

**For those who have died:**

Please remember in your kind prayers the happy repose of the souls of Patrick Kearney and Alan (Barney) Stone. Patrick's funeral service will take place at Markeaton Crematorium on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May at 11.20am. Barney's funeral arrangements are to be confirmed. Fr Paul will lead the families in these funeral celebrations.

**St Alban's Parish Council Nominations & Elections:**

Thank you to those who have already showed an interest in being on the Parish Pastoral Council for St Alban's. Every three years, a new PPC is elected and this a great opportunity to be involved in the administration and development of St Albans and The Church on Oakwood, as well as providing valuable support to the parish priests. The deadline for nominations is this weekend, Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> May.

**Celebrating Pentecost - Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May:**

The 'Crossing the Threshold Team' invite the people of our parish who have links to different cultures to bring some sample foods from all parts of the world for a shared buffet after the 10.30am Mass on 15<sup>th</sup> May so we can celebrate the diversity of cultures in our parish community. The more adventurous among you might like to wear traditional costume. There will be a quiz for the children to be involved in and lots of fun for everyone! If you would like to be involved in reading a bidding prayer at Mass in your own language, please let the parish office know as soon as possible. Thank you!

**St Hugh's Maintenance Saturdays 14<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> May:**

St Hugh's have a list of maintenance jobs that need doing. If you want to help please either get in touch with a PPC member or email [Phil.Birkin@hotmail.com](mailto:Phil.Birkin@hotmail.com). All skills welcome. Thank you for your support.

**Second Collection – for Ukraine:**

Thank you to those of you who responded so generously to the Pope's invitation for humanitarian aid to the people of The Ukraine. The collection at St Alban's and The Church on Oakwood brought in £396.85 and from St Hugh's £174.

**200 Club winners:**

Congratulations to the winners of the draw for May:

1<sup>st</sup> Prize - £200, Andrew Richardson, Number 99

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize - £30, Mrs L Hodkinson, Number 47

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize - £20, Mr & Mrs Harvey, Number 39

If anyone would like to join the 200 Club and have the chance of winning £200 every month, please contact the parish office or pick up a form from the foyer in church.

**The church on Oakwood:**

You are invited to join with the morning congregation at Sunday morning worship 10.30 on Pentecost Sunday, as sign of unity with our fellow Christians and our commitment to our Covenant promises.

**St Hugh's collection:**

From the collection on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> May; cash £138.00, envelopes £94.00, total £232.00 plus standing orders. Thank you for your continued generosity.

**Second Collection – World Communications Day:**

There will be a mandatory Diocesan second collection for World Communications Day this weekend (7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> May). There are prayer cards available from church and more information on the church notice board.

**Job Opportunities:**

Deputy Headteacher required for Sacred Heart Primary School in Nottingham. An opportunity to work in leadership in this outstanding school. The post carries a KS2 teaching commitment of three days. For more information and to apply, go to [www.sacredheart.co.uk](http://www.sacredheart.co.uk). Closing date for applications 16<sup>th</sup> May.

**St Alban's Church Diamond Jubilee:**

Do you have any photos or items of interest of St Alban's church - special events or occasions that could be displayed as part of our Parish Diamond Jubilee celebration? If so, please let us have them before the end of May and make sure you name any items so that they can be returned to you.

**Flower Collection:**

We will have a special flower collection on the weekend 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> May at St Alban's and the Church on Oakwood. This collection will help towards flowers for the feast of Pentecost and our First Communion celebration.

**First Holy Communion:**

A reminder for parents that there will be a meeting on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm at St Alban's Parish Centre. It's really important for parents to attend this meeting as there will be lots of important and helpful information given for our First Holy Communion celebration later this month. Please try to arrange childcare. The meeting should last no longer than an hour.

**The Neophyte Mass:**

A reminder for all those recently received into our Church, their families, catechists, sponsors about the Neophyte Mass at St Barnabas Cathedral, Nottingham, with Bishop Patrick McKinney presiding, this Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> May at 3.00pm. Refreshments after Mass in the Cathedral Hall.

**Derby Refugee Advice Centre:**

Joan Stannard, chair of Derby Refugee Advice Centre, will be speaking to the Deanery on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May, 7.30pm at Our Lady of Lourdes parish centre. Discover what is going on in the deanery and how we can make a difference to the lives of these people. All are welcome.

**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 17<sup>th</sup> May 2016 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 your "batteries" recharged! We finish the evening about 8.30pm with refreshments.

**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

# PARISH NEWSLETTER

**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.



**The Ascension of the Lord 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> May 2016**  
**YEAR C (Weekdays Cycle 2) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 3**

**SANCTUARY LAMPS:**

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

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

Saturday	7 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Elizabeth (Lily) Moore RIP
Sunday	8 <sup>th</sup>	9.00 am	St Hugh's	Hugh Hayden RIP
		10.30 am	St Alban's	Albino Anzelmo RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	Sheila Beale
Monday	9 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Fr Paul and Family
Tuesday	10 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	St Alban's	Syd Essex RIP
		9.30 am	St Hugh's	Bob Heaps RIP
Wednesday ( <i>St John Houghton</i> )	11 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	St Alban's	Ken Newman RIP
Thursday	12 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 pm	St Alban's	John Hamilton RIP
Friday	13 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	St Alban's	Michael Brady
		9.30 am	St Hugh's	Gus Kelly RIP
Saturday	14 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Maria Aitchison RIP
Sunday	15 <sup>th</sup>	9.00 am	St Hugh's	The People of the Parish
		10.30 am	St Alban's	Mafalda Federico RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	Nigel Melbourne RIP

**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 know how to help others when they are in trouble'

**Welcomers for weekend 14<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup> May**

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Dawn Kiddie	
	Sun 10.30 am	Kath Leach	Louise Franik

**Readers for weekend 14<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup> May**

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	Cheryl Bullman	Chris Miles
	Sun 10.30 am	Aidan Keogh	Karen Billyeald
Oakwood	Sun 5.00 pm	Catherine	Mike
St Hugh's	Sun 9.00 am	Geoff Dennis	
<u>Counters</u>	<u>St Alban's</u>	C Mendonca	D Kiddie
<u>Cleaners</u>	<u>St Hugh's</u>	Anita Gorman	Kath Johnstone
<u>Flowers</u>	<u>St Hugh's</u>	Volunteer	