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33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time 16th November 2025

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| Saturday 15 th November St Albert the Great | 5.00pm | НА | Confessions | |
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| 0.1.2.2007,000 | 5.30pm | НА | Vigil Mass | Missa pro populo |
| Sunday 16 th November 33 rd Sunday Ordinary Time | 9.15am | HF | Sunday Mass | |
| World day of the poor | 11.00am | НА | Sunday Mass | Attilio & Josephine Rolandi (RIP) |
| Mon 17 th November S. Hilda of Whitby | | | No Mass – Fr Robin's day off | |
| Tue 18 th November Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts Peter & Paul | 9.30am | HF | Mass | |
| Wed 19 th November F <i>eria</i> | 9.30am | НА | Mass | |
| Thursday 20 th November Feria | 6.30pm | HF | Holy Hour & Confessions | |
| | 7.30pm | HF | Mass | |
| Friday 21 st November Presentation of the BVM | 9.30am | НА | Mass | |
| Saturday 22 nd November <i>St Cecilia</i> | 5.00pm | НА | Confessions | |
| | 5.30pm | НА | Vigil Mass | Eric Gorniock (RIP) |
| Sunday 23 rd November Christ the King | 9.15am | HF | Sunday Mass | Bob Burton & Craig Burley (RIP) |
| | 11.00am | НА | Sunday Mass | Missa pro populo |

Offertory

Thank you for your support of our church, which relies entirely upon your generosity.

September Offertory

HF: Total £2,239.00 (Standing Orders £1,585.00; Card £362.00; Plate £292.00)

HA: Total £,2933 (Standing Orders £,1350, Cash £,846, Dona £,731)

Second Collection

For the Diocesan retired priest's fund.

Next week second collection for the Arundel Cathedral Maintenance Fund.

Christmas Cards

Religious Christmas Cards are on sale at both churches. £5 for boxes of 18, £4 boxes of 12. As the cards were purchased by a donation all profits got the churches.

Future events

Tuesday 18th November First Holy Communion Parent's meeting – online – 7.30pm

Saturday 22nd November – Retreat Day to prepare for Advent.

Saturday 29th November HA - 9am breakfast and social events planning meeting. Come along with ideas and be willing to help implement them!

Saturday 29th November – St Joseph's Guildford – Inauguration mass with Bp Richard to erect the New Guildford Catholic Parish.

Sunday 30th November – Afternoon tea – 2.30pm – 4.00pm HA

Saturday 13th December - Baptism morning

Sunday 14th International Carol Service HA

Advent Retreat

Holy Family Saturday 22nd November 10am to 1pm concludes with a shared lunch.

Proposed Programme 10am - Mass Coffee/Tea

Session 1: listening to the Holy Spirit through Lectio Divina

Coffee/Tea Break

Session 2: the history of Advent and the O Antiphons

Shared Lunch:

No charge to attend – voluntary donations welcome

Advent Groups

Tuesday Evenings Holy Angels 7.30pm

The Word became poor and dwelt among us

A journey through the advent season with the scriptures and Pope Leo's new letter on love for the poor.

For Christians, the poor are not a sociological category, but the very "flesh" of Christ. It is not enough to profess the doctrine of God's Incarnation in general terms. To enter truly into this great mystery, we need to understand clearly that the Lord took on a flesh that hungers and thirsts, and experiences in firmity and imprisonment.

This Advent, as we reflect in our Diocese on deepening our call to prayer, formation and mission you are invited to join us in praying with some of the Sunday readings and reflecting on Pope Leo's first main teaching document on Love for the Poor (known by its Latin title Dilexi Te).

Month of the Holy Souls

November is dedicated to praying for the Souls of the departed, with a special emphasis on the souls in purgatory.

We have a book of the dead in which you are invited to write the names of your departed loves. This book is placed on the altar at each mass and your loved ones remembered as a special intention.

We are also encouraged to offer individual masses during this month especially – please contact the office in the normal way for this.

Missio collection from Holy Family
Huge thanks to all who donated to the Missio collection. I paid £338.81 into the bank for Missio – very generous of you all and it will go to do much good work.

I have some spare red boxes if anyone would like one - just ask

Thanks again Sue

Following Bishop Richard's recent pastoral letter it has now been confirmed that **Guildford Deanery** will become the new Parish of Guildford at the start of Advent. Our church communities will continue to be the places in which the Gospel is proclaimed and the sacraments celebrated, and to be led by priests assigned to them, as at present. Working together will help us to be more effective in our prayer, formation and mission. Fr Robin, together with Fr Simon will look after Farnham, Ash & Heath End, which will together form a 'hub' as part of the larger Parish.

Bishop Richard will celebrate Mass at 6pm on Saturday 29th November at St Joseph's Guildford at which the new parish will be entrusted to its team of priests and Fr Jonathan will take possession as their moderator. As many as are able from across the deanery, especially our parish, are warmly encouraged to attend.

There will be no other Vigil masses celebrated at Holy Angels or across the new parish as all the clergy will be there with Bp Richard.