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**St Aidan's
Church
Rochdale**

Church Diary

September

Sat	9th	Heritage Open Day 10am–12 noon
Sun	10th	Heritage Open Day 2–4pm
Sun	10th	Banquet Rehearsals begin
Tues	19th	PCC 7.30pm
Sat	30th	Quiz Night 7pm

Regular Events

Open Church & Coffee Morning—Wednesday 10am– 12.30pm

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 Sept 17th: Hall: MJ & Fam

Sidespersons: MB;JH.AP;MS Coffee: VH;MJ;CR

Counting: JH;KL



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Please email

newsletter@staidan.org.uk

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



10th September 2017

Trinity 13

Reading

Gospel

Matt; 18;15 - 20

Anthems

Teach Me O Lord Attwood

Cantate Domino Pitoni

Weekly Services

Sunday 10am

Family Communion

Tuesday 9.45am

Morning Prayer

Wednesday 9.30am

Holy Communion

Weddings and Baptisms

by appointment

During August and early Sept

please ring Revd 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



heritage open days

HERITAGE OPEN DAYS

St Aidan's

Sat 10 – 12

Sun 2 – 4pm

Many thanks to all who have volunteered

Please visit all are welcome

Saint Aidan's Prayer

Leave me alone with God

as much as may be.

As the tide draws the waters close in upon
the shore.

Make me an island, set apart,
alone with you God, holy to you.

Then, with the turning of the tide,
prepare me to carry your presence
to the busy world beyond,
the world that rushes in on me,
till the waters come again and fold me
back to you.
Amen

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

Meetings will start up again in September: an opportunity to explore and discuss our journey of faith. All are welcome. Dates to follow.

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)
All children stay with the Congregation on the first Sunday in the month and our Young Stewards (over 7) help with church duties.
For further information about our work with Children & Young People, please speak to the Vicar or Curate or email children@staidan.org.uk



THE FLOWERS

Today are donated by Irene Inston in loving memory of her husband Barry who is sorely missed and whose birthday would have been on Fri 8th Sept.

THE CHOIR

Any children age 7 or over who would like to join the Choir, please see Elizabeth (with a parent) or Ring 633179. New Choristers start mid Sept – Oct

ST AIDAN'S ART GROUP

The Group will resume action on Mon 11th Sept at 12.45. Any new members will be made very welcome, Please have a word with Malcolm Hardy today or ring 410093 if you are interested



Can you help to care for St Aidan's Church ?
The Church Dustbusters will meet Sat 23rd Sept at 10am. Please come along and help to give the Church an extra clean before Harvest Festival (1st Oct) by joining the volunteers who look after our Church all yr round. All ages welcome – many hands will hopefully make light work and some coffee/tea too!

OPEN CHURCH

Please volunteer to help or visit if you can on Wednesdays 10 – 12.30
Please sign up to volunteer Many Thanks

ST AIDAN'S ART GALLERY

Please have a look at the display in the tower. Many thanks to all the children who contributed to this celebration of our Patron Saint as part of The Heritage Open days

QUIZ NIGHT

Sat 30th Sept 7 for 7.30pm start at St Aidan's Church Hall, Teams 4 to max 6 people
Tickets £5 (from Keith) incl Meat & Potato pie Supper (bring your own drinks)

THANK YOU

A BIG THANK YOU TO HARRY for organising The Car Rally on Bank Holiday Monday, It was an excellent day, over 30 people attended, weather was great & Samlesbury Hall a really great place to visit

BANQUETS

Rehearsals commence on Sun 10th Sept 7pm in The Church Hall