Holy Angels and Holy Family Newsletter 11th February 2024



Holy Angels, Ash GU12 6LU www.holyangelsash.org



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

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(HA (Holy Angels) & HF (Holy Family) indicates which church a mass is in)

Sat 10 Feb	5.00pm	Confession Available HA		
	5.30pm	Vigil Mass	НА	Johnny & the Collins family
	Followed	Followed by the blessing of throats		
Sun 11 Feb 6 th Sur	nday O.T. 9.15am	Sunday Mass	HF	
	11.00am	Sunday Mass	НА	
Mon 12 Feb	No mass	Fr Robin's day off		
Tue 13 Feb	9.30am	Mass	HF	Johnny & the Collins family
Wed 14 Feb Ash W	ednesday 9.30am	Mass & imposition of ashes	HA	Fr Patrick Chick (RIP)
Day of Fasting & Abst	inence Noon	Mass & imposition of ashes	HF	Our keeping of a Holy Lent
	7.30pm	Mass & imposition of ashes	HA	
Thur 15 Feb	6.30pm	Stations of the Cross & Adora	ion HF	
		(Confession normally availa	ole)	
	7.30pm	Mass	HF	Johnny & the Collins family
Fri 16 Feb	9.30am	Mass	HA	Johnny & the Collins family
	6.00pm	Stations of the Cross	HA	
Sat 18 Feb	5.00pm	Confession Available HA		
	5.30pm	Vigil Mass	НА	
	Followed	Followed by the blessing of throats		
Sun 18 Feb 6th Su	ınday O.T. 9.15am	Sunday Mass	HF	Johnny & the Collins family
	11.00am	Sunday Mass	НА	Missa pro populo

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Parish Offertory

We need at least £750 a week (in each parish) to meet our obligations - which is raised through your generous donations. You can give in the cash offertory collection, via the DONA contactless machine by the door, or via standing order. Thank you.

Lenten Alms: to support the Contemplative Orders of women in the Diocese

Please return palm crosses.

Second Collections

This Weekend - Lourdes Pilgrimage Fund

Fasting – a considerable reduction in food – i.e. equivalent of 2 meals only. *Mandatory for 18-60yrs* **Abstinence** is from flesh meat (or for vegetarians another food group). *Mandatory for 14yrs & over*

LENT

Ash Wednesday Masses

Holy Angels: 9.30am & 7.30pm Holy Family: Noon

Stations of the Cross

6.30pm Thursdays Holy Family 6.00pm Fridays Holy Angels

INVITED - LENT MISSION

Hot on the heels of our Advent mission Invited returns to help us grow in our faith during Lent.

If you have not attended any faith groups before you find this inviting and a good opportunity to deepen your faith

If you have attended previous groups why not invite someone to come along!

Parish Groups -

Wednesdays 7.30pm group Holy Angels -beginning 20 Feb Fridays beginning 22 Feb at 1.00pm Holy Family (normally Noon – 1.30pm at Holy Family -bring some lunch!)

abdiocese.org. has the videos and resources if you can't join in in person.

This season offers is a deeper dive into our faith and is designed to help us grow as disciples of Jesus

Forthcoming Parish Events

Saturday 17th Feb 9.00am at Holy Angels breakfast meeting to plan and support social and fundraising events in our parishes over the coming year. Turn up with ideas, offers of help, and a willingness to make things happen rather than hope someone else will do it!

Holy Family and Holy Angels talent Show Let us entertain you!

24th February 2024, 7.15 pm at Holy Family

Tickets on sale today £3

Those performing will get free entry.

Still space for a couple of more acts.

Further details from Jocelyn Coe jocelynsomerville2@gmail.com.

Holy Angels AGM - April 28 12.30pm

St Mary's, Ash Vale will be hosting the service for the [Women's] World Day of Prayer this year on Friday 1st March at 7.30pm and the service has been prepared for us by an ecumenical group of Christian Women from Palestine. The worship service shares stories which illuminate the experiences of three Palestinian Christian women from three different generations, who witness to the power of bearing together in love. The service was prepared long before the current situation in Gaza, and seems very Inspired.

Who is Jesus and why should you be a catholic? Come and See!

In the new year we will begin another cycle of adult exploration of the faith using the sycamore course. This is the route for Adult Baptism, Adult Confirmation, and reception into the Catholic Church if you are already a baptised Christian.

However the first sessions are a simple invitation to come and see and find out a bit more. If you are curious about the faith, about why we believe in Jesus, or know someone who might like to explore these questions please express your interest by filling in the forms which will shortly be available.

100 Club Winners

3rd Quarter 2023 Chris Mann, Gloria Benson, Anne Berger/Mike Slater

4th Quarter 2023 Anne O'Donnell, Jo Russell, Carmel Gray

Diana Johnson has tabled a new extreme abortion up to birth amendment ahead of Report Stage of the Government's flagship Criminal Justice Bill.

This proposed extreme change to the law would likely lead to a tragic increase in the number of babies' lives being ended through late-term abortions performed at home.

Pro-abortion campaigners are flooding MPs' inboxes with emails asking them to put their name to the new amendment and vote in support of it at Report Stage.

It is vital at this point that MPs see that they have a large number of constituents who are opposed to this extreme change to the law and they must not support this amendment.

Right to life have just launched an <u>easy-to-use tool</u> on their website that makes it simple for you to send an email to your MP asking them to oppose Diana Johnson's amendment.

https://righttolife.org.uk/johnsonabortionamendment

It only takes 30 seconds.

CAFOD are offering special Lent reflections throughout the season.

https://cafod.org.uk/pray/lent-calendar

The Parish Office is currently normally open on Wednesday and Friday Mornings. Please use the normal telephone number (01252 321 422) and parish email address: holyofficesurrey@gmail.com

Mass intentions for our loved ones can be booked via the parish office.