

Holy Angels and Holy Family Newsletter



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A very warm welcome to this mass. If you are a visitor we'd love you to introduce yourself to us afterwards. Please do take care to follow all the instructions in place for social distancing.

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 11/7/20

Mass times this week

Sat 11 July	5.30 p.m.	HA	Vigil Mass	<i>Richard White (RIP)</i>
Sun 12 July	9.15 a.m.	HF	Mass	
	11.00 a.m.	HA	Mass	
Mon 13 July			No Mass	
Tue 14 July	9.30 a.m.	HF	Mass	
Wed 15 July	9.30 a.m.	HA	Mass	S. Bonaventure
Thur 16 July	7.30 p.m.	HF	Mass	Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Fri 17 July	9.30 a.m.	HA	Mass	
Sat 18 July	5.30 p.m.	HA	Vigil Mass	<i>Frank, Mary & Gerald Leahy RIP</i>
Sun 19 July	9.15 a.m.	HF	Mass	
16 Sunday OT	11.00 a.m.	HA	Mass	<i>Mario Grima RIP</i>

All masses at Holy Angels will continue to be live streamed.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CELEBRATION OF MASS

- **2m distancing is to be maintained - please be careful with this if you see friends at mass. Any catching up is best done outside the church.**
- **There will be welcomers at all masses to help direct you to hand gel, socially distanced seating etc - please allow them their distance**
- **There is a one way system in place in both churches.**
- **No missals will be available in church. You may bring your own missal or follow the readings on your phone on an app like Universalis. Please contact the parish office if you wish help with this.**
- **There will be no congregational singing at mass.**
- **There will be no sing of the peace or bidding prayers.**
- **Communion will take place across a table to assure distancing with the communicant standing and no Amen will be said at that point.**
- **All toilets are closed for the time being.**
- **For Saturday and Sunday Mass at present it is helpful if you can give an indication via the parish office if you wish to attend mass, preferably by the Wednesday before.**
- **At Holy Family we have twelve pews that can be used for seating up to three people each - if those people are already in a bubble. So depending on that allows either 12 people or 36 to attend mass. At Holy Angels we have arranged the chairs in such a way that we can seat 13 people individually, but as well as individual chairs have bubbles of 2 and four chairs allowing potentially for about 30 people if they happened to present themselves in perfectly shaped bubbles.**
- **Most of our normal liturgical ministries cannot yet resume but as people begin to stop shielding that will be able to change.**

NOTICES

Parish Office

The parish office remains closed and our parish secretary furloughed. However Fr Robin continues to answer email and the telephone.

Offertory

Like all charities our parish income has dropped very significantly during lockdown. Although there will be an offertory basket at masses, the best way to support the church at the moment if you are able to is by setting up a standing order. Forms are available at the back of church or can be obtained via the parish office. Alternatively the Diocese has set up a 'Just Giving' page if you prefer to give offertory donations. Just remember to specify that it is to go to Holy Angels Ash or Holy Family Heath End or the money will go directly into the Diocesan coffers. rather than set up a standing order to help support your parish.

<https://justgiving.com/campaign/parishoffertory>

Brendan Maher

Brendan's funeral will take place on Wednesday 22 July at 12.30pm. It is not clear at this point if there will be the possibility of any parishioners attending due to current restrictions. Please do pray for the repose of his soul and for his family at this time.

Barry Smith

Many of you will know Anna and Barry Smith from our congregation. Barry is fighting a brain tumour, but is declining. Friends have organised a just giving page to alleviate some of the financial strain of his sudden illness and having to immediately stop work.

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/thesmithfamily?utm_source=Facebook&utm_medium=Yimbyprojectpage&utm_content=thesmithfamily&utm_campaign=projectpage-share-owner&utm_term=AxkBAM5W9&fbclid=IwAR0OpYv9KVRu1cVy1HcnI6JJzGmkyJ5fd_KGw-jypOJyQ6PMpd1LbJ3rniQ

Sacraments

Baptisms, weddings, and confessions can take place now, with social distancing measures. Please contact the Parish Office for further information.

Lourdes Pilgrimage

Each year, we journey together as pilgrims to the holy Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes, however, due to Covid-19, this year we will have to travel in spirit and mind and not body. We are pleased to be able to invite you to join us for a virtual Lourdes Pilgrimage from the 25th to the 30th July. Including virtual events for families and for Redshirts (those ins years 10&11). Find out more at www.ablourdes2020.org

Pro Life

Thank you to everyone who wrote to their MP to defend the rights of the unborn.

Saturday 25 July is the 10th Annual GK Chesterton Pilgrimage. You can support the work of the Good Counsel network which does amazing work supporting practically those who are struggling for practical reasons to keep or look after a baby. <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/gkcwalk20> You can find out more about the Good Counsel Network at <https://goodcounselnet.co.uk>

Diocese

During this time online resources are more important than useful. Don't forget that there is a lot of useful information, including Bishop Richards weekly reflections on our diocesan website. www.dabnet.org

Please take this newsletter home as we must not be passing pieces of paper between us at the moment.