

**Baptism:**

Many congratulations to John Eric Styles who was baptised at St Hugh's church on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> February. Our prayers and best wishes go to John's family on this very special occasion. Well done everyone!

**For those who have died:**

Please continue to remember in your kind prayers Robin Thorne and Pat Malone. Robin's funeral service will take place at Markeaton Crematorium on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> February at 1.20pm. Pat's funeral arrangements are: Reception of the body into church on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> February at 4.30pm and Funeral Mass Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> February at 9.30am. We keep their families in our prayers at this difficult time.

**St Hugh's collection:**

From the collection on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> February: cash £131.00, envelopes £168.00, total £299.00 Thank you for your continued generosity.

**The annual 'Valentines' Mass:**

All married couples are invited to St Barnabas Cathedral Nottingham on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> February at 3pm, for the annual 'Valentines' Mass in which you will be able to renew your marriage vows. Bishop Patrick will be the main celebrant at this special Mass of thanksgiving.

**Deanery Youth Choir:**

Open to anyone aged 8 – 16 the Derby Youth Choir meets on Tuesday evenings 6.30 – 7.15pm at St Alban's Church. It costs just £1 per session. Bring a friend, come and sing!

**Lent York Course:**

This year's ecumenical York course is based on the Psalms. Its theme is: 'Prayers for today's Church'. Every Wednesday during Lent, beginning this Wednesday (17<sup>th</sup> February) 7pm for 7.30pm start, the Church on Oakwood will host the course. Booklets to guide us through the five sessions are available from Sandra Endors (Tel 01332 661819) and everyone is welcome to attend.

**St Hugh's Parish Pastoral Council (PPC):**

The next meeting of St Hugh's Parish Pastoral Council will be on Tuesday (16<sup>th</sup> February) at 7pm. If you have anything you would like the PPC to discuss, have a word with one of the members and we promise to bring it to discussion.

**Spirituality Network:**

There will be a day of prayer exploring different forms and styles of prayer at St Joseph's Burton Road Derby on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> February beginning with registration from 10am and Morning Prayer at 10.30am. The day will end around 2.45pm. Please bring your own lunch. Tea and coffee will be provided. There is a suggested donation of £10 to help towards the cost of the day.

**Rite of Election – Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> February:**

Gary Chapman and Louanna Olivier from our parish community will take part in the Rite of Election at St Barnabas Cathedral this Sunday. We keep them in our prayers and all those who are continuing their journey in faith towards full communion with the Catholic Church.

**Prayer Tree:**

Lent is a time of prayer and reconciliation, so what better time to remember all the people and intentions on the 'Prayer Tree' at St Hugh's and at The Church on Oakwood. Everyone is welcome to add any personal requests and prayers to the 'Prayer Trees'.

**Stations of the Cross:**

Stations of the Cross will take place every Friday during Lent, alternating between St Alban's and St Hugh's. This Friday (19<sup>th</sup> February) it will be at St Hugh's beginning at 7pm. You are welcome to join us for soup and a roll afterwards in the parish hall.

**St Mary's Church – Bridge Gate:**

St Mary's has begun a major restoration project on its historic Lady Chapel. The work will see the full beauty of the paintings and decoration brought about by professional artists recreating some of the original motifs as well as cleaning the existing art work. There will be a new lighting system and lectern designed in the style of Pugin and the sanctuary floor is going to be raised and renewed. St Mary's parishioners ask us to keep them in our prayers as they embark on this project and invite us to be a part of the events taking place in the coming year. For more information: [www.stmarysparish.co.uk/ladychapel](http://www.stmarysparish.co.uk/ladychapel)

**St Alban's AGM:**

The parish AGM will be on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> February after the Stations of the Cross at 8.15pm in the parish centre. It will be a 30 - 40 minutes meeting. Anyone is welcome and if there is anything you would like on the agenda, have a word with a member of the PPC by 19<sup>th</sup> February.

**Pilgrimage to Medjugorje:**

Details of Pilgrimages to Medjugorje this year are on the notice board in our churches. Flights from Birmingham, £539. For more information contact Kath Gambin on 0116 2340103 or 07776312501.

**CAFOD Lent Fast Day:**

CAFOD Lenten Fast day will be on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> February. Envelopes are available from church this weekend and can be brought back for the weekend of 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> February for a special second collection. CAFOD is encouraging our support by working with local expert organizations to bring water to family homes so that children who would usually get water from the wells have time for school, study and to play with friends. The UK Government has promised to match every pound and penny we give this Lent, so please support the collection if you can. Thank you.

