Parish Newsletter 20th/21st July

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Hospital Support In an emergency call The Royal Derby Hospital on 01332 340131 for the On-Call Catholic Chaplain

Safeguarding The new "Parish Safeguarding Handbook" can be accessed from the Diocese Website https://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/departments/safegarding One copy is at the back of church

Scripture Readings 16th Week of Ordinary Time Online Readings at <u>www.universalis.com/mass</u>

Our Sanctuary Lamp at St Alban's burns this week: Joan and Andy Calf RIP Anniversary

BIGGUNS AND LITTLUNS 11.00am-1.00pm A group for all ages. An opportunity to meet new people and enjoy watching the children explore and play. We do activities for the children and the adults should they wish to join in. But it's also fine for you to sit back and relax with a coffee and cake. @ St Alban's Parish Hall.

St Alban's

St Hugh's

St Alban's Holy Gift Shop is open after Mass every St Hugh's have a piety stall available in the meeting room Sunday in the parish hall. A place to buy cards, gifts, with various religious items on sale. Please go and have a etc Come and take a look. Card and cash accepted. look after Mass. Sunday coffee mornings after Mass.

Derby Deanery Youth Choir - For children aged 7 upwards every Tuesday 6:30pm until 7.15pm @ St Alban's Church. (£1 a week) Derby Deanery Choir for adults every Tuesday 7.30pm until 8.30pm (£2 a week) no audition - just lots of great singing! Contact Jo for more info 07745 517371

St Hugh's Children's liturgy are looking for volunteers to help with Children's liturgy. Anyone wishing to help/volunteer please contact Caroline After Mass. All welcome - Zumba classes: fun and low impact classes take place every Friday in the parish hall from 10.30-11.15. Come along for a fun gentle workout. All welcome. Wellness Wednesday: wellness Wednesday coffee morning 9.30-11.30 until July 31st, none in August.

This year's New Dawn Pilgrimage will take place from Monday 5th to Friday 9th August at the National Shrine and Basilica of Our Lady of Walsingham. New Dawn is a family event with a programme of Liturgy, Sacraments, praise and worship, keynote speakers, workshops, children/youth ministries and more. Further information can be found at www.newdawn.org.uk

St Alban's Catholic Church Youth Group

At the end of this school year Sally and Andy will end their time running the Youth Group. Andy has been involved for the last ten years and Sally for just over thirty. It's been great fun and a privilege to share their time with so many young adults and they would like to thank them all for their input and laughter. Also to all the parents who picked up, dropped off and got involved with some of their events. Tia Thompson has been invaluable over the last few years helping out with running the Youth Group and will be staying on to help with the crossover of the new Youth Group leaders Beth and Mark. Some familiar faces, Dan and Stuart, will be helping out as well. After the summer break the group will continue, hopefully for another thirty years! To mark the end of their youth work Andy will be taking part in a twenty one hour sponsored walk in Oxford over this weekend as part of team Amos, hoping to raise a whole lot of cash to a very worthy cause. Please donate a little if you can. https://www.justgiving.com/page/team-amos-2024

Sixteenth Week of Ordinary Time

Sunday Mass at St Alban's is streamed at www.youtube.com/@stalbansderby

Exposition of the blessed sacrament will be half an hour before each weekday mass starts. Confessions half an hour before weekday mass at St Alban's and St Hugh's

Day & Date	Place	Time	Event
Sat 20 th	St. Alban's	6.30pm	Mass
Sunday 21st	St Hugh's	9.00am	Mass
	St Alban's	10.30am	Mass
Monday 22 nd St Mary Magdalene	St Alban's	10.00am	Mass
Wed 24 th Feria	St Hugh's	10.00am	Mass
Thursday 25 th St James	St Alban's	6.30pm	Mass
Friday 26 th St Joachim and Anne	St Hugh's	10.00am	Mass
Saturday 27 th	St Alban's	6.30pm	Mass
Sunday 28 th	St Hugh's	9.00am	Mass
	St Alban's	10.30am	Mass

Second Collection next weekend Mission Appeal - Missionary Sister will be giving a fund raising appeal for their missionary work

A reflection from Pope Francis for the Year of Prayer, for the Sixteenth Sunday of the Year: In the Old Testament David – as pastor and king – prefigures Jesus the Good Shepherd and universal King, whose prayerful relationship with his heavenly Father sustained his whole life. David was both saint and sinner, full of contradictions, yet in his vocation of leadership he was constant in prayerful dialogue with God. Our lives are often marked by contradictory forces, but if, like David, we persevere in prayer, whatever our vocation and the difficulties we may face, we will come to know the closeness of the Lord and be able to share this joy with others. To read the full reflection and find more resources at dioceseofnottingham.uk/vearofpraver

The Diocesan Education Service is seeking to appoint a highly professional, motivated Governance Manager to join their small and friendly team. This is a part-time / term time permanent appointment. The post will start on 1st September, at a FTE salary of between £38k and £42k. Applications should be received by noon, Monday 29th July. More details can be found at www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/careers

As Catholics we must do all that we can to defend human life, in all forms and at all stages. But our belief that life is a sacred gift from God is not shared by all. Under the new government, decriminalisation of abortion and assisted suicide will both soon be debated in Parliament. On Saturday 7th September there will be an opportunity to witness to our belief in the value of life with the annual March for Life in Westminster. More information is available at www.marchforlife.co.uk/2024-event-page. There will be a coach going from Nottingham; for information, and to book, contact Marielangford@live.co.uk (07948 151 264).

Mount Saint Bernard Abbey is hosting a Family Pilgrimage on Sunday 1st September. Outdoor Mass will be celebrated at 2pm, followed by a Marian Procession, and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Bring a picnic, enjoy the Abbey grounds: all are welcome. Contact James at: JNoakes@englishmartyrs.org

As the children break up from school for the summer holidays I wish you all a wonderful holiday and relaxing break, and a safe return in September.

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i	Geraldine Drislane Int.
;	Geraldine O'Shea RIP
;	Walter & Bill Stone RIP
;	Carmel Theresa Breslin RIP
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i	People of the Parish
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;	Geraldine Noonan RIP

