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	Events Diary					
	February					
1	Tues	3rd	1.30pm& 7.30pm	Pilgrim Course		
-	Wed	4 <sup>th</sup>	10.15 - 11 30am	Coffee Morning		
	Wed	4 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 – 4.00pm	Open Church		
	Thurs	12 <sup>th</sup>	8.30 pm	Parsons Pints		
	Tues	17th	1.30pm& 7.30pm	Pilgrim Course		
uk	Wed	18 <sup>th</sup>	10.15 – 11.30am	Coffee Morning		
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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 **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 3pm **Councillor's Surgery –** 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday 10.15am **Coffee Morning at All Souls –** 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday 10.30am







AIDCRAFT

Fighting poverty through trade



Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2015 Presentation of Christ

> Gospel Reading Luke 2: 22 - 40

# Anthems

When To The Temple Mary Went *Eccard* Candle Vesper *Pitfield* 

## **Weekly Services**

**Sundays:** 10am - Family Communion

### Wednesdays: 9.30am - Holy Communion

Weddings and Baptisms by appointment

# St. Aídan's Church Sudden, Rochdale





**Candlema**s 1<sup>st</sup> Feb at St Aidan's 6.30pm All are welcome this evening

# 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.

**FLOWERS:** Please fill in The Flower Rota if you wish to donate Flowers on a specific date. All donations to the Flower Fund are always welcome. **INTERCESSIONS** Please write 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).

## WEEKLY GIVING

If you currently use the **weekly envelopes** then you can collect next year's from the back of church. Many of you have kindly switched to standing order so if you no longer require the weekly envelopes please just leave them at the back of church and let Joanne Elcock know.

As we are promoting giving by **standing order** slips are now

available at the back of church (or see a Sidesperson). Please use one If you give by this method but would still like to place something on the offertory plate. The wording on the slips is the same as that on the weekly envelopes.

DUTIES 8 <sup>th</sup> Feb Epiphany 4							
Sidespersons	JH AP JR MS	Hall Preparation	KL AH				
Coffee	JM ST IL	Counting	As Rota				
Church Cleaning		Open Church					

Please email notices to **newsletter@staidan.org.uk** by Weds. If you wish this notice sheet to be emailed to you every week, please contact <u>newsletter@staidan.org.uk</u> Please send items for the website to **webmaster@staidan.org.uk** 

## **OPEN CHURCH**

As part of our Open Church Events we will be holding Coffee Mornings The first of our twice monthly Coffee Mornings will be held in Church on Wed  $4^{\text{th}}$  Feb Everyone is welcome. Come and join us from 10.15 - 11.30am

### **2014 ANNUAL REPORTS**

All reports are to be submitted by 8<sup>th</sup> Feb. It is important that all Church groups and activities are included in The Annual Report in order to give an accurate snapshot of Church life

## WALKING GROUP

**Sat 7<sup>th</sup> Feb**, Join Deborah & Andrew for a Whitworth circular of about 5 miles, Further info Deborah 07776332666

**Sat 7<sup>th</sup> March** Join Lynne & Bill for 5 mile Mossley circular which includes a short climb and a walk along the Huddersfield Canal, Further info Lynne & Bill 01706 522559

## CENTENARY WALL TAPESTRY

As part of our centenary celebrations 2015 we are making a wall hanging in the form of a stained glass window containing multi-coloured diamond-shaped panes. There are now some spare diamonds

If you know of any Church member who has died since Oct 2013 their name can be inserted into a diamond, There will be no fee for this. Please see Elizabeth as soon as possible

## ELECRORAL ROLL 2015

This yr the electoral roll of the Church is to be updated in preparation for The Annual Parochial Church Meeting( Sun 29<sup>th</sup> March after the Morning Service) Therefore if you are a new member of St Aidan's could you please complete an application form. The forms are at the back of Church, Forms must be completed between 14<sup>th</sup> Feb and 1<sup>st</sup> March

**CRITERIA** to be on the electoral roll, be baptized, be 16 or over or reach your  $16^{th}$  birthday in the next 12 mths and have habitually attended worship in the Parish during the last 6 mths

For further info speak to the Churchwardens or Elaine Fowler (Electoral Roll Secretary)

# CHRISTIAN AID

Christian Aid Evening Mon 16<sup>th</sup> Feb 2015 7.30pm at St Andrews Church Entwistle Rd OL16 2HZ



