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Forthcoming Events		
June		
Sun	12 th	Celebration of the Queen's 90 th birthday
Thurs	16 th	Parson's Pints
Fri	17 th	Out of Africa Jewellery Party
Tues	21 st	Pilgrim Course 1.30 & 7.30pm
July		
Tues	5 th /19 th	Pilgrim Course 1.30 & 7.30pm
Sat	9 th	Garden Party & Afternoon Tea

Regular Events

Open Church & Coffee Morning– Every Wednesday 10am- 1pm

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

St Aidan's Art Group – Mondays 12.45pm

Knitwits – Fridays 2pm

Councillor's Surgery – 1st Saturday 10.15am

St Aidan's Walking Group - usually 1st Sat of the month



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ST. AIDAN'S CHURCH SUDDEN, ROCHDALE



**This morning we are celebrating
the official 90th birthday
of Queen Elizabeth II.**

*Heavenly Father,
as we celebrate the ninetieth birthday of
Her Majesty the Queen, receive our
heartfelt thanks for all that you have given
her in these ninety years and for all that
she has given to her people.
Continue, we pray, your loving purposes
in her, and as you gather us together in
celebration, unite us also in love and
service to one another; through Jesus
Christ our Lord. Amen*

12th June 2016
3rd Sunday after Trinity

Gospel reading

Luke 7.36-8.3

Anthems

O Taste and See
Vaughan Williams
O Sing Joyfully
Batten

Weekly Services

Sundays:

10am
Family Communion

Wednesdays:

9.30am
Holy Communion



*Refreshments are
served in the Hall
after the Sunday
morning service and
in church on
Wednesdays.
All are welcome.*

**Please join us after the service for a
photograph of the whole congregation
in church and for cake and coffee in
the Hall.**

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.

Wednesday Open Church & Coffee Mornings

Help is needed on Wednesday mornings to cover our Open Church and Coffee Mornings. *Please, please, please* can you look to see if you can spare some time to be here between 10am and 1pm on the occasional Wednesday? The more people who can help means there's less for everyone else to do. There is now an exercise class in the hall on Weds mornings from 10.30 to 11.30 and some people like to stay for either company, a chat, coffee or even all three afterwards. Let's be here and show off our church to 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 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. Email joanne@staidan.org.uk

Intercession Prayers

Please write names for the Intercessions on the list at the back of Church. Names are 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.

Junior Church

The Children's Groups meet in the Hall during the Sunday Morning Service: Kindergarten (ages 3-6) and Adventurers (ages 7-14)
Young Stewards help in church on the 1st Sunday in the month.

Please email newsletter@staidan.org.uk with news for the Notices, Facebook or the Church Website.



Flowers in front of the pulpit were donated today by Harry Hilton in loving memory of his wife Vivienne on her 7th anniversary. The flowers in front of the Choir Stalls are to celebrate the official 90th Birthday of Queen Elizabeth II.

Parish Away Day: our conversations, reflections and worship went well yesterday with thanks to Sheila for her planning and looking forward to future events, including our visit to Scargill House in 2017, at which all are welcome.

St Aidan's Church are hosting an
OUT OF AFRICA JEWELLERY PARTY
supporting small scale producers and projects in Kenya
Friday 17th June 2016
St Aidan's Church Hall
Sudden, Rochdale
at 7:30pm
£2.00
payable on the door
includes glass of wine and nibbles
Supporting the livelihoods of small scale producers and traders in Kenya
In addition, £1 from every necklace and 50p from every other item sold, is donated to further develop the small jewellery businesses (in Nairobi) of thirteen Kenyan producers: Mama Jack, Helen, Alice, Janet, Malinzi, Nyeri, Grace, John, Nduta, Lillian, Jane, Ephina and the Victorious group, contribute to their children's education fees and support social projects
All the pieces are handmade from natural materials, including semi-precious stones, by the Kenyan producers and a Congolese man named Denis Mutinzi.
Plus 10% of sales will be donated to the Church Fund
If you would like an 'Out of Africa Jewellery' Sale/Party at your place of work, club, church, or home please contact:
Bernie Slater, based in Greenfield,
Telephone 01457 873490 Email bernie-slater@live.co.uk

Out of Africa Jewellery Party

**Friday 17th June
St Aidan's Church Hall
7.30pm.**

£2 (pay on the door) includes a glass of wine and nibbles.

Supporting the livelihoods of small scale producers and traders in Kenya and 10% of sales will go to church funds.

CHRISTIAN AID A big 'thankyou' to the 10 teams of volunteers who delivered envelopes to 683 homes in the Parish, and then collected up 255 which, together with the Big Brekky (organised by Elaine, thank you), means that Christian Aid will benefit by £1,071.14 (including the tax credit on Gift Aid). *Keith Lloyd*

GARDEN PARTY AND AFTERNOON TEA Saturday 9th July at 38 Lawnswood from 2.30 until 5pm. Admission is by ticket only (to give us a guide for catering) which is £5 and can be purchased from Jane or Keith Lloyd (648955). There will be a raffle and a tombola, for which donations would be gratefully received.

ANNUAL SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE
at Middleton Crematorium this afternoon at 3pm.