

St Aidan's Parish

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Office days this week: **Monday 12th, Wednesday 14th & Thursday 15th June**

SACRAMENTS & FUNERALS AT ST AIDAN'S

BAPTISM: By appointment after completing a Baptism Preparation Course. Please contact St Aidan's office as early as possible in your planning. Next course dates – to be confirmed.
MARRIAGE: By appointment after completion of a Marriage Preparation Course. Please contact the office BEFORE making any firm plans.
FUNERALS: By arrangement with the Parish Priest. Please contact the office BEFORE making any firm arrangements with undertakers or the crematorium.

If you would like something included in the newsletter, please email the office. Deadline for next week: Wed 14th June

TRINITY SUNDAY 11th JUNE 2017

Date	Time	Mass/Service of Communion	Mass intention	Other Services/events
Sat 10 th June	6.00pm	Mass TRINITY SUNDAY	People of the Parish	5.15-5.45pm Confessions
Sun 11 th June	11.00am	Mass – including the presentation of certificate of marriage preparation and blessing of rings of Juliana and Greg	Bernie Cummings RIP	12noon Tea and Coffee in the Hall
Mon 12 th June	9.30am	Mass – Feria	Bernadette Richards (In Thanksgiving)	9.00am Rosary
Tues 13 th June	9.30am	Mass – St Anthony of Padua	Dinny Murphy RIP	9.00am Rosary
Wed 14 th June	9.30am	Mass – Feria	Bernadette Richards (Sp Int)	9.00am Rosary
Thus 15 th June	9.30am	Mass – Feria		9.00am Rosary
Fri 16 th June	9.30am	Mass – Feria	Veronica O'Leary RIP	9.00am Rosary
Sat 17 th June	6.00pm	YOUTH Mass – including the Confirmation of Michael Adcock THE FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI 2 nd collection for Day For Life	People of the Parish	12noon Baptism of George Read 5.15-5.45pm Confessions
Sun 18 th June	11.00am	Mass	Barry Blaxland RIP	11.45am Corpus Christi Procession 12noon Tea and Coffee in the Hall

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND READERS	Collection for 3rd & 4th June:	£635.29
Saturday 10th: 3 & B;	Sunday 11th: 7 & W	Standing orders:
Saturday 17th: 1 & D;	Sunday 18th: 8 & Z	£502.00

FR KEN WRITES

In two weeks time, on Sunday 25th June, Deacon John Crowshaw will mark his retirement. The 11am Mass will be followed by a **parish celebration lunch for all**. However, for the latter you will need to sign the list in the narthex and purchase a ticket - nominal price of £5 per head, school age children and toddlers free.

This weekend is your final opportunity to sign up to attend so catering arrangements can be finalised.

John has requested that we do not present him with a farewell gift, but instead to make a donation to the **HCPT (Hosanna House and Children's Pilgrimage Trust)** which is a national and international charity taking children and adults with disabilities to Lourdes, and seeking to promote the integration of all peoples regardless of their disability. Envelopes for this are available in the narthex and may be handed in anytime up to the 18th June.

Next weekend we celebrate Corpus Christi with a procession at 11.45am following the morning Mass. This is for the whole of our Pastoral area and will be led by our First Communion Children.

INVITATION TO CATHOLIC WOMEN

On Saturday 17th June at St Augustine's, Milton Keynes, MK13 7PL, there will be a 'Day to Encourage and Strengthen us as Women in the Church' led by Tina Beattie, Professor of Catholic Studies. 11-3pm, please bring a packed lunch. Enquiries to Maura Potter 01628 666278 or see the poster on the noticeboard.

YOUTH MASS

Our next Youth Mass will be on Saturday 17th June at 6pm. If any of our young parishioners would like to get involved, either by singing in the choir or playing an instrument, then please speak to Sarah on 01494 765895 or slg6@mac.com

INVITATION FROM THE SCOUTS

The 2nd Amersham Common Scout group organise an annual Scout Senior Citizens afternoon tea party, which is a major community event for our Group. This year it is taking place on Saturday 24th June at 2.30pm in St John's hall Amersham. The scout group provides entertainment and lots of food for our guests and also for those who require it we provide transport from their place of residence to and from the hall. We would like to extend the invitation to the Senior Citizens of St Aidan's Church congregation. If you would like to attend please put your name on the sign-up sheet at the back of church.

CHILTERN CHILD CONTACT CENTRE

The CCCC, which St Aidan's supports, would like to invite you to their AGM which will be held on Tuesday 4th July at 7.30pm at Amersham Free Church, HP 6AJ. Please see the poster in the narthex for more information.

WORKAID – TOOLS FOR LIFE

The latest newsletter for the charity Workaid is now available in the narthex. Please take a copy to find out about the work this charity does.

UNITED YOUTH GATHERING

Restore hope writes: We are really looking forward to our next UNITED event on Friday 16th June. We are so excited to have Beth Croft with us for the evening; sharing with us and leading worship. It promises to be an amazing night of worship, encouragement and a great opportunity to hang out with friends old and new. Tickets are only £2 but are limited so buy yours now so you don't miss out! Tickets can be purchased here:

<http://www.restorehopelatimer.org/product/unity-friday-16th-june/> Please visit our website at www.restorehopelatimer.org for more information

CALLING ALL YOUNG ADULTS

Brightlights Festival is an annual event for Catholic young adults (ages 16-30) taking place on 23rd – 26th June in the beautiful grounds of Alton Castle in Staffordshire. Come and join us for a weekend of live music from artists including One Hope Project, Guvna B & Written In Kings. To journey together in Faith through liturgy & worship and to hear stimulating input about the possibilities of living life: UNLIMITED. To find out more information or book tickets, visit our website: brightlights.org.uk, call 0300 075 0115 or find us on social media: T/FB/IG: BLFestival

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Little Chalfont Village day is next Saturday 17th June. All welcome.

Pavilion in the Park will be operating on Tuesday's and Thursday's in August in Westwood Park, Little Chalfont.

ITALIAN MASS

Fr Alessandro will be celebrating a Mass in Italian on the first Sunday of every Month at 11.30am at St Columba's Church in Chesham. All welcome.