

**For those who have died:**

Please remember in your kind prayers Dorothy Vilma Elliot who died recently. Dorothy's funeral service will take place at St Mary's Catholic Church on Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> April at 2pm. Fr Paul will lead the family in this funeral celebration. Please keep the family in your prayers at this difficult time.

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

Are you interested in serving on the Pastoral Parish Council? 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. Nomination forms are available from church - the deadline for nominations is 8th May. If you have any questions about being involved, please ask one of the PPC members.

**DBS disclosures for those at St Hugh's:**

The Diocese now requires everyone in ministry with children and vulnerable adults to renew their DBS (formerly CRB) disclosure if their existing disclosure form was issued pre June 2012.

The DBS check can now be done online, so as a first step, Margaret Burns will need to have email addresses if possible of those who need to renew their DBS. If you would prefer not to use the online method, the check can still be done in the traditional way. Please have a word with Margaret as soon as possible, telephone: 01332 674216 or 07720285202 or email [margaretskilton@icloud.com](mailto:margaretskilton@icloud.com)

**St Alban's Redecoration:**

There will be some re-decoration work at the entrance to the Church and a new floor covering and redecoration for the Parish Centre over the next week or so. We would be grateful for volunteers to help after coffee this Sunday (24<sup>th</sup> April) to move some of the furniture and items in the Parish Centre to prepare for the redecoration.

**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! Put the date in your diary.

**Safeguarding Sunday:**

This 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter (23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>th</sup> April), the Diocese is celebrating safeguarding Sunday. This is an opportunity for us to promote a ministry of safeguarding and to highlight our commitment in ensuring our parish communities are safe places for children and vulnerable adults. Bishop Patrick writes to us this weekend in a special pastoral letter which talks about the importance of safeguarding.

**Second Collection – for Ukraine:**

Pope Francis has asked all parish churches in Europe to have a special collection this weekend (23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>th</sup> April) for humanitarian aid for the people suffering violence in Ukraine. Please contribute generously to this initiative.

**Mercy Care Centre Highfields Park Drive DE22 1JX:**

The Mercy Care Centre, provides care and support to older people and people living with dementia. The Centre is currently looking to recruit additional Carers/Senior Carers to join their highly regarded team. If you are interested or know of anyone who may be interested in a caring role, please contact Jacqui or Christine on 01332 557209.

**Dementia in our parishes:**

If there is anyone caring for relatives and friends who are suffering from dementia we have a short questionnaire for you to fill in. The questionnaire is available from the parish office and will be forwarded to Fr Frank Daly, our Diocesan chaplain to SPANNED.

**Upcoming Diocesan events in Derby:**

**'Boundless Mercy'** – a Diocesan Retreat day led by Bishop Patrick on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> May at St Joseph's Church Hall, Burton Road Derby. From 10am – 3pm.

**Children's Liturgy Formation Day** at The Diocesan Centre Mackworth on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> June 10am – 3pm (cost £5 per person – the parish will pay)

**Catholic Certificate in Religious Studies (CCRS):** registration for this course or to find out more about the course is on 1<sup>st</sup> October 10am - 2pm at The Diocesan Centre, Mackworth. To book any of these events, please contact Diane Williams on 01159539841 or email [formation@nrcdt.org.uk](mailto:formation@nrcdt.org.uk)

**Beauvale Pilgrimage:**

In honour of Ss John Houghton and Robert Lawrence, this year's Pilgrimage to Beauvale is on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> May beginning with a procession from Beauvale Abbey Farm at 3.15pm with Mass celebrated by Bishop Patrick at 3.30pm. See poster in church for more details.

**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.

**'Cannons' is back:**

The Diocesan Youth event, 'Cannons', is back in Derby and takes place on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> April at St Joseph's Burton Road from 7 – 9pm. Hosted by The Briars Team, 'Cannons' is an evening of food fun and faith for any young person of secondary school age. All are welcome.

**St Hugh's collection:**

From the collection on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> April; Cash: £140.00. Envelopes: £93.00. Total: £233.00 plus standing orders. Thank you for your continued generosity.

**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. Thank you for your help and 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

# 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)

**Parish Priest:**

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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.



**Fifth Sunday of Easter 23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>h</sup> April 2016**  
**YEAR C (Weekdays Cycle 2) – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 1**

**SANCTUARY LAMPS:**

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

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

Saturday	23 <sup>rd</sup>	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Mary Noonan RIP
Sunday	24 <sup>th</sup>	9.00 am	St Hugh's	The People of the Parish
		10.30 am	St Alban's	Rob Thorne RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	Shane Gibblin
Monday ( <i>St Mark</i> )	25 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 pm	St Alban's	Moreen Parris Intentions
Tuesday	26 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	St Alban's	Fiona Cauldwell RIP
		9.30 am	St Hugh's	Private Intention
Wednesday	27 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	St Alban's	Betty Brown RIP
Thursday	28 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am	St Hugh's	Service of The Word and Holy Communion
		7.00 pm	St Alban's	Ken Newman RIP
Friday ( <i>St Catherine of Siena</i> )	29 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	St Alban's	Thomas & Anne McArdle Intentions
		9.30 am	St Hugh's	Carmel Breslin RIP
Saturday	30 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 pm	St Alban's	Bridie & Vinnie Doran RIP
Sunday	1 <sup>st</sup>	9.00 am	St Hugh's	Stan Addison RIP
		10.30 am	St Alban's	Joe Crowley RIP
		5.00 pm	Oakwood	Private Intention (Goodwin)

**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 can recognise comfortable and uncomfortable feelings'

**Welcomers for weekend 30<sup>th</sup>/1<sup>st</sup> May**

St Alban's Sat 6.30 pm Cheryl Bullman  
Sun 10.30 am Walt & Win Stone

**Readers for weekend 30<sup>th</sup>/1<sup>st</sup> May**

St Alban's	Sat 6.30 pm	David Gilhooley	Jessica Gilhooley
	Sun 10.30 am	Sue Brown	James Kissane
Oakwood	Sun 5.00 pm	Sandra	Fran
St Hugh's	Sun 9.00 am	Peter Rochford	
<u>Counters</u>	<u>St Alban's</u>	F Holmes	E Rees
<u>Cleaners</u>	<u>St Hugh's</u>	Mrs McGuinn	Shey
<u>Flowers</u>	<u>St Hugh's</u>	Volunteer	