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| Events Diary | | | |
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| September | | | |
| Sat | 28 th | 7.30pm | Quiz Night, |
| Sun | 29 th | 10 am | Harvest Festival |
| October | | | |
| Sat | 5 th | 8.45am | Walking Group, around Norland & Ripponden |
| Wed | 9 th | 7.00pm | Men's Group, An Appointment at the Palace Everyone is welcome |
| Sat | 19 th | 11.00am | Autumn Craft Fair / Coffee Morning |
| Sun | 20 th | 10am | Centenary of Laying of The Foundation Stone Sunday Lunch |
| November | | | |
| Sun | 24 th | 6.30pm | Confirmation Service at St Aidan's |

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

St. Aidan's C of E Parish Church
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22nd Sept 2013

Trinity 17

Gospel Reading

Luke 16. 1 - 13

Anthems

Almighty Lord and God of
Love *Giles*
Laudate Nomen Domini
Tye

Weekly Services

Sundays:

10am - Family
Communion
Wednesdays:
9.30am - Holy
Communion

*Weddings and Baptisms
by appointment*



St. Aidan's Church Sudden, Rochdale

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty God,
you have made us for yourself,
and our hearts are restless till they find their rest
in you:
pour your love into our hearts and draw us to
yourself,
and so bring us at last to your heavenly city
where we shall see you face to face;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

Sun 29th September

We are supporting Rochdale Foodbank this Yr
.Please consult the Foodbank shopping list at
the back of Church for goods to be brought to
our Harvest Festival

SUNDAY LUNCH 20th OCTOBER

On October 20th we will be celebrating the
Centenary of the Laying of the Foundation
Stone and former Bishop of Middleton,
Stephen Venner, will be taking part in the
service. As part of the celebration we would
like to invite everyone to join the Bishop and
the usual Sunday lunch group for a celebratory
parish lunch in the hall afterwards. The three
course roast dinner is £5 pp, wine and soft
drinks will be available to purchase by the
glass. If you are able to join us, please give your
name and payment in advance to Sheila Tolley
by 6th October. As always – volunteer helpers
are needed too.

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.

Our Mission Statement

To Be a Strong Church Family , promoting and maintaining the Good News about Jesus to the Parish and the wider community

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

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

CONFIRMATION 2013

Please contact Revd Michael if you are interested in Confirmation(Anyone over 10Yrs) this year



Refreshments are served in the Hall after the Service.

| DUTIES NEXT WEEK: 29th Sept Trinity 18 Harvest Festival | |
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| Sidespersons | J Roberts, B Whitehead, V Hardy, E Fowler |
| Coffee rota | I Penneyston, E Ogden, E Marshall |
| Hall preparation | J Molloy, W Hutton |
| Junior Church | Joanne, Ann |
| Open Church | As Rota |
| Church Cleaning | W & L Hutton, A & J Clarke |
| Church Counting | Volunteers |

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

AUTUMN CRAFT FAIR – Saturday 19th October 11am (only 4 weeks!)

To raise funds for the building of the Church the parishioners of St Aidan's held a bazaar at the Town Hall. So 100 years on we'd like to have a 'bazaar' at our Autumn Fair. We're collecting 'bits & bobs' of things to sell cheaply, 5p 10p etc. Items you get from Christmas crackers, hotel toiletries, freebies would be ideal (but not bric a brac as at the Spring Fair). We are also collecting tombola items. Contributions to the homebake stall will be appreciated nearer the time and a list will go up requesting helpers. Thank You.

CHURCH SECURITY

Recent events mean that we need to change the main Church door and the hall outer door locks. This is also necessary to comply with our insurer's stipulations. To enable us to do the correct no of keys, if you at present hold a key or keys and need to continue to do so, please add your name with a note of what keys you have on the list on the table in the tower area by Sun 6th Oct. You will be notified when the change is being made and arrangements will be made to issue the new keys to you

QUIZ NIGHT - Saturday 28th September 7.30pm with plated supper Tickets £5 from Keith Lloyd today

TRAIDCRAFT CHRISTMAS CARDS - Traidcraft have a wonderful selection of 30 designs from 20p to 40p per card that will benefit Christian Aid, CAFOD and SCIAF as well as Traidcraft and of course, St Aidans. Details of the cards, and order forms, are on a table in the hall in front of the stage. Please give orders to Keith Lloyd today

HEYKIDS

This Yrs HeyKids production at Heywood Civic Centre is "Miss Saigon" Wed 23rd – Sat 26th Oct with a matinee at 2pm on the Sat .Please see poster in the Hall or tickets from Joanne Elcock

OPEN CHURCH

Volunteers needed for Open Church ,please see rota at the back of Church and fill it in if you can do any shifts. Many Thanks

LAST NIGHT OF THE PROMS

This will sadly not take place this autumn due to difficulties in finding a suitable date. There will be an **EXTRAVAGANZA IN THE SPRING**

AN APPOINTMENT AT THE PALACE

Elizabeth Milne & Ken Davies will give us an illustrated talk about their experiences at the Palace when they received their MBE's . This will be on Wed 9th Oct & is on the usual Men's group night. ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND. Assemble at 7pm for a 2 course meal (with tea & coffee) at 7.30pm. Cost £5 (pay on the night), Bring your own drinks. To reserve a place please let Keith know by 7th Oct by phone (please use ansaphone) 648955 or e mail keithandjane@kdjcl.co.uk Many Thanks Keith