

OUR LADY AND ST AIDAN AND ST BERNADETTE'S PARISH COMMUNITIES



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**25th Sunday of Ordinary Time
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"Our Vision is to be a Christ Centred worshipping community committed to bringing others to the love of God by our actions and words"



	ST AIDAN'S	ST BERNADETTE'S
Sunday 19th September	10am Peter Smith	11:30am Tommy & Bernie Rochester
Wednesday 22nd September	9:30am Margaret Callaghan	
Sunday 26th September	10am Living and Dead of the McElhone Family	11:30am Donna Houghton
Wednesday 29th September	1PM FUNERAL MASS FOR PAT DUFFY	

BOOKINGS FOR MASS ON 26TH SEPTEMBER—RECOMMENDED.

While booking for Mass is no longer a requirement it is **STRONGLY RECOMMENDED** that for this Sunday only you make a booking. Anyone turning up who has not booked is not guaranteed a place. While we will do all we can to accommodate as many people as possible we must also consider COVID safe management of people.

Public Bookings will open on Tuesday morning at 9am.

Dear Friends
Events like the Mass for St Aidan's and the Mass for the sick and housebound are very special moments for parishioners as they celebrate what makes our parish and similar diocesan gatherings so special. It was wonderful to see many of our senior citizens making a great effort to come along and celebrate the presence of the healing God who reminds them at that moment in time of his constant presence in their lives when they can so often feel very alone. I value very much the background work that has gone into that event. *Fr John*

Home Mission Sunday: Today is Home Mission Sunday. We remind ourselves that we, through our baptism, we are called to spread the Good News of Jesus : this is our primary task as the disciples of Jesus. we do it freely irrespective of whether a person is young or old, rich or poor, powerful or vulnerable. We pray today for the strength and courage to be true witnesses to Jesus and his saving death and resurrection. A diocesan resource pack with some really good ideas for parish groups can be obtained from Amy Cameron tel 0191 243333 or E mail amycameron@diocesehn.org.uk