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

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Our Lady's, Chesham Bois, 30 Amersham Road, HP6 5PE	St. Aidan, Little Chalfont, Finch Lane, HP7 9NE		
Sat 14th Sept 5.00pm (Vigil Mass)	Sat 14 th Sept 6.15pm (Vigil Mass)		
Sun 15 th Sept 9.00am Parish Mass	Sun 15th Sept 9.00am Polish Mass		
12.00pm Latin Mass	11.00am Parish Mass		
Tue 17 th Sept 9.30am Feria	Mon 16th Sept 9.30am (SS Cornelius & Cyprian)		
Fri 20 th Sept 9.00am Benediction	Thu 19 th Sept 9.30am Feria		
9.30am Holy Eucharist (St. Andrew Kim & Co)	Fri 20th Sept 6.30pm Benediction		
Sat 21st Sept 5.00pm Vigil Mass	7.00pm Holy Eucharist (SS Andrew & Co)		
Sun 22 nd Sept 9.00am 25 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sat 21st Sept 6.15pm Vigil Mass		
	Sun 22 nd Sept 11.00am 25 th Sunday in Ordinary Time		
Benediction: Friday 9.00am - 9.30am	Benediction: Friday 6.30pm - 7.00pm		
Confessions: Tuesday & Friday after Mass	Confessions: Friday & Saturday after Mass		
Mass Intentions: Sat (Helen McCarthy RIP), Sun (Ann Costar	Mass Intentions: Sat (Andrew Jordan, Sp. Int), Sun (Larry		
RIP), Tue (Searle RIP), Fri (Caselton-Clark RIP)	Riordan RIP), Mon (Victor Jordan, Susie Barclay RIP),		
	Thu (Charles Edward Rich, Noreen Spillane RIP),		
	Fri Caselton- Clark RIP)		

Second Collection Next Weekend: There will be a second collection next weekend towards *Home Missions*.

Adoremus: This Saturday 45 pilgrims from our diocese (5 priests, 3 deacons, 36 laity) will travel to Oscott College for the National Eucharistic Congress. Please pray for the pilgrims as they represent each of the pastoral areas across our diocese. Kindly spend 30 minutes before the Blessed Sacrament after Sunday Mass for the success of the event.

Successful Barbecue: Sincere thanks to everyone, who did the lovely walk on Sunday, and to all those who attended the BBQ. We owe our gratitude to God for providing good weather. My heartfelt appreciation and gratitude to *Deirdre* and her team for organizing the event. God bless you all!

Happy Retirement for Fr. Roman: Having served the Polish Community at St. Aidan's for 14 years, Fr. Roman is retiring to Manchester on 25th September. I take this opportunity thank Fr. Roman on behalf of the Parish for the love and cooperation. He has been a source of support and inspiration to me personally, and his generous availability for confessions and joining the Eucharistic celebrations with our parish community was highly encouraging. Please say a prayer for his good health and happy retirement. Please do visit us whenever you can. God Bless you Fr. Roman.

St. Aidan Parish Council Meeting: The next meeting of the PC will be on *Monday 7.00pm* at St. Aidan's Presbytery.

Our Lady's Finance Committee Meeting: Our next meeting will be on Thursday 19th September via Zoom. The meeting ID is: 34515431550. Passcode: qWEkax. Time, 7.00pm.

Monthly Lunch at St. Aidan's: The next monthly lunch will be on Sunday **22**nd **September 1.00pm** at the parish hall. **Cost per head is £5.** Please see the sign-up sheet at the narthex.

Chiltern Food Bank: *Kizzy* thanks us for the items we sent during the holidays for the children at home. They were much appreciated by their parents. For now, the foodstuffs in demand are tinned fruit, custard, tinned cold meats, tinned carrots and chocolate biscuits.

Annual Parish Mass Count: The annual four weekly Mass count will be taken at the end of September and beginning of October. Week One: $21^{st}/22^{nd}$ September, Week Two: $28^{th}/29^{th}$ September, Week Three: $5^{th}/6^{th}$ October, Week Four: $12^{th}/13^{th}$ October.

Sad Demise: Sorry to inform you that *Nancy Murphy*, a beloved parishioner has passed away at Stoke Mandeville hospital on Friday. Please pray for the departed soul.

Baptisms: Kindly pray for *Lily Cash*, and *Penelope Rita Stephens*, who will be baptised at Our Lady's this weekend. Please pray for their parents and family members.

First Communion Classes 2024-25: Parents kindly note, the schedule for the First Communion Classes is ready for both Churches. You can obtain copies from the Parish Office.

Second Collection: Thanks to everyone, who contributed towards Catholic Education Service last weekend. *St. Aidan:* £296.23, *Our Lady's:* 158.65

Tap & Go Collection Last Week at OL: £205.00, SA: £41.00

If we don't teach our children and grandchildren who God is, the world will teach them everything that He isn't.

Offertory Collection Last Week: Our Lady's: £314.40 St. Aidan's: £291.20

Standing Order: £361.00 Standing Order: £797.00

Thank You