**Taking Root in Christ:**

We are beginning a 10 week course on knowing Jesus more fully and intimately, beginning on Monday March 7<sup>th</sup> at 7pm, in St Hugh's parish hall. It will include elements of 'Alpha' and everyone is welcome.

**Derby Life:**

In the foyer at St Hugh's there is a basket for any clothing, shoes or items that could be sold at the Derby Life shop in Derby. Thank you for your support.

**Sacramental Policy**

**Baptism:** Parents wishing to have their babies or young children baptized please contact Fr Paul, Fr Slavic or Deacon Juan Carlos.  
**Adults seeking Baptism** or wanting to find out more about the Catholic Faith, please contact Fr Paul, Fr Slavic or Deacon Juan Carlos.  
**Marriage:** Couples wishing to marry are required to give at least six months notice. See Father Paul, Fr Slavic or Deacon Juan Carlos.  
**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 Fr Paul or Angela Fairbrother 544146 for St Albans and Fr Slavic or Anne & Peter Rochford, 674234 for St Hugh's.

**SCHOOLS:** St Alban's Primary 01332 673823, St Benedict Secondary 01332 557032, St John Houghton Secondary 0115 9322896

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**St Alban's Church – Chaddesden**

[www.stalbansderby.org.uk](http://www.stalbansderby.org.uk)

**The Church on Oakwood**

[www.thechurchonoakwood.org](http://www.thechurchonoakwood.org)

**St Hugh's Church – Borrowash**

[www.sthughborrowash.org.uk](http://www.sthughborrowash.org.uk)

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**Patients in our Hospitals:**

If you know of anyone in Hospital who would like a visit from the Chaplain, please use the following numbers:

**Royal Derby Hospital:** Contact switchboard on 01332 340131 or Sister Mary 01332 346920.

**Grove Community Hospital:** Fr Mark Brentnall 01332 574474.

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

**Kingsway Hospital:** Fr Malachy Brett on 01332 514107.

Alternatively, you can have a word with Fr Paul.



**First Week of Lent 13<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup> February 2016**  
**YEAR C (Weekdays Cycle 2) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 1**

**SANCTUARY LAMPS:**

The Sanctuary Lamp burns for Min Lebeter RIP at St Alban's.  
Please keep her in your prayers.

**Services, Mass Times and Intentions for the Coming Week**

Saturday	13 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Pasquale Baldi RIP
Sunday	14 <sup>th</sup>	9.00 am	St Hugh's	Frank Panci RIP
		10.30 am	St Alban's	Chris and Helen Gascoigne RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	The People of the Parish
Monday	15 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Syd Essex RIP
Tuesday	16 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	St Alban's	Poor Clare Sisters
		9.30 am	St Hugh's	Private Intention
		1.20 pm	Markeaton Crematorium	Funeral Service for Robin Thorne RIP
Wednesday	17 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 pm	Oakwood	John Stephen RIP
Thursday	18 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am	St Hugh's	Service of The Word and Holy Communion
		7.00 pm	St Alban's	Martin Gilligan RIP
Friday	19 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	St Alban's	Mary Fitzpatrick RIP
		9.30 am	St Hugh's	Anne Fairbrother RIP
Saturday	20 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 pm	St Alban's	The People of the Parish
Sunday	21 <sup>st</sup>	9.00 am	St Hugh's	Stan Addison RIP
		10.30 am	St Alban's	Rae Carter RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	Private Intention

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:**  
**St Alban's** – Saturday 5.45pm – 6.15pm  
The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available at other times on request.  
**St Hugh's** – by appointment.

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AT ST ALBAN'S:**  
Thursday from 6.15pm

**STATEMENT TO LIVE BY**  
'I co-operate with others in work and play'

**Welcomers for weekend 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> February**

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Becki Downing	
	Sun 10.30 am	Cecilia Lewis	Vicky Nugent

**Readers for weekend 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> February**

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Chris Miles	Ann Kearney
	Sun 10.30 am	Sue Brown	Aidan Keogh
Oakwood	Sun 5.00 pm	Mike	Catherine
St Hugh's	Sun 9.00 am	Margaret Burns	
<u>Counters</u>	<u>St Alban's</u>	J & E Duncombe	
<u>Cleaners</u>	<u>St Hugh's</u>	Mary Verissimo	
<u>Flowers</u>	<u>St Hugh's</u>	Volunteer	