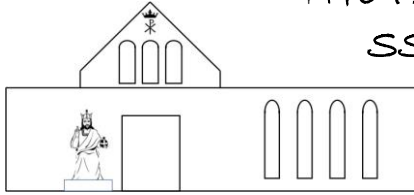
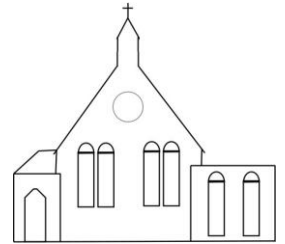


THE PARISH OF CHRIST THE KING ALFRETON &
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TWENTY FIFTH SUNDAY OF YEAR B

Weekly Bulletin 18th September – 24th September 2021

Alfreton

Saturday 18th September 6.30pm

Ed Ronayne RIP

Baptism Esmae Rose Adams

Sunday 19th September – 10.30am –

Holy Souls

Wednesday 22nd September 9.15am Rosary
9.30am – Holy Souls

Friday 17th Sept 9.30am Parishioners Intentions

Next weekend's Masses

Saturday 25th September 6.30pm –

Kathleen O'Brien RIP

Sunday 26th September 10.30am –

Tim Coakley RIP

Clay Cross

Sunday 19th September - 9am –

Les & Margaret Lemon RIP

Tuesday 21st September 9.30am Adoration
10am Mass – Parishioners Intentions

Thursday 23rd September 9.30am Adoration
10am Mass

Holy Souls

Next weekend's Mass

Sun 26th Sept – Paul Brayshaw RIP

Entrance Antiphon

I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord.
Should they cry to me in any distress, I will
hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever..

Responsorial Psalm:

The Lord upholds my life.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the light of the world,
says the Lord, anyone who follows me will
have the light of life.
Alleluia!

Sick & Housebound

Please pray for – Sara Lane, Shirley Oakes,
Harold Riby, Ian Martin, Val Kerlin,
Betty Deane, Mary Brennan, Mary Pfeffer,
Hazel Titon, Martin Mullally, Teresa Stewart,
Leah Philbin, Elsie Stewart, Rob Lane,
Sr Helen, Peter Egan. Ted Bennett,
Frances O'Hanlon & Brian Bradford.

***Please remember all in our parish who need
our prayers***

September Cleaners

Alfreton – Pat & Poly

Clay Cross – Volunteers Needed

Week's Readers

Alfreton

Saturday 6.30pm- Maureen Fuller

Sunday 10.30am – Rae Morton

Clay Cross

Sunday 9am – Wendy Tinsley

Collection for 12th September 2021

Envelopes	£197.00
Loose Plate	£278.03
Standing Orders	£202.56
Total	£677.59

Many thanks for your generosity

RCIA

We will be starting our RCIA program mme shortly. The RCIA is the liturgical and catechetical process designed for adults attracted by Christ and his teaching. It supports them as they seek to respond more deeply and to enter into the Communion of the church. If anybody wants to join the RCIA programme please let us know by 1th October.

1st Holy Communion 2022

Forms for next year's 1st Holy Communion are now available from church. Children will need to be aged 8 by 31st August 2022. If you applied last year and your child did not make their Communion you do not need to reapply. All forms must be returned by 31st October.

Face Coverings in Church

We strongly urge everybody to wear face coverings in church to protect themselves & other parishioners. Masks are still advised for indoor areas especially when you are in contact with other people for more than 15 minutes, which we are at Mass. We do have parishioners who despite being double vaccinated have caught Corona Virus, as well as vulnerable parishioners and parishioners who are not vaccinated. We have a duty of care towards everybody through the working of the church.

Social Distancing in Church

We will endeavour to try to ensure social distancing in church as far as possible, however as weekend Masses are now becoming more popular, we might not always be able to guarantee that we can socially distance. All weekday Masses will be socially distanced & face coverings must be worn.

In order to keep everybody as safe as possible if you have been in close contact with somebody with Covid please do not attend church unless you have had a negative PCR test.

Parish Activities

The diocese has said that all parish group activities/meetings must have an approved risk assessment before they can recommence meeting face to face. At the moment we are unable to fulfil the requirements necessary to open the meeting room at Clay Cross so this will be unavailable for the time being, however both churches and the hall at Alfreton can be used.

Knit & Natter

Knit & natter will restart on Monday 27th September at 1.30pm

Assisted Suicide Video

If anybody missed the talk by Tanni Grey-Thompson the link is [Baroness Grey-Thompson: Assisted Dying - A win for autonomy or a loss for civil society? - YouTube](#)

A Message from Sister Patricia

I share the good news with the Parish that our San Damiano Convent in Alfreton will soon become the temporary home for six of our enclosed Poor Clare Sisters in Bulwell. The Sisters have to move out of their Convent in Bulwell and find temporary accommodation while their new Convent is being built. We feel it is a privilege to help our Sisters in this way and I know their prayerful presence in our Parish will bring many blessings.

Mission Support Assistant

The Diocese of Nottingham is seeking to employ a committed Catholic, with experience in administration, who wants to see the Church grow and have a greater impact in the East Midlands. The successful candidate would support the work of the outreach departments of the diocesan curia in spreading the Gospel and reaching the marginalised. They will work with the Adult Formation for Mission and Communications departments, as well as supporting the Ongoing Formation of Clergy and the work for Social Action with the poor and marginalised. This is a vital role in promoting and furthering the diocesan vision for providing encounters with God, forming disciples in Christ, and equipping spirit-filled missionary disciples. This is a permanent full-time post (37½ hrs/week), although job sharing may be a possibility. Salary: £20,000 - £23,000 per annum dependant on qualifications and experience For more information and an application pack email: office@dioceseofnottingham.uk Closing date 26th September 2021

There is a 2nd collection this weekend for Home Mission Sunday