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Events Diary

March

Tues	25 th	7.00pm	Lady Day Service at St Michael's
Wed	26 th	8pm	St Aidan's Lent Course No 4
Sat	29 th	7.15pm	Spring Music Extravaganza

April

Wed	2 nd	8pm	St Aidan's Lent Course No 5
Sat	12 th	11 – 1pm	Spring Fair
Sun	13 th	11.30am	Annual meetings

May

Sat	10 th	7.30pm	Quiz Night
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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
Manchester Road Rochdale OL11 3EL
Vehicular Access OL11 3NH
www.staidan.org.uk



Sunday
23rd March
2014
3rd Sunday
of Lent

Gospel Reading

John 4; 5 - 42

Anthems

Wash Me Thoroughly
Wesley

God is a Spirit
Sterndale Bennet

Weekly Services

Sundays

10am Family
Communion

Wednesdays

9.30am Holy
Communion
Weddings and
Baptisms by
appointment

St. Aidan's Church Sudden, Rochdale

Rochdale Masonic Social Committee

proudly presents



In support of St Aidan's Church and
Rochdale Masonic Festival of Flowers 2014

Featuring

Rochdale Schools Concert Orchestra

St Michael's C of E School Choir

Freeda Farnworth

Rochdale Retirement Choir

on Saturday 29th March 2014

commencing 7.15pm

at St Aidan's Church,
Manchester Road, Sudden, Rochdale

Tickets: £8.00 Adults / £5.00 Concessionary / £3.00 Child
Family Ticket (2 Adults 2 Children): £15.00

Available from: Keith Lloyd (St Aidan's) 01706 648955
Ken Davies (Social Committee) 01706 658228
Rochdale Music Service 01706 926750

Join us for a Night of Music and Voices !

See Keith Lloyd or Ken Davies
for tickets for this event.

ST AIDAN'S LENT COURSE

BUILD ON THE ROCK ; Matthew 7.24

Wednesdays ,26th March, 2nd April at 8pm in
the Chapel , St Aidan's Church.

Leader Rev Michael Read

Everyone welcome – come and join us.

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 is to be a strong church family, promoting and maintaining the Good News about Jesus to the Parish and the wider community.



Refreshments are served in the Hall after the Service.

INTERCESSIONS

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

JUNIOR CHURCH

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

Volunteers are needed for **OPEN CHURCH** sessions on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Wednesdays of the month, am 10-1 and pm 1-4. Please help if you can or call in as a visitor. Please sign the rota at the back of Church.

DUTIES	30th March Mothering Sunday
Sidespersons	B Whitehead, V Hardy, E Fowler
Coffee rota	J Davies, P Stock, P Dunne
Hall Preparation	A Clarke, A Johnston
Junior Church	Volunteers Needed
Open Church	2 nd April AM Volunteers PM Graham & Ina
Church Cleaning	27 th April B & S Metcalfe, B Newton
Church Counting	Ronnie & Tracey

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



SPRING FAIR

Sat 12th April 11am – 1pm

3 Weeks to go!

Please continue to collect items for the tombola, bottle, chocolate tombola, white elephant; book; toys & games and homebake stalls.
There is a list of stalls on the notice board, please put your name against a stall of your choice, also there are some posters at the back of Church for distributing

CHRISTIAN AID – COUNT YOUR BLESSINGS

This Lent please help Christian Aid by counting the blessings in your life. Pick up a 40 day calendar from the back of Church. Alternatively get an app for ipads and iphones free from the App Store. For Android devices or phones, a free version will be available soon from Google Play
Monies raised can be given to Judith Roberts to forward to Christian Aid
Many Thanks - Judith

CHRISTIAN AID

Good News Tour – Manchester Cathedral Visitor Centre

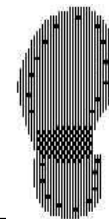
Sat 29th March 2013 2.30pm – 4.30 pm

Find out about Christian Aid Week 2014 with talks and activities, meet the North West Team, pick up ideas and resources for Christian Aid week

Super Soup Lunch – St Aidan's Church Hall

Sat 5th April ;12 noon – 2 .30pm

Come along & support Christian Aid by having Lunch & donating to this worthwhile cause. If you can help by making soup or cake for this event ,please see Judith as soon as possible. Soup recipes provided if required
There is a noster at the back of Church



THE WALKING GROUP

Join us on 5th April for a lovely 5 mile walk in The Holme Valley. Starting at Digley reservoir the walk goes along country lanes, fields and over open moorland giving great views of the reservoir and the surrounding countryside. There is one gentle climb.
Meet as usual in the Church car park at 8.45 am Further details contact Lynne & Bill 01706 522559

LADY DAY SERVICE

Tuesday 25th March 7.00pm at St Michael's

This service has been arranged by The Deanery Mother's Union
Everyone is welcome to attend

QUIZ NIGHT

The Quiz Night has been re-arranged for SATURDAY 10TH May at 7.30pm, will give you more time to brush up on your general knowledge!!!!
Tickets £5 (included plated supper) Bring your own drinks, There will be a raffle, donations of prizes appreciated.
Tickets from Keith – 648955 or keith@staidan.org.uk