

## Contact Us

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Forthcoming Events		
October		
Tues	20th	Pilgrim Course 1.30pm & 7.30pm
Thurs	22nd	Parson's Pints
November		
Tues	3 <sup>rd</sup> & 17th	Pilgrim Course 1.30pm & 7.30pm
Sat	7th	'Last Night of the Proms' 7pm
Sun	8th	Remembrance Sunday
Tues	10th	PCC Meeting
Thurs	19th	Parson's Pints
Fri/Sat	27th/28th	St Aidan's Banquets
December		
Tues	1st	Pilgrim Course 1.30pm & 7.30pm
Fri/Sat	4th/5th	St Aidan's Banquets

### Regular Events

**Open Church** – Every Wednesday 10am- 1pm  
**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 2pm  
**Councillor's Surgery** – 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday 10.15am  
**Coffee Morning at All Souls** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday 10.30am  
**St Aidan's Walking Group** - usually 1st Sat of the month



St Aidan's C of E Parish Church  
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**Trinity 20**  
St Luke  
St Aidan  
**18<sup>th</sup> October**  
**Gospel reading**

Mark 10.35-45

**Anthem**

*Locus Iste* Bruckner

*O Sing Joyfully* Batten

### Weekly Services

#### Sundays:

10am - Family  
Communion

#### Wednesdays:

9.30am - Holy  
Communion

*Weddings and  
Baptisms  
By appointment*



**Open Church**  
every Wednesday  
10am – 1pm

# St. Aidan's Church Sudden, Rochdale



Today is the 102<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary of the Laying of  
the Foundation Stone of St Aidan's Church by  
Beatrice, Lady Rochdale on St Luke's Day 1913

### 'Last Night of the Proms' Concert Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> November 7pm

in support of

St Aidan's & Wardle Youth Band.

Featuring

**Wardle Academy Youth Brass Band**

**Freda Farnworth**

**Rochdale Retirement Choir**

**St Aidan's Ukelele Group**

Tickets £6 Adults/ £5 Concessionary/ £3 Child  
Family Ticket (2 Adult 2 Children) £15

Tickets available from:

Keith Lloyd (648955) or Ken Davies  
(658228)

**Join us for a night of music and  
voices!**

## 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.**

### Intercession Prayers

Please write names for the Intercessions on the list at the back of Church. Names should be renewed at the beginning of each month whilst our prayers are still needed for those who are sick. Prayers of thanksgiving for recovery can also be requested. There are Prayer Cards at the back of Church to be given out to friends and relatives to let them know that the St Aidan's Church family is praying for them.

### Church Flowers

Please fill in the Flower List and speak to Elizabeth Milne if you wish to donate (or arrange) flowers on a specific date. Donations to the Flower Fund are always welcome. Please inform Elizabeth or email [newsletter@staidan.org.uk](mailto:newsletter@staidan.org.uk) if you wish to place a message in the Notices.

### Fundraising & Events

Please contact a member of the Events Co-ordination Group (D Thorneycroft, Sheila Tolley, Deborah Whitham, Joanne Elcock, Julie Huxley, Barbara Whitehead) if you would like to suggest or organise an event. We can help!

### Junior Church

The Children's Groups meet in the Hall during the Sunday Morning Service: Kindergarten (3-6)  
Adventurers (7-14)



**Refreshments are served in the Hall after the service. All welcome.**

### Duties 25th October Trinity 21

<b>Sidespersons</b>	<b>A&amp;JC W&amp;LH</b>	<b>Hall Preparation</b>	<b>KL AH</b>
<b>Coffee</b>	<b>DT SS DP</b>	<b>Counting</b>	<b>EF</b>
<b>Church Cleaning</b>	<b>R &amp; EO EF AM</b>	<b>Open Church</b>	

Please email [newsletter@staidan.org.uk](mailto:newsletter@staidan.org.uk) with news for the Notices, Facebook or the Church Website.

## PCC Meeting today in the Robinson Room at 11.15am

### Next Confirmation Service

St Martin's Church, Castleton

7<sup>th</sup> February 2016 6.30pm

Please speak to Revd Michael for more details.

### Samaritan's Information Nights

Mon 2nd Nov 7pm Weds 2nd Dec 7pm

At Samaritans 5 Caton Street Rochdale OL16 1QJ (just off Drake Street). For further information please discuss with Alan Mac or Eleanor Marshall or call/text on 07508108874.



**Raffle tickets** in aid of Rochdale Oldham and District Samaritans are available from Alan until the end of November. Top prize is £5,000 or a luxury cruise.

### Scottish Society Whisky Tasting Event at Woolworths Social Club. Friday 6th November 7.30pm for 8pm start.

7 single malt whiskies (or bottle of wine), meat and potato pie supper, grand prize draw. Tickets £13.00, pay on the night but must book in advance - call Brian Grove on 01706 638177 - or speak to *Alan Mac*.

**Banquets** The first Friday and the last Saturday are now sold out. There are places still available on the other two nights. If you have provisionally ordered, it would be very helpful if you could now confirm your order, and pay!

Thank you - *Keith Floyd* (648955)

### St Aidan's Walking Group

Our final walk of 2015 is described as one of the prettiest in Calderdale. Starting in Ripponden centre we will walk through woods, by rivers and through two hamlets dating back to the 1600's. So join us on Saturday 7th November in the church car park at 8.45am.

For further details contact *Lynne and Bill* Tel: 01706 522559