Holy Angels and Holy Family Newsletter 31st October 2021



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Holy Family, Farnham GU9 0LH www.holyfamilyfarnham.co.uk

All Saints Sunday

Sat 30 Oct.		5.30pm	Vigil Mass	HA	Missa pro populo
Sun 31 Oct	All Saints Day (tr.)	9.15am	Sunday Mass	HF	
		11.00am	Sunday Mass	НА	Julius Andrew Young (RIP)
		3.00pm	Blessing of the Graves HA		
Mon 1 Nov		Fr Robin's day off no Mass			
Tue 2 Nov	All Souls	9.30am	Mass	HF	
		Noon	Mass	НА	
		7.30pm	Mass	НА	
Wed 3 Nov	S. Winifride	9.30am	Mass	НА	
		7.30pm	Holy Hour	НА	Vocations
Thur 4 Nov	S. Charles Borromeo	7.00pm	Adoration	HF	
		7.30pm	Mass	HF	
Fri 5 Nov		9.30am	Mass	НА	
Sat 6 Nov		5.30pm	Vigil Mass	НА	
Sun 7 Nov	32 nd Sunday in OT	9.15am	Sunday Mass	HF	Missa pro populo
		11.00am	Sunday Mass	НА	Julius Andrew Young (RIP)

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR ATTENDING MASS

• We are still strongly encouraged to wear a mask in church. "Loving your neighbour in action Bless you.



- Seating will be a mix of more distanced rows at the back and 'normally' spaced rows towards the front of church. You may take a card asking people to leave a space next to you.
- We continue to use hand gel, ventilation, cleaning and encourage people to catch up outside church where possible.
- · We continue to use a one way system.
- Track & Trace please use either the QR code or a sign in slip, if not booked in.
- 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.

- We will begin to reintroduce singing again. Again it is requested that we still wear masks while singing.
- · Hymn books will be quarantined between use.
- · Regular use of lateral flow testing is also recommended.

Second Collection <u>next</u> Sunday: Retired Priest's Fund (Gift Aid)

Thanks to all who gave to support:
Missio HA: £50.50

Prayer Intentions (renewed each week)

RIP Alan Wagstaff (former HA parishioner)

Pope's October prayer intention: 'May all Christians be missionary disciples'

NOTICES

Parish Office: As our parish secretary has now retired there are currently no formal office hours. Please use the normal telephone number (01252 321 422) and parish email address to contact Fr Robin for parish admin.

November - month of the Holy Souls

All Saints this year is transferred to the Sunday.

On **All Souls Day (2 November)** the Mass will take place at 9.30am at Holy Family and at noon and 7.30pm at Holy Angels.

There will be the usual opportunity during the month of Holy Souls for names to be put in a book to be placed on the altar at all Masses. For people to be remembered individually at Mass please book a Mass intention as usual via the parish office.

Sunday 31st October, the blessing of the graves will take place at at Ash cemetery as usual. Meet 3pm at HA

Deanery Masses for those who have died. The last twelve months have been challenging for people across our community. Bishop Richard is offering a special Station Mass in each Deanery for all those who have died this year. Our Deanery mass will be held on Wednesday 10 November at 7.30pm, St Joseph's, Dorking.

Sunday 14th November there will be no 11am mass at Ash, but instead a Sunday afternoon mass at 4.30pm to enable people to attend the Remembrance Sunday Prayers.

New Catholic Truth Society Podcast

CTS have launched a new chatty catholic podcast, 'Beautifully told.' Check it out here: https://anchor.fm/beautifully-told

A message from CAFOD: Thank you for supporting our Climate Crisis Appeal for our recent Family Fast Day. Every donation helps us in our work and is gratefully received. cafod.org.uk/climatecrisis

Please pray for the success of the upcoming UN climate talks in Glasgow, COP26, from 31 October to 12 November. For more information see <u>cafod.org.uk/COP26</u>

Assisted Suicide/Euthanasia Bill: In a brief statement issued after the Second Reading in the House of Lords on 22 October 2021, Bishop Sherrington said:

"I would like to thank all those who have prayed that this Bill might be defeated and who have written letters to Peers sharing their experiences and opposition to the Bill. The Bill has now passed to Committee Stage, without a vote, as is the Convention of the House. Given that it is not supported by the Government, it will likely run out of time and not become law. We will continue to scrutinise and challenge this legislation in the months ahead.

"The Catholic Church is clear that we can never assist in taking the life of another, even if they request it. All life is sacred from conception until natural death, and we reiterate our call for investment in high quality palliative care. Our call is one for assistance in living and not assistance in committing suicide.

Have you suffered bereavement recently? Are you aware that there is a bereavement support group that is part of Churches together in Farnham? Fr Robin and Deacon John are of course always available to support any of our parishioners, and we also have a parish bereavement visitor available.

https://www.friendstogetherbereavement.org

Invited: Our Diocesan Online Mission continues with five new Invited films to be uploaded to the Diocesan website this Tuesday! A second series of Invited, with online groups, will happen during Eastertide 2022, in the meantime our Formation Team have devised a new film series which you can access here. https://www.abdiocese.org.uk/invited

The Triangle Christian Bookshop,)Kingsmead, Farnborough) is holding an Open Evening from 4.00 till 8.00 on Monday 16 November, celebrating their 20th anniversary. Masks and sanitiser will be available. There will be refreshments available, and also some little gifts to celebrate. All your favourites will be here: Fair trade, Meaningful Chocolate Advents, plus many new items, and of course excellent books for reading! Many ADVENT titles are already available, plus great and meaningful Christmas Cards, Advent candles, and Advent Calendars ONLINE SHOP at www.trianglechristianshop.org.uk

Wintershall's Nativity is Back! Walk with Mary, Joseph and the donkey on the winding, steep road to Bethlehem. Register for the census and journey with other travellers, Roman soldiers and shepherds as you enter the stable to watch the miracle unfold. The Wintershall Nativity Journey is an unforgettable experience, bringing the true meaning of Christmas to life for the whole family. To pre-book please E: admin@wintershall.org.uk or visit the Wintershall website.

Giving online update Please note that the JustGiving page is being phased out as the Diocese now has its own online giving page. This is easier to use, has lower transaction fees and is free for parishes to use. Please follow this easy link if you would like to continue to give in this way: https://abdiocese.churchsuite.com/donate/
There is now a drop-down list for you to choose which parish to donate to - 'Heath End' is Holy Family and 'Ash' is Holy Angels. If you are a taxpayer and currently give online, we would be very grateful if you would consider giving by standing order instead. This enables us to recoup the tax you paid on the gift. For a form, please contact Tim Flesher at Holy Angels: timflesher@hotmail.co.uk

At Holy Angels we are moving to reintroduce the collection plate. However the best way to give continues to be via standing order, or for many people online giving.

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https://universecatholicweekly.co.uk

Rosary Refuge https://www.walsingham.org.uk/2021/09/28/rosary-refuge-october-2021/
We are being encouraged to say a daily Rosary so that Faith, Life and Peace to prevail in our lands and for the conversion to Christ of all our peoples.