



St Alban's Parish Church



Sunday 16th February Third Sunday before Lent

We meet to worship God, putting our trust in the Lord who brings healing and security to those who suffer, and raises the dead to new life.

9.00 am Said Mass Fr Graham

10.00 am Parish Mass

President -Fr Graham **Preacher** - Mtr Linda

Readings John Appleby

Intercessions Andrew Mould

Eucharistic Minister Geraldine Rainey

6.00pm Evening Prayer Jim Weller

Today at the Parish Mass:

Hymns: NH&WS 163, 4, 33, 210

During the Week

Tues 18th 19.00 Said Mass Mtr Linda

Thurs 20th 10.00 Said Mass Mtr Linda

WELCOME We are really pleased to see you. If you have any queries or are unsure about anything please ask.

This is some of what St Alban's can do with £1

- Light the Sanctuary lamp, the altar and votive candles and provide the incense for 8.5 minutes
- **Or** provide one chalice of consecrated wine for Sunday Mass or the wine for communicants at 3 x Low Masses
- **Or** provide 4 minutes of organ music
- **Or** provide water and security alarm cover to the vicarage for 5 minutes
- **Or** keep the church lit and powered for 6.5 minutes
- **Or** heat the church for 4 minutes
- **Or** keep the Food Pantry going for 7.5 minutes
- **Or** enable Mtr Linda to travel 2.1 miles on a pastoral visit
- **Or** pay for church internet for a little over 2 minutes
- **Or** pay to have a youth worker for 5 minutes

Next Sunday 23rd February Second Sunday before Lent

As Jesus and his disciples cross the Sea of Galilee, the disciples are terrified as a storm descends and wake Jesus. They aren't expecting him to act as he does and wonder in awe who he really is. Let us join together in praising and glorifying God as the one powerful creator and ruler of the earth.

First Reading **Genesis 2:4b-9. 15-25**

God made a man and gave him breath before placing him in the garden of Eden and creating a woman to be with him.

Second Reading **Revelation 4**

We are reminded of God's glory, honour and power in all of creation and given an insight into a life that is to come.

Gospel **Luke 8:22-25**

Afraid for their lives on a stormy sea, the disciples wake Jesus up, but his response is far more than they had expected.

Services

9.00 am Said Mass Fr Graham

10.00 am Parish Mass

President and Preacher Fr Graham

Readings Ian Franklin

Intercessions Elizabeth Franklin

Eucharistic Minister Wendy Bishop

6.00pm Evening Prayer Mtr Linda

Notices

Saturday 1st March, 7.30pm Free Concert

Invitatione Orchestra and Choir

Puccini *Messa di Gloria*

Shostakovich *Symphony No. 1*

Donations in aid of Dove House and Hull4Ukraine

Date for your diary: 4th March Shrove Tuesday Social, Pancakes and Beetle Drive.

Digital and Online Giving

St Alban's relies solely on donations to maintain services and our work in the community. We know people want to be generous but don't always have the means at hand to make a donation when they are in church.

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Thank you for your support.



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First Reading Jeremiah 17:5-10

Thus says the LORD:

Cursed are those who trust in mere mortals
and make mere flesh their strength,
whose hearts turn away from the LORD.
They shall be like a shrub in the desert,
and shall not see when relief comes.
They shall live in the parched places of the
wilderness,
in an uninhabited salt land.

Blessed are those who trust in the LORD,
whose trust is the LORD.
They shall be like a tree planted by water,
sending out its roots by the stream.
It shall not fear when heat comes,
and its leaves shall stay green;
in the year of drought it is not anxious,
and it does not cease to bear fruit.

The heart is devious above all else;
it is perverse—
who can understand it?
I the LORD test the mind
and search the heart,
to give to all according to their ways,
according to the fruit of their doings.

Psalm 1, 1-4

R. For the Lord knows the way, the way of the righteous.

Blessed are they that have not walked
in the counsel of the wicked,
nor lingered in the way of sinners,
nor sat in the assembly of the scornful.
Their delight is in the law of the Lord
and they meditate on his law day and night. **R.**

Like a tree planted by streams of water
bearing fruit in due season,
with leaves that do not wither,
whatever they do, it shall prosper.
As for the wicked, it is not so with them;
they are like the chaff which the wind blows away. **R.**

Second Reading 1 Corinthians 15:12-20

Now if Christ is proclaimed as raised from the dead, how can some of you say there is no resurrection of the dead? If there is no resurrection of the dead, then Christ has not been raised; and if Christ has not been raised, then our proclamation has been in vain and your faith has been in vain. We are even found to be misrepresenting God, because we testified of God that he raised Christ—whom he did not raise if it is true that the dead are not raised. For if the dead are not raised, then Christ has not been raised. If Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile and you are still in your sins. Then those also who have died in Christ have perished. If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied. But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!
Blessed are you, Father,
Lord of heaven and earth,
for revealing the mysteries of the kingdom
to mere children.
Alleluia!

Gospel Luke 6:17-26

He came down with them and stood on a level place, with a great crowd of his disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea, Jerusalem, and the coast of Tyre and Sidon. They had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases; and those who were troubled with unclean spirits were cured. And all in the crowd were trying to touch him, for power came out from him and healed all of them. Then he looked up at his disciples and said:
'Blessed are you who are poor,
for yours is the kingdom of God.
'Blessed are you who are hungry now,
for you will be filled.
'Blessed are you who weep now,
for you will laugh.
'Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice on that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets.
'But woe to you who are rich,
for you have received your consolation.
'Woe to you who are full now,
for you will be hungry.
'Woe to you who are laughing now,
for you will mourn and weep.
'Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.

Intercessions

We pray for the Church; that it may speak up for those who are poor and marginalised, and challenge those who misuse their power and wealth.
We pray for the leaders of the world; that they may protect those who are weak, and ensure a just society for all.
We pray for all who are impoverished and marginalised in any way; that they might know God's love for them, thrive and be fruitful.
We pray for those who are rich and powerful; that they might be aware of their responsibilities to society and use their wealth for the good of all.
We pray for those who are sick; that God, who knows their needs, may touch them with grace and peace.
We pray for all who have recently died and all whose years mind occurs this week especially those we know including: Margaret Hodgson, Marjory Tranmer, Alfred Minter, Cyril Beall, Andrew Grindell, Sarah Stocks, Robert Ablitt, Emily Ablitt.

***Please take this sheet home
and use it in your prayers***