

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

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Newsletter, 27th Sunday of Ordinary Time, 4th October 2026 A

Our Lady's, Chesham Bois, 30 Amersham Road, HP6 5PE			St. Aidan, Little Chalfont, Finch Lane, HP7 9NE		
Sat 3 rd Oct	5.00pm	Vigil Mass	Sat 3 rd Oct	6.15pm	Vigil Mass
Sun 4 th Oct	9.00am	Parish Mass	Sun 4 th Oct	9.00am	Polish Mass
	12.00pm	Latin Mass		11.00am	Parish Mass
Tue 6th Oct	9.30am	No Mass	Mon 5 th Oct	9.30am	Feria
Fri 9 th Oct	9.00am	Adoration	Thu 8th Oct	9.30am	No Mass
	9.30am	Holy Mass (<i>St. John Henry Newman</i>)	Fri 9 th Oct	6.30pm	Adoration
Sat 10 th Oct	5.00pm	Vigil Mass		7.00pm	Holy Mass (<i>St. Henry Newman</i>)
Sun 11 th Oct	9.00am	28 th Sunday of Ordinary Time	Sat 10 th Oct	6.15pm	Vigil Mass
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Adoration: Friday 9.00am – 9.30am			Adoration: 6.30pm - 7.00pm		
Confessions: Fri after Mass			Confessions: Saturday after Mass		
Mass Intentions: Sat (Teresa Lyons, Maura Fox RIP's), Sun (Emily & Tariro, Wedding), Fri (Jenny Newton), Sat (Joseph Spicer 13 th B'day), Sun (Thomas Valavi RIP, Bridget Harvey, Thanksgiving)			Mass Intentions: Sat (Emma & Andy Pickford, Thanksgiving), Sun (Denis Tangney, Eileen & Eric Casey RIP's), Sat (Oliver Genius RIP), Sun (Josie & Tim Lehané RIP).		

Parish Quiz: Congratulations to the team that won the Quiz, on last Friday. Our sincere thanks to the organisers. The evening went very well, and we had more participation this year. The total **income** from the event is **£900.00**, **Raffle** earned **£370.00**. The catering expense was £312.00, Venue cost £310.00. The amount saved is **£648.00**

Sad Demise: It is with great sadness and heavy heart that I share the passing of **Jenny Newton** on Tuesday night. Joe messaged me saying, **"In her final days, she seemed peaceful and without pain"** Our sincere condolences to **Joe, Lara & Ruby**. Please be assured that you are surrounded by our parish community that loves you so much. Please lean on us at this difficult time. I thank all the parishioners who sincerely prayed for Jenny. In good faith, let's accept God's will. **"Death leaves a heartache no one can heal; love leaves a memory no one can steal"** The funeral Mass will be on **Tuesday 20th October 11.30am** at **Our Lady's**, followed by burial at Stanley Hill Cemetery.

No Mass: Please note, there will be No Mass on **Tuesday 6th October** at Our Lady's, and **Thursday 8th October**, at St. Aidan's.

Parish Mass Count: We have three more weeks to do the Mass attendance count. Please make every effort to be present for the weekend services.

Road Resurfacing: On **Tuesday, 6th October**, part of St. Aidan's car park and the driveway to the parish hall will be repaired. Hence, the gate will be closed for the day.

Legion of Mary Appeal: The members of the Legion of Mary will be making an appeal for membership on **10th & 11th of October**.

Tap N Go Figures: **Our Lady's: £200.00, SA: £80.00**

Chiltern Foodbank: They need breakfast cereal, tinned soup, pasta, rice, pasta sauce, baked beans, tinned meat, tinned vegetables, instant mash, UHT milk, tea, coffee, sugar, tinned dessert and biscuits.

October, Praying the Rosary for Peace: October is traditionally dedicated to the Holy Rosary, and this year Pope Leo XIV has invited Christians to pray the Rosary throughout the month, particularly for peace and an end to war. Parishes are encouraged to share this invitation and where possible, pray the Rosary together during October.

Baptism: Congratulations to **Henry Michael Charles Colaard**, who will be baptised this **Saturday** at Our Lady's by **Deacon Gerard Felix**. His parents **Mary Beatrice Collard** and **Michael John Collard**. We wish them every blessing as they begin their Christian journey together. A true witness of God's love – an outward sign of inward grace.

100 Years of World Mission Sunday – 18th October 2026:

This year's World Mission Sunday, to be celebrated on 18th October 2026, marks the 100th anniversary of this global celebration of the Church's missionary vocation. The theme for this centenary year, **"One in Christ, united in mission,"** highlights the unity of all believers and calls us to a deeper communion with Christ and a renewed commitment to sharing the Gospel throughout the world. **There will be a second collection on the weekend of 18th October**. The special envelopes will be arriving soon.



Offertory Collection Last Week: **Our Lady's: £283.30**
Standing Order: £361.00

St. Aidan's: £301.98
Standing Order: £797.00

Thank You