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Church Diary		
July		
Mon	10th	PCC Meeting at 7.30pm
Wed	12th	Ladies Group Garden Party at Elaine's
		6pm
August		
Sat		Car Run
September		
Sat	9 th	Heritage W/E 10 - 12
Sun	10th	Heritage W/E 2 - 4

Regular Events

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

Choir Practice – Thursdays 7pm / 7.45pm

St. Aidan's Men's Group – 1st Wednesday 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 July 16th : Hall: A &JC

Coffee: JM;IL;SS:Sidespersons: CR;JL;A&PS

Counting: TS;EF



St Aidan's C of E Parish Church Manchester Road Rochdale OL11 3EL Vehicular Access OL11 3NH

Please email

newsletter@staidan.org.uk

with news for the Notices, Facebook or the Church Website.



9th July 2017 Trinity 4

Gospel

Matt 11;16 – 19,25 - end **Anthems**

We Will Lay Our Burden
Down Bell
Lead Me Lord Weslev

Weekly Services **Sunday**

10am
Family Communion

Wednesday 9.30am

Holy Communion

Weddings and Baptisms
by appointment

During June, July & August

Please ring Ian B

01706 522264

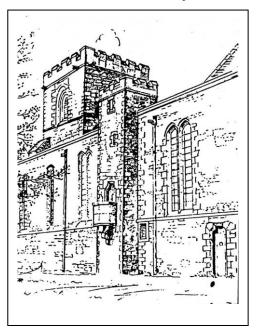


Refreshments are served in the Hall after the Sunday morning service and in church on Wednesday mornings.

All are welcome

St. Aidan's Church

in the Parish of St Aidan, Sudden, Rochdale and All Souls, Heywood





IN MEMORIAM

The Flowers today have been donated In Loving Memory of Jeffrey Leonard Rothwell & his Mother Catherine Rothwell by Marie, son Keith & sisters Maureen & Beryl & families. Also In Memory of Paul Radcliffe, Partner of Keith

We Welcome The Celebrant The Reverend Ian Butterworth to our Service this morning

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 Group NO MEETINGS NOW TILL SEPTEMBER

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.

For further information about our work with Children & Young People, please speak to the Vicar or Curate or email children@staidan.org.uk

On 14th July I will be joining a group of fellow pilgrims to walk the last 70 miles of the Ancient route to Santiago de Compostella in Northern Spain. The Pilgrimage is led by a presenter on Premier Christian Radio and we will be raising money to support Premier Lifeline, a Christian telephone helpline. Currently 40% of calls to the helpline are not answered so the aim is to raise£25,000 to allow more people to be given emotional & spiritual support in their time of need. I f you feel you can contribute a small amout to this cause please see me after the service for more info & to sign the sponsorship form Many Thanks Sheila Tolley

MESSAGE TO ALL

I thought that you would all like to know that we raised £590(£638 including gift aid) for TWAM after John's service of Remembrance. He would have been amazed but so pleased. Thank you all who donated and who helped him with tools over the years

JUNE FOODBANK STATISTICS

Total Weighed In - 3304.40k of which 119.35k was purchased

Total Weighed out – 3864.35k

Total no of Vouchers Fulfilled – 280

Total No Fed - 573; Adults - 373, Children - 200

Thank you again for your ongoing support which we appreciate . Our stocks of most items are low so we value all the help you give to us

Please check the web site for the shortages. Many Thanks

OPEN CHURCH

Coffee Morning and Open Church are held every Wednesdays from 10-12.30 Volunteers are requested to assist with this .Please sign the rota at the back of Church. Many Thanks

CHRISTMAS IS COMING

It has become our custom for Mike to distribute Christmas Cards to our guests after the banquets giving info on our service times over the Christmas period. Last Yr we invited children to draw designs for the front & these were very successful. This yr we are having a photographic competition open to all including children. The theme is "O Come All Ye Faithful" Use your imagination to interpret the theme & send your pictures to Julie Huxley at this addresss julie@staidan.org.uk Send digital pictures only please, no hard copies, by Sun 29th October Good Luck

SABBATICAL

Reverend Michael will be taking a sabbatical from 22nd May until Sept During that time Ian B will provide his services Tele No 01706 522264