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Forthcoming Events		
January		
Tues	17th	Pilgrim Course 1.30 & 7.30pm
Sun	22nd	Sunday Lunch
Sat	28th	Benefit Concert for Springhill Hospice 7.30pm at St Aidan's
Tues	31st	Pilgrim Course 1.30 & 7.30pm
February		
Mon	6 th	Christian Aid Evening, Rochdale Parish Church 7.30pm
Tues	14th	Pilgrim Course 1.30 & 7.30pm
Sun	19th	Sunday Lunch
Tues	28th	Pilgrim Course 1.30 & 7.30pm

Regular Events

Open Church & Coffee Morning – Every Wednesday 10am-12pm (during January)

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

Duties Jan 22nd :

Hall JT;MJ

Sidespersons A & J C; J & J M

Coffee MJ;CR;VH

Counting: as Rota



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St. Aidan's Church
in the Parish of St Aidan,
Sudden, Rochdale
and All Souls, Heywood

15th January 2017

Epiphany 2

Gospel

John 1;29 - 42

Anthems

Laudate Omnes Gentes

Taize

There is a Redeemer

Melody Green

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
Wednesday mornings.
All are welcome.*



STOP PRESS – THE BANQUETS

As a special treat (!) we are repeating the entertainment (singing, dancing and generally being silly) from the last banquet on Sunday January 29th at 3pm. Please come along to see what we get up to. If you have never been to a banquet before this is especially for you, but do come even if you have been before and if you enjoyed this year so much that you want to see it again. You might also want to see what goes on so that you can be involved next time – just have a word with any one of us and we will be happy to explain what is involved. Bring your friends too. The afternoon will be suitable for children and there will be no charge. Tea, coffee or juice and biscuits will be available for 50p. We anticipate that it will be finished by 5pm. Just sign up at the back of church so that we know how many people to expect. – Many Thanks



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.

Pilgrim Course

The course is held every first and third Tuesday in the Epiphany Chapel. 1.30 – 3.00 pm led by Revd Mike Read, or 7.30 – 9.00 pm led by Revd Ian Butterworth, covering the same material. Everyone is welcome.

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 for giving 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 if you wish to place a message in the Notices.

Children's Groups

The Children's Groups meet in the Hall during the Sunday Morning Service (after the second hymn):
Kindergarten (ages 3-6) and Adventurers (ages 7-14)
Young Stewards (over 7) 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.



FUNERAL

Natasha Wild funeral will be held at St Aidan's on Wed 18th Jan At 1130am. May she Rest in Peace

THE PILGRIM GROUP

Please remember that The Pilgrim Group meet again this week for the session on Church & The Kingdom. 1.30 or 7.30 in The Chapel
Everyone is welcome

CELEBRATION

Keith & Jane would like to invite you all to join them in the hall after The Service on 29th Jan for a glass of Prosecco and a piece of Birthday cake to help Jane celebrate a "certain" Birthday

FOODBANK

December saw a sharp increase in demand for help with 308 vouchers being serviced each with a three day emergency supply of food. This accounted for almost 5 tonnes of food. Fortunately our intake of donated food also rose by 7.5 tonnes boosted by 1.25 tonnes from our collection at Tesco and a further .5 tonnes from The Round Table collection continued from last mth
So we start the new yr with confidence but still reliant on the continuing support of Churches and individual donors throughout Rochdale for which we thank all of

BENEFIT CONCERT FOR SPRINGHILL HOSPICE

BRASS AND VOICE

Featuring. HEYROD BRASS BAND and
EAST MANCHESTER ROCK CHOIR

On. Saturday 28th January 2017
Commencing. 7.30pm
At St. Aidan's Church, Sudden, Rochdale

Tickets. Adults £6, Conc. £5 Child £3
Available from:- Ken Davies 658228
Keith Llovd 648955

BURNS NIGHT

The Scottish Society are holding their annual Burn's anniversary Dinner Dance Fri 27th Jan at Rochdale Town Hall please see or ring Alan Mac if you want tickets.
He has to order them **TODAY** **Tele No 07581 002403**

WALKING GROUP

The 2017 walks are now underway. Join us on Sat 4th Feb for a 5 mile ramble around Marsden Moor Estate. We will be walking over moorland through woods and beside waterfalls Meet as usual 8.45am in Church car park Further details please contact Lynne & Bill – 01706 522559

THE WEB SITE

Photographs are now available on the website from The Banquets, Walking group Nov, Jan & The Party