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

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Parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Chesham Bois			Parish of St. Aidan, Little Chalfont		
Sat 30th July	5.00pm	(Vigil Mass)	Sat 30 th July	6.15pm	(Vigil Mass)
Sun 31st July	8.00am	Latin Mass	Sun 31st July	11.00am	
	9.30am	(Parish Mass)	Wed 3rd Aug	9.30am	Feria
Mon 1st Aug	9.30am	(St. Alphonsus Liguori)	Fri 5 th Aug	9.30am	Feria
Tue 2nd Aug	9.30am	Feria			
Thu 4th Aug	9.30am	(St. John Vianney)			
Fri 5 th Aug	7.00pm	Feria			
Benediction: Friday 6.30pm		Benediction: Friday 9.00am – 9.30am			
Confessions: Monday to Friday, After Mass			Confessions: Wednesday & Friday After Mass		
Mass Intentions: Sat (Owen & Mag Nannery RIP), Sun (Deacon		Mass Intentions: Sat (Jack & Bridget Chambers RIP) Sun			
John Crowshaw), Mon (Crowshaw Family, Thanksgiving), Tue		(Peter Anderson RIP), Wed (Charles De Costa RIP), Fri			
(Elvira Trusova RIP), Thu (Edward & Ward Families)			(Crowshaw Family, Thanksgiving)		

Parish Volunteers Gathering: There will be a Parish volunteers gathering on next *Sunday 7th August 1.00pm at St. Aidan's Hall.* The volunteers of both parishes will have received a personal invitation by now. If anyone hasn't received yet, please check spam or let me know and I will request Deirdre Lay to send one. Kindly respond to the invitation promptly as it would help the organizers to make the necessary preparations.

Parish Barbecue at Our Lady's: The long-awaited parish BBQ will be on *Sunday August 14th*. The signup sheets are kept in both our Churches. May I request people to sign up at the earliest, latest by this week. The organizers need the numbers to prepare the event. There is also a paper kept at Our Lady's porch for those who can help us out. We need some volunteers to assist the organizing team.

Catechist Meeting: There will be a meeting for the catechists from St. Aidan's on *Monday 8th August 7.00pm at Our Lady's presbytery*. It is to discuss and plan for the First Communion Programme in 2022-23. I request all the catechist from St. Aidan's to attend the meeting.

Can You Volunteer? St. Aidan needs volunteers to join the Rota for coffee after 11.00 am Mass on Sunday. We only have 3 teams now and ideally, we would like 5 teams. This would ease their burden and give them sufficient break. I appeal to your good will and request you to come forward. You could either tell me or inform *Deirdre Lay*. Her contact is *07802769184*

No Wednesday Evening Mass at St. Aidan's: Please note *Fr. Ken* will celebrate the Mass in the morning at 9.30 hereafter. I will be doing the Friday adoration and Mass from next week.

G K Chesterton Centenary Mass: A Mass to mark the centenary of the conversion of G.K Chesterton to the Roman Catholic faith will be held on this Sunday (30^{th} of **July)** at 12 noon at St Teresa's in Beaconsfield. The preacher will be Canon John Udris. Light refreshments will be served in the parish centre following the Mass. For catering purposes, please register via www.littleflower.co.uk

Support our Local Food Bank: It would be helpful, if only small packets, tins and cartons are donated, as they can easily be carried and reach more families. Requirements for this week are sponge puddings, tinned spaghetti bolognaise, tinned ravioli and small packets of soap powder. With thanks for your generosity.

Prayer Request: Michael Allen & Mary inform that their daughter *Fiona* who works for the U N with the Syrian refugees has been posted to the Ukraine for 18months. She will be based in Lviv but will make regular visits to Kiev. The family requests that Parishioners keep her in their prayers at this very dangerous time.

New Safeguarding Representative for Our Lady's: I am very pleased to inform you that we have a new Safeguarding Rep. for Our Lady's. She is *Maryim Shearer*. We have been looking for a year for the suitable and qualified person to do this service for us, and I am extremely grateful to Maryim for volunteering. Thanks to Danielle and Eileen Williams for the support extended to her.

Golden Wedding Anniversary: Kindly pray for *Brian Shelly & Jane*, who are celebrating *50 years of their marriage*. We thank God for this special occasion and ask Him to bless them with good health, happiness and many more years of togetherness.

Special Birthday: We have another reason to thank God, it's **Deacon John Crowshaw's 80**th **birthday** on **Monday 1**st **August.** We join him in thanking God for the gift of life and the loving service he renders to both our Churches. **Happy Birthday John.**



Offertory Collection Last Week: Our Lady's: £607.40 St. Aidan's: £336.09 Thank You