

# ST ALBAN'S R.C. PARISH, WINSLOW

Diocese of Northampton/Pastoral Area Milton Keynes

Worshipping at  
St Laurence C. of E. Church  
on the High Street  
in Winslow



*Deo vero ac vivo*

Fr Anton Webb  
Parish Priest

Sat	17 <sup>th</sup> January	18.00	Vigil Mass	
Sat	24 <sup>th</sup> January	18.00	Vigil Mass	
Sat	31 <sup>st</sup> January	18.00	The Feast of the Presentation of the Lord Vigil Mass	

Please watch out for the latest Together email or look at the Parish Website for further Service times  
You can also contact Georgina Mellows or Vron Corben about Funerals and for a Priest in an emergency.

*Lectionary Cycle: Sundays, Year A Weekdays II      Divine Office/Liturgy of the Hours: Week II*

*“Pray that light may shine in the dark places of our troubled world and that we will  
be bearers of that same light and hope”*

Peace Sunday is on 18<sup>th</sup> January 2026. Pope Leo Published his World Day of Peace message shortly before Christmas. Affirming again that nonviolence is the key to peace, the message addresses the escalation of war, rearmament and fear in international relations. Pope Leo reiterates the church's opposition to deterrent's based on military force and calls for disarmament, dialogue and the conversion of hearts as necessary conditions for a lasting peace.

Please search for:

[Pope Leo: Towards an unarmed and disarming peace  
paxchristi.org.uk/peace-sunday-2026/](https://paxchristi.org.uk/peace-sunday-2026/)

**Masses in January at St Albans:** These will all be at 6.00pm on Saturday evenings. None on Sundays.

**Please note:** In the event of a Service of Word and Communion, due to the present situation, these do fulfil the obligation to attend Mass.

**Keeping Together:** There will be another chance to meet at The Bell with other parishioners after mass this evening, all are welcome.

**Churches Together Charity Quiz:** This annual fundraising event takes place on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> January at 7.00pm in the Winslow Scout Hut. Please let Liz or Vron Know if you intend to come and they will make up teams. Tickets are £8 each from Vron.

**NOTE:** There will be a licensed bar so please don't bring your own drinks but do bring your own nibbles.

## Financial giving for 2026-27 and Gift Aid:

If you are new to the parish and you are a UK taxpayer and wish to give to the church in future, using envelopes, direct debit or standing order, if you have any questions on the Gift Aid scheme. Or you are an existing donor and wish to change the way you give or you have any other questions concerning the scheme, please contact Mark Greaves, the accountant for the Parish, at [markgreaves@live.co.uk](mailto:markgreaves@live.co.uk) with your contact details.

**Tuesday Zoom Prayer Meeting, 9:15am.** Half an hour of prayer, readings, & catch up. All are welcome.

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<b>Mass Intentions or other Services</b>	<b>The Housebound/Infirm</b>	<b>New/Moved Parishioners</b>	<b>Parish Safeguarding</b>	<b>Parish Newsletter</b>
Please contact Georgina Mellows in person, or by phone or email.	If you need a lift to Mass or require Holy Communion at home, owing to infirmity, please contact Liz Mostyn	All are welcome! Please send us your contact details so that a priest can more easily visit if you ever require one urgently.	Our officer is Emma Cull. For any concerns contact her on: 01296 714457 <a href="mailto:stalbanssafeguarding@gmail.com">stalbanssafeguarding@gmail.com</a>	Submissions to Mary Williams. by the end of each Friday Please

