

St Joan of Arc, Farnham

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NEWSLETTER/PARISH MAGAZINE: Please send articles to Cecilia at stjoansoffice2@btinternet.com

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ARCAID: Funding small charitable projects overseas. If you have a project you would like us to consider, contact Mariola:

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WEDDING ARRANGEMENTS: To all who are planning weddings at St Joan of Arc please contact the Church first **before** booking your Reception venue.

RADIO STATION: www.heavensroadfm.net

ST POLYCARP'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL:

Head: Mrs A. Gunn [Tel: 716307](tel:716307)

ALL HALLOWS CATHOLIC SCHOOL & 6TH FORM COLLEGE:

Head: Mr P. Doyle [Tel: 319211](tel:319211)

PARISH GROUPS

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION GROUP: Mondays 10.30-11.15am in the Centre Foyer.

ROSARY GROUP: 1st & 3rd Tuesday every month 7.30pm in St Joan's Church. 6th & 20th November.

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT PRAYER GROUP: Full information online at stjoanlits.webstarts.com Wednesdays 8pm in the Centre.

MOTHERS PRAYERS: Fridays after 9.30am Mass in the Foyer.

PRAYER MINISTRY: The 2nd Sunday of every month in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel after Mass. 11th November.

PARENT TODDLER GROUP: Tuesdays 9.00-11.30am in the Centre, during term time.

ST JOAN'S YOUTH CLUB: Fridays 7.00-9.00pm Year 6,7,8's and above Further details stjoansyouthclub@hotmail.co.uk or contact Clive: 07980177601/Vince: 733876. 9th November Bonfire &

ARCAID AGM 2018 – 26th November 8pm

St Joan's Parish overseas aid charity AGM - will be held in the Parish Centre at 8pm on Monday 26th November.

All members of the parish are invited to attend, to find out more about the projects the charity has supported over the past year. These have included work in India, Malawi, Uganda, Tanzania, Sierra Leone and Guatemala, amongst others.

Charlotte McDowell, who has close ties with the Franciscan Sisters at Ladywell, Godalming, will talk about the work of the Franciscans in The Cameroons, where Arcaid is supporting the education of three girls from very poor families.

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THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 4 th November 2018 Cycle B Year II Psalter Week 3	
Saturday 3rd November	
9.30am	Adoration
11.00am	Baptism Esmee Wood & Remy Wood
Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary	
5.30pm	Confession
6.00pm Vigil Mass of Sunday	Mass: Holy Souls & DRF of the Thompson Family
Sunday 4th November	
9.15am	Mass: Holy Souls & Francis Spackman RIP
11.15am	Mass: Holy Souls & Harry Quigley RIP
6.00pm	Mass: Holy Souls & Sue Kirkham RIP
Monday 5th November	
9.30am	Adoration
Tuesday 6th November	
9.30am	Adoration
7.00pm	Mass: Holy Souls
7.30pm	Rosary
Wednesday 7th November	
9.30am	Adoration
Thursday 8th November	
9.15am	School Mass Y4: Holy Souls
Friday 9th November -	
11.30am	Mass: Holy Souls
Saturday 10th November	
9.30am	Adoration
11.00am	Baptism: Edward Vaughan
Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary	
5.30pm	Confession
6.00pm Vigil Mass of Sunday	Mass: Holy Souls & Peter Shannon RIP
Sunday 11th November	
REMEMBRANCE DAY	
9.15am	Mass: DRF Borelli Family
11.15am	Mass: Dead of Two Great Wars

Let us pray for those in our families who are unwell at this time and especially for:

Andrea Hay, Deirdre O'Flaherty, Stephen Barnes, Sheila Thorp, Frances Watt, Brigid Davis, Eileen Garvey, Christiane Nangle, Helen Dolan, Elinor Scully, Catherine Clifford, Roopa Jayapal, Anne Gilks, Sara Sundaram, Francis Galliano, Fergus O'Connor, Barbara Wooster, Carmen Ross, Jurek Ciaglinski, and for all others in our Parish community who are unwell at this time.

We pray for Paddy-Anne Brown RIP who died recently and for May Rollins RIP whose Funeral will take place on Wednesday 21st November at 11am here at St Joan's.

And for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Michael Blunt, Eric Wiscombe, Angela Jones, Lawrence Kirwan, Molly Moore, Ania Botwin, Troy Eames, Ken Verbruggen. William Cooper, Wilfred Hildreth.

May the Lord grant them all a place in His Kingdom

Mass Attendance 27th/28th October: Saturday Vigil Mass 6pm: 131 Sunday 9.15am: 148 11.15am: 186 6pm: 175 = 640

SMALL GROUPS will be held in the Parish throughout Advent. The weekly, faith sharing meetings will be based around a booklet "Lift up your Hearts". Please put your name on the Sign Up Sheets at the back of the Church if you would like to take part. "Small Groups are for belonging, trusting and reflecting on life" (Cardinal Cormac).

6.00pm

Mass: Holy Souls



ST JOAN OF ARC LEGENDARY CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Saturday 24th November 10:45am-1:30pm

May we appeal: for the GRAND RAFFLE: Grand and Princely Gifts for the stalls: Toys, Gifts, Cosmetics, Toiletries, Books, Jewellery, Bottles, Chocolate & Sweets. **Lots & lots of Cakes + Mince pies, - homemade (or bought),** Homemade jams/pickles/chutney. Please leave items in the Church porch. Offers of help please contact:
Anne Connelly 737657/Paul Pike 734783

THE ARC BAND CHRISTMAS MUSIC EVENING.

