

For those who have died:

We keep in our prayers Connor Kelly who died recently. Connor's funeral details are: Reception of body into St Alban's Church on Thursday 7th May at 4.30pm and Funeral Mass on Friday 8th May at 10am. Fr Mark Brentnall will lead Connor's funeral. Please keep his family in your prayers at this difficult time.

Clergy Formation collection:

Last weekend's mandatory Diocesan Second Collection for the Clergy Formation Fund raised £366.13. Thank you for your generosity.

Beauvale Pilgrimage:

The annual Pilgrimage to Beauvale Priory in honour of St John Houghton and St Robert Lawrence will be this Sunday (3rd May), with procession from NG16 2AA at 3.15pm and Mass at 3.30pm. Please see the poster on the notice board for more details.

St Alban's Parish Youth Group:

Our next Youth Group meeting will be on Wednesday 13th May from 7pm–9pm in St Alban's Parish Centre. It is open to all young people from Year 6 and above.

Baptism Preparation:

The Derby Deanery Baptism Preparation Course continues at St George's Village Street Derby on Tuesday 19th May and at St Hugh's Borrowwash on Tuesday 16th June. Both sessions begin at 7.30pm. Parents wishing to have their children baptized are asked to have a word with Fr Paul for a parish application form before attending one of these sessions. Thank you.

'Crossing the Threshold':

There will be a meeting for those on our 'Crossing the Threshold' team on Thursday 14th May, 7.30pm at St Alban's Parish Centre. As requested by Fr Joe Wheat, please come along with your ideas and thoughts.

Fr Peter Phiri:

Some of you will know Fr Peter Phiri from Malawi. He is coming to St Hugh's Borrowwash until the end of May. If anyone would like to contact him his number is 07931 735237.

Celebrating St Teresa of Avila - a guided retreat:

An individually guided retreat will take place at Mount St Bernard Abbey, Coalville (LE67 5UL) from Monday 11th – Friday 15th May. It's a time to step aside and listen to God with the help of daily individual guidance in the Carmelite tradition. The retreat will be led by the Secular Discalced Carmelites, and for more details and to book a place on the retreat, contact John Flaherty on 01332 551410 (email johnmarie506@hotmail.co.uk) or Heather Ward (email heatherward55@gmail.com).

Rosmini Centre:

On Saturday 9th May, Fr Ted Mullin will be leading a talk on 'The vow of poverty in the world today' from 11am – 2pm (with Mass at 10am) at The Rosmini Centre in Leicester. There will also be a Pentecost Charismatic Vigil on 23rd/24th May 10pm – 5am. Telephone 01509 813078 for more information or email rosminicentreinfo@gmail.com

Job Vacancies:

Holy Cross Primary Catholic Voluntary Academy in Hucknall is seeking to appoint a Headteacher. For further information contact the school on 0115 9534577 or via email: admin@holycross.notts.sch.uk

Parish Pastoral Council (PPC):

The minutes of the Parish Pastoral Council's AGM held on Saturday 7th March are now on the PPC notice board at the entrance to Alban's Church or can be found on the Parish website.

Nottingham Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes:

Fr Gregory Tobin (Lourdes pilgrimage Director) writes: 'Why not come on the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes this year? The dates are 13 – 18 July and there are options for both travel and accommodation...Lourdes is a perfect tonic for restoring your faith in humanity, and the Church'.

Booking forms available in the parish office or they can be obtained from admin@nottingham-lourdes.org.uk or from Fr Simon Gillespie on 07760 372105.

There will be a chartered flight from East Midlands Airport or a coach journey with transfers and insurance taken care of. Bursaries are available for health care professionals, the sick and young people.

'Petticoats, Ponytails and Peppermint Popsicles':

A nostalgic evening of music from the swinging 60's provided by Peter Piper and Chrissy Smith on Saturday 11th July held at Hilton Village Hall. Music and dancing from 7.30pm–10pm. Admission: £5 (children free). Tickets are available from amdram47@yahoo.co.uk or 01283 736316.

Spiritual Healing:

We warmly invite you to join us for our regular evening of spiritual healing in the Parish Centre at St Alban's on Tuesday 5th May at 7.30pm. We pray for each other in a lovely relaxed atmosphere and there is an opportunity for everyone to receive individual healing should they wish to. Come along and have you 'batteries' recharged! We finish the evening about 8.30pm with refreshments.

Service of Healing & Anointing:

On Pentecost Sunday on 24th May, there will be a special service of healing and anointing at St Alban's Church at 2pm. The sick and housebound of the parish have been invited to this special service and anyone else who would like to be anointed with the oil of the sick is welcome to attend. Refreshments in the Parish Centre afterwards.

A Day with Mary in Walsingham:

A special 'Day with Mary' will take place at The National Shrine of Our Lady at Walsingham on Sunday 31st May. Please see the poster on the church notice board for further details of this event.

African Catholic Community:

There will be an African sung Mass at St George's in Village Street in Derby this Sunday (3rd May) at 2pm.

Lost Property:

If anyone has lost a pair of blue/white stripped glasses, please contact Clare in the Parish Office on 01332 672914.

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 or Angela Fairbrother 01332 544146.

PARISH NEWSLETTER



IF YOU
ABIDE IN ME
YOU WILL BEAR
MUCH FRUIT —

Statement to live by: ***“I understand what trust means.”***

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Parish Secretary: Clare Boyle

Fifth Sunday of Easter 2nd/3rd May 2015

YEAR B (Weekdays Cycle 1) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 1

Services, Mass Times and Intentions for the coming week

Saturday	2 nd	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Bridie & Vinnie Doran RIP
Sunday	3 rd	10.00 am	St Alban's	The People of the Parish
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	John Gibney RIP
Monday (<i>The English Martyrs</i>)	4 th			No Mass
Tuesday	5 th	9.15 am	St Alban's	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
Wednesday	6 th			No Mass
Thursday	7 th	4.30 pm	St Alban's	Reception Service for Connor Kelly RIP
		7.00 pm	St Alban's	Eithne O'Brien RIP
Friday	8 th	10.00 am	St Alban's	Funeral Mass for Connor Kelly RIP
Saturday	9 th	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Maria Aitchison RIP
Sunday	10 th	10.00 am	St Alban's	Stephen Wilkinson RIP
		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:

***No Adoration this 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.

SANCTUARY LAMP:

This week our Sanctuary Lamp burns for Patrick (Patsy) & Helen Clohessy RIP. Please keep them in your prayers during the week.

Welcomers for weekend 9th/10th May

St Alban's Sat 6.30 pm Dawn Kiddie
Sun 10.00 am Marco, Vikki, Samuele & Arianna Congiu

Readers for weekend 9th/10th May

St Alban's Sat 6.30 pm Carl Mendonça Becky Downing
Sun 10.00 am James Kissane Karen Billyeald
Oakwood Sun 5.00 pm Greg Catherine
Counters Gill Dove Mary Keogh

Catholic Schools:

St Alban's Catholic Primary -
01332 673823

St Benedict Catholic
Voluntary Academy -
01332 557032

St John Houghton Catholic
Voluntary Academy -
0115 9322896