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Church Diary		
January 2018		
Tues	16th	Pilgrim Group 1.30 & 7.30pm cancelled
Tues	30th	Pilgrim Group 1.30 & 7.30pm
Weds	31st	Deanery Synod Open Meeting 7pm
February 2018		
Sat	3rd	St Aidan's Talent Show
Mon	5th	Christian Aid Evening St John's R/C Church
Tues	13th	Pilgrim Group 1.30 & 7.30pm
Tues	27th	Pilgrim Group 1.30 & 7.30pm
March		
Tues	13th	Pilgrim Group 1.30 & 7.30pm
Sun	25th	Annual Meetings 11.30am

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

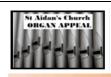
St Aidan's Flower Group - Fridays 7.30pm

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





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



14th January 2018

Epiphany 2

Gospel

John 1:43 - end

Anthems

Lead Me Lord - Wesley
Sent by The Lord - Weaver

Weekly Services

Sunday 10am

Family Communion

Tuesday 9.45am Morning Prayer

Wednesday 9.30am

Holy Communion

Weddings by appointment <u>vicar@staidan.org.uk</u> Baptisms by appointment

reviantaylor@gmail.com



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



St Aidan's Church

Pilgrim Group

The next series of meetings begin on Tuesday 30th January at 1.30pm or 7.30pm

There is no commitment to attend all the meetings and the sessions are very informal and welcoming to all.

For more details, please speak to the Vicar, Revd Ian B. or Sheila Tolley (ALM).

OPEN CHURCH

Wednesdays 10am-1pm Please sign up on the rota if you can spare a few hours or come to visit.

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.



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

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

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.



ROCHDALE FOODBANK STATISTICS for December 2017

Number of Adults fed: 404 Number of Children fed: 212 Total 616 Number of vouchers fulfilled: 297

Total food weighed in: 11969.50K Total food weighed out: 4986.46K Total number of vouchers fulfilled for 2017 = 3724 (an increase of 243 from 2016).

Thank you for all your donations to local Foodbanks in church and at other collection points.

POSTAGE STAMPS - BRANSBY CHARITY FOR HORSES

Please save your postage stamps and give them to Elizabeth or Roger who will deliver them to the above worthy cause.

Deanery Synod Open Meeting at St Aidan's Church 31st Jan 7pm All PCC members will be attending this meeting andt all congregation members are invited to come along as we hear the Archdeacon speak and discuss Mission Units and the future of our local churches.

Church Duties Sun 21st Jan Hall –JM HH Sidespersons – MB JH AP MS Coffee – JE PM GE AB Counting – As Rota Children's Groups – JE JH LB TS AH