

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

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13th August, Nineteenth Sunday, Year, 2023 Year A

Parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Chesham Bois	Parish of St. Aidan, Little Chalfont
Sat 12 th Aug 5.00 pm (Vigil Mass)	Sat 12 th Aug 6.15 pm (Vigil Mass)
Sun 13 th Aug 8.00am Latin Mass 9.30am Parish Mass	Sun 13 th Aug 9.00am Polish Mass 11.00am Parish Mass
Mon 14 th Aug 9.30am (<i>St. Maximilian Kolbe</i>)	Tue 15 th Aug 7.00pm (Assumption of the BVM)
Tue 15 th Aug 9.30am (<i>Assumption of the BVM</i>)	Fri 18 th Aug 9.00 am (Adoration)
Thu 17 th Aug 9.30 am Feria	9.30am Mass
Fri 18 th Aug 7.00pm <i>Feria</i>	Sat 19 th Aug 6.15pm (Vigil Mass)
Sat 19 th Aug 5.00pm (Vigil Mass)	Sun 20 th Aug 11.00am Parish Mass
Sun 20 th Aug 9.30am Parish Mass	
Benediction: Fri (6.30pm)	Benediction: Fri (9.00am)
Confessions: Friday, 6.30pm to 7.00pm	Confessions: Friday & Saturday <i>After Mass</i>
Mass Intentions: Sat (Johan Saccariah Richard), Sun (Denis Sylvester RIP, Emmanuel Thomas John, B'day), Mon (Michael Joseph McCullough RIP, Dayna Maria Yeo), Tue (Bridget McNamara RIP), Thu (Sharon Morgan), Fri (Holy Souls)	Mass Intentions: Sat (James & Bridget Heneghan RIP), Sun (Andrew O'Malley & John Doyle RIPs), Tue (Dayna Maria, Rachel & James Lindop), Fri (Lynette Yeo, B'day)

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary: On *Tuesday 15th August*, the Church celebrates the solemnity of the Assumption of Blessed Virgin Mary, It's a **Holy Day of Obligation**. There will be Mass in both Churches, kindly check the newsletter for the timing.

Celebration of the Feast of St. Aidan – Walk and BBQ will be held on **Sunday 27th August 2023**. Mass 11am followed by coffee in the parish hall. Walk leaving (and returning to) St Aidan's at 2pm. **BBQ at 4pm**. The cost per adult is **£5**. We will be having a raffle and a tombola, raising money for our youth programme. The celebration is open to parishioners, family and friends of both St Aidan's and Our Lady's. **The Sign-up sheets are at the back of both churches.**

First Communion Classes 2023-2024: We are commencing the preparatory classes for next year's First Holy Communion from September end. Your child needs to be **Seven Years old or in Year 3**. Kindly contact **Debbie**, our Parish Secretary for the registration. You must submit the baptism certificate of the child at the time of Registration. Admission is open in both our Churches. **The First meeting** with the parents at St. Aidan's will be on **Saturday 30th September 4.45pm**. The meeting at Our Lady's will be on the same day after the 5.00pm Mass.

Mass for Married Couples: The annual Mass for Married Couples will take place on **Saturday 30 September** at midday at Northampton Cathedral. **Bishop David** will celebrate Mass at the Cathedral and give his pastoral blessing to those couples celebrating significant milestones in their marriage i.e.1, 10, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50 years etc. If you know anyone who is celebrating such a milestone, please contact **Sam** at mfl@northamptondiocese.org or 07824 386804. **All are very welcome to attend and there will be light refreshments after in the Cathedral Centre.**

Tap N Go Machine Collection Last Week (OL): **£147.00**

The Chiltern Foodbank: These are the foodstuffs that are particularly welcome in homes with children during the holidays: **Children's snacks, fruit in jelly, children's treats, soup, chocolate spread, tomato sauce**. However, you can still donate your usual gifts if you prefer.

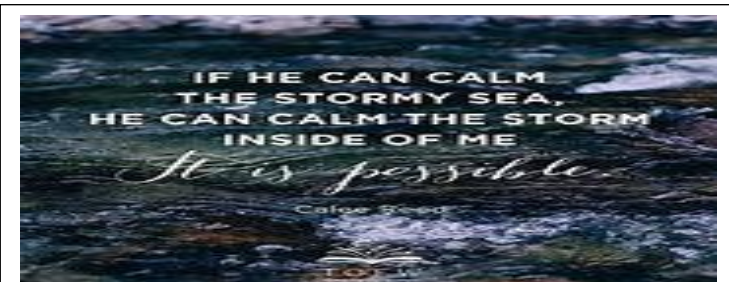
Seeds for Farmers Petition Signing: Please take a minute to sign the petition paper kept at the porch in both Churches. **Brian Gallagher** will be giving a short talk during Mass this Saturday, highlighting the problem.

Divine Adoration in September: You are invited to another beautiful evening of Eucharistic Adoration, including praise and worship and prayer ministry, at St. Augustine's, High Wycombe, HP13 6NZ, on **Saturday 9th September, at 7pm**. Everyone is welcome. Please invite your friends and family.

Baptism: Please keep in your prayer, **Edward Houghton**, who will be baptised on **Saturday 12th August 2.00pm** at St. Aidan's by **Deacon Gerard Felix**.

Lost Items: The lost items box at both Churches are filled with umbrellas, clothes, books, glasses etc. Kindly look at them and if anything belongs to you, please take it away. If no one claims, we will chuck them away. A big skip is ready!!!

No Children's Liturgy: Please note, on Sunday 20th & Sunday 27th August, there will not be children's liturgy at Our Lady's.



Offertory Collection Last Week: Our Lady's: £375.17
Standing Order: £361.00

St. Aidan's: £355.31
Standing Order: £797.00

Thank You