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		Church Diary November 2018
Sun	11th	Remembrance Sunday
Tues	13th	Pilgrim Group 1.30pm & 7.30pm
Sat	17th	Heywood Christmas Lights Switch on 4pm with Nativity Procession
Fri Sat	23rd 24th	Banquets
Fri	30th	Banquet
		December 2018
Sat	1st	Banquet
Sat	1 st	Advent quiet Morning 10 - 12
Sun	2nd	Advent Sunday Service 6.30pm
Sun	9th	Masonic Carol Service 3pm
Sun	16th	St Aidan's Carol Service 6.30pm
Mon	24th	Crib & Christingle Service 2pm

10am-12pm

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 Knitwits – Fridays 2pm Councillor's Surgery - 1st Saturday 10.15am

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THE CHURCH CHURCH FOR A DIFFERENT WORLD

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

OF ENGLAND

Diocese of Manchester



Remembrance

Gospel Reading

Mark 1: 14 - 20

Anthems God Shall Wipe Away All Tears Kael Jenkins Remember Them Elizabeth Milne

Weekly Services Sunday 10am **Family Communion** Tuesday 9.45am Morning Prayer Wednesday 9.30am Holy Communion

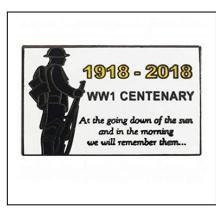
> Weddings and **Baptisms** by appointment



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





DOVES OF PEACE

180 Origami doves are displayed in Church to Commemorate the end of World War 1. Many Thanks to all those who helped To make them

ADVENT QUIET MORNING – in Chapel Sat 1st Dec 10 – 12 With Contemplative prayer session led by Revd Michael from 11 30 am

Welcome to St Aidan's Church

Our Mission is to be a strong church family, promoting and maintaining the Good News about Jesus to the Parish and the wider community.

If we can help you in any way, please speak to the Vicar, Sidespersons or any of the Church Officers. *We aim to be a friendly caring church.*



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 when 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 Church Memorial Book or the Parish Book of Remembrance. Please ask any PCC Member for further details.



Flowers in front of the pulpit are in memory of Elizabeth's Grandfather killed in WW1 and also of her parents whose anniversaries fall at this time

PLEASE HELP THE HOMELESS THIS WINTER – all through November there will be a container at the back of Church by the font. We are collecting **new or good as new hats, gloves, scarves, sleeping bags and toiletries** [shower gel, shampoo, toothpaste]. These will be distributed at the beginning of December to local Charities caring for the homeless. Thank You *Elaine*

HEYWOOD AND SUDDEN CLUSTER- Sat 17th Nov at St Margaret's Heywood Quiz night 7Pm £2 per person. If you are not great with quizzes but want a couple of Hours chilling out just come along. Pair up with people in teams of 6 whom are Great with quizzes and meet new people. Light Refreshments available

St Aidan's Banquets

Keith now has 2 tickets for each of the first 3 Banquets (Sat 1st Dec is full) If you have not yet paid please do so **TODAY**

ROCHDALE DISTRICT MASONIC CAROL SERVICE

Sunday 9th Dec at 3pm at St Aidan's Everyone is welcome The service will be followed by Mince pies and coffee in The Church Hall

LADIES GUILD

The next meeting will be next Wed 14th Nov in Robinson Room at 7 30pm It will be a chat evening to discuss next mths Christmas party and the programme of meetings for next year

All are welcome



Please have a look at our Remembrance Exhibition and details of St Aidan's Roll of Honour Any further information please speak to Ann M or Ina Hope you all managed to watch St Aidan's on North west news 6.30pm on Thurs 8th Nov when The Last Post that was played every night during the war 1914 – 1918 was talked about

Church Duties next week Sun 18th Nov 2nd Sunday before Advent Hall: AJ;AH; Sidespersons: A&JC;W&LH Coffee AP;LH;BW Counting: as rota Children's Groups: as rota