



# St Alban's Parish Church



**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June**  
**Second Sunday after Trinity**

On this second Sunday after Trinity, we give thanks for God's promise of salvation, revealed to us in the loving care of the Father, the redeeming sacrifice of the Son, and the constant companionship of the Holy Spirit.

**9.00 am**                      **Said Mass**                      Mtr Linda

**10.00 am**                      **Parish Mass**  
**President and Preacher**                      Mtr Linda  
**Readings**                      Jim Hickey  
**Intercessions**                      Sr Julie  
**Eucharistic Minister**                      Wendy Bishop

**6.00pm Evening Prayer**                      Liz Pacey

**Today at the Parish Mass:**  
**Hymns:** NEH 486, 408, 431, sheet

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### During the Week

**Tues 16<sup>th</sup> St Richard**    **19.00 Said Mass** Fr Graham  
**Thur 18<sup>th</sup> Bernard Mizeki** **10.00 Said Mass** Mtr Linda

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**WELCOME** We are really pleased to see you. If you have any queries or are unsure about anything please ask.

### Notices

**St Alban's Day Buffet Lunch Next Sunday**  
21<sup>st</sup> June Tickets £5 from Joan.

#### Intercessions

**We give thanks for** the Church throughout the world. May disciples today seek to prove God's love by sharing the Good News with others.

**We give thanks for** all who promote peace and justice. May those who flee dangerous places to seek safety be treated with compassion and respect.

**We give thanks for** those closest to us. May we reach out to those who are different from us in any way.

**We give thanks for** all who work to help others. May those who suffer in body, mind or spirit be comforted by knowing that God is near them.

**We give thanks for** the promise of eternal life and remember those we love who now rest in peace.

## Next Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June

### St Alban's Day

St Alban gave himself up for his friend and was the first in this land to shed his blood for Christ. We celebrate his feast and pray that we may never be ashamed to confess our faith in the crucified Christ.

#### Readings

**First Reading**                      **Isaiah 44:21-26a**  
The Lord is our redeemer and confirms the word of his servant.

**Second Reading**    **Romans 12:14-21**  
Bless those who persecute you and overcome evil with good.

**Gospel**                      **Matthew 5:1-12**  
Jesus taught the multitude, saying that those who are persecuted will be blessed and rewarded in heaven.

#### Services

**9.00 am**                      **Said Mass**                      Fr Graham

**10.00 am**                      **Parish Mass**  
**President** Mtr Linda    **Preacher** Fr Graham  
**Readings**                      Geraldine Rainey  
**Intercessions**                      John Appleby  
**Eucharistic Minister**                      John Hotchin  
**6.00pm Evening Prayer**                      Mtr Linda

#### Stewardship

This QR Code can be easily scanned by anyone wanting to make an online one off donation or a regular gift to St Alban's. Thank you for your generosity.



#### Parish Giving Scheme (PGS):

Do stay today after the 10.00 Mass for a short, informal 20-minute session — with coffee and biscuits. If you already give, this is simply a chance to move to a method that could well be easier for you and which helps the church handle Gift Aid smoothly. This is a repeat of this last Sunday's talk.

#### Serving the parish with you:

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## First Reading

### Genesis 18:1-15

The LORD appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the entrance of his tent in the heat of the day. He looked up and saw three men standing near him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent entrance to meet them, and bowed down to the ground. He said, 'My lord, if I find favour with you, do not pass by your servant. Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree. Let me bring a little bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant.' So they said, 'Do as you have said.' And Abraham hastened into the tent to Sarah, and said, 'Make ready quickly three measures of choice flour, knead it, and make cakes.' Abraham ran to the herd, and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to the servant, who hastened to prepare it. Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them; and he stood by them under the tree while they ate.

They said to him, 'Where is your wife Sarah?' And he said, 'There, in the tent.' Then one said, 'I will surely return to you in due season, and your wife Sarah shall have a son.' And Sarah was listening at the tent entrance behind him. Now Abraham and Sarah were old, advanced in age; it had ceased to be with Sarah after the manner of women. So Sarah laughed to herself, saying, 'After I have grown old, and my husband is old, shall I have pleasure?' The LORD said to Abraham, 'Why did Sarah laugh, and say, "Shall I indeed bear a child, now that I am old?" Is anything too wonderful for the LORD? At the set time I will return to you, in due season, and Sarah shall have a son.' But Sarah denied, saying, 'I did not laugh'; for she was afraid. He said, 'Oh yes, you did laugh.'

## Psalm 116: 10-17



How shall I repay the Lord  
for all the benefits he has given to me?  
I will lift up the cup of salvation  
and call upon the name of the Lord. **R.**

I will fulfil my vows to the Lord  
in the presence of all his people.  
Precious in the sight of the Lord  
is the death of his faithful servants. **R.**

O Lord, I am your servant, your servant, the child of  
your handmaid;  
you have freed me from my bonds.  
I will offer to you a sacrifice of thanksgiving  
and call upon the name of the Lord. **R.**

I will fulfil my vows to the Lord  
in the presence of all his people,  
In the courts of the house of the Lord,  
In the midst of you, O Jerusalem. **R.**

## Second Reading

### Romans 5:1-8

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we[d] also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us. For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.  
to grow in faith.

## Gospel acclamation

Jesus proclaimed the good news of the kingdom,  
And cured all kinds of sickness among the people.

## Gospel

### Matthew 9:35 – 10:8

Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.'

Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax-collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him. These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: 'Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, proclaim the good news, "The kingdom of heaven has come near." Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment.'