

**For those who have died:**

We remember in our prayers Edward McManus who died during the week. Edward's funeral Mass will be at St Alban's on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October at 10am. We keep Joan and the family in our prayers. May he rest in peace.

**Sick and Retired Priests Fund (SRPF):**

A special word of thanks from Sanju for your generous sponsorship to his hair cutting ceremony! A cheque for over £400 will be sent to the SRPF. We received a special email from John Curran, our Diocesan organizer for the fund, saying a huge thank you to everyone involved.

**Planned Giving Boxes/Gift Aid:**

The new Planned Giving envelopes for those of you who are in the scheme will be available from next weekend (11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> October). You'll need them from the beginning of November. If you would like to join the Planned Giving Scheme or give your contribution by Standing Order and Gift Aid your regular contribution to the Church, speak to Fr Paul or Clare in the Parish Office.

**Christmas Bazaar:**

This year we will be having our Christmas bazaar on **Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> November**. We are now asking for items for the stalls: bottles for the bottle stall, items for nearly new, bric-a-brac, toys and teddies, and items for the hamper. There is a box in the foyer for you to deposit any items and a list detailing items needed for the Christmas hamper. If you know of any businesses that would like to advertise in our brochure please contact the Parish Office.

**Second Collection for CAFOD Fast Day:**

Last Friday (3<sup>rd</sup> October) was CAFOD Fast Day. There will be a second collection at all Masses this weekend to which you can contribute. Your green CAFOD envelopes can be returned in this second collection.

**Baptism Preparation:**

A reminder to all couples who have registered their children for baptism: an evening of preparation has been arranged for Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October beginning at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre.

**Harvest at the Church on Oakwood:**

Our Church on Oakwood Harvest Supper and Quiz will be on **Saturday 18th October, 6.30pm**. Tickets available from Fran or Sandra - Adults £5, Children £3, Family tickets £13 (school aged children only).

**Faith and Families:**

A Resource Day is arranged for Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> November at Christ the King Voluntary Academy, Arnold NG5 7JZ. The guest speaker is Bishop John Sherrington and there are several workshops to take part in. For more information on this event and for a booking form, email [formation@nrcdt.org.uk](mailto:formation@nrcdt.org.uk) or telephone 01159 539841.

**Rosmini Centre Ratcliffe:**

The Rosmini House of Prayer, Ratcliffe LE7 4SJ invite us to a presentation on 'Archbishop Oscar Romero' by Fr Ted Mullen on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> October beginning 11am with shared lunch at 1pm. To book a place tel: 01509 813078.

**St Alban's Youth Group:**

Our Youth Group resumes on Wednesday of this week (8<sup>th</sup> October) from 7-9pm in the Parish Centre, continuing every 2 weeks. It is a wonderful safe environment open to all young people from Year 6 and above.

**Spirituality Group:**

The Spirituality Group will meet on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre. If you would like to know more about what we do, you are welcome to join us.

**Diaconate Ordination of Juan Carlos Valer:**

On Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> November at 11:30am at St Barnabas Cathedral in Nottingham, Juan Carlos and four others will be ordained to the Diaconate. Everyone is invited. Juan Carlos will deliver his first homily as a Deacon at St Alban's on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> November at the 10am Mass which will be followed by a shared table in the Parish Centre. There is a 'sign up list' of food and drink items for those who would like to contribute to the shared table. We keep Juan Carlos and his wife Maria in our prayers. If you would like to be a part of a 'Spiritual bouquet' for Juan Carlos, please pick up a card from the welcomers at Mass and return it to church no later than 25<sup>th</sup>/26<sup>th</sup> October.

**Healing Mass:**

There will be a Healing Mass at English Martyrs Church Alvaston on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> October at 7pm. Fr Waldemar Grzyb will be celebrating Mass. He has an international reputation for the celebration of the sacrament of healing through Mass, song and prayer. All are welcome. There will be the opportunity to go to confession from 6pm.

**Derby Churches Justice and Peace Group:**

There will be a talk on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30pm at St Mary's Parish Centre by theologian, Dr Margaret Barker entitled 'The Biblical Vision for creation'. If you would like to prepare for the evening you may like to read the environment papers at [www.margaretbarker.com](http://www.margaretbarker.com). There will be a short time for prayerful reflection and tea and coffee will be served.

**Derby Irish Centre:**

There is an evening of music, dance, storytelling and the craic' at The Irish Centre, Becket Street with the 'Irish Rambling House' on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> November from 8pm. Organized by the the Derby St Patrick's Day Committee, tickets are £10. Telephone 07941 621488 for tickets or you can pay at the door.

**St Benedict Catholic Voluntary Academy:**

A reminder for parents: Autumn Presentation Evening will be held this Monday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2014 from 7pm - 9pm.

**November - Month of the Holy Souls:**

'November Dead List' envelopes will be available at Church from next weekend. Traditionally November is the time for us to remember those of our loved ones who have died. 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 the special month of remembrance.

**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 can laugh and have fun."

## 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

## Twenty-Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> October 2014 YEAR A (Weekdays Cycle 2) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 3

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

Saturday	4 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Stephen Wilkinson RIP
Sunday	5 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am	St Alban's	Michael & Veronika Karpowicz RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	The People of the Parish
Monday	6 <sup>th</sup>			No Mass or Service
Tuesday ( <i>Our Lady of the Rosary</i> )	7 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 pm	St Alban's	John Neagle's Intention
Wednesday	8 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	St Alban's	John Goodwin RIP
Thursday	9 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Bernadette Fee RIP
Friday ( <i>St Paulinus</i> )	10 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	St Alban's	Phyllis Delay RIP
Saturday	11 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Joan and Ed Duncombe's Intention
Sunday	12 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am	St Alban's	Beryl Swift RIP
	13 <sup>th</sup>	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 Maud Ryan RIP. Please keep Maud in your prayers during the week.

### Welcomers for weekend 11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> October

St Alban's Sat 6.30 pm Dawn Kiddie  
Sun 10.00 am Louise Franik Kath Leach

### Readers for weekend 11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> October

St Alban's Sat 6.30 pm Ellen Taylor Malc Taylor  
Sun 10.00 am James Kissane Trish Hurd  
Oakwood Sun 5.00 pm Fran Mike  
Counters Frank Holmes Eileen Rees

### **Catholic Schools:**

St Alban's Catholic Primary -  
01332 673823  
St Benedict Catholic  
Voluntary Academy -  
01332 557032  
St John Houghton Catholic  
Voluntary Academy -  
0115 9322896