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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 11 Nov	5.30pm	HA	Vigil Mass The Holy Angels	Ann Packwood
Sun 12 Nov	9.15am	HF	32 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time	Craig Burley (RIP)
	12.00pm	НА	Mass	Members of the Clarke Family (RIP)
Mon 13 Nov			No Mass	
Tue 14 Nov	9.30am	HF	Mass St Albert the Great	Arthur John & Katie Rosina Gayton (RIP)
Wed 15 Nov	9.30am	НА	Rosary (No mass)	
Thur 16 Nov			No Mass	
Fri 17 Nov	9.30am	НА	Mass St Hugh of Lincoln	Intentions of Imogen Farrow
Sat 18 Nov	5.30pm	НА	Vigil Mass	Joseph Leonard, Ethel May & Isobel Goodson (RIP)
Sun 19 Nov	9.15am	HF	33 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time	Friends/family of the Graham family (RIP)
	11.00am	НА	Mass	Missa Pro Populo

#### Offertory

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Holy Angels			
5 November	£325.19		
Retired Priests	£147.60		
Holy Family			
5 November	£160.00		
Retired Priests	£135.00		
There is a second collection next week for the			
Cathedral Maintenance fund.			

#### Sacramental Programs

We will shortly be beginning a course for adult reception into the Catholic Church. If there are any more people interested please can they speak to Dcn John or Father Robin.

#### **Parish Film Nights**

The last 2017 film night date is 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

Last film for film night 2017 will be "The Book of Eli" starring Denzel Washington and Gary Oldman.

Thirty years after war turned the world into a wasteland, a lone warrior named Eli (Denzel Washington) marches across the ruined landscape, carrying hope for humanity's redemption. Only one other man (Gary Oldman) understands the power of what Eli carries, and he is determined to take it for himself. Though Eli prefers peace, he will risk death to protect his precious cargo, for he must fulfill his destiny to help restore mankind.

Some violence but a deep and rewarding watch.

# Advent Reflections - Knights of St Columba

Knights of St Columba Reflecting on Advent - Saturday 18th November Holy Angels, Ash.

Deacon John will be leading an afternoon reflecting on Advent for the KSC. All are welcome to attend, Fr. Robin has agreed that it will count as Extra-ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion day of reflection. Starts at 1:00 pm with a shared lunch - ends around 4:45pm in time for reconciliation and mass.

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### **News from Karibu Nyumbani**

They have had really heavy rain for three days now, and a large part of the orphanage wall has come down as a result. They are not only worried about the volume of water but the safety for everyone with the orphanage open for anyone to enter. Please keep them in your prayers.

Fund raising for Karibu Nyumbani, Dates for diaries.: 3rd December, toy and cake sale after all masses. Saturday 9th Dec, mince pies and mulled wine, at Hilary's house, drop in between 3 and 7pm. Valentines supper 10th Feb, more details to come.

Hilary has provided Christmas cards for each parish to sign which are at the back of church. Please do take the time to sign and send greetings to everyone at the orphanage who really do appreciate hearing from us.

#### **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.

We have decided to run these sessions over two Saturdays in the new year 27 January and 10 February, from 9.30am - 1.30pm finishing with a shared lunch. information.

#### Christmas Social

We've had a lovely suggestion of holding a Christmas Social in the Alma Pub opposite Holy Family Church.

This is to be a buffet meal on Friday 8th December at 7.00pm with a raffle. Tickets will be £10 a head and we are asked to bring a raffle prize as well. Any money raised will go to the Karibu Nyumbani orphanage.

If you have any ideas for parish events - especially if you are willing to help put them on please do bring them to Fr Robin or Dcn John.

### Compendium of the Catechism

#### 8. What are the next stages of God's Revelation?

God chose Abram, calling him out of his country, making him "the father of a multitude of nations" (*Genesis* 17:5), and promising to bless in him "all the nations of the earth" (*Genesis* 12:3). The people descended from Abraham would be the trustee of the divine promise made to the patriarchs. God formed Israel as his chosen people, freeing them from slavery in Egypt, establishing with them the covenant of Mount Sinai, and, through Moses, giving them his law. The prophets proclaimed a radical redemption of the people and a salvation which would include all nations in a new and everlasting

covenant. From the people of Israel and from the house of King David, would be born the Messiah, Jesus.

## **CAFOD - Holy Angels**

Live Simply Award - Success! The two CAFOD assessors have approved us for the award - a special plaque. They noted that Holy Angels is about the fourth parish in the diocese to achieve this, and probably the smallest parish. We will soon receive their assessment in full. Congratulations to the CAFOD team, and thank you to everyone for their support and efforts.

**Live Simply Banner.** Much thanks for all those who helped with this last Sunday. We just have to decide where to position it.

**Foodbank.** Please place items in basket near repository. 3 monthly sell-by date required.

'Tip for the Week'. Buy in multiple packs and give one tin or packet (or something else) to foodbank.

**Petition to Prime Minister.** Inspired by Pope Francis' special concern for people on the move, we urge Britain to play a leading role in the forthcoming global compacts on migration and refugees. <a href="https://e-activist.com/page/12965/petition/1">https://e-activist.com/page/12965/petition/1</a>

#### Catholicism in the media

New 'Slow TV' series visits three Benedictine monasteries: Three Benedictine monasteries: Pluscarden, Downside and Belmont featured in a new three part TV documentary series shown on BBC Four in October. It is now available to watch on iPlayer. According to an entry on the Pluscarden website, the genre of this documentary is 'Slow TV'. Following the model of 'Into Great Silence' about La Grande Chartreuse, "the idea is to invite viewers into a world where prayer, meditation, contemplation, worship hold a central place."

#### Baptism Evening

Our next Baptism evening will take place on Wednesday 29 November at Holy Family Church, 7.45pm for 8.00pm.

Please complete a form (available from the back of church and either bring it along to the meeting or hand it it to the parish office before then.

#### Pastoral Care

Please do remember that if you need a visit or know of someone who has been taken into hospital Fr Robin and Dcn John will only know of you tell them. We also have a parish visitor and Eucharistic ministers available to bring the sacrament to the sick and housebound.

The parish office is open on Thursday and Friday mornings (9.30-12.30pm) and around this Caroline works another half day of flexitime and is usually about on Mondays (which is Fr Robin's day off). The parish office number is also of course the presbytery number so you can often catch Fr Robin around those hours if he is at home. Do leave a message as if he is in a meeting he will often be able to still screen and pick up important messages.

# What Church will we have in 2030?

Bp Richard has launched a consultation process to reflect on how best to prepare the Diocese for the year 2030 when we expect to have 50 priests in the Diocese (compared to the present 92), and half of these will be within 10 years of retirement.