

Parish Newsletter 14th/15th June 2025

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

Scripture Readings: Eleventh week of Ordinary Time

Online Readings at www.universalis.com/mass

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Hospital Support

In an emergency

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Derby Hospital on
01332 340131 for
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Catholic
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**Our Sanctuary Lamp at St Alban's burns this week:
Peace in the Middle East**

St Alban's

St Alban's Holy Gift Shop is open after Mass every
Sunday in the parish hall. A place to buy cards, gifts,
etc Come and take a look. Card and cash accepted.

St Hugh's

St Hugh's have a piety stall available in the meeting room
with various religious items on sale. Please go and have a
look after Mass. Sunday coffee mornings after Mass.

BIGGUNS AND LITLUNS 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 Day Mass will take place at St Albans School on **Friday 20th June at 10.00am.**

All are welcome to celebrate with our school community.

St Alban Protomartyr of England is the Patron Saint of our parish. Alban bravely gave shelter to a
stranger fleeing persecution. This stranger was a priest, now known as Amphibalus. Alban
became inspired by how important faith was to him. It was not long until the Roman authorities
caught up with Amphibalus. However, Alban's newfound faith would not allow him to let the
authorities arrest the priest. Alban exchanged clothes with Amphibalus and was arrested,
allowing the priest to escape. Alban would not renounce his beliefs and was sentenced to
death in place of Amphibalus.



Taking place in the grounds of Ampleforth College from **Friday 22nd - Monday 25th August**, the **Youth 2000
Summer Festival** provides young adults (aged 16-35) from across the UK the opportunity to come together and
explore faith, build relationships and find hope. This four-day festival includes great speakers, social time, break-
out sessions, Daily Mass, 24/7 Adoration and much more! Register your place at:
youth2000.org/events/summerfestival2025. Tickets are also available for priests, religious, families and groups.
If you have any questions, please email: events@youth2000.org.

Retreat Day at St Alban's "Anchored in Hope," a transformative retreat day on **Saturday, 5th July 2025**, from
10:00 AM to 4:00 PM at Saint Alban's Church, Derby. This day is designed for everyone, with a special welcome
extended to families, as we explore the uplifting theme of **Christian Hope and the Family**. We are thrilled to
welcome our keynote speaker, the renowned **David Wells** from the Plymouth diocese, who will lead three
inspiring talks on hope as a gift, its role in family life, and how it moves us to action. The day will also feature
personal reflection at various prayer stations, Adoration, and uplifting music. Join us from 9:30 AM for a warm
welcome with tea, coffee, and pastries before our 10:00 AM start. There is no cost to attend, though donations
will be gratefully accepted on the day. Please bring a packed lunch to enjoy during our fellowship time.

Join Bishop Patrick and families from across our Diocese for our **Jubilee of Families** on **Saturday 21st June**.
The celebrations will begin at Our Lady of Lourdes, Derby, DE3 9GE, at 12 noon with the celebration of Mass,
followed by a Blessed Sacrament procession, a jubilee family blessing, Hog Roast (alternatives available for
vegetarians and vegans) and activities and games for children organised by NDCYS. Tickets are free but need
to be booked in advance: www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/familyjubilee

Eleventh Week of Ordinary Time Year C

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	Mass Intention
Saturday 14 th Vigil The most Holy Trinity	St. Alban's	6.30pm	Mass	Norman Annable RIP
Sunday 15 th The most Holy Trinity	St Hugh's	9.00am	Mass	Joyce Morris & Teresa McCauley RIP
	St Alban's	10.30am	Mass	
Monday 16 th Feria	St Alban's	10.00am	Mass	
Wednesday 18 th Feria	St Hugh's	10.00am	Mass	Holy Souls
Thursday 19 th Feria	St Alban's	6.30pm	Mass	Mark Booton RIP
Friday 20 th St Alban	St Alban's school	10.00am	Mass	
Saturday 21 st Vigil The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ	St Alban's	6.30pm	Mass	Tommy & Anne McArdle RIP
Sunday 22 nd The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ	St Hugh's	9.00am	Mass	People of the Parish
	St Alban's	10.30am	Mass	Ronnie & Agnes 62nd wedding anniversary

The Ascent is coming to the Nottingham Diocese – the ASCENT is a three year discipleship process for
Catholic young people in years 10-12 who want to embrace their faith in Jesus Christ at a whole new level and
learn how to share it with others. At their heart they seek to disciple the few for the sake of the many so that
the Gospel may reach the ends of the earth. Bookings are open now, visit www.theascentuk.co.uk/

Marriage Care is looking for a **Counselling Training Administrator** who will play a key part in the delivery and
development of training for volunteer counsellors and trainers. This is a permanent, part-time (28 hrs/week)
role that requires regular weekend and evening work as well as national travel. Staff members work with a
friendly, enthusiastic and supportive team, enjoy flexible working, and 28 days annual leave (pro rata). If this
is of interest to you, or someone you know, visit www.marriagecare.org.uk or email Michelle Hayes at
michelle@marriagecare.org.uk The closing date is Monday 23rd June.

Jubilee Now: a festival of economic justice on **Wednesday 18th June at 6.30pm** You are invited to a
landmark Jubilee Year event from Caritas Diocese of Nottingham with numerous partner organisations,
marking 10 years since publication of *Laudato Si*. The keynote talk by Professor Luigino Bruni, of the Economy
of Francesco Foundation, economist, historian and Scripture scholar, with contributions from CAFOD, Santa
Marta Group, Christians against Poverty and others. Details are at bit.ly/jubileenow180625 and register at
bit.ly/jubileenow2025

St Hugh's charity bake sale on 24th May, Jane and Tim Shepherd completed a marathon distance walk (Trek
26 in Northumberland) for the Alzheimer's Society. To raise more for this fantastic charity, there will be a
bake sale after the 9am Mass at St Hugh's on Sunday **15th June**.

SECOND COLLECTION this weekend 14th/15th June for Day for Life.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

5th July

11th July

13th July

5th September

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Parish Retreat Day at St Alban's

Summer Concert

Mass on the Grass and Parish BBQ at St Alban's and St Hugh's

Gin tasting.

Experience the history of gin and how it should be served (tickets £25.00)

Baptism preparation for parents

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