

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

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21st April, Fourth Sunday of Easter, 2024 Year B

Our Lady's, Chesham Bois, 30 Amersham Road, HP6 5PE	St. Aidan, Little Chalfont, Finch Lane, HP7 9NE
Sat 20 th Apr 5.00pm (Vigil Mass)	Sat 20 th Apr 6.15pm (Vigil Mass)
Sun 21 st Apr 9.00am Parish Mass 12.00pm Latin Mass	Sun 21 st Apr 9.00am Polish Mass 11.00am Parish Mass
Tue 23 rd Apr 9.30am (St. George, Patron of England)	Mon 22 nd Apr 9.30am Feria
Fri 26 th Apr 9.00am Exposition 9.30am Holy Eucharist	Thu 25 th Apr 9.30am (St. Mark, Evangelist)
Sat 27 th Apr 5.00pm Vigil Mass	Fri 26 th Apr 6.30pm Exposition 7.00pm Holy Eucharist
Sun 28 th Apr 9.00am Fifth Sunday of Easter	Sat 27 th Apr 6.15pm Vigil Mass Sun 28 th Apr 11.00am Fifth Sunday of Easter
Benediction: Fri 9.00am – 9.30am	Benediction: Fri 6.30am - 7.00pm
Confessions: Tue & Fri after Mass	Confessions: Sat. after Mass
Mass Intentions: Sat (Frangoise (Fransois) Bratt), Sun (Rose Hunter)	Mass Intentions: Sat (James & Bridget Heneghan RIP), Sun (Dennis & Judy Lloyd RIP). Mon (Charlie Shaw, Thanksgiving), Thu (Jason Richards, Thanksgiving), Fri (Rose Maria John, 13 th B'day)

Good Shepherd Sunday: This weekend is Good Shepherd Sunday and the 61st World Day of Prayer for Vocations. A **Second Collection** is taken to support the following areas: 1. Ongoing formation, 2. Seminary training, 3. Priestly vocations promotion. Please find the prayer postcard for vocations and a few newsletters for Good Shepherd Sunday at the narthex.

National Day of Prayer for Victims and Survivors of Abuse: **Tuesday 30th April** this year is dedicated as the National Day of Prayer for Victims and Survivors of Abuse. Parishes are asked to recognise this on the following weekend, the fifth Sunday of Easter (28th April).

Mass for the Sick and Housebound: There will be a Mass for the sick and housebound at Northampton Cathedral on **Saturday 27th April at 11.00am**. All welcome.

Faith In Justice: Beyond Difference is holding an interfaith meeting on **Sunday 19th May** starting at **2.30pm In Chesham Town Hall**. Christian, Muslim, Jewish and Sikh speakers will talk about Faith in Justice. All welcome.

St. Columba's SVP would like to say thank you to everyone for your continued support. Thanks to your generosity we were able to offer another **£1,570**-worth of supermarket vouchers to 54 families in three local schools before Easter.

Parish Phone Number: Please take note, we have cancelled the landline number of Our Lady's and the introduced a common number for both churches. The common parish office number is: **01494 763518**. Please use only this number.

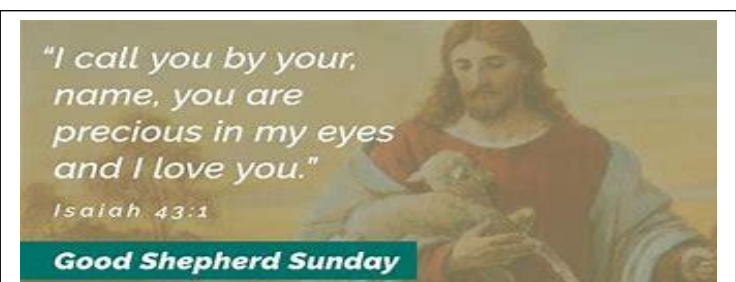
Wedding Banns: Happy to announce to the Parish community that **Clare Ryan & Patrick Noel O'Connor** will receive the sacrament of marriage this **Saturday 20th April 11.00am at Our Lady's**. Please pray for the couple.

Chiltern Foodbank: Sam says thank you so much for all your support, especially with Easter Eggs. It is greatly appreciated. We would welcome the following foodstuffs from this week: **crisps, savoury biscuits, sponge puddings, tinned sardines and tinned mixed vegetables**.

Legion of Mary Pilgrim Virgin Visitation: In next year's Holy Year, the Church suggests that we make pilgrimages that help us and others through obstacles to Faith, Hope and Love. The members of the Legion of Mary in our parish would like to offer visitation of a Pilgrim Virgin statue of the Miraculous medal apparition or a plaque of Our Lady from her shrine at Guadalupe to your homes. The Legion members will pray the rosary with the family when they bring the Pilgrim Virgin and take her to another family the following week. We would like to start the visits in Our Lady's lovely month of May, continuing throughout the year. If you would like the Pilgrim Virgin in your home for a week, please contact the Legion of Mary through lomolpssa@gmail.com

Children's Choir at Our Lady's: May I request the parents to encourage their children who have received the First Communion, to join the choir from **Sunday 12th May**. The practice will be immediately after the Mass on Sundays inside the church itself. Please support this initiative.

Tap & Go Collection Last Week at OL: £260.00



Offertory Collection Last Week: Our Lady's: £324.00
Standing Order: **£361.00**

St. Aidan's: £583.99
Standing Order: **£797.00**

Thank You