

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

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23rd July, Sixteenth Sunday of the Year, 2023 Year A

Parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Chesham Bois	Parish of St. Aidan, Little Chalfont
Sat 22 nd July 5.00 pm (Vigil Mass)	Sat 22 nd July 6.15 pm (Vigil Mass)
Sun 23 rd July 8.00am Latin Mass 9.30am Parish Mass	Sun 23 rd July 9.00am Polish Mass 11.00am Parish Mass
Mon 24 th July 9.30am Feria	Fri 28 th July 9.00 am (Adoration)
Tue 25 th July 9.30am (St. James, Apostle)	9.30am Feria
Thu 27 th July 9.30 am Feria	Sat 29 th July 6.15pm (Vigil Mass)
Fri 28 th July 7.00pm Feria	Sun 30 th July 11.00am Parish Mass
Sat 29 th July 5.00pm (Vigil Mass)	
Sun 30 th July 9.30am Parish Mass	
Benediction: Fri (6.30pm)	Benediction: Fri (9.00am)
Confessions: Monday to Friday, After Mass	Confessions: Friday & Saturday After Mass
Mass Intentions: Sat (Aleena Mathew), Sun (Jenni Hayward RIP), Tue (Prakash James)	Mass Intentions: Sat (Antoinette & Edwin Zrinzo RIP), Sun (Sean Heneghan RIP), Fri (Jamie Sheehy RIP)

A Brief Report about the Diocesan Assembly: Our sincere appreciation to all the six delegates who attended the Diocesan Assembly at Thornton College last Saturday. They have prepared a brief report about the assembly, and it will be presented at all Masses this weekend.

Sincere Thank You: May I take this opportunity to express my sincere thanks to everyone who made it to the Volunteers party last Sunday. It was a wonderful gathering, and everyone enjoyed the company of each other, perhaps meeting some people for the first time! On behalf of everyone, I say a **Big Thank You, to Deirdre Lay**, who worked so hard to organise the event. Thank you to Mary Hughes, Julie Stewart, Clare, Claire, Kathleen, Vince, Vivianne, Malou, Jon Lay, Sue Finch and many others for helping Deirdre. God Bless you all!

Funeral Masses: Please note, the funeral Mass for **Mr. Paul Thornberry**, (Senior) will be on **Tuesday 25th July 2.30pm at St. Aidan's**, followed by cremation. The funeral Mass of **Mr. Michael Francis Brigg** will be on **Friday 28th July 11.am at Our Lady's**, followed by committal at Kingshill cemetery at 12.30 pm.

Confirmation Classes 2023-24: We are receiving several requests for the confirmation programme, but please be aware that children who are 14 years old and above will be given the priority.

CAFOD Talk on Seeds for Famers: Brian Gallagher will give a short talk in the next two weekends, about the growing requirement by international organisations that require farmers in the third world to use particular seeds from large international businesses.

Monthly Lunch: The next monthly lunch at St. Aidan's will be on **Sunday 30th July**. The sign-up sheet is at the narthex.

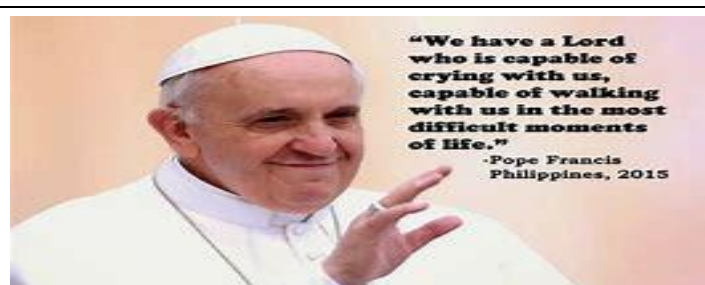
Tap N Go Machine Collection Last Week (OL): £100.00

The Chiltern Foodbank: As the summer holidays approach, we will be doing extra boxes for the poor families. 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.

Wedding Bann: This is to inform the parish community that **Isabella Di Falco & Brandan Bakowski** will receive the sacrament of marriage on **Saturday 12th August 2.00pm at Our Lady's**. Kindly keep the couple in your prayers.

St Joan of Arc Catholic School Open Evening Thursday: 5th October & Open Morning Friday 6th October 2023. Open Evening to take place on Thursday from 5.00pm until 8.00pm, Open Morning to take place on Friday from 9.00am until 11.30am. Details of the Open Events, together with their Admission Policy and Supplementary Form (SIF) can also be found on the school website.

The Pilgrimage of Reparation and Prayer for the Sanctity of Life to Walsingham: Please pray to support the unborn, the most vulnerable in our society, and also for those mothers who have suffered the tragedy of abortion. The Pilgrimage of Reparation and Prayer for the Sanctity of Life to Walsingham will take place on **Saturday 5th August**, and will be led by **Archbishop Kevin McDonald**. Details of a coach leaving from a point near you are on the noticeboard.



Offertory Collection Last Week: Our Lady's: £315.30
Standing Order: £361.00

St. Aidan's: £495.53
Standing Order: £797.00

Thank You