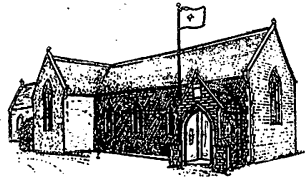
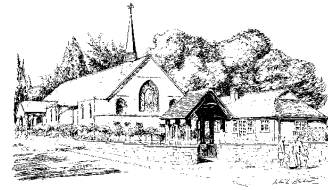


Holy Angels and Holy Family Newsletter 18th February 2024



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FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

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

Sat 17 Feb		5.00pm	Confession Available	HA	
		5.30pm	Vigil Mass	HA	<i>Johnny & the Collins family</i>
Sun 18 Feb	LENT 1	9.15am	Sunday Mass	HF	
		11.00am	Sunday Mass	HA	<i>Missa pro populo</i>
Mon 19 Feb		No mass	<i>Fr Robin's day off</i>		
Tue 20 Feb		9.30am	Mass	HF	<i>The Pastoral Plan & new parish</i>
Wed 21 Feb		9.30am	Mass & imposition of ashes	HA	<i>Johnny & the Collins family</i>
Thur 22 Feb	Chair of S. Peter	6.30pm	Stations of the Cross & Adoration	HF	
			(Confession normally available)		
		7.30pm	Mass	HF	<i>Vocations to the priesthood</i>
Fri 23 Feb		9.30am	Mass	HA	<i>Johnny & the Collins family</i>
		6.00pm	Stations of the Cross	HA	
Sat 24 Feb		5.00pm	Confession Available	HA	
		5.30pm	Vigil Mass	HA	
Sun 25 Feb	LENT 2	9.15am	Sunday Mass	HF	<i>Missa pro populo</i>
		11.00am	Sunday Mass	HA	<i>Johnny & the Collins family</i>

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Parish Offertory

Holy Angels Total offertory for January £2,800

Holy Family Total offertory for January £2,432.50.

Standing orders £1,564.00

Card £621.00

Cash inc. envelopes £247.50

out of £3250 needed/month/parish).

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

Second Collections

Next Weekend – CAFOD

Thankyou

Lourdes Pilgrimage Fund

HF £72.00 (Cash £52.00; Dona £20.00)

HA £261 (Cash £76; Dona £185)

LENT

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!

Episode 1: Discipleship

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

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

CAFOD

CAFOD are offering special Lent reflections throughout the season.

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

Your donations to CAFOD's Family Fast Day Appeal this Lent will help hardworking people like James - a fisherman in Liberia - with resources, tools and training to feed his family for good. Give today using the envelope in church, or online <https://cafod.org.uk> and please join us in praying, with James, that our sisters and brothers around the world have what they need to feed their families.

We are also having a CAFOD Lent Lunch at Ash on 1st March

Forthcoming Parish Events

Holy Family and Holy Angels talent Show

Let us entertain you!

- Talent show, 24th Feb, 7.15 start at holy family hall.
- bring your own nibbles/ refreshments, wine will be available for donation
- £3 ticket either ahead or on the door.
- raffle - please drop prize donations in at mass or bring on the night.
- performers please arrive between 6.15 and 6.45 for timing / set up run-through.

1 March Cafod Lent Lunch – Ash - Noon

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.

Please Write to your MP

There are a number of attempts to hijack the Criminal Justice Bill progressing through parliament at the moment to make abortion legal up to birth. Please write to your MP urging them instead to lower the abortion limit to 22 weeks – cards are provided at the back of church.

It is important that we keep the dignity of the unborn in our intentions for prayer and also pray for parliamentarians at this time.

The Secretariat at the Bishops' Conference is preparing a website tool to enable people to contact their Members of Parliament. I shall let you know as soon as this becomes available.

In addition Right to life have just launched an easy-to-use tool on their website that makes it simple for you to send an email to your MP asking them to oppose Diana Johnson's amendment. To allow abortion up to birth for any reason.

<https://righttolife.org.uk/johnsonabortionamendment>

It only takes 30 seconds.

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.