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Events Diary				
August				
Sat	3rd	8.45am	Walking Group	
Wed	7^{th}	7.30pm	Men's Group	
September				
Fri	13 th	2 pm-	Heritage Weekend	
		4pm	Open Church	
Sat	14 th	2pm –	Heritage weekend	
		4pm	Open Church	
Sun	15 ^h	2pm – 4	Heritage Weekend	
		pm	Open Church	
Sun	29 th	10 am	Back To Church/ Harvest	
October				
Sat	19 th	11.00am	Autumn Craft Fair / Coffee	
			Morning	
Sun	20 th	10am	Centenary of Laying of The	
			Foundation Stone	

Regular Events

Open Church – 1st, 3rd & 5th Wednesdays 10am-4pm St Aidan's Art Group – Mondays 12.45pm **Choir Practice** – Thursdays 7pm/7.45pm FairTrade Stall – last Sunday of the month St. Aidan's Men's Group – 1st Weds of the month St. Aidan's Ladies Guild – monthly meetings St Aidan's Flower Group – Fridays 7.30pm **Knitwits** – Fridays 2pm **Councillor's Surgery** – 1st Saturday 10.15am **Coffee Morning at All Souls** – 2nd Sat. 10.30am Messy Church at All Souls – last Sat. 10-11.30am St Aidan's Walking Group - 1st Sat of the month

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21st July 2013 Trinity 8



Gospel Reading

Luke 10: 38 - end

Anthems

O For A Closer Walk With God

God Be In My Head Walford Davies



Weekly Services Sundays:

10am - Family Communion

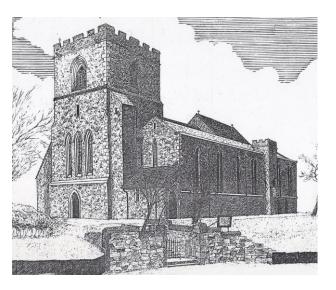
Wednesdays:

9.30am - Holy Communion

Weddings and Baptisms by appointment



St. Aidans Church Sudden, Rochdale



ST AIDAN'S PARISH 100 YRS AGO

Revd Hartley Harrison reported on the plans for a Town Hall Bazaar to raise money for the new Church and the first opening of the Church Builders' Boxes which yielded 3049 pennies, £12 14s 1d. Meanwhile a crowded motor coach excursion took place on 12 th July 1913 to Wycoller Dene. Parishioners were also informed that the contract for the building of St Aidan's Church had been awarded to Messrs Ullathorne of Selby, The restorers of Selby Abbey after the fire.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty Lord and everlasting God, we beseech you to direct, sanctify and govern

both our hearts and bodies

in the ways of your laws

and the works of your commandments;

that through your most mighty protection, both here and ever, we may be preserved in body and soul;

through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ

Welcome to St Aidan's Church

We are a friendly caring church. If we can help you in any way, please speak to the Vicar, Sidespersons or any of the Church Officers.

JUNIOR CHURCH: our Children's Groups meet in the Hall during the Morning Service: Kindergarten (3-6); Adventurers/Explorers (7–14)

THANKSGIVING SERVICE FOR MARRIAGE

Sat 27th July 3.00pm Joanne & David Peters

Please pray for them as they continue their married life together

INTERCESSIONS: Please add names for the Intercessions in the book at the back of Church.



GIFT AID LEGISLATION

If you are a taxpayer and do not at present make use of the weekly envelope scheme, kindly use the Gift Aid Envelopes you will find near your seat. We will then be able to claim 25p for every £1 you give. Please remember to fill in your name and address. Refreshments are served in the Hall after the Service.

DUTIES NEXT WEEK: 28th July Trinity 9			
Sidespersons	A & J Clarke, H Hilton, V Kennedy		
Coffee rota	I Penneyston, E Ogden, E Marshall		
Hall preparation	J Molloy, W Hutton		
Junior Church	Deborah, Debra , Gemma; Ros Joanne		
Open Church	As Rota		
Church Cleaning			
Church Counting	Debra &Dorothy		

Please email notices to **newsletter@staidan.org.uk** by noon on Weds and if you wish this notice sheet to be emailed to you every week, please contact **newsletter@staidan.org.uk**

Please send items for the website to webmaster@staidan.org.uk

REBEKAH

Raffle prizes not claimed

Prize 2 – Orange (AA904209) – 206 - 210

Prize 4 – Yellow (AA 920541) – 366 – 370

Prize 5– Pink (AB 873776) 491 – 495

The total raised £114

Julie wishes most sincerely to thank everyone for supporting Rebekah during the last year to enable her to go to Ecuador.

FROM PCC.....

We are always grateful for special donations to Church Funds which facilitate special projects and help us to carry out vital improvements to our buildings. The refurbishment of the Hall in 2012 was paid for by a combination of generous gifts from Church Members and loans which were then repaid from a bequest in the Will of the late Freda Sutcliffe

FOODBANK

First sincere thanks to all of you who have been supporting us whether with donations of food or money. Please keep it up because we need 1 tonne each week just to keep up with demand. In june we gave out 3.9 tonnes in response to 316 vouchers issued but received just 3.5 tonnes in donated food reducing our reserve stock to 4.8 tonnes. Our lowest level yet. This meant that we had to spend £600 to cover specific shortages. Since Nov we have fed over 4000 individuals of whom 1350 were children. We rely on your help & support to continue this work Many Thanks - John & Sheila

BAPTISM

We welcome the family of Radley Rigby today. All are welcome to attend the Baptismal Service at 11.45. Please Pray for Radley and his family at this time

FROM THE PCC - WHO'S WHO AT STAIDAN'S

There is now a Who's Who board at the back of Church and in the Hall. The original idea was to have a board so the children and their parents knew who leaders and other appropriate officers in the Church were. However it developed further and we decided to include those people who are often down as contacts for a particular task or activity. We hope you like it and for those of you who have yet to put a name to a face please take a look.



ST AIDAN'S CHURCH WALKING GROUP

August 3rd – A pleasant 5 and a half mile walk mainly through meadows and woodland in Adlington nr Stockport

Meet as usual at 8.45 am in the church Car Park.

For further info contact Lynne and Bill 01706 522559