

# St Aidan's Parish

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Office Days this week: Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> 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 12<sup>th</sup> June

## PENTEOST 9<sup>th</sup> June 2019

Date	Time	Mass/Service of Communion	Mass intention	Other Services/events	
Sat 8 <sup>th</sup> June	6.00pm	Mass  <b>PENTEOST</b>	People of the Parish	4.00pm 5.15-5.45pm	Confirmation Class in the Hall Confessions
Sun 9 <sup>th</sup> June	11.00am	Mass	Ray Parsons & Patrick Reilly RIP	12noon 12noon	Tea and Coffee in the Hall Baptism Refresher Course
Mon 10 <sup>th</sup> June	9.30am	Mass – The BVM, Mother of the Church	Banham RIP	9.00am	Rosary
Tues 11 <sup>th</sup> June	9.30am	Mass – St Barnabas	Denis Murphy RIP	9.00am	Rosary
Wed 12 <sup>th</sup> June	9.30am	Mass – Feria	Fr Bustin RIP	9.00am	Rosary
Thurs 13 <sup>th</sup> June	9.30am	Mass – Our Lord Jesus Christ, The Eternal Priest	Cora Walsh (Sp Int)	9.00am	Rosary
Fri 14 <sup>th</sup> June	9.30am	Mass – Feria	Ninette Dougherty RIP	9.00am	Rosary
Sat 15 <sup>th</sup> June	6.00pm	Mass  <b>TRINITY SUNDAY</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection: Day for Life	People of the Parish	4.00pm 5.15-5.45pm	Confirmation Class in the Hall Confessions
Sun 16 <sup>th</sup> June	11.00am	Mass	Johnny & Peggy Jordan RIP	12noon 1pm	Tea and Coffee in the Hall Parish Lunch

## PARISH REGISTRATION FORMS

We are conducting a parish census! If you haven't done this over the last couple of weekends, could you please fill in a new form. Our old register is very out of date, and does not comply with the new data protection laws, so even if you have only recently joined the parish and filled out a form we need you to fill out a new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. Forms are available in the narthex. If you have 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](http://www.staidanslittlechalfont.co.uk) Many thanks

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND READER TEAM

Sat 8<sup>th</sup>: PA KC MH & D; Sun 9<sup>th</sup>: SA LJ RS & V  
 Sat 15<sup>th</sup>: SL BR JS & C; Sun 16<sup>th</sup>: AB JJ FM & W

Collection for 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> May: £516.11  
 Collection for 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> June: £596.70  
 Standing orders: £480.00  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection: Church's use of the media: £270.28

### CHILTERN CHILD CONTACT CENTRE

On June 2<sup>nd</sup> it was announced that The Chiltern Child Contact Centre has been honoured with the Queen's Award for Voluntary Service, the highest award a voluntary group can receive in the UK. St Aidan's was one of the founder donors and gave financial support for 6 years. As well as celebrating this wonderful news, the CCCC is also seeking more Trustees. St Aidan's representative, Virginia Wedgwood is standing down in the Autumn after more than 5 years service. It is not very onerous, with about 5 meetings a year for this very worthy cause. For more information email [virginia@wedgwoodv.org.uk](mailto:virginia@wedgwoodv.org.uk) or go to <http://chilternchildcontactcentre.org.uk/>

### APPEAL FOR SINGERS AND MUSICIANS

On Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June Bishop Peter is visiting St Joseph's Church in Gerrards Cross to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation for candidates across our Pastoral Area (including around 20 candidates from St Aidan's) at two Masses at 2pm and 5pm. Singers and musicians who would like to be part of this special occasion, at one or both Masses, are invited to join the Pastoral Area Music Group. A rehearsal is scheduled for Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June from 2.30pm to 4.30pm. Please contact Maureen via the St Joseph's parish office on 01753 886581 to sign up, or come along to the rehearsal. The Masses also require **Altar servers**. Please let Fr Ken know if you can help.

### ECUADORIAN MISSION 2019

After the success of the Mission of Chesham and Great Missenden parishioners in Ecuador last August, we are getting ready to welcome 21 Ecuadorian missionaries to the pastoral area from 14<sup>th</sup> June until 2<sup>nd</sup> July. Everyone is invited to join the events. The full Programme of the Mission is displayed on the notice board in the narthex.

### YOUTH FEST '19

Calling all young people in Year 6 and above as well as young adults 18s to 20s. You are invited to join us for our Pastoral Area Youth Fest '19 on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June from 2pm to 5pm in the paddock behind Our Lady's Church, Chesham Bois HP6 5PE. A parent-free zone for the afternoon, there will be live music, games, BBQ and lots more at this free event. Booking and more info at [www.stjosephs.org.uk](http://www.stjosephs.org.uk)

### CATHOLIC BASICS COURSE

The next session is called "Prayer" on June 13<sup>th</sup> at the Diocesan Centre, Luton, LU4 8JD. Come and join us at 9.30am for 10am to 3pm for an engaging and informative day with full lunch. For details and booking: Tel 01582 723312 or [admin@nores.org.uk](mailto:admin@nores.org.uk)

### JEWISH HARVARD PROFESSOR TO CATHOLIC EVANGELIST

What would cause a successful young Jewish Harvard Business School professor, the son of German Jewish Holocaust refugees, to leave a promising career to become a Catholic evangelist? **ROY SCHOEMAN** did just that and will share his Witness Testimony when he gives a talk on "The Role of Judaism in Salvation" at St Joseph's, Chalfont St Peter, on Thursday, 27<sup>th</sup> June at 7:30pm. Admission £5 to include refreshments.

### PARISH LUNCH

The next parish lunch is next Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June at 1.00pm in the Parish Hall. The sign-up list is in the narthex. £4 for a 2-course lunch and a glass of wine.

### NURSE VOLUNTEER NEEDED

The HCPT pilgrimage group offer annual adult pilgrimage holidays to Lourdes. Our pilgrims are mostly local, some being ill or disabled and we need a new volunteer nurse. Do you know of, or are you, a registered nurse, who could travel this year from 20<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> September? 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. If you would like to know more, please contact Mike Drake: 07919991737 or [mikeandlil04@talktalk.net](mailto:mikeandlil04@talktalk.net) or John Wolff: 01494-785496 or [jpawolff@talktalk.net](mailto:jpawolff@talktalk.net)