

Holy Angels, Ash GU12 6LU www.holyangelsash.org Easter Sunday 1st April 2018 Vígil Mass p220, Morníng Mass p255



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8.00pm 9.15am	HA	Paschal Vigil and First Eucharist of Missa Pro Populo
		Easter
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11.00am	HA	Easter Sunday Mass & Reception of John Connors & Johanna Connors Emanuel Deladem Gbedebu
		No Mass
5.30pm	HA	Vigil Mass
9.15am	HF	Divine Mercy Sunday
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Offertory				
Holy Angels 25 March	£349.47			
Easter Flowers	£122.64			
Holy Family				
25 March	£205.00			
Easter Flowers	£105.00			
Lenten Alms	£79.00			

FR ROBIN AND DEACON JOHN WISH ALL OUR PARISHIONERS AND VISITORS

A VERY HAPPY AND A HOLY Easter.

And a special thank you to everyone who has worked so hard both to prepare our churches for this wonderful feast, but also in the way you have supported our parishes over the last year.

Easter Offering

The Easter offering collection is traditionally a personal gift to the priest and forms a significant part of his income. However as a married priest Father Robin

donates this collection back to the parishes to help them provide a more regular income for him and his family as per the diocesan policy. Thank you in advance for your usual generosity in helping your parish support your priest in this way. This collection can be gift-aided.

Divine Mercy Sunday

Next Sunday (2nd Sunday of Easter) is the Feast of Divine Mercy. It is based on the private revelations of St. Faustina Kowalska, which recommended a particular devotion to the Divine Mercy.

In 2000, Pope John Paul II canonized St. Faustina and, during the ceremony, he declared:

It is important then that we accept the whole message that comes to us from the word of God on this Second Sunday of Easter, which from now on throughout the Church will be called **"Divine Mercy Sunday".** In the various readings, the liturgy seems to indicate the path of mercy which, while re-establishing the relationship of each person with God, also creates new relations of fraternal solidarity among human beings.

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The Church offers a plenary indulgence granted under the usual conditions (sacramental confession, Eucharistic communion and prayer for the intentions of Supreme Pontiff) to the faithful who, on the Second Sunday of Easter or Divine Mercy Sunday, in any church or chapel, in a spirit that is completely detached from the affection for a sin, even a venial sin, take part in the prayers and devotions held in honour of Divine Mercy, or who, in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament exposed or reserved in the tabernacle, recite the Our Father and the Creed, adding a devout prayer to the merciful Lord Jesus (e.g. Merciful Jesus, I trust in you!").

CAFOD

Cake sale Please hand in cake and biscuit donations next week at the stall in the church entrance.

Give it up 1 Please hand in any remaining donations for Step by Step at the cake stall next week.

Give it up 2 Please and in any remains donations for 'World Gifts' at the cake still next week.

Thought for the Week Get a water butt to conserve rain water (no hurry!).

Quiz night for Tanzania Orphanage

Hilary Grey is holding a Quiz night -at the **Royal Oak Wrecclesham Sunday May 13th**, **7:45pm**. £2 entry per person. The proceeds are going to the Karibu Nyumbani orphanage. It would be lovely to see some teams from the two parishes. Please call to book a table 01252 728319

Baptism Evening Date

Wednesday 25th April, Holy Family, 7.45pm. Please complete a request for baptism form at the back of church and bring it with you or give to Father Robin or Deacon John.

Rosary on the Coast

Rosary on the Coast for Faith, Life & Peace in the British Isles: On Sunday 29th April 2018 at

3pm. Rosary on the Coast is an initiative of the Lay Faithful across the British Isles inviting the faithful of our nations, with the support of our clergy and Bishops, to a Day of Prayer for Faith, Life and Peace which will surely be pleasing to the Holy Spirit, and to Our Blessed Mother. The Rectors of our two National Marian Shrines (Walsingham & Our Lady of the Taper) in England and Wales have given Rosary on the Coast their full backing and encouragement. You can find lots of information on their Facebook page and website https://

www.rosaryonthecoast.co.uk where you can also read the Briefing Document for the event.

March for Life - London 5th May 2018

The organisers of the annual March for Life, pro-life event have managed to move the event to central London, in order to coincide with the 50th Anniversary of the Abortion Act which came into effect on 27th April 1968.

Since then, 88,624,567 innocent lives have been lost due to the Act. It can often seem difficult to know what we can do to help change the culture in the country, but one of the best ways to start is to attend March for Life.

If you've never attended a March for Life before then here's what to expect: In the morning there are Masses & Christian services available which are taking place around London. 'LifeFest18' (the pro-life festival part) starts early at 9.30am in 'The Connaught Rooms' in Covent Garden. During the morning there will be workshops, pro-life stalls, merchandise, live music, a prayer room for prayer ministry and Confessions. A children's craft area with face-painting for the children (and adults), some inspiring testimonies and other surprises to be unveiled on the day.

The morning festival will finish at 1.00 which will then lead straight on to the BIG MARCH. We will have a joy lled 'march' or procession through the streets of Westminster proclaiming our central message of 'Life from conception – No exception' before we come together for a time of quiet reflection and our keynote speakers in Parliament Square. To be pro-life is to be pro-active about what we believe. Maybe you are not quite sure whether you are pro-life yet or have a few niggling questions . . . then come to March for Life as you will have your questions answered and your doubts put to flight. Maybe you have never done anything prolife before . . . then come to March for Life as this is an easy way to start and once you get there you will find plenty of ideas of how to continue some pro-life activity.

Plenty of information is available on the website <u>https://</u> <u>www.marchforlife.co.uk</u> along with details of where to join a local coach.

Holy Angels

Readers wanted: Please join our friendly team.

- It's the simplest way to help the parish.
- No minimum commitment: the rota works around you.
- People often swap dates.
- No training required

- Readings available in advance e.g. <u>universalis.com/</u><u>mass.htm</u>

- Any age welcome
- Please join our friendly team.

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