Holy Angels and Holy Family Newsletter 3rd September 2023



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



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

22nd SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

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

		5.30pm	Vigil Mass	HA	Mary Harvey (RIP)
Sun 3 Sept	22 nd Sunday OT	9.15am	Sunday Mass	HF	Aniela Kwiatkovska (RIP)
		11.00am	Sunday Mass	HA	Missa Pro Populo
		12.30pm	Holy Baptism	HA	Rudy Persaud
Mon 4 Sept No Mass - Fr Robin's Day off					
Tue 5 Sept	S. Teresa of Calcutta	9.30am	Mass	HF	
Wed 6 Sept		9.30am	Mass	HA	
Thur 7 Sept		6.30pm	Adoration (w/ Confession)	HF	
		7.30pm	Mass	HF	
Fri 8 Sept	Nativity of the BVM	9.30am	Mass	HA	
Sat 9 Sept		5.00pm	Confession Available	HA	
		5.30pm	Vigil Mass	HA	Dcn Joe Crane (RIP)
Sun 10 Sept	23 rd Sunday OT	9.15am	Sunday Mass	HF	Missa Pro Populo
		11.00am	Sunday Mass	HA	
		12.30pm	Holy Baptism	HA	

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Offertory

We are experimenting with reintroducing the offertory collection in the mass. For many of us the DONA machine will continue to be the preferable way to give (in which case let the basket pass you by!), but this enables us to acknowledge the collection as we symbolically lay it before the altar and for those who still use cash will make it easier to differentiate between main offertory collection and the second collections when we have them.

The DONA machine and second collection basket will remain at the door, and standing order forms are available there as well. We need at least £750 a week (in each parish) to meet our obligations - which is raised through your generous donations.

Thank you.

Second Collection - Next Sunday

Catholic Education

Forthcoming Parish Events

Joint Parishes BBQ Sunday 3 September 12.30pm Donations on the day (£5 suggested) to cover costs and raise money for the parish.

If you want to sit our in the Presbytery garden you may wish to being a chair.

Sat 30 Sept 7.30pm - My time at no. 10: refreshments will be served.

Sat 14 Oct 7pm - Clarinet & Piano concert with cheese and wine

Sat 11 Nov 7.30pm - Fish & Chip Supper & Quiz

NOTICES

Children's Liturgy Holy Angels Children's liturgy has now restarted on the first Sunday of each month. However because of the BBQ the next one is 10 September.

With more volunteers we can increase the frequency of the liturgy!

Current safeguarding procedures however, mean that every child in Children's liturgy must have had a registration form filled in or be accompanied by an adult. Children are to be brought to the Hall before mass so that they can be registered as being present for the liturgy.

Children's Liturgy is for children c. reception to yr. 3

Sacramental Programs 2023 - 2024

First Holy Communion

Children of Yr.3 and upwards **who are attending mass** are ready to be prepared to participate more fully in the sacraments. Forms and program dates are now available.

The course will begin with a parents meeting on Tuesday 12 September at 7.30pm and meetings are Saturday mornings. We are usually oversubscribed and have to turn some people away so please register early and begin to attend church regularly now if you need to re-engage with the mass. You can register interest already at:

holyangelsfamilyfhc@gmail.com

Confirmation (Youth)

We expect that we will have the numbers to run a young people's confirmation group this year. Please contact the parish office to express interest now. The usual age is around Yr 9 or mature Yr. 8 and above. Confirmation is the time when we pray for the Holy Spirit to confirm, strengthen and encourage us in our life off faith. For young people it is a point where they begin to affirm for themselves that they want to live as Christians.

Adult Confirmation, Baptism, & reception as Catholics

We are still early on in our adult faith exploration and sacramental initiation course for this year. Do speak to Fr Robin or approach the parish office if you want to discover more about the Catholic faith.

Next Youth Group meeting - Saturday 16 September 6.30pm HA

<u>Catechists' Day –</u> Saturday 23 September 11am Worth School

A day of formation, prayer and conversation for existing catechists, those interested in exploring being a catechist and those who might need a little encouragement to consider this vocation. If you are involved or interested in working with Children's Liturgy, Baptism, First Holy Communion and Reconciliation, Confirmation, Marriage or RCIA, you are very welcome to come along. The doors will be open from 10.30am for refreshments, with the programme beginning at 11am. We aim to finish at around 4pm.

For more information, please contact Jon Harman, Formation Adviser E: Jon.Harman@abdiocese.org.uk Register your place here : Catechists' Day (23-Sep-2023) ·

https://abdiocese.churchsuite.com/events/fz3ea0s3

Fr Aaron Spinelli, Diocesan Director for the Guild of St Stephen, invites all diocesan altar servers to a special Mass at Arundel Cathedral on Saturday 23 September, led by Bishop Richard. The occasion will offer an opportunity to celebrate and thank servers for their service to our parish communities in the 150th year of our Mother Church.

The Mass is for all those who have served, all those who are serving, and anybody who would like to serve - all are very welcome to attend. Holy Mass will be followed by light refreshments - Fr Aaron request all those attending to bring a cassock/cotta or an alb (if possible) and a packed lunch. There is no need to register though attendees are asked to email Fr Aaron to confirm numbers.

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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