

St Aidan's Parish

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Office Days this week: Wednesday 5th & Thursday 6th June

SACRAMENTS AND FUNERALS AT ST AIDAN'S

BAPTISM: By appointment after completing a Baptism preparation course. Please contact St Aidan's 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 5th June

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

2nd June 2019

Date	Time	Mass/Service of Communion	Mass intention	Other Services/events
Sat 1 st June	6.00pm	Mass SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 2 nd Collection: Church's use of the media	People of the Parish	5.15-5.45pm Confessions
Sun 2 nd June	11.00am	Mass	Brian & Joan Mack RIP	12noon Tea and Coffee in the Hall
Mon 3 rd June	9.30am	Mass – SS Charles Lwanga & Companions	Adrian Anderson RIP	9.00am Rosary
Tues 4 th June	9.30am	Mass - Feria	Fr Bustin RIP	9.00am Rosary 7.30pm Parents Confirmation Meeting in the Hall
Wed 5 th June	9.30am	Mass – St Boniface	Mary Nelson RIP	9.00am Rosary 7.30pm Parish Council Meeting
Thurs 6 th June	9.30am	Mass – Feria	Oliver Browne (Sp Int)	9.00am Rosary
Fri 7 th June	9.30am	Mass – Feria	Bernie Cummings RIP	9.00am Rosary 10.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Sat 8 th June	6.00pm	Mass PENTECOST	People of the Parish	4.00pm Confirmation Class in the Hall 5.15-5.45pm Confessions
Sun 9 th June	11.00am	Mass	Ray Parsons RIP	12noon Tea and Coffee in the Hall 12noon Baptism Refresher Course

PARISH REGISTRATION FORMS

We are conducting a parish census! If you didn't do this last weekend, could all parishioners please fill in a new parish registration form. Our old parish register is very out of date, and does not comply with the new data protection laws, so even if you have only recently joined the parish and filled out a form we need you to fill out a new one. If you have a smart phone or a computer at home with internet access then please consider filling it out electronically – this will reduce the administrative burden on Louise in the office.

The electronic form can be found on the front page of our website: www.staidanslittlechalfont.co.uk

Many thanks

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND READER TEAM

Sat 1st: SuH ShH PK & B; Sun 2nd: JH JJ FM & Y
 Sat 8th: PA KC MH & D; Sun 9th: SA LJ RS & V

Collection for 25th & 26th May:
 Standing orders:

£ tbc
 £480.00

COFFEE COMPANIONS

Rotate Amersham is hosting a 'Companions Hour' at Cafe Africa on 4th June. It's a great way to meet new people and Cafe Africa are offering a 'drink and cake' deal. Come along anytime from 10-11.30am on the 1st Tuesday of every month.

SAVE THE DATE

ROY SCHOEMAN, a Jewish convert and former Harvard professor, is visiting London this summer. A renowned international speaker, Roy will give a Witness Testimony and a talk on "The Role of Judaism in Salvation" in St Joseph's Church, Chalfont St Peter SL9 8RY on Thursday, 27th June at 7:30pm.

JOB OPPORTUNITY

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Luton, are seeking to appoint a Headteacher for January 2020 or earlier, if possible. Visits to the school are encouraged; please contact Mrs A. Board on 01582 572964 or finance@stjosephs.primaryluton.co.uk For further details, see our advert on www.mynewterm.com Closing date for applications is Friday 7th June 2019. Interviews will take place on Wednesday 19th June 2019.

ALIVE IN CHRIST

There will be a Summer Reflection Day organised by the Diocesan Spirituality Network, on 22nd June 2019 at The Monastery of Christ Our Saviour in Turvey, MK43 8DH. Bishop Peter has said he hopes to attend and we look forward to his prayerful presence amongst us. Full details are on the poster in the narthex. Please book via the NORES Office, 01582 723312.

MEN AT ARMS

Chesham Bois Catholic Players present a production of Terry Pratchett's 'Men at Arms', on 1st, 7th & 8th June in Chesham. For more information take a flyer from the narthex or go to www.cbplayers.co.uk

OFFICE CLOSURE

The office will re-open on Wednesday 5th June.

WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY

The Catholic Church celebrates World Communications Day on 2nd June in 2019, when we are asked to pray for those who work in the media and when a second collection is taken after Mass to fund this important work. Please help us continue this work through contributing generously to the collection. There are also prayer cards in the narthex.

TOOLS FOR WORKAID

Give your shed a spring clean! Bring your unused garden tools, carpentry tools etc. on 8th June to Hervines Pavilion, Hervines Park, Amersham. Rotate Amersham is collecting tools, on behalf of Workaid, a charity based in Chesham, who refurbish tools and then send them to vocational training projects in Africa and the UK.

NURSE VOLUNTEER NEEDED

We are a locally based (HCPT) pilgrimage group, offering annual adult pilgrimage holidays to Lourdes. Our pilgrims are mostly local, some being ill or disabled. Our current group nurse is retiring from nursing. Do you know of, or are you, a registered nurse, who could travel with us this year from 20th to 27th September? We have a wider group of loyal helpers, our current nurse will be there for guidance, and although your medical skillset is critical, the nursing duties are minimal. We will pay all your travel and full board accommodation costs. So if you would be able to help, or would like to know more, please contact Mike Drake: 07919991737 or mikeandlil04@talktalk.net or John Wolff: 01494-785496 or jpawolff@talktalk.net