

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

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## Twenty - Third Sunday in Ordinary Time, 8<sup>th</sup> September 2024 Year B

Our Lady's, Chesham Bois, 30 Amersham Road, HP6 5PE		St. Aidan, Little Chalfont, Finch Lane, HP7 9NE	
Sat 7 <sup>th</sup> Sept	5.00pm <b>(Vigil Mass)</b>	Sat 7 <sup>th</sup> Sept	6.15pm <b>(Vigil Mass)</b>
Sun 8 <sup>th</sup> Sept	<b>9.00am Parish Mass</b> 12.00pm Latin Mass	Sun 8 <sup>th</sup> Sept	9.00am Polish Mass <b>11.00am Parish Mass</b>
Tue 10 <sup>th</sup> Sept	9.30am Feria	Mon 9 <sup>th</sup> Sept	9.30am Feria
Fri 13 <sup>th</sup> Sept	9.00am Benediction 9.30am Holy Eucharist <b>(St. John Chrysostom)</b>	Thu 12 <sup>th</sup> Sept	9.30am Feria
Sat 14 <sup>th</sup> Sept	5.00pm Vigil Mass	Fri 13 <sup>th</sup> Sept	6.30pm Benediction 7.00pm Holy Eucharist <b>(St. John Chrysos)</b>
Sun 15 <sup>th</sup> Sept	9.00am 24 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sat 14 <sup>th</sup> Sept	6.15pm Vigil Mass
		Sun 15 <sup>th</sup> Sept	11.00am 24 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time
<b>Benediction: Friday 9.00am – 9.30am</b>		<b>Benediction: Friday 6.30pm – 7.00pm</b>	
<b>Confessions:</b> Tuesday & Friday after Mass		<b>Confessions:</b> Friday & Saturday after Mass	
<b>Mass Intentions: Sat</b> (Beryl Smith RIP), <b>Sun</b> (Babu & Lily, Thanksgiving) <b>Tue</b> (Thanksgiving Mass), <b>Fri</b> (Margaret Young & Family, Thanksgiving)		<b>Mass Intentions: Sat</b> (Charels de Costa RIP), <b>Sun</b> (Yvonne Jordan-van de Weetering RIP), <b>Mon</b> (Victor Jordan, Susie Barclay RIP), <b>Thu</b> (Charles Edward Rich, Noreen Spillane RIP), <b>Fri</b> (Caselton-Clark RIP)	

**Second Collection this Weekend:** Please note, there will be a second collection today for the **Catholic Education Service**.

**Celebration of the Feast of St. Aidan-Walk & BBQ:** This Sunday, **8<sup>th</sup> September**, we celebrate the feast. Mass 11.00am, followed by coffee in the Parish Hall. Walk leaving (and returning to) St. Aidan's at 2.00pm. **BBQ at 4.00pm**. The cost per adult is **£5.00** The celebration is open to parishioners, family and friends of both St. Aidan's and Our Lady's. The sign-up sheets is still available and will be removed after the Mass this Sunday; therefore, you still have time. Please hurry!

**Helpers are Needed** for the Walk & Refreshments on the Feast of St. Aidan and for the BBQ. If you are able to help, please put your name and contact number on the Helper Sign-up sheet at the back of the Church.

**Education Sunday:** This Sunday we celebrate Education Sunday. We shall say a special prayer and blessing during Mass for all our children, as they begin the new academic year. May God of Wisdom, enlighten their hearts and minds with the Holy Spirit. After Communion, I request all children to come forward for the special prayer and blessing.

**Diocesan Music Day: Chris Walker's** music day in Luton is only 3 weeks away! He is a very inspiring church musician, internationally known and ready to share many practical ways to enliven our parish music.  
**Saturday 21 September 2024**  
**11am to 3.30pm** Holy Ghost Church, WESTBOURNE RD Luton LU4 8JD. Here is the link to the online booking: <https://northamptondiocese.org/courses/diocesan-music-day-21st-september/>

**Second Collection** Next Weekend for **Home Missions**.

**Tap & Go Collection Last Week at OL: £185.00, SA: £29.00**

**First Communion Classes 2024-25:** Parents of those children wishing to make their First Confession and Holy Communion next year are asked to enrol the names as soon as possible. Kindly contact the Parish Secretary with the Baptism Certificate of your child/children. Children must be in Year 3 or above. We will begin the sessions by the end of September.

**Dr Julia Sadusky (PsyD, Regent University):** On **Monday 7 October** in the St Thomas Centre at Northampton, you are invited to join **Bishop David** and school governors and staff to listen and absorb Dr Julia's experience of working in a faith environment with those who struggle with their gender identity. The day begins at 10am and concludes with lunch.

**Annual Parish Mass Count:** The annual four weekly Mass count is to be taken at the end of September and beginning of October. Week One: 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup> September, Week Two : 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup> September, Week Three : 5<sup>th</sup> / 6<sup>th</sup> October, Week Four : 12<sup>th</sup> / 13<sup>th</sup> October.

**Bring & Share Photos:** A big **Thank You**, to everyone who attended the event last Sunday, and all the wonderful items brought along. My sincere appreciation to all the volunteers for organizing the event. Mr.Guruswamy has taken some lovely photographs and sent me the link. <https://www.flickr.com/photos/guru007/albums/72177720320026951/> Please ask him for any further help.



**Offertory Collection Last Week: Our Lady's: £326.50**  
**Standing Order: £361.00**

**St. Aidan's: £376.18**  
**Standing Order: £797.00**

**Thank You**