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

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Twenty – Third Sunday of the Year, 4th September 2022 Year C

Parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Chesham Bois			Parish of St. Aidan, Little Chalfont		
Sat 3 rd Sept Sun 4 th Sept	5.00pm 8.00am	(<i>Vigil Mass</i>) Latin Mass	Sat 3 rd Sept Sun 4 th Sept	6.15pm 11.00am	(Vigil Mass)
Mon 5 th Sept Tue 6 th Sept Thu 8 th Sept Fri 9 th Sept	9.30am 9.30am	(Parish Mass) Feria Feria Nativity of the BVM Feria	Wed 7 th Sept Fri 9 th Sept	9.30am 9.30am	Feria Feria
Benediction: Friday 6.30pm			Benediction: Friday 9.00am – 9.30am		
Confessions: Monday to Friday, After Mass			Confessions: Friday & Saturday After Mass		
Mass Intentions: Sat (Bustin RIP), Sun (Marjorie Rich RIP), Mon (Bustin RIP), Tues (Nolan RIP), Thu (Banham RIP), Fri (Reeman RIP)			Mass Intentions: Sat (Richards Family, thanksgiving), Sun (Eamon Hillan RIP), Fri (Clark Caselton RIP)		

Sincere Appreciation: I thank God for the wonderful gift of people, who make everyone happy with their selfless service. What a wonderful gathering we had on Sunday for the parish barbecue! We had plenty of food, drinks, and meaningful conversation. My sincere appreciation to all the organizers, who took so much interest in providing a fantastic afternoon to everyone who came to the event. Congratulation to all who took part in the walk. God Bless you all!

Bring and Share with a Glass of Prosecco: September 18th 4-6pm, at Our Lady's. As we had to cancel the Parish Barbeque, Our Lady's Parish Council hopes that our next event will not be a victim to weather. On Sunday 18th September, we invite Parishioners to gather in the garden of Our Lady's Church for a shared platter of finger food and a glass of Prosecco. From this Sunday there will be sign –up sheet in both Churches requesting names, numbers and the food that you will bring to share. Please indicate a platter to share of savoury or sweet finger food. There will be soft drinks and tea available on request.

St. Aidan's First Communion Programme 2022-23: We have started the admission for the next batch of children preparing for First Communion. Parents kindly contact *Parish Secretary, Debbie* via email or phone to reserve your place. Children who are 7 years old or in Year 3, are eligible for the programme. The last date to submit your application will be on Friday, 16th September 2022. The first meeting with the parents is on *Monday 26th September 7.30pm* in the parish hall. The first session for the children will be on Saturday 1st October at 4.45pm. For the admission, you will have to produce the *baptism certificate and pay £25 towards books and other expenses.*

Our Lady's First Communion Programme 2022-23: Parents who are planning to admit their children for the preparation classes at Our Lady's, kindly contact the Parish secretary via phone or email to reserve your place. You can also ask for the programme schedule from the office. The first meeting with the parents will be on Saturday 24th September after the 5.00pm Mass in the guild room.

Support our Local Food Bank: Packets of Angel Delight, tins of custard, cartons of fruit juice and bottles of fruit squash. Small quantities of these are preferable. Thank you for your generosity.

Children's Liturgy at St. Aidan's: Happy to inform the parents that we are resuming children's liturgy from this *Sunday 4th September* at 11.00am Mass. It will be animated by *Carolyn O'Brien*, who is the Deputy Head Teacher of a Catholic School at Pinner. Initially, it will be done once a month. I request the parents to send your pre communion children to this important faith formation.

DEC Pakistan Floods Appeal: Devastating floods have hit Pakistan, leaving millions in urgent need of help to survive. A third of the country is now underwater (that's an area almost the size of Great Britain). Your donation will help CAFOD's local partners support communities with clean drinking water, food, emergency medical assistance and shelter. Please pray for those affected and donate now at cafod.org.uk/give There will be a second collection next weekend to support this appeal.

Next Monthly Lunch at St. Aidan's will be on *Sunday 25th September*. The sign-up sheet will be in the narthex.

Feast of St. Aidan's BBQ & Walk Donation received £708.34. Expenses £228.34. Balance into parish £480. The donation received on the day is £528.00 and received during this week is £180.34. Thank you so much for the generosity.



Offertory Collection Last Week: Our Lady's: £403.66 St. Aidan's: £422.35 Thank You