

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 16 th May 5.00pm Vigil Mass	Sat 16 th May 6.15pm Vigil Mass
Sun 17 th May 9.00am Parish Mass	Sun 17 th May 9.00am Polish Mass
12.00pm Latin Mass	11.00am Parish Mass
Tue 19 th May 9.30am Feria	Mon 18 th May 9.30am Feria
Fri 22 nd May 9.00am Adoration	Thu 21 st May 9.30am Feria
9.30am Holy Eucharist	Fri 22 nd May 6.30pm Adoration
Sat 23 rd May 5.00pm Vigil Mass	7.30pm Holy Eucharist
Sun 24 th May 9.00am Pentecost Sunday	Sat 23 rd May 6.15pm Vigil Mass
	Sun 24 th May 11.00am Pentecost Sunday
Adoration: Friday 9.00am – 9.30am	Adoration: 6.30pm -7.00pm
Confessions: Tuesday & Friday after Mass	Confessions: Friday & Saturday after Mass
Mass Intentions: Sat (Monica Bratt), Sun (Josphine Edwin Mary, Good health), Tue (Murali Rabindrakumar), Fri (Rayner RIP), Sat (Madelin Carden), Sun (Smith RIP)	Mass Intentions: Sat (Cora Walsh RIP), Sun (Jack & Jim Kelly, Dianna Cooke RIP's)), Mon (Alec Ray), Thu (Jason Richards), Fri (Margaret Carmody, B'day), Sat (Sybil & John D'Souza RIP's). Sun (Natasha Joseph, Thanksgiving)

Second Collection this Weekend: As informed, there will be a second collection this weekend for **Catholic Education Service**, also called, World Communications Sunday.

Congratulations: This **Saturday 16th May**, 16 children receive the Sacrament of First Communion at Our Lady's. We shall congratulate them as well as pray for them. Let me also take this opportunity to appreciate and acknowledge the hard work of **Liz McCarthy**, our catechist, who spared no pain in preparing the children. Thank you Liz!

Mini Vinnies: The junior version of the **St Vincent de Paul Society**, from **Our Lady's Catholic Primary School**, have raised **£636** for Helen & Douglas Hospice. Thanks to fundraising efforts by the school in memory of **Max Walder**. Congratulations to the pupils, and to the School Team!

Second Collection Last Weekend: Thank you for your generous donation last week towards Bishop's Maintenance Fund. **St. Aidan's: £242.70, Our Lady's: £139.00**

Diocesan Residential Youth Weekend: Young people from across the diocese are invited to join us for a residential summer weekend filled with games, discussions, activities, socialising, and prayer. This will take place on **17th-19th July 2026** at Buckden Towers, St Neots, and is aimed at young people **aged 11-18**. This is a great opportunity to meet new people, reconnect with old friends, and take a break from everyday life in a relaxed and supportive environment. Please contact nymo.admin@northamptondiocese.com for more details. Booking is essential, please get in touch.

Parish Lunch: The next monthly lunch at St. Aidan's will be on **Sunday 31st May at 1.00pm** at the parish hall. Please see the sign-up sheet at the narthex.

Tap N Go Figures: Our Lady's: £253.00, SA: £172. 00

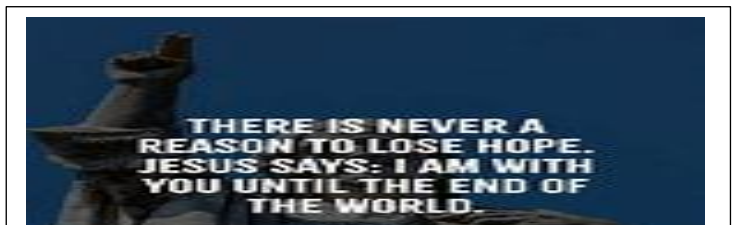
Wedding Banns: This is to announce that the following couple, **Joseph John McNerney & Georgina Mai Entrican** will be receiving the sacrament of marriage on **Saturday 23rd May at Our Lady's**. Please pray for them as they prepare themselves to receive this important sacrament.

NYMO, the youth ministry, are hosting their [next Blaze event](#), Blaze South, at St Michael's School, Aylesbury on **23rd May**. Blaze gives attendees the opportunity to join together and cement what they have explored in their confirmation programmes. The event will feature drama, music, workshops, prayer and Mass. There is also a chance to ask questions about Confirmation, the Church and God.

Finance Committee Meeting: members of St, Aidan's finance committee, please take note, that our next meeting is on **Thursday 21st May 2.30pm** at the presbytery.

Priestly Ordination: Please remember in your prayers Deacon **Chris Colaco**, who will be ordained on **Saturday 20th June 11.30am** at the Cathedral by Right Reverend Peter Doyle, Bishop Emeritus of Northampton.

Diocesan Mass for Marriage and Families: The annual Mass for Marriage and Families is a popular Diocesan event returning again at Northampton Cathedral on **5th September 2026** at noon. All are welcome, and as usual we look to congratulate couples celebrating milestone anniversaries this year. Please mark your diary and watch for a registration link coming soon.



Offertory Collection Last Week: Our Lady's: £272.80
Standing Order: £361.00

St. Aidan's: £317.82
Standing Order: £797.00

Thank You