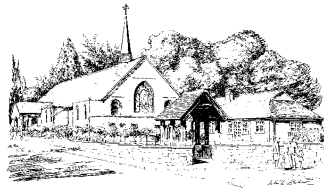
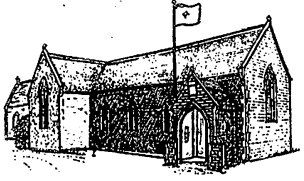


Holy Angels and Holy Family Newsletter



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Pentecost

Masses are being celebrated publicly in our churches and there is currently no need to book your seat in advance. For those of you who are shielding or otherwise unable to attend in person, we continue to livestream Masses on Youtube, search "holy angels and holy family"

Sat 22 May Vigil Mass of Pentecost	5.30 pm	HA	Vigil Mass	<i>Mgr Canon Tim Rice (RIP)</i>
Sun 23 May Pentecost	9.15 am	HF	Mass	
<i>Day of Prayer for the church</i>	11.00 am	HA	Mass	<i>Missa pro populo</i>
Mon 24 May Ordinary Time (Week 8)	NO MASS			Mary, Mother of the Church
Tue 25 May	9.30 am	HF	Mass	<i>Fr Michael Walsh (RIP)</i>
Wed 26 May	9.30 am	HA	Mass	<i>Fr Richard Biggerstaff, celebrating 25 years as a Priest</i>
Thur 27 May	7.00 pm	HF	Adoration	
Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest	7.30 pm	HF	Mass	
Fri 28 May	9.30 am	HA	Mass	<i>Joe Taylor (RIP)</i>
Sat 29 May	5.30 pm	HA	Mass	
Sun 30 May	9.15 am	HF	Mass	<i>Missa pro populo</i>
The Most Holy Trinity	11.00 am	HA	Mass	

Last week's Special Collection for The Catholic Communications Network raised £38.03 at Holy Angels Church.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CELEBRATION OF MASS

- **Bring a face mask and maintain social distancing**
- **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.**
- **Track & Trace - please use either the QR code or a sign in slip, if not booked in.**



Pentecost Pastoral Letter Please see our websites for a copy of the Catholic Bishops' Pentecost Pastoral Letter for 2021 together with a Pentecost Novena on the Care of Creation. We uploaded it last week, to the same tab as the newsletters. We are asked to consider the healing of our common home and the wellbeing and care of our brothers and sisters as an urgent priority.

Prayer Intentions If you would like the name of a sick or recently deceased person to be placed in the newsletter for prayer, please contact Cally in the office. Names would need to be renewed every week with a further request for continued inclusion.

Marian Month of May Pope Francis has requested that the Church comes together every day during the month of May to pray for “the end of the pandemic together with the recitation of the Rosary together with shrines from all over the world.” Each day will have a different specific intention, as well as praying for the end to the pandemic.

The Rosary is a very well-known Catholic prayer but what are its origins? Sister Hyacinthe, a French Dominican Sister of St Joseph who lives with the community at St Dominic's Priory in the New Forest, shares a short audio reflection on the Rosary as part of the Bishops' Conference 'Schools of Prayer' podcast series. To listen, you can click here on the e-version of this newsletter: [listen to Sister Hyacinthe's reflection on the Sound Cloud website.](#)

NOTICES

Parish Office

Please note that the Parish Office will be closed for 2 weeks from Monday May 24th, re-opening on Monday 7th June. Emails and the office mobile will not be checked during this time. If you have any urgent pastoral queries, please ring the office landline number, 01252 321422.

Peace in the Holy Land

The past few days have seen the worst violence in Jerusalem for many years, with confrontations between Israeli police and Palestinian protesters. In a Tweet earlier this week Pope Francis said: "I am following with particular concern the events in Jerusalem. I pray that it may be a place of encounter and not of violent clashes, a place of prayer and peace. Violence begets only violence. Enough of these clashes." Let's continue to pray for Peace in the Holy Land at this time.

Apostolic Letter

We have uploaded Pope Francis's Apostolic Letter *Antiquum Ministerium* to the websites this week. In this Letter the Pope formally recognises the ministry of catechist and the Bishops' Conference of England & Wales has said that it warmly welcomes this Letter and looks forward to what it proposes for the Universal Church and for the Church in England and Wales. Please do take a few moments to read and reflect on this Letter if you can.

RCIA

As with most of our sacramental programs the pandemic interrupted our RCIA program for those adults who were either never confirmed or who are seeking to enter the Catholic Church. We are planning to restart this shortly, initially online. Please could those who might be interested make contact with the parish office or speak to Fr Robin after mass.

YOUCAT

The Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church is a really useful resource for anyone wanting to consider the whole of the Catholic faith in one place. It is written in language suitable for young people, which makes it readable for us all! We use the YOUCAT regularly in our sacramental programmes and we are planning to include a paragraph from this in the newsletter over the next few months to help in our faith formation. If you would like to read the YOUCAT in full, please click on this link <https://www.cdowcym.org/documents/resources/YOUCAT.pdf>

Parish Database

We would love to keep in touch with you all! However, to comply with current data protection legislation, we need your consent to keep in contact with you and hold your contact details. So, to receive parish wide emails, and other information that may be of interest to you, and also to enable us to contact you for pastoral reasons, please make sure you have signed up to be included in our GDPR compliant online database. Simply email the office and we will send you the parish data consent forms for you to complete.

Climate Online Talk

In April, we advertised the Climate talks in Glashow in 2021, and drew your attention to CAFOD's petition at [//cafod.org.uk/reclaim](https://cafod.org.uk/reclaim). CAFOD has now organised an online talk with Christine Allen, Director of CAFOD **on 26th May at 7.30 pm**. She will reflect on the impact of COVID-19 and draw lessons for the future for our interdependence with one another and with our natural world as we seek to recover and heal after the pandemic. You can [book online](#) or phone 01428 642161 Cost £5.

Parliament in your Parish

Calling all Holy Family Parishioners! CAFOD has organised a 'Parliament in Your Parish' meeting with Jeremy Hunt MP, SW Surrey, **Friday 18th June at 3:45pm** (for about 45 mins). Can as many people as possible attend, to show Mr Hunt that the Catholic community is very concerned about the impact of the pandemic on the poorest communities and the climate crisis implications. Please contact Jo Lewry at <mailto:jewry@cafod.org.uk> for more information about the meeting or <https://cafod.org.uk/Campaign/Campaign-with-us/Parliament-in-your-parish> for more information about Parliament in Your Parish.

Wintershall

Save the Date! Walking the Parables of Jesus - Immerse yourself in the beauty of Wintershall, enjoy watching the stories that Jesus told, dramatised in short, captivating scenes and take time to reflect on what these might mean for us today. From **28 June to 2 July**, schools will be given time to reflect on the parable stories in a variety of interactive and exciting ways. On **Saturday the 3rd of July**, adult groups and families are invited to attend - they will be allocated into groups with a maximum of 60. There will be reflection material available to use either as you walk between the scenes, or following the experience during a picnic lunch or tea in the grounds. [Click here to find out more or book.](#)