

OUR LADY'S, Chesham Bois & St. AIDAN'S, Little Chalfont

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First Sunday of Advent, 27th November 2022 Year A

Parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Chesham Bois	Parish of St. Aidan, Little Chalfont
Sat 26 th Nov 5.00pm (Vigil Mass)	Sat 26 th Nov 6.15pm (Vigil Mass)
Sun 27 th Nov 8.00am Latin Mass 9.30am (Parish Mass)	Sun 27 th Nov 11.00am
Mon 28 th Nov 9.30am Feria	Fri 2 nd Dec 9.00am Adoration
Tue 29 th Nov 9.30am Feria	9.30am Holy Mass (Feria)
Thu 1 st Dec 9.30am Feria	
Fri 2 nd Dec 7.00pm Feria	
Benediction: Friday 6.30pm	Benediction: Friday 9.00am – 9.30am
Confessions: Monday to Friday, After Mass	Confessions: Friday & Saturday After Mass
Mass Intentions: Sat (Holy Souls), Sun (Holy Souls), Mon (Des O' Byrne RIP), Tue (Holy Souls), Thu (Holy Souls), Fri (Holy Souls)	Mass Intentions: Sat (Diana Cooke RIP), Sun (Peg Jordan RIP), Fri (Kay Parslow RIP)

Bishop's Pastoral Letter: This weekend, we shall listen to **Bishop David's** Pastoral Letter for the First Sunday of Advent.

Fr. Ken's Funeral Mass: May I thank everyone who came to the funeral and all those who watched online. It was a fitting farewell to Fr. Ken and a spiritual upliftment for everyone at the celebration. My sincere appreciation and gratitude to every member of the parish community for the understanding, support and hard work put in for the funeral day. Special thanks to the executors as well.

Nativity Play 2022: A gentle reminder to all the parents and children, please sign up for the Nativity Play at St. Aidan's by this weekend. The sign-up sheet is in the porch or send an email to parish office. **First meeting is on Saturday 10th December 2022, 5.00pm at St. Aidan's.** I haven't noticed many names on the paper. Please do it promptly.

St. Aidan's Grand Draw 2022: A golden opportunity to win **£200** for this Christmas! The tickets are available at both our churches. Kindly return the stubs by **10th December.** Donations towards prizes, especially the Christmas Hamper will be appreciated. The draw will take place on **Sunday 18th December after Mass.** Four books make the bundle and **costs £20.** Buy them before they are gone!

Advent Reflection: Weekly online Walking by Starlight: journey with the Magi this Advent with the Diocese of Northampton led by **Canon John Udris and Avril Baigent on Thursdays 7.30 - 8.30pm** in December. <https://pastoralministryoffice.org/event/starlight/> These sessions will also be available to view afterwards,

Daily offer of an **Advent Retreat** with Scripture, Music, Prayer and Reflection in the Ignatian tradition at <https://www.onlineprayer.net/advent-retreat/> whenever you like. There will be a Zoom group at 7.45 - 8.15am each weekday morning to pray together: **contact Joanna Hale** direct or via the parish office if you'd like to join that on some or all of the weekdays.

Chiltern Food Bank: Please continue with **tinned meat, tinned tuna, sponge pudding, rice pudding, tinned custard, UHT milk.**

Sad Demise: Sorry to inform you that **Mr Derek Graham Adcock** passed away on 21st November at the age of 93. His funeral Mass will take place on **Thursday 1st December 1.00pm at Our Lady's.**

Funeral Service Details: The funeral mass for **Mr. Joseph Eakins** will be on **Tuesday 29th November 12.00 noon at Our Lady's.** **Rose Patricia Laurie** will be cremated on **2nd December 12.30pm.** **Zofia Wanda Buszewska,** will be cremated on **Monday 5th December at 11.45am.**

SVP Meeting at Our Lady's: There will be an SVP meeting in the presbytery on **Sunday 27th November after mass.** Also, at this time of the year, SVP would like to distribute supermarket vouchers for about **£50 each** among those who are struggling financially. If you know anyone truly needs them, please contact **Pat Easton.** pat.easton29@gmail.com

Christmas Dinner: The Latin Mass Community is organizing a Christmas Dinner on **Saturday 10th December 7.00pm** at Full Moon Pub, Cholesbury & Hawridge, HP5 2UH. Four course Meal £35.50, Three Course £30.50. Everyone is most welcome. The signup sheet is in the porch. Kindly pay £10 advance to **Agostino di Falco** or to me.

Special Thanks: Our sincere appreciation to the Filipino Community for hosting the monthly lunch last Sunday.



Offertory Collection Last Week: Our Lady's: £507.47
Standing Order: £361.00

St. Aidan's: £381.95
Standing Order: £ 764.00

Thank You