Holy Angels and Holy Family Newsletter





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Christ the King

34th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Masses live-streamed on Youtube at times set out below.

Please follow link https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC8u80vqqhk-fsjF9JWcqyLA

Please note that although we are unable to celebrate Mass together during this period of lockdown, the Church will be open for private prayer at set times, please see details on page 2 of the newsletter

Sat 21 Nov	5.30 pm	HA	Vigil Mass	
Sun 22 Nov	10.00 am	HA	Mass	<i>Bob Burton (RIP)</i> Youth Day
Christ the King	5.00 pm	HF	Adoration	Holy Hour for private prayer
Mon 23 Nov	NO MASS			
Tue 24 Nov	9.30 am	HF	Mass	St Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs
Wed 25 Nov	9.30 am	HA	Mass	St Catherine of Alexandria
Thur 26 Nov	7.00pm	HF	Adoration	
	7.30pm	HF	Mass	
Fri 27 Nov	9.30 am	HA	Mass	
Sat 28 Nov	5.30 pm	HA	Vigil Mass	
Sun 29 Nov 1st Sunday of Advent	10.00 am	HA	Mass	Arthur Higgins (RIP)
	5.00 pm	HA	Adoration	Holy Hour for private prayer

Special Collection this week for PACT (Prisoners' Sunday) Please see page 4 for information about PACT - and for how to donate see Offertory note

CHURCH OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER DURING LOCKDOWN

Fr Robin will open the church at which he celebrates Mass each day for private prayer 30 minutes before he celebrates Mass. The Lord will be exposed on the Altar for Adoration during private prayer.

Fr Robin will celebrate Mass at the church he normally does, as set out in the diary on page 1 of the newsletter, so you can attend your normal church for prayer. The only exception to this is Sunday Mass which can only be celebrated once, and will be at Holy Angels Church.

In addition, each Sunday evening, we will be alternating opening one of the churches for an hour of Adoration and private prayer, see page 1 of the newsletter for details.

Please note that, as public worship is not permitted during lockdown, we would respectfully ask that you vacate the church 10 minutes before Fr Robin celebrates Mass.

All the usual provisions apply if you visit for private prayer, so please remember:-

- The wearing of face masks continues to be compulsory and 1m+ distancing is to be maintained please be careful with this if you see friends while at church.
- Please use the hand sanitisers on arrival and departure.
- Track and trace please either use the QR code with the NHS contact tracing app, or bring a slip giving your contact details
- Please place a prayer sheet on your chair when you leave so we can clean the area for others to use.
- There is a one way system in place in both churches.
- All toilets are closed for the time being.
- Maximum capacity at Holy Family is 36 in church (depending on bubbles) and 10 overflow in the hall. At Holy Angels 30 in church (mainly in bubbles of three) and 9 overflow in the hall.

NOTICES

<u>Parish Advent Group</u>	We will be running an Advent Group online using zoom. This will take place at 8.00pm on Tuesday 1st, 8th, 15th and 22nd December and we will be using the CaFE course 'The Joy of Hope'. These will not be long meetings (less than an hour), but will hopefully provide an opportunity for some encouragement and fellowship as we prepare for a very strange celebration of Christmas. If you wish to attend please email the parish office and we will send you a link to join in nearer the time. If you need help with zoom - which you should be able to access with most smart phones even if you do not have a computer - then please again do contact us!
Month of Holy Souls	There will be the usual opportunity during November for names to be put in a book to be placed on the altar at all Masses. Please email your list to the Parish Office at <u>holyofficesurrey@gmail.com</u>
CAFOD Light a Candle	Who is in your heart this season of remembrance? Light a candle for a loved one who is deeply missed, or for someone special who is having a tough time. You can add a donation to assist with CAFOD's work worldwide. Please follow this link if you are interested: <u>https://lightacandle.cafod.org.uk/#/</u> We have also received a letter from CAFOD thanking us for our donations during October, totalling £28.50.
Mass Intentions	If you would like a Mass intention, please could you email the office with the details. Please could donations be put in an ordinary envelope with mass stipend noted on the envelope and a note that dates have been given to Cally.
Baptism Course via Zoom	Due to the continuing Covid 19 crisis we are trialling a Zoom course. You will need access to the internet but you will not need a Zoom account, as we will provide you with a link. We will be using the recently released CaFE course which consists of 12 short videos (3-4 minutes long) with discussion points between. The meeting is planned for Wednesday 25 th November, starting at 7.20pm for 7.30 start, finishing by 9pm. If you are interested please contact the Parish Office holyofficesurrey@gmail.com and email Deacon John: john.edwards@abdiocese.org.uk. He will acknowledge your request and send you a link in the week before.

