

SAINT ALBAN'S PARISH

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This week's Masses and intentions:

Saturday	4.30 p.m.	St. Felix	People of the Parish	4th Sunday of Easter Vocations Sunday
	6 p.m.	St. Alban's	James Doyle, R.I.P.	
Sunday	11 a.m.	St Alban's	Margaret French, R.I.P.	
Monday	9.30 a.m.	St. Alban's	John's Intentions	
	1.30 p.m.		Adoration until 2 p.m	
Tuesday	9.30 a.m.	St. Alban's		
Wednesday		No Mass today		St. Matthias. Apostle
Thursday	9.30 a.m.	St. Felix	Jean Watson, R.I.P.	
Friday	9.30 a.m.	St. Alban's		

Next week's Masses and Intentions

Saturday	4.30 p.m.	St. Felix	People of the Parish	5th Sunday of Easter
	6 p.m.	St. Alban's	Neil Jones, R.I.P.	
Sunday	11 a.m.	St Alban's	Mary Calway's Intention.	

Counters: This week; L. & A. Whiting Next week; D. Gane & M. Vidler

100 Club: The winner for May is No. 20 G. Perkins, Congratulations!

Meeting this week:

U.C.M.

Monday after Adoration at 1.30p.m.in the Presbytery

Preparation for First Holy Communion

Friday at 4.30 p.m. in Padre Pio School

Priest Training & Discipleship Appeal:

This weekend there will be a second collection for the Priest Training & Discipleship Appeal. The appeal makes a vital contribution, not only to support the training of our future priests, but for the first-time donations will also be used to support wider discipleship activity – whether that's youth ministry, catechetical formation, or diaconate and lay leadership training. If you would like to Gift Aid your donation, please pick up the new leaflet with an internal envelope at the back of the church. You can also donate online by visiting the Archdiocese's website www.rcadc.org/donations/

Please pray for the soul of Bishop Mark Jabale, a monk at Belmont Abbey, who died during the week. May he rest in peace.

Come and See: On Thursday 5th of June we begin a new series of talks on the Catholic Faith. These talks will be for those who are interested in becoming a Catholic **and** for those Catholics who would like to deepen their understanding of their faith.

Annual Torchlight Procession in honour of Our Lady

This will take place at Belmont Abbey on Wednesday 14th May at 9.00pm The preacher will be Abbot Brendan O.S.B

Hot and Cold refreshments will be available to purchase in Hedley Lodge from 6.00pm

A date for your diary

The next Jubilee event will take place at Belmont Abbey on Saturday 31st May to celebrate the Jubilee for Families.

This is an opportunity to come together (take a Pilgrimage) as an Archdiocesan Family, and share an afternoon of fun with fellow Pilgrims of Hope. Bring a PICNIC and the Family, or come on your own, to an afternoon of FUN free flow activities including games, information and reflection ... and a Pilgrims Treasure Hunt.

Arrivals from 11am, Mass of the Visitation at 11.30am, free flow activities & picnic, opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation and departures before or after the Sunday Vigil Mass at 4pm.

Holy Communion at home: If you are sick or housebound or know of anybody who would like to receive Holy Communion at home, please contact Canon Paul so that arrangements can be made.

Book of Intentions: If you have a special intention or concern please put it in the book in front of Our Ladies Altar and it will be prayed for at adoration.