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

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Newsletter, First Sunday of Advent, 30th November 2025 C

Our Lady's, Chesham Bois, 30 Amersham Road, HP6 5PE			St. Aidan, Little Chalfont, Finch Lane, HP7 9NE		
Sat 29 th Nov	5.00pm	Vigil Mass	Sat 29 th Nov	6.15pm	Vigil Mass
Sun 30 th Nov	9.00am	Parish Mass	Sun 30 th Nov	9.00am	Polish Mass
	12.00pm	Latin Mass		11.00am	Parish Mass
Tue 2 nd Dec	9.30am	Feria	Mon 1st Dec	9.30am	Feria
Fri 5 th Dec	9.00am	Adoration	Thu 4 th Dec	9.30am	Feria
	9.30am	Holy Eucharist	Fri 5 th Dec	6.30pm	Adoration
Sat 6 th Dec	5.00pm	Vigil Mass		7.00pm	Holy Eucharist

Sat 6th Dec

Buckley RIP)

Adoration: 9.00am – 9.30am

Sun 7th Dec 11.00am Second Sunday of Advent
Adoration: 6.30pm – 7.00pm

Second Sunday of Advent

Confessions: Tuesday & Friday after MassConfessions: Friday & Saturday after Mass

Mass Intentions: Sat (Margaret Walsh), Sun (Anne,
Thanksgiving), Tue (Andrew Meikle), Fri (Holy Souls), Sat
(Joseph Eakins RIP), Sun (David Sanders RIP)

Mass Intentions: Sat (Anthony John Gainfort RIP), Sun
(Neil Smith, Richard Smith RIPs), Mon (Kevin Mullane RIP),
Thu (Bill O'Reagan RIP), Fri (Richard's Family), Sat
(Kathleen & Sid Hughes, Sp. Int), Sun (Sister Hannah)

Joint Christmas Appeal for Our Lady's New Organ Sound System and SVP: A fine new organ is generously being donated to Our Lady's Parish. This organ requires a better sound system costing approximately £4000. As a Parish, let us raise some money for this sound system, which will greatly enhance our Liturgy. Our local SVP Conference is experiencing ever increasing demands for financial help and has also reached out to local schools to provide support to school children and their families facing hardship. There will be an appeal and special collection next weekend at OL with all proceeds divided equally between these two good causes. Envelopes will be available with gift aid forms, or you may donate directly using the following details. OLPS RC Parish Chesham Bois. Account no: 46714421. Sort Code: 60-06-11. SVP E140306: account 46079742: Sort Code: 60-60-04.

Sun 7th Dec

9.00am

Best Wishes to Debbie: *Debbie Rogers* has been our *Parish Secretary* for over 4 years and she has decided that the time is right for her to move on to pastures new. Her last day at work will be *Tuesday 2nd December*. I would like to take this opportunity, on behalf of us all, to thank Debbie for all her *hard work* and the many *long hours* that she has put in supporting both our parishes. Debbie will be missed, and we wish her success and happiness in whatever she decides to do. *Please remember Debbie in your prayers*.

Nativity Tableau: Parents & Children, please take note, there will be a rehearsal for the Nativity Tableau this Sunday after Mass at St. Aidan's. The practice is compulsory for all the *First Communion Children*, and if there are others interested, please contact *Brian Gallagher* or any of our catechists.

Advent Reconciliation Service & Confession: Please note, the joined service will be on *Tuesday 16th December 7.00pm at St. Aidan's.* The Christmas Mass timing for both churches will be announced next week.

Food Bank: Please bring these items: Jam / Marmalade, Tinned Fruit, Tinned Custard, Soup, Pasta Sauce.

Vigil Mass

6.15pm

Pro-Life Vigil Group: There is a pro life vigil group that prays outside Amersham hospital as there is a BPAS abortion clinic inside. They pray silently for an hour well outside the buffer Zone. The group welcomes anyone who wishes to join them. The next witness will be on 13th December at 10.am. Please contact *Alexandra* on 07531182820.

Parish Council Meeting: The members of *St. Aidan's* Parish Council will meet on *Monday 1st December 7.00pm.*

Funeral Mass of *June Carvalho* will be on *Tuesday 2nd* December, 1200pm at St. Aidan's, followed by burial at Stanley Hil Cemetrey.

Youth Mass at St Aidan's: on Saturday 6th December 6.15pm. Please contact Federica (federica@olschesham.co.uk), if you wish to be involved with the music, the readings or the offertory procession.

Christingle at Our Lady's: on Saturday 20th December 3.pm.

Christmas Raffle Tickets: Please return the stubs with money and any unsold tickets latest by *next Sunday*, (7th *December*)

Tap N Go Figures: Our Lady's £256.00, SA: £115.00



Offertory Collection Last Week: Our Lady's: £307.75 St. Aidan's: £307.60 Thank You

Standing Order: £361.00 Standing Order: £797.00