



Holy Angels, Ash GU12 6LU
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17th September 2017
 24th Sunday in
 Ordinary Time p. 128



Holy Family, Farnham GU9 0LH
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**Confessions: 5.00pm Saturday (HA), after masses on the 1st Sunday of the month,
 Thursdays (HF) (usually) during adoration.
 [HA= Holy Angels, Ash and HF= Holy Family, Farnham]**

Sat 16 Sep	5.30pm	HA	Vigil Mass	<i>Pauline Malone: Sick</i>
Sun 17 Sep	9.15am	HF	23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	<i>Bob & Ita Burton RIP</i>
	11.00pm	HA	Mass	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>
Mon 18 Sep			No Mass	
Tue 19 Sep	9.30am	HF	Mass <i>St Theodore of Canterbury</i>	
Wed 20 Sep	9.10am	HA	Rosary	
	9.30am	HA	Mass <i>St Andrew Kim Tae-gon & companions</i>	
Thur 21 Sep	6.15pm	HF	Adoration	
	7.30pm		Mass St Matthew	
Fri 22 Sep	9.30am	HA	Mass	
Sat 23 Sep	5.30pm	HA	Vigil Mass	<i>Bridget McDonagh (RIP)</i>
Sun 24 Sep	9.15am	HF	25th Sunday in Ordinary Time	
	11.00pm	HA	Mass	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i>

Offertory

Holy Family
 10th September £124.00
 Catholic Education Service £75.00

Holy Angels
 10th September £273.68
 Catholic Education Service £155.58

There is a second collection this week for Home Mission Sunday.

Sacramental Programs

If there are any adult candidates for confirmation or reception into the Catholic Church can they please contact the parish office or make themselves known to Dcn John or Father Robin.

We expect to have our usual fallow year for Confirmations (running our next course in 2018) unless there are a good sized group of candidates

Baptism Evening: Wednesday 20th September, Holy Family, 7.45pm

Parish Film Nights

The 2017 film night dates are as follows.,

Fri 22 Sep, Seven Pounds with Will Smith

A man with a fateful secret embarks on an extraordinary journey of redemption by forever changing the lives of seven strangers.

Then Fri 17 Nov. These are held at Holy Family, but everyone from both parishes are welcome. Don't forget to put them in your diary. **7.30 - 7:45 pm.** Please bring a suggested donation of £5 which will cover licensing, snacks and a generous provision of wine. All welcome

Future events

Saturday 23rd September 7.00pm St Mary's Hall Cheese and wine evening with a talk from Tim Flesher about his time as Private Secretary to Mrs Thatcher from 1982 to 1986.

Saturday 14th October 7.00pm St Mary's Hall: Quiz evening.

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Bible Timeline

Following on from our Big Picture course we will run another course, date to be confirmed. The Big Picture course picked out themes from the Bible in order to build a 'big picture' of the scriptures. This time we are planning to look at the *Quick Journey Through the Bible* a course that helps us get a better overview of the books of the bible and the way they relate to each other. It should work well as a follow up for those who participated in last years course and be accessible to everyone else as well.

St Josephs' Nursery Aldershot

St Joseph's Catholic Primary Nursery and Pre-school has places available. Offering care from 3 months to 5 years. We offer home-style childcare with access to phenomenal school facilities, including library, phonics lab, play grounds, sports hall and covered play areas. We take government funding and childcare vouchers and offer full or sessional care.

For more information contact

Nursery: Miss Fitzgerald nursery@st-josephs.hants.sch.uk 01252 350583
<http://www.stjosephsaldershot.org/childcare-group/day-nursery-aldershot/>

Pre-School :Mrs O'Shea : preschool@st-josephs.hants.sch.uk 01252 350583
<http://www.stjosephsaldershot.org/childcare-group/pre-school/>

CAFOD

The Holy Angels Fairtrade stall currently has a range of special offers. Please contact Mike for details.

There is a cake sale at the back of church this weekend to raise money for CAFOD.

Live Simply Award

Mike Harte the Parish CAFOD rep at Holy Angels has been leading a small team to see if we as a parish can take up the CAFOD challenge to Live Simply.

<https://cafod.org.uk/Campaign/How-to-campaign/Livesimply-award>

This is one way of engaging with Pope Francis Encyclical *Laudato Si*, on the care of our common home.

On the weekend 16/17 September we are launching our *Live Simply Award* project. Pope Francis and Bishop Richard are encouraging all Catholic households to *live simply, live sustainably, and live in solidarity with the world's poor*. So, firstly, we invite everyone to sign a *Live Simply Pledge* card at Mass the weekend 16/17th September. Other forthcoming events will be published.

The Live simply pledge which we are invited to make:

Live Simply Pledge (Saturday 16 – Sunday 24 Sept)
I pledge myself to live simply by participating in the parish launch week activities:

Sat/Sunday – short talk and sign *Power to Be* card
Monday - ensure to turn off lights and TV etc 'standby'
Tuesday - turn off all laptops, I-phones, etc one hour earlier than normal
Wednesday - cook left-over foods
Thursday - sort out recyclable materials for parish banner*
Friday - spend 15-30 minutes in quietness, maybe outside
Sat/Sunday - Buy one Fairtrade item - from our stall or your normal food shop.

signed

Days may be rearranged to suit oneself.

You need not do all seven actions, so long as the parish as a whole completes them all.

Live simply....so that others may simply live

*Includes: scraps of material/wool, coloured plastic bags/sweet wrappers/paper, buttons, beads, labels from cans. In fact anything light and colourful.

Power to Be

One in six people are still living without electricity. Please join CAFOD's campaign to help bring power to our global neighbours. The World Bank has a mission to end poverty around the world. The right kind of energy can help millions of children have the power to be whoever they want to be – whether that's a politician, a doctor, or a mathematician. Your support will help them fulfil their dreams and reach their God-given potential. Please sign a card (also on the 16-17th September) to the UK's representative at the World Bank.

Outdoor reflection Area, "For our parish to receive the Live Simply award, one of the criteria is to "live sustainably with creation". To fulfil part of this criterion, we plan to create a reflection area by planting bulbs around the crucifix outside of the church. Please would you bring crocus or daffodil bulbs to Mass on the weeks leading up to Sept 30th/1st Oct. There will be a short blessing next spring.

Foodbank - Please bring items (list available) as before and place in basket in the *coffee/meeting room*.

Farnborough Hill School

Local Catholic Independent school Farnborough Hill, is holding Open Afternoons on Friday 29 September and Tuesday 14th November beginning at 1.30pm. If you have a child of secondary school age or are considering secondary school options you are welcome to attend.

Farnborough Hill offers a number of scholarships and bursaries for Catholic families. For further details please see their website www.farnborough-hill.org.uk

Holy Days of Obligation

Two holy days of obligation are being reinstated. This decision was made by the Bishops of England and Wales, and has been confirmed by the Holy See. With effect from the 1st Sunday of Advent 2017 the days are:
The Epiphany of the Lord – 6 January (transferred to the adjacent Sunday when it falls on Saturday or Monday)
The Ascension of the Lord – Thursday after 6th Sunday of Easter