

## Contact Us

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**St Aidan's  
Church  
Rochdale**

## Church Diary

October		
Tues	24th	Pilgrim Group 1.30 & 7.30pm
November		
Tues	7th	Pilgrim Group 1.30 & 7.30pm
Sat	11th	Last Night of The Proms
Sun	12th	Remembrance Sunday
Sat	18th	Heywood Christmas Lights Switch on & Parade
Fri/Sat	24th /25th	Banquets
December		
Fri/Sat	1st / 2nd	Banquets
Sun	3rd	Advent Carol Service 6.30pm
Sun	10th	Rochdale Masonic Carol Service 3pm
Thurs	14th	Magistrates' Carol Service 7.30pm
Sunday	17th	St Aidan's Carol Service 6.30pm
Saturday	23rd	Children's Service with All Souls and Brimrod Schools 2pm
Sunday	24th	Christmas Eve Eucharist 11pm
Monday	25th	Christmas Day Family Communion 10am

### 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

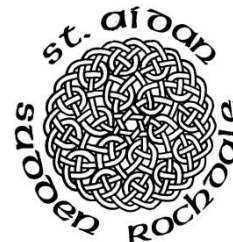
**Councillor's Surgery** – 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday 10.15am

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



St Aidan's C of E Parish Church  
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with news for the Notices, Facebook or the Church Website.



**22nd October 2017**

**Trinity 19**

**Gospel**

Matthew 22. 15-22

John 6. 37-40

**Anthems**

Locus Iste *Bruckner*

Thou Wilt Keep Him In

Perfect Peace *Lee Williams*

**Weekly Services**

**Sunday 10am**

**Family Communion**

**Tuesday 9.45am**

**Morning Prayer**

**Wednesday 9.30am**

**Holy Communion**

**Weddings**

*by appointment*

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**Baptisms**

*by appointment*

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

**All are welcome**

## St. Aidan's Church

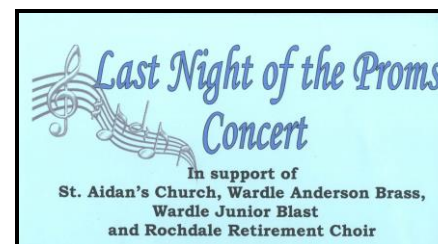
in the Parish of St Aidan,  
Sudden, Rochdale  
and All Souls, Heywood



*We welcome Bishop Mark this morning as we remember All Souls Church: its ministry to the parish and its members who served it in the past. We are celebrating our continuing commitment to the ministry of St Aidan's Church serving God's Kingdom and Gospel within our new combined Parish.*

### This morning's Anthem

Locus iste a Deo factus est, This place was made by God,  
inaestimabile sacramentum, a priceless sacrament;  
irreprehensibilis est. it is without reproach.



Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> November 7pm

*Featuring:*

Wardle Anderson Community Band

Freda Farnworth

Rochdale Retirement Choir

St Aidan's Ukulele Group

Wardle Junior Blast

*Tickets: £6 adults*

*£5 concessionary £3 child*

*£15 Family (2 adults & 2 children)*

*from Keith Lloyd (01706 648955)*

# 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

An opportunity to explore and discuss our journey of faith.

All are welcome. See Events Diary for dates of meetings.

## 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](mailto: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](mailto:children@staidan.org.uk)*

## Dedications to a Loved One

Dedications can be placed in hymn books; the St Aidan Memorial Book or the Parish Book of Remembrance.  
Please ask any PCC Member for further details.

Thanks to all who helped at or attended the Autumn Fair which raised almost £450 (10% more than 2016) for Church Funds. Thank you especially to Joanne for organising this event.

**St Aidan's Banquets** All dates are now sold out and I have started a waiting list. If you have ordered and not yet paid, it would be helpful if you could now do so, as this occasionally produces some vacancies! Thank you.  
Keith (648955)

## Book of Remembrance

"Several years ago a Book of Remembrance and a glass case to display it was given to All Souls by my father's cousin in memory of her parents who were life-long members of All Souls. Following the closure of All Souls it has been transferred here to St Aidan's and is now kept in the Epiphany Chapel. Since this book is in good condition and has many years of use left it has been decided to continue using it here at St Aidan's. This means that anyone who would like their loved ones remembered in this way can have their names entered on the completion of a form. The book has a page for each day of the year and the pages will be turned regularly to display the names entered therein." *Rev'd Ian Taylor*  
Forms can now be obtained from Elaine Fowler.

On Thursday 2nd November, the **Feast of All Souls**, at 7:00 pm we shall be holding a service for the Commemoration of the Faithful Departed. This was held annually at All Souls. This is a service in which we express our belief and hope in the Resurrection. If you would like the name of someone now departed remembered at the service please print their name clearly on the sheets that have been placed at the back of church.  
*Rev'd Ian Taylor*

## Duty Rotas Sun Oct 29th

Hall – AJ HH Sidespersons – MB JH AP MS Coffee – JC VK MB  
Counting – JH KL Children's Groups – RJ & RM