

# St Aidan's Parish

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**Office Days this week: Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August only**

## SACRAMENTS AND FUNERALS AT ST AIDAN'S

**BAPTISM:** By appointment after completing a Baptism preparation course. Please contact St Aidan's as early as possible in your planning. Next course dates: 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> October.

**MARRIAGE:** By appointment after completion of a Marriage Preparation Course. Please contact the office BEFORE making any firm plans.

**FUNERALS:** By arrangement with the Parish Priest. Please contact the office BEFORE making any firm arrangements with undertakers or the crematorium.

If you would like something included in the newsletter, please email the office. Deadline for next week: Tues 21<sup>st</sup> August

## TWENTIETH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR 19<sup>th</sup> August 2018

Date	Time	Mass/Service of Communion	Mass intention	Other Services/events
Sat 18 <sup>th</sup> August	6.00pm	Mass <b>TWENTIETH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b>	People of the Parish	5.15-5.45pm Confessions
Sun 19 <sup>th</sup> August	11.00am	Mass	Anthony Smith RIP	12noon Tea and Coffee in the Hall 2.30pm 'Share the Walk', followed by a short service and a BBQ
Mon 20 <sup>th</sup> August	9.30am	Mass – St Bernard	Paul Murphy (Sp Int)	9.00am Rosary
Tues 21 <sup>st</sup> August	9.30am	Mass – St Pius X	Fr Ron Bustin RIP	9.00am Rosary <b>NO TODDLER'S GROUP</b>
Wed 22 <sup>nd</sup> August	9.30am	Mass – The Queenship of the BVM	Antoinette Zrinzo RIP	9.00am Rosary 10.00am SVP Meeting
Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup> August	9.30am	Mass – Feria	Teresa Walls RIP	9.00am Rosary
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> August	9.30am	Mass – St Bartholomew	Mary Nelson RIP	9.00am Rosary
Sat 25 <sup>th</sup> August	6.00pm	Mass <b>TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b>	Mary Gough RIP	5.15-5.45pm Confessions
Sun 26 <sup>th</sup> August	11.00am	Mass	People of the Parish	12noon Tea and Coffee in the Hall 1.00pm Parish Lunch in the Hall

## FR KEN WRITES

We welcome Fr Jacob who is here for a few days, on holiday from where he is helping in a Parish in Falkirk near Edinburgh.

I hope all those who are taking part in the shared walk and BBQ will find it an enjoyable and social experience. We continue to support all migrants in whatever way we can.

We pray this week for the World Meeting of Families in Ireland with Pope Francis.

<b>EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND READER TEAM</b> Sat 18 <sup>th</sup> : GM FO KC & C; Sun 19 <sup>th</sup> : LJ FM EW & X Sat 25 <sup>th</sup> : MH CQ LH & SK/PK; Sun 24 <sup>th</sup> : SA JH RS & Z	<b>Collection for 11<sup>th</sup> &amp; 12<sup>th</sup> August:</b> £513.18 <b>Standing orders:</b> £480.00
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<b>AN INVITATION</b> Chenies Baptist Church, Chenies, WD3 6ED warmly invite you to join them for cream teas on 19 <sup>th</sup> August from 3-5pm, and to an art exhibition on Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> from 2-5pm and Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> from 10.30-5.00pm. All welcome.	<b>NEW ROTAS</b> New reader, eucharistic minister and altar server rotas have now been emailed. Contact lists are available to collect from the sacristy – <b>please initial the sheet when you have collected yours, and do check the details are correct.</b>
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<b>SPANISH MASS</b> On Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> August, Bishop Lorenzo from Ecuador will be celebrating a Mass in Spanish at 12.30pm at St Columba's Church, 432 Berkhamstead Road, Chesham, HP5 3HQ. All welcome.	<b>VOLUNTEERS NEEDED URGENTLY</b> We have a wonderful Audio-Visual System installed and in use in our church. However, we currently only have 5 fully trained operators covering both the Saturday and Sunday Masses. For those of us who use computers on a regular basis the system is very simple to use. We have two basic operating modes. One for the Mass without musicians/choir and one for the Mass with musicians and choir. Training will be given and no-one is asked to or expected to operate on their own until they are confident to do so. Power Point presentations are prepared by the Parish Secretary/Administrator. We are not asking for you to make a commitment at this time but we would like you to come forward if this is an area that you think you might like to be involved with.
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<b>SUMMER OFFICE HOURS</b> The office will be open next Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> August. It will then close, opening again on Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> September.	<b>WE NEED YOUR HELP.</b> Please speak to any of the current operators at the end of Mass if you would like more information or give your name and contact details to Louise in the office who will pass your details on to Deirdre Lay who will contact you direct.
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<b>JOB VACANCIES</b> The SVP is recruiting as part of the expansion of our youth programme. <b>Young Vincentians Programme Manager:</b> £30k pa; full time permanent contract. Closing date: 3pm on Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> August. Interviews: Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> August. <b>Mini Vinnies Officer:</b> £23k pro rata; 2 days/wk; one year contract. Closing date: 10am on Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> August. Interviews: Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> August. Both roles based at national office. For more details & application pack, please visit the vacancies section of the SVP website: <a href="https://www.svp.org.uk/">https://www.svp.org.uk/</a>	
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**BAPTISM**  
Baptisms are by appointment after completing a Baptism Preparation Course. The next course will be on 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> October, and is open to those families who are expecting as well as those whose babies have already been born. Please register by going to:  
<http://www.staidanslittlechalfont.co.uk/sacraments-at-st-aidans/baptism/>

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2019**  
This is open to children who will be at least 7 years old on 1<sup>st</sup> Sept 2018. To register your child please go to:  
<http://www.staidanslittlechalfont.co.uk/sacraments-at-st-aidans/first-holy-communion/>

**CONFIRMATION 2019**  
This is open to young people who will be at least 13 years old on 1<sup>st</sup> September 2018 (i.e going into Year 9). To register please go to:  
<http://www.staidanslittlechalfont.co.uk/sacraments-at-st-aidans/confirmation/>