



ST ALBAN'S R.C. PARISH, WINSLOW
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Worshiping at St Laurence Church, High Street, Winslow

Sun	22 nd February	11.30am	1 st Sunday in Lent	
Sun	1 st March	11.30pm	2 nd Sunday in Lent	Audrey & Bert Price
Fri	6 th March	2.30pm	World Day of Prayer	Ecumenical Prayers
Sat	7 th March	6.00pm	Vigil Mass for 3rd Sunday in Lent	
<i>Lectionary Cycle: Sundays, Year A Weekdays 11</i>			<i>Divine Office/ Liturgy of the Hours Week 11</i>	

'Then Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil' Mat.4:1

Loving God, you walk with us in the wilderness, and call us your beloved children.

Help us to put you and your word at the centre of all we do.

Please Pray for: Maurice Lyons and Moira Brennan, and along with the global Church family, for Pope Leo's prayer intention in February, for Children with incurable disease and their families.

News:

Parish Registration:

A further reminder that we will soon be using a new computer system called Casper to help manage our parish better. In order to ensure that we have up-to-date contact information for all. We would be grateful if you could complete the registration form by typing the link into your browser. www.caspar.church/me?ID=56096
 Provision will be made later for registering parishioners without email / internet access.

Dates for your Diary:

Stations of the Cross: Every Thursday during Lent at 5.00pm, from Thursday 19th February. Join other Parishioners for 25 minutes of peaceful contemplative prayer on Zoom. ID: 880 9972 0242 Passcode: 769634

Tuesday Zoom Prayer Meeting, 9:15am, every week: Half an hour of prayer, readings, & catch up. All Welcome.
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Formation - Weds February 25th - 7.00pm

An evening with Francine and Dick who invite us to watch a video about Lent and the Temptations of Jesus with discussion afterwards. – Please let Vron know if you will be coming and see the latest Together email for the address.

CAFOD Family Fast Day: 27th February. Envelopes for donations will be given out over the next two weeks.

World Day of Prayer: 2.30pm on Friday 6th March: Ecumenical Service here in St Laurence's. This year's theme is from the women of Nigeria. "I will give you rest".

Quiet Day: Saturday 21st March 9.30 – 1.00pm. Venue: the Bowls Club, Winslow. More information to come.

Parish Seder Meal – Friday 27th March

This is a re-enactment of the Passover meal and will include a simple supper after the traditional Prayers. More detail to follow.

Parish Pilgrimage to Walsingham, 7th - 10th September 2026:

Plans are underway for our annual visit to Our Lady's shrine in Norfolk. If you've not been before and would like to go, it's a restful few days with opportunity for prayer, rest and good company. We shall be there over the Nativity of Our Lady's feast and need to book very soon, so please let Vron know if you'd like to come. Costs for dinner bed and breakfast are £279 for an ensuite room. A small deposit is all that is required fairly soon to secure your place for now.

Useful & interesting Web links:

Future Events for participation in the diocese: <https://northamptondiocese.org/news>

What to do for Lent?: <https://ascensionpress.com/blogs/articles/20-out-of-the-box-things-to-do-for-lent-2026>

<p><u>Mass intentions and other Services:</u> Please contact Fr Anton or Georgina Mellows, in Person, by phone or email</p>	<p><u>The Housebound, sick & Infirm:</u> If you need a lift to Mass or require Holy Communion at home owing to infirmity, please contact Liz Mostyn</p>	<p><u>New to the area or parish:</u> Please give your contact details to a Welcomer to make it easier for a Priest to visit if required urgently and if you would like to receive the Together email.</p>	<p><u>Parish Safeguarding:</u> Please contact our safeguarding Officer Emma Cull, for any concerns on: 0296 714457 or email: stalbanssafeguarding@gmail.com</p>	<p><u>Parish Newsletter:</u> Submissions please to Mary Williams by 5.30pm on a Friday.</p>
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