

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

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Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time, 16th February 2025 Year C

Our Lady's, Chesham Bois, 30 Amersham Road, HP6 5PE	St. Aidan, Little Chalfont, Finch Lane, HP7 9NE
Sat 15 th Feb 5.00pm (Vigil Mass)	Sat 15 th Feb 6.15pm (Vigil Mass)
Sun 16 th Feb 9.00am Parish Mass	Sun 16 th Feb 9.00am Polish Mass
12.00pm Latin Mass	11.00am Parish Mass
Tue 18 th Feb 9.30am Feria	Mon 17 th Feb 9.30am Feria
Fri 21 st Feb 9.00am Adoration	Thu 20 th Feb 9.30am Feria
9.30am Holy Eucharist	Fri 21 st Feb 6.30pm Adoration
Sat 22 nd Feb 5.00pm Vigil Mass	7.00pm Holy Eucharist
Sun 23 rd Feb 9.00am Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sat 22 nd Feb 6.15pm Vigil Mass
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Benediction: 9.00am - 9.30am	Benediction: 6.30pm - 7.00pm
Confessions: Tue & Fri after Mass	Confessions: Fri & Sat after Mass
Mass Intentions: Sat (Marcela Cravioto RIP), Sun (Simon Kershaw, Thanksgiving), Tue (Fr. Michael Cullinan, 30 th Ordination Anniversary), Fri (Mary McCullough RIP)	Mass Intentions: Sat (Mariam Hillyard RIP), Sun (Mrs Rita Landers RIP), Mon (Greta Flanagan RIP), Thu (Kathleen O'Grady RIP), Fri (Gatter Josephine RIP)

Pancake Afternoon at Our Lady's: This year, **Ash Wednesday** falls on 5th March, therefore, to celebrate **Shrove Tuesday**, the Social & Cultural Wing of Our Lady's Parish Council is organising a pancake afternoon on **Sunday 2nd March 3.00pm at Our Lady's**. The event is open to both churches and we invite everyone cordially. A sign-up sheet will be made available very soon in both churches. Come and design, decorate and toss your pancakes! Flour and Eggs will be provided; you just bring your pan!

Finance Committee Meeting: Members please take note, the next meeting of Our Lady's Finance Committee will be on **Thursday 20th February, 7.00pm** at St. Aidan's Presbytery.

Flame 2025 - 15th March 2025, OVO Arena, Wembley. Ages 14-25. The tickets for Flame 2025 are now all sold out! We have over 150 people from our diocese attending as part of our group, which is amazing. Unfortunately, this does mean **we cannot accept any more bookings**.

Monthly Lunch: The next monthly lunch at St. Aidan's will be on **Sunday 23rd February 1.00pm** in the parish hall.

Mass and Eucharistic Adoration: The Diocesan Catholic Charismatic Renewal team invite you to join them in prayer in preparation for the Life in the Spirit Course 2025. On Saturday 22 February beginning with Mass at 10am followed by 3 hours of Eucharistic Adoration. The Life in the Spirit Course will take place from 13th May-17th June

Beyond Difference Upcoming Event: Beyond Difference is a local, voluntary interfaith organisation working to connect faiths, beliefs and philosophies throughout the Chilterns and South Bucks. The next event is on **Sunday 23rd March** at Chesham Hall from 2.00pm - 4.00pm. Topic: **"Faith & Community: the highs and the lows"** "All are welcome!"

Tap & Go Collection Last Week at OL: £152.00, SA: £30.00

Chiltern Foodbank requests the following foodstuffs for the coming weeks: **UHT milk, Smash potato powder, sponge puddings, pasta sauce and Long-Life fruit juices.**

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Burgundy: Bishop David and Canon John Udris will lead our pilgrimage to France in October 2025. Staying in Paray Le Monial, seeking spiritual renewal at the sacred Basilica of the Sacred Heart, where Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque once received her divine visions. We will also visit Nevers where Saint Bernadette spent the last years of her life and her body rests today. [For more information visit here](#)

Bluesky: We are excited to announce that the Diocese of Northampton is now on Bluesky Social! Bluesky is a new and growing social media platform that allows us to connect in a fresh way while keeping our Catholic community engaged and informed. Through our Bluesky account, we'll share news, events, reflections, and opportunities to deepen our faith together. Follow us now at @northamptondiocese.bsky.social

World Day of Prayer: The Amersham Churches welcome all to Amersham Free Church for a World Day of Prayer service on **Friday 7th March at 10 30 am**. This year the service has been prepared by women of the Cook Islands.

Sad Demise: Sorry to inform you that **Mrs Raffaella Volpe** passed away on 2nd February at the age of 87.



Offertory Collection Last Week: Our Lady's: £402.46
Standing Order: £361.00

St. Aidan's: £376.73
Standing Order: £797.00

Thank You