Saturday 1st December 7.30pm

Come and celebrate the First weekend of Advent with the Arc Band. Tickets will be on sale soon.



ST JOAN'S CHRISTMAS BAZAAR - 24TH NOVEMBER.

We have all the traditional stalls - tombola, cakes, gifts, toiletries, bottles, and of course our cafe serving Irish Coffee and bacon sandwiches. Especially recommended is our Silent Auction where parishioners make a bid for some new or good quality second hand items - last year our top items were a TV and stand, 2 adult bikes, two gorgeous new handmade cushions and a sewing machine. We are looking at ringing some changes this year for our smaller (younger!) parishioners to make it a more interesting event for them. More on that closer to the date. Ofcourse we are reliant on our parishioners to make the Bazaar a success - both with their generous donations for all the stalls and attending the event on the day. We have it on good authority that Santa has it in his diary so we hope you will put it in yours too....

SUNDAY PARISH LUNCH 11th November at 12.30pm

Price per head £7. For bookings contact: **Tony Calway 01252 820344** or email athc@btinternet.com Please state clearly your full name; the number of diners and your telephone number. NUMBERS ARE LIMITED – TO ENSURE YOUR PLACE PLEASE BOOK EARLY!! Last bookings taken on the **5th November. Helpers meeting in the Parish Office area/foyer on Tuesday 6th November at 7.30pm.** We are always on the lookout for new cooks and helpers! Everyone is warmly welcome to come along to the meeting.

(We are looking for someone to take over the Sunday Parish Lunches after Christmas 2018 please contact Tony for details.)

2nd COLLECTION 4th November: Retired Priest's Fund (Gift Aid).

THE ARC MAGAZINE: If you would like to write a piece for the Annual Arc Magazine or if you would like to advertise your company please send it in to Cecilia
stjoansoffice2@btinternet.com

ALPHA PLANNING MEETING Sunday 4th November at 6.45pm in the Parish Centre. For anyone interested in finding out how they might help with next year's course.

ALPHA COURSE -Dates for the diary. There will be two streams running at the same time. Thursdays 10.30-12.00 25th April to 18th July; and Sundays 18.45-20.30 28th April to 21st July. There is

also a full day for both streams on Saturday 15th June from 10.00-16.00.

HOSPITALITY AT ST JOAN'S: The hospitality team is looking for volunteers to support social and fundraising events and other activities in the parish. We are not asking for a regular commitment, but support on an occasional ad hoc basis as the need arises. Examples include baking a cake, making a pan of soup or chilli, a bowl of salad or a plate of sandwiches, or serving tea and coffee after Masses. We are also hoping to reintroduce coffee after the 11.15 Mass on the third Sunday of each month. Please get in touch with Cecilia in the parish office if you can help in any of these ways.

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY: 11th November. Our beautiful church.....two War Memorials record the names of parishioners who died in two World wars – the brass memorial, remembering the 1914 – 1918 war, came from St Polycarp's church in Bear Lane, the Catholic Church in Farnham which preceded St Joan's. A name recorded is of J O'Donnell who had been an altar server up to the time he joined the army. May they Rest in Peace.

ALL HALLOWS WILL BE HOLDING A REMEMBRANCE MASS: for the Departed on Wednesday 14 November 2018, in the School Chapel 6.00-7.30pm. If you would like names of family and friends to be remembered at the service please send by email to Ann Haigh at All Hallows School a.haigh@allhallows.net Please join us for refreshments afterwards.

OUR NEXT PARISH WALK: ...will take place on **THURSDAY 15TH NOVEMBER.** Our leader for this walk will be JOHN (HARVEY). Meet in the Church carpark at 9.30 a.m. on the day as per usual.

DAY OF REFLECTION FOR EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION: on **Saturday 17th November** from 11am -4pm at Christ the Prince of Peach, Weybridge. Packed lunch needed. Please book ruth.gerun@dabnet.org or 01293 651164

ST ELISABETH CONVENT IN BELARUS will be visiting our Parish on the **17th/18th November** to sell their handmade products to support their rehab centres in Belarus.

MISSIO RED BOXES will be collected after all Masses **17th/18th November** by Sallie Wheeler. Please bring your boxes to Church over that weekend. Thank you.

DIOCESAN PASTORAL PLAN: Bishop Richard Moth is hosting a meeting on **Monday 19th November 2018** 7pm at St Joseph's Church, Guildford regarding the outcome of all the submissions that were gathered from each parish on our Diocese. **Everyone is welcome to attend.**

ST POLYCARP'S SCHOOL SIGN UP on **Sunday 2nd December** after the **9.15am** Mass. If you require a supplementary form signing for entry to St Polycarp's School 2019.

FIRST CONFESSION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2019: 9.15am Mass every Sunday. **November 4th** Parents meeting in the Centre after the **9.15am** Mass.

CONFIRMATION EXPERIENCE 2019: Session 1 - **4th November** 4.30pm in the Centre.

THE BIG ENCOUNTER - DIOCESAN YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT FESTIVAL, NEXT SATURDAY, WORTH ABBEY It's happening next **Saturday (the 10th)** at the Performing Arts Centre, Worth Abbey, starting at 6.30pm and ending at around 9.30.

YOUTH MASS

EVERY SUNDAY AT 6PM