Advent with Bp Richard	Bp Richard is offering a series of Advent talks from Arundel Cathedral. The programme will run for four weeks, on Friday evenings, from Friday 27th November to Friday 18th December. Each talk will focus on a different theme - Advent - Waiting; John the Baptist - Witness; Gaudete - Rejoice; and Mary - Openness. The talks will be live-streamed at 7pm , please follow this link: <u>https://abdiocese.org.uk/livestream</u>
Prayer for the Nation	As part of our desire to stay faithful to daily patterns of prayer, the Bishops of England and Wales are encouraging us to come together every day at 6pm to pray for our nation - to pray privately, to pray together at home, to pray without ceasing. For more information, please follow this link: <u>https://www.cbcew.org.uk/home/events/prayer-for-the-nation/</u>
РАСТ	PACT is all about providing services that enable people to live better lives. We advocate on behalf of prisoners and their families, and have been working hard on their behalf during the pandemic. Follow this link to find out more: <u>https://www.prisonadvice.org.uk</u>
Offertory	Parish income has dropped very significantly during these difficult times. Please consider giving by standing order, forms available from the parish office. Alternatively, the Diocese has redesigned the online giving option and made it much more user friendly - see https://abdiocese.churchsuite.com/donate/ . There doesn't seem to be a way of giving to special collections at the moment, so if you wish to support these, please put your donation in an earmarked envelope and put in the collection plate when masses resume.
Parish Database	We would love to keep in touch with you all! During lockdown, we will be sending out a weekly email with the Sunday mass sheet as we did previously. To receive this and other parish wide emails, please make sure you have signed up to be included in our GDPR compliant database. If you are not receiving emails yet, please email the office and we will send you the parish data consent forms for you to complete.
Children's Liturgy	The Diocese has created an online Children's Liturgy via Youtube as we are unable to run children's liturgy during the mass. Do bring your children back to mass as soon as you feel confident to do so -

	but this is a good supplemental resource to help them get more out of mass each week. Search "Colour and Shape Children's liturgy" in Youtube or go to <u>https://www.youtube.com/channel/</u> <u>UCdJNyn5xOrOB5634uplhcQg</u>
The Triangle bookshop	We are brimming with wonderful Advent and Christmas stock - altogether nearly 6,000 items!! So, although the shop will be closed during lockdown, please do take a look at our online shop at <u>www.trianglechristianshop.org.uk</u> . We are also able to take orders by phone on 01252 519172 or by email <u>admin@thetriangle.org.uk</u> . If you are local, you can select Click and Collect, or you can send an email to order. One of us will contact you to arrange a collection or delivery time – suitably distanced of course.
The Faith Magazine	The Faith Companion parishioner magazine is now online only. Digital copies and subscriptions are available at <u>http://</u> <u>www.thefaithcompanion.co.uk</u> or call 01403 754808. We have now launched Catholic Gifts online selling The Faith Companion candle, rosaries and a gift card for gifts or subscriptions. Please support and pray for our mission to support the Church.
All Hallows School	Applications for All Hallows Sixth Form College in Farnham open on Friday 20th November 2020 and close on Friday 8th January 2021. Please visit <u>allhallows.net/prospectus-application</u> to view the courses on offer and apply.
St Joseph's	Catholic Primary school, Guildford, warmly welcomes all applications from parents of children who will be of school age in September 2021. If you are applying for your child to attend, please complete the Hampshire Application form on line at <u>www.hants.gov.uk/admissions</u> You will also need to complete a School Supplementary Information Form which is available from the school office or on the school website.
St Polycarp's	Catholic Primary School, Farnham would like to invite the parents of children due to start school in September 2021 to get in contact to find out more about our school. Mrs Best, our Headteacher, is happy to meet you either via video call or for a short tour of the school (out of hours) by appointment – please phone the school office on 01252 716307 or email Mrs Regan at <u>admissions@stpolycarps.surrey.sch.uk</u> . Parents are also welcome

	to view the new 'virtual tour' of the school on our school website: www.stpolycarps.surrey.sch.uk
School Form Signing	If you need a school form signed please contact the parish office to arrange a time for this.
Parish Office	Cally Mead our Parish Secretary is currently working from home. Her hours are 11am-1pm and 2pm-3pm, Mon-Thurs. To contact, please email <u>holyofficesurrey@gmail.com</u> or phone 07485 634561 during office hours. If you wish to phone outside these hours, please use 01252 321422.