

Visiting Priest:

Welcome to Fr Jude Eze Ebere from St George's in Derby who celebrates Mass with us this Saturday at 6.30pm.

Financial Statement:

The annual Parish Financial Statement is available at all Masses this weekend. The Finance Committee and Fr Paul take this opportunity to thank you for your continued generosity and kind contributions to the upkeep of our churches. It is very much appreciated.

St Alban's Christmas Bazaar:

Our bazaar is on **Saturday 29th November, 11am - 3pm**. Please continue to bring in any items for the stalls: bottles for the bottle stall, items for nearly new, bric-a-brac, toys and teddies. If you have promised items for the hamper, we'd appreciate it if you could bring them into church as soon as you can. Raffle tickets are on sale, 5 tickets for £1. Take a few books home and try to sell to family and friends. Please bring the money and stubs back to Church as soon as you can. Thanks for your help.

Chocolate Donations:

The Altar Servers are asking for any donations of chocolate for their 'Chocolate Roulette' stall at the Christmas bazaar. You will find a box in the foyer.

Memorial Service – The Church on Oakwood:

The Annual Service of Memorial will take place on Wednesday 12th November, 7.30pm at The Church on Oakwood. See poster on notice board for further details.

Youth Group Leader:

We are looking for volunteers who have experience working with children to help lead our Youth Group. If you can help, please speak to Fr Paul or Geoff Rowlands.

School News: St Alban's PTA:

St Alban's PTA is organizing a 'Bag2school' collection to raise money for tablet computers for St Alban's School. The collection is for unwanted clothing, shoes, hats, bags and soft toys. If you are able to help, please leave your bags at Church over the weekend of 8th/9th November.

Spirituality Healing:

You are invited to an evening of spiritual healing on Tuesday 4th November, 7.30pm in the Parish Centre. Take time out to recharge your batteries.

African Catholic Community:

There will be an African sung Mass at St George's, Derby this Sunday 2nd November at 2pm. Everyone is welcome!

St Joseph's Youth Group & Columba Club Reunion:

A reunion will be held on Friday 21st November, 7.30pm at Littlelover Social Club, Blagreaves Lane. Adults £2 and children £1 (pay on the door). All proceeds to "Mary's Meals" - a charity supporting children in Malawi.

Briars Team:

Gap year placements are available at our Diocesan Youth Centre for 2015/16, open to 18 – 24 year olds. Please see the poster on the notice board if you are interested.

Diaconate Ordination of Juan Carlos Valer:

Congratulations to Juan Carlos on his Ordination to the Diaconate. He will be delivering the homily at the 10am Mass this Sunday and afterwards we will celebrate with him in the Parish Centre. We keep Juan Carlos, and his wife Maria, in our prayers as he begins this important ministry of service to the Church.

St Alban's Youth Group:

Youth Group will take place this Wednesday 5th November in the Parish Centre from 7pm-9pm. It is open to all young people from Year 6 and above.

November – Month of the Holy Souls:

'November Dead List' envelopes are available at Church. Please put the names of those you would like us to pray for in an envelope and return them to Church. A number of Masses will be celebrated during November for all those names included. The envelopes will remain on the altar throughout this special month of remembrance.

Senior Parishioners Christmas Lunch:

Only a few places left! Christmas meal is on Saturday 13th December 2014 at 1pm in the Parish Centre, price £7.50 per head. Lifts will be available for those who have no means of transport. If you are interested contact Clare in the Parish Office on tel: 01332 672914.

Faith in Families Autumn Collection:

Please bring your boxes to Church by weekend of 8th/9th November and make sure your name and details are on the bottom of the box. Thank you! New box holders are always needed – please see Steve, Sandra or let Fr. Paul know if you would like a box.

Parish Trip to Birmingham Christmas Market:

There is a trip to Birmingham Christmas Market on Saturday 22nd November. There are only 9 spaces left on the coach, £7.50 per seat. Coach departs St Alban's Church at 10am, leaving Birmingham at 4.00pm to arrive back by 5.30pm. To book a place please contact Clare in the Parish Office and bring payment as soon as you can.

Fireworks Event:

St Philip's on Taddington Road will hold a fireworks display on Thursday 6th November, starting 7pm. There will be burgers, hotdogs and soft drinks. Entry is free.

Job Vacancies:

Derby City Parishes Youth Worker Vacancy: Based in Derby the job is for 24 hours a week, £20,000 per annum pro rata. Application forms available from Fr Paul at St Alban's. Closing date for applications is this Monday 3rd November. Interviews will take place on Wednesday 12th November. See notice board for further details.

2015 Calendars:

There are a number of free Missio Calendars available from Church. Please take one away with you.

CAFOD 'World Gifts':

World Gifts brochures from CAFOD are available from Church – please take a copy with you.

Sacramental Policy

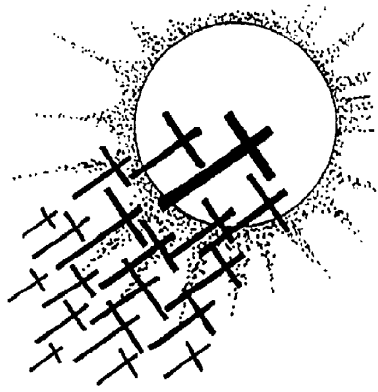
Baptism: Parents who would like to have their babies or young children baptized please contact Fr Paul or Clare Beech.

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 or contact the parish office.

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



Statement to live by: "I try to stand up for myself and others without hurting others."

St Alban's Church

Roe Farm Lane, Chaddesden, DE21 6ET

The Church on Oakwood

Bishop's Drive, Oakwood, DE21 2DF

Parish Clergy Contact Details:

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Parish Secretary: Clare Boyle

The Solemnity of All Saints 1st/2nd November 2014 (31st Sunday in Ordinary Time) YEAR A (Weekdays Cycle 2) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 3

Services, Mass Times and Intentions for the coming week

Saturday	1 st	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Susanna Baldi-Aitchison's Intention
Sunday	2 nd	10.00 am	St Alban's	Jimmy Kelly RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	The People of the Parish
Monday (Commemoration of the Faithful Departed – All Souls)	3 rd	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Betty Steel RIP
Tuesday (St Charles Borromeo)	4 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	November Dead List
Wednesday	5 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	Sheila Shepherd's Intention
Thursday	6 th	7.00 pm	St Alban's	November Dead List
Friday	7 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	Phyllis Delay RIP
Saturday	8 th	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Geraldine and Michael Noonan's Intention
Sunday	9 th	10.00 am	St Alban's	In thanksgiving for Rahilly & Farmer Families
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	The People of the Parish

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

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.

SANCTUARY LAMP:

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

Welcomers for weekend 8th/9th November

St Alban's Sat 6.30 pm Wyn Hinks
Sun 10.00 am Walter & Win Stone

Readers for weekend 8th/9th November

St Alban's Sat 6.30 pm Malc Taylor Ann Forrest
Sun 10.00 am Christine Evans Sue Brown
Oakwood Sun 5.00 pm Sandra Fran
Counters Juan Carlos & Maria Valer

Catholic Schools:

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St Benedict Catholic
Voluntary Academy -
01332 557032
St John Houghton Catholic
Voluntary Academy -
0115 9322896