833014 or [stevejudd1@ntlworld.com](mailto:stevejudd1@ntlworld.com) for further details - including the address of where we're meeting this month.

**Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage:**

The Nottingham Diocese is now taking bookings for the annual Lourdes Pilgrimage which takes place from Monday 14<sup>th</sup> – Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2014. Prices start from £325. If you require any booking forms, brochures or further information please contact Fr Simon Gillespie (Deputy Director) on [admin@nottingham-lourdes.org.uk](mailto:admin@nottingham-lourdes.org.uk) or tel: 07760 372105.

**Penance Services:**

If you are looking to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation, there are two penance services taking place during Holy week, both starting at 7pm: Monday 14<sup>th</sup> April at St Mary's, Bridgate Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> April at English Martyrs, Alvaston

**A Special Card for Bishop Malcolm:**

Bishop Malcolm will be installed as Archbishop of Liverpool on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> May. If anyone would like to leave a personal message of thanks or good wishes a sheet has been left on the table in the church foyer.

**Easter Dance:**

This is a family event with live music and fun for all on Easter Sunday (20<sup>th</sup> April) at The Irish Centre Becket Street, Derby. Starting at 8.30 pm, tickets cost £5 and all proceeds will go to support The Derby Child Contact Centre which provides a safe and neutral location where children can spend time with parents they no longer live with. Tickets are available on the door.

**The Feast of Divine Mercy:**

Divine Mercy Sunday is on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> April. Events taking place in our Derby Deanery for Divine Mercy Sunday are at St Mary Church, Bridgewater from 2pm-4pm and at St George's Church, Village Street, Normanton from 6pm-8pm with Mass beginning at 7pm. See notice board for details.

**Collection for Holy Places of Palestine:**

There will be a collection before the service on Good Friday for the Holy Places of Palestine.

**Easter Offerings:**

Traditionally, the collection taken at all the Easter Masses is for the Parish Priest. Fr Paul thanks you for your kindness and support.

**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, contact Fr Paul.

**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: 280511.

# PARISH NEWSLETTER



## St Alban's Church

Roe Farm Lane, Chaddesden, DE21 6ET

## The Church on Oakwood

Bishop's Drive, Oakwood, DE21 2DF

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Parish Secretary: Clare Boyle

## Passion (Palm) Sunday 12<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup> April 2014

YEAR A (Weekdays Cycle 2) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 2

### Services, Mass Times and Intentions for the coming week

Saturday	12 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Tom & Edna Duncombe RIP
Sunday	13 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am	St Alban's	Hugh Hill RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	The People of the Parish
Monday	14 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Fr Sean Ryan RIP
Tuesday	15 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	St Alban's	Deceased members of the Cunningham Family
Wednesday	16 <sup>th</sup>	11.30 am	St Barnabas Cathedral	Chrism Mass
		7.00 pm	Oakwood	Fr Brendan Gorman RIP
Thursday (Mass of the Lord's Supper)	17 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 pm	St Alban's	Peter Mason RIP
Good Friday	18 <sup>th</sup>	3.00 pm	St Alban's	Solemn Liturgy
		7.00 pm	Oakwood	Stations of the Cross
Saturday (Easter Vigil)	19 <sup>th</sup>	8.00 pm	St Alban's	Family & Friends of Fr Paul Newman
Easter Sunday	20 <sup>th</sup>	8.30 am	Oakwood	The People of the Parish
		10.00 am	St Alban's	Gerard Beakey RIP

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

St Alban's: Saturday 5.45 pm – 6.15 pm.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available at other times on request.

### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Thursday from 6.15 pm in the Weekday Chapel ending with Mass at 7.00 pm

### SANCTUARY LAMP:

This week our Sanctuary Lamp burns for the deceased members of the Duncombe Family. Please keep them 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 Royal Derby Hospital:** Contact switchboard on 01332 340131 or Sister Mary Barry on 01332 346920.

**For Grove Community Hospital:** Fr Mark Brentnall or Fr Slavic Hermanowicz on 01332 574474.

**For Nuffield Hospital:** Fr John Trenchard on 01332 343777

**For Kingsway Hospital:** Fr Paul Chipchase on 01332 514107.

Alternatively, you can have a word with Fr Paul at St Alban's.

### Welcomers for weekend 19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> April

St Alban's Sat 8.00 pm Win & Walter Stone  
Sun 10.00 am Christine Evans Pat Orrell

### Readers for weekend 19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> April

St Alban's Sat 8.00 pm C Shanks, D Clegg, C Sammut, T Hurd  
Sun 10.00 am Juan Carlos Lorraine Collins  
Oakwood Sun 8.30 am Andrew Eileen  
Counters J & E Duncombe

### Catholic Schools:

St Alban's Catholic Primary -  
01332 673823

St Benedict Catholic  
Voluntary Academy -  
01332 557032

St John Houghton Catholic  
Voluntary Academy -  
0115 9322896