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St Aidan's
Church
Rochdale

Church Diary

October 2018

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| Tues | 30th | Pilgrim Group 1.30pm & 7.30pm |
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November 2018

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| Fri | 2nd | Feast of All Souls Service 7pm |
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| Sat | 10th | Last Night of the Proms 7pm |
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| Sun | 11th | Remembrance Sunday |
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| Tues | 13th | Pilgrim Group 1.30pm & 7.30pm |
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| Sat | 17th | Heywood Christmas Lights Switch on 4pm with Nativity Procession |
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| Fri | 23rd | Banquets |
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| Sat | 24th | Banquets |
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| Fri | 30th | Banquet |
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December 2018

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| Sat | 1st | Banquet |
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| Sun | 2nd | Advent Sunday Service 6.30pm |
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| Sun | 16th | St Aidan's Carol Service 6.30pm |
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| Mon | 24th | Crib & Christingle Service 2pm |
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Regular Events

Open Church & Coffee Morning – Wed 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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Please email newsletter@staidan.org.uk
with news for the Notices, Facebook
or the Church Website.



28th October 2018

Simon & Jude,
Apostles

Gospel Reading

John 15. 17-end

Anthems

O Lord Increase My Faith

Loosemore

Hail Glorious Spirits Tye

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



Service of Commemoration of
the Faithful Departed
Friday November 2nd 7pm
All Souls Chapel

There are forms at the back of
church for the names of anyone
you would like to be remembered
at this service. Revd Ian Taylor

Last Night of the Proms

Featuring

Wardle Academy Youth Band

Heywood Voice

Wardle Junior Blast

St Aidan's Ukulele Group

Saturday 10th November 7pm

Tickets: £6 Adult/£5 Concessionary

£3 Children Family Ticket (2 Adults 2

Children) £15 available from Keith Lloyd

01706 648955

Join us for a rousing night
of Proms music and voices!

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.

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*

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.

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**

ONE WORLD FAIR on Saturday 3rd November at Sacred Heart Parish Hall Uppermill A fair trade Christmas shopping opportunity with stalls from Out Of Africa Jewellery (popular at past Autumn Fairs here), Oxfam, Traidcraft, Tearcraft, Palestinian olive wood products etc and refreshments. **Joanne**

St Aidan's Banquets Fri/Sat 23rd/24th Nov and Fri/Sat 30thNov/1stDec
There are just a few tickets left so please see **Keith** today. Tickets also available for **Last Night of the Proms**.

Parish Share Income Survey 2018 – last week.

Please complete an income survey form, found on the table at the back of church, if you:

- are aged 16 years or above, and
- have attended this church at least 12 times in the past 12 months, and
- consider St Aidan's as your 'home' church.

The survey is IMPORTANT as it forms a key part in calculating our Parish Share. The forms are confidential and anonymous and are individual eg a husband and wife should complete their own form, even if you have no, or little, personal income. Once you have ticked the relevant box please place the form in the sealed box at the back of church before you leave today

Many thanks **Debra B (Treasurer)**

Church Duties next week Sun 4th Nov All Saints

Hall: A & JC Sidespersons: IP AM Young Stewards Coffee JM IL DS
Counting: JH KL Children's Groups: In Church
