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

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12 th February, Sixth Sunday of the Year 2023 Year A					
Parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Chesham Bois			Parish of St. Aidan, Little Chalfont		
Sat 11 th Feb	5.00pm	(Vigil Mass)	Sat 11 th Feb	6.15pm	(Vigil Mass)
Sun 12 th Feb	8.00am	Latin Mass	Sun 12 th Feb	11. 00am	(Parish Mass)
	9.30am	Parish Mass	Fri 17 th Feb	9.00am	Adoration
Mon13 th Feb	9.30am	Feria		9.30am	Mass (Feria)
Tue 14 th Feb	9.30am	(SS Cyril & Methodius)			
Thu 16 th Feb	9.30am	Feria			
Fri 17 th Feb	7.00pm	Feria			
Benediction: Friday 6.30pm			Benediction: Friday 9.00am – 9.30am		
Confessions: Monday to Friday, <i>After Mass</i>			Confessions: Friday & Saturday After Mass		
Mass Intentions: Sat (Parish), Sun (Antonietta Blank RIP),			Mass Intentions: Sat (Marie Finnegan), Sun (Mary		
Thu (Sean Prunty)			Thomas Gallagher RIP), Fri (Chris Willie Kelly)		
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CAFOD Lent Fast Day Talk: There will be a short talk given by the CAFOD Reps during Mass on *Saturday and Sunday 25 and 26 February.* The talk will be in preparation for the *Family Fast Day collection the following week.*

CAFOD Syria-Turkey Earthquake Appeal: CAFOD is responding with support of provision of food, water, shelter, medical assistance and winter kits for survivors. Your donations in recent months have made that quick response possible.Let us join CAFOD in praying for our sisters and brothers affected by the earthquakes and the winter weather. Your support for CAFOD throughout the year allows our Catholic agency to act quickly when disasters strike. For more details visit CAFOD's Syria Turkey Emergency Appeal online at https://cafod.org.uk/give.

CELEBRATE: Parenting for Faith - A new online course starting for those with Babies and Toddlers. *Starts Thursday* **23rd Feb for 5 weeks at 8pm for approximately 45 minutes.** It's on zoom so no need for babysitters! It's never too early to teach our children about prayer. This bitesize course will inspire and equip parents, grandparents and carers of those with babies and toddlers through a short video, testimonies and small group chats. If you are expecting a baby, just had one, or are at the toddler group stage then sign up and bring some friends. If you are a Catechist who runs the parish baptism programme, the children's liturgy, or if you run a toddler group at church let everyone know as this will help families to grow in faith. *To register, scan the QR code you will notice on the poster put on the notice board.* See the poster for more details.

Baptisms: Kindly keep in your prayers **Bonnie Wendy Barrett**, who will be baptized by Deacon Gerard Felix on **Saturday 11th February 2.30pm at Our Lady's**. The child's parents are Alexander & Nina Smith. At St. Aidan's, **Caoimhe and Eireann Sear** will be baptised by Deacon David Curtis on **Sunday 12th February at 2pm**. Their parents are Benjamin Sear & Aimee Gallagher. Please Pray for them.

Offertory Collection Last Week: Our Lady's: £565.26 Standing Order: £361.00 **Food Bank:** Please continue with our donations as previously, namely: tinned meat, tinned tuna, sponge puddings. rice puddings, custard and UHT milk.

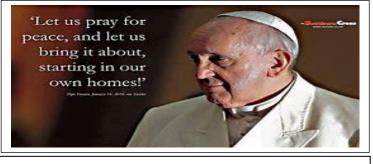
Lent Prayer: How are you planning to enrich your prayer during Lent? Possibilities include: **Lives to Inspire:** prayer for each day of Lent with scripture, pictures, music and reflection looking at people who encourage us to live better, more fulfilled lives through their courage, generosity, imagination or brilliance. Sign up for daily emails at <u>https://www.iscglasgow.co.uk/lent23.html</u> or contact Joanna Hale <u>ichale@earthling.net</u> Join our weekday morning prayer group 7.45 to 8.15am or to request a booklet.

Light Up Lent! Online Week of Accompanied Prayer, February 23rd-March 2nd. Find out more and register your interest <u>https://pastoralministryoffice.org/event/lightu</u> plent/

GIFT, Growing in Faith Together, weekly online meetings for couples to help you reflect together on the deeper questions of life and love in the light of your Christian faith. Contact *Joanna* if you're interested.

Racial Justice Day Collection: Thank you for your generous contributions towards this cause. Together we have raised *£484.87. Our Lady's £267.87, St. Aidan's £217.00.*

The World Day of Prayer is on 3rd March at 11am in Amersham Free Church.



St. Aidan's: £393.50 Standing Order: £764.00 **Thank You**