

St Aidan's Parish

Sunday 14th June 2020

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FR KEN WRITES

It has been rightly said that hope in a post-pandemic world can only be achieved together. Humanity is interconnected, bound together in solidarity, and takes care of each other so that nobody is left behind. In that connection we also show our peaceful solidarity with the George Floyd protestors.

Let us continue to pray for one another; that we may be able to lead a more normal life. Meanwhile, you may like to tune into Pope Francis as he celebrates the Feast of Corpus Christi in St Peter's Basilica. A small number of people will participate in the liturgy and it will be live streamed by Vatican Media beginning at 9.45am Rome time (8.45am BST) and ending with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction.

Finally, I would remind you that men and women of goodwill across the world are invited to stop for one minute on Monday and pray with Pope Francis for peace. God bless you all, and keep safe and well.

PLACES OF WORSHIP RE-OPENING FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

You may have seen in the news that places of worship in England are being permitted to re-open for private prayer from Monday 15th June. However, the Parish Council made a unanimous decision at their meeting last Wednesday 3rd June that for the time being St Aidan's will remain closed. It is our priority as a parish to keep Fr Ken and our parishioners safe, and it was felt that re-opening the church at this stage would not be the right thing to do.

Within our Pastoral Area, Fr Andy is planning on re-opening Our Lady's in Chesham Bois. We do not have any details at present, but days and times will be posted on their website in due course:

<https://ourladyschurch-cheshambois.org/>

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

On Wednesday 3rd June, the Parish Council met for the first time since lockdown via Zoom. To read the minutes please go to: <http://www.staidanslittlechalfont.co.uk/parish-council/>

DIARY

Date	Private Mass	Mass Intention
Sunday 14 th June	THE FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI	People of the Parish
Monday 15 th June	Feria	Paul Aldworth RIP
Tuesday 16 th June	Feria	Brenda Aldworth (Sp Int)
Wednesday 17 th June	Feria	Anne-Marie Archer RIP
Thursday 18 th June	Dedication of the Cathedral	Marcia Cantrell RIP
Friday 19 th June	The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus	Mary Nelson RIP
Saturday 20 th June	The Immaculate Heart of Mary	Private Intention
Sunday 21 st June	TWELFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	People of the Parish