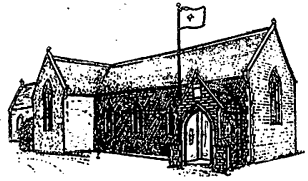
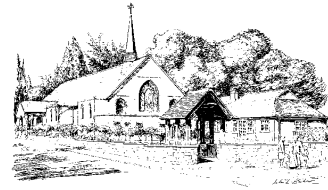


Holy Angels and Holy Family Newsletter 1st September 2024



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Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

Sat 31 August		5.00pm	Confession Available	HA	
		5.30pm	Vigil Mass	HA	<i>Dcn Joe Crane (RIP)</i>
Sun 1 Sept	22nd Sunday OT	9.15am	Sunday Mass	HF	<i>Missa pro populo</i>
<i>World day of prayer for the care of creation</i>		11.00am	Sunday Mass & Holy Baptism	HA	
Mon 2 Sept		<i>No Mass</i>	<i>Fr Robin's Day off</i>		
Tue 3 Sept	S. Gregory the Great	9.30am	Mass	HF	
Wed 4 Sept	S. Cuthbert	9.30am	Mass	HA	
Thur 5 Sept	S. Teresa of Calcutta	6.30pm	Adoration (Confession normally available)	HF	
		7.30pm	Mass	HF	
Fri 6 Sept		9.30am	Mass	HA	
Sat 7 Sept		5.00pm	Confession Available	HA	
		5.30pm	Vigil Mass	HA	<i>Mary Harvey (RIP)</i>
Sun 8 Sept	23rd Sunday OT	9.15am	Sunday Mass	HF	
<i>Education Sunday</i>		11.00am	Sunday Mass	HA	<i>Missa pro populo</i>
		12.30pm	Holy Baptism	HA	Paisley Olivia Boulton

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Parish Offertory

Thank you for your generosity in supporting our parishes. We need £3250 month/parish.

Holy Angels July £2,669 (Standing Orders £1,350; Dona £525; Cash £794)

Holy Family July £2,471.00 (Standing Orders £1,544; Dona £589; Cash £338.00)

Next week 2nd Collection
 Catholic Education

Youth Group 7th September

We are trialling a new sign up for the youth group to make sure that we are not preparing food and activities in vain!

There are sign up sheets at the back of both churches for and Gloria can be emailed either in the parish office or directly.

Our Youth Group is open to everyone of secondary school age and is a mixture of fun and faith. It is a particularly good way of nurturing your faith with other young people before and after confirmation and usually meets on the first Saturday evening of every month after the Vigil mass. We'd love to see you there.

Post Confirmation away Day
5th October

We have a day booked for our recent Confirmation candidates to help reflect on how we can continue to live and enjoy our faith at Ladywell Pastoral centre in Godalming, led by the engaging Youth Speaker David Beresford

We are at the point now where we need to confirm this booking so please do *confirm* if you are coming to Gloria at the parish Office.

holyofficesurrey@gmail.com

New Dona machine - Gift Aid

If you have been away over the summer and are a gift aider you will need to re-input your details as we have a new faster machine in both parishes.

It's much easier than on the old machine.

If easier, this can be done online using the Dona donation button on our website to make a small Offertory donation of a £1 and following the instructions.

Thank you for your generosity

Holy Angels Repository / Gift SHop

Now restocked with mass cards

Message from the Holy Angels Parish Finance Committee

The parish Finance Committee are planning that the front car park should be resurfaced and that access to the car park should be controlled by gates. At this stage we expect the resurfacing work to be carried out during August This has become necessary because the volume of use of the car park, especially by non parishioners, has led to its become very worn in places, creating a potential health and safety hazard. Alongside the resurfacing, we plan that access to the car park should be controlled by gates to prevent a similar deterioration in the future. We anticipate the this work might be carried out during the last week of July.

Once the gates are installed we plan that since the car park is for the use of the church and its parishioners, they will normally remain closed except for church events. The PFC is aiming to ensure that this causes no inconvenience to parishioners but it will obviously be helpful if access is required outside the normal requirements of Masses etc if Fr Robin is informed in advance.

We are keeping one of the gates open while the parish office is open of Wednesday and Friday mornings, and there is enough space to pull up in front of the gates opposite the rear car park entrance if you are dropping something off for Fr Robin

If anyone who normally does volunteering tasks at the church such as cleaning and is therefore affected by the introduction o the gates has not yet been contacted by the parish office please email Gloria and we will make sure you have access!

Children's Liturgy

Children's liturgy at Holy Angels will resume on Sunday 2nd September. If we could have some more volunteers we could increase Children's liturgy to twice a month. ☺

First Holy Communion

We will be preparing young people from Year 3 age in our parishes for Holy Communion and will begin our program as usual in September. Families wanting their children to make their First Holy Communion **must** be attending mass on a weekly basis, application forms available in church for those attending mass.

Confirmation

If you are interested in Confirmation for a young person (normally in Year 10 or above) please contact the office. If there are enough candidates we will run a course in the Autumn. If not we will have a fallow year until 2025.

Forms will be available next week at the back of both churches.

Purchases – we have had a few instance recently where people have kindly ordered something for the parish which ahs then been charged to us, and is then difficult to track down for accounting purposes. Can we please ensure that nothing is ordered for the parish without taking to Gloria in the parish office first.

International Mass
Sunday 20th October at Holy Angels

We want to celebrate the many different nationalities and languages we have in our community. We are encouraging people to wear national dress, to bring flags for the different nationalities we have, and it would be good to be able to have some taster plates of different cuisines.

New Lectionary

In Advent a new translation of the Lectionary will come into effect. It is unwise to buy a new missal before then!

<https://www.cbcew.org.uk/lectionary/>

Next Baptism preparation morning Saturday, 21 September. Application forms must be submitted and a place booked on the course before attending. More details available from the office. It is expected that you are attending church with your child so that you can fulfil the promises you make at baptism.

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.