

OUR PARISH NEWSLETTER



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Caterham Whyteleafe Godstone

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St Philip Howard

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Solemnity Proper Psalms

St Philip Howard 1557-1595

Born in the Strand, London, Philip Howard was the only child of Thomas Howard, 4th Duke of Norfolk, and Lady Mary FitzAlan, daughter of Henry FitzAlan, 12th Earl of Arundel. He was baptised at Whitehall Palace with the Royal Family in attendance, and was named after his godfather, King Philip II of Spain.

Philip Howard was born during the upheaval of the Reformation. His home from the age of seven was a former Carthusian monastery. At the age of fourteen, he was married to his stepsister, Anne Dacre. He graduated at St John's College, Cambridge in 1574 and was about eighteen when he attended Queen Elizabeth's Court.[3] His life had been a frivolous one both at Cambridge and at Court where he was a favourite of the Queen.

In 1569, on 1 October, Philip Howard's father, Thomas Howard, was arrested for his intrigues against Queen Elizabeth I. His father was attainted and executed in 1572, but Philip Howard succeeded to his mother's heritage upon the death of his grandfather, becoming Earl of Arundel in 1580.[1] He was present in 1581, at a debate in the Tower of London between, Fr Edmund Campion, Jesuit, Fr Ralph Sherwin, and a group of Protestant theologians. He was so impressed by the Catholics that he experienced a conversion moment. He renounced his previous, frivolous life and was reconciled with his wife.

Howard, as did many of his family, remained Catholic recusants during the reign of Queen Elizabeth. They also attempted to leave England without permission. While some might have been able to do this unobserved, Howard was second cousin (once removed) of the Queen. He was betrayed by a servant and arrested not long after his ship set sail from Littlehampton. Howard was committed to the Tower of London on 25 April 1585, while his wife was expecting their child, whom he never was to see. While charges of high treason were never proved, he spent ten years in the Tower, until his death of dysentery. Queen Elizabeth never signed the death warrant, but Philip was never told. He was kept constantly in fear of execution, although comforted by the companionship of a dog, which served as go-between with Philip and other prisoners, most notably the priest Robert Southwell. Although these two great men never met, Philip's dog helped them to deepen their friendship and exchange encouragement in each other's plight. Philip loved his pet, who is remembered along with him in a statue at Arundel Cathedral.

One day Philip scratched into a wall of his cell these words: "Quanto plus afflictiones pro Christo in hoc saeculo, tanto plus gloriae cum Christo in futuro" – 'the more affliction we endure for Christ in this world, the more glory we shall obtain with Christ in the next' (cf. Rom 8).

He had petitioned the Queen as he lay dying to allow him to see his wife and his son, who had been born after his imprisonment. The Queen responded that "If he will but once attend the Protestant Service, he shall not only see his wife and children, but be restored to his honours and estates with every mark of my royal favour." To this, Philip is supposed to have replied, "Tell Her Majesty if my religion be the cause for which I suffer, sorry I am that I have but one life to lose." He remained in the Tower, never seeing his wife or son again and died alone on Sunday, 19 October 1595. He was immediately acclaimed as a Catholic Martyr.

He was buried without ceremony beneath the floor of the church of St Peter ad Vincula, inside the walls of the Tower. Twenty nine years later, his widow and son obtained permission from King James I of England to move the body to the Fitzalan Chapel located on the western grounds of Arundel Castle.

Saint Philip Howard is one of the patron saints of the Diocese of Arundel and Brighton. Arundel Cathedral, originally known as the Church of St. Philip Neri, was commissioned by the 15th Duke of Norfolk in 1868. It was created a Cathedral in 1965 and its dedication was changed to Our Lady and St. Philip Howard in October 1970. His tomb was moved to the Cathedral in 1971 and remains a site of pilgrimage.

From the Wikipedia article: Philip Howard, 20th Earl of Arundel.

First Holy Communion 2015



Dates for your diary:

- **06/11/14 (Thursday)** – 2nd Parents Evening, 8pm - Old Hall
- **08/01/15 (Thursday)** – 3rd Parents Evening, 8pm - Old Hall
- **11/01/15 (Sunday)** – Children's 1st Session and Enrolment Mass (10:30am)

Please keep an eye out for any changes in dates.

Have you registered with the Parish yet? Forms can be downloaded from the website www.sacred-heart.co.uk, (under Our Parish). There are also some hard copies at the back of the church.

If you have any questions, please contact **Anne Marie Young** either via email on fhc.sacredheart@gmail.com or by mobile on **07949 938 984**.

Drivers required



Please contact the Parish Office if you would be able to collect a Parishioner for Sunday Masses (for any of the 3 Masses) and return them home again after Mass. We need a driver to collect from Hillcroft Court on Chaldon Road and a driver to and from Banstead Road.

Many thanks

Second collection

Today there will be a second collection for Missio. Please use the Missio envelopes at the back of the Church. This collection is not gift aid-able to the Parish.

Caterham Overseas Aid Trust - Date for your diary



Barn Dance on
Saturday 22nd November 2014 at 7pm



Fr John Oliver - Oxted & Warlingham Parish Priest

Please keep Fr John in your prayers as he recovers from his recent surgery.



Diary Date: CAFOD Quiz Night on Friday 28th November

St Francis School invite all past and present students and families to join them at the Sacred Heart Centenary Hall on Friday 14 November @7.30pm to say thank you to Mrs Burke for all that she has done at St Francis School. We look forward to seeing you there, children are welcome. The bar will be open to purchase drinks. Please RSVP direct to the School PTA.

Offertory Collection

Sincere thanks for your generosity last weekend:

Offertory - £889.73 (Gift Aid £342.92)

Second collection for the Prisoners Relief - £82.27.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion ("Eucharistic ministers")

If you are taking Holy Communion from Mass to the sick or housebound, please would you in future observe the following procedure:

On the credence (side table) in the sanctuary there will be a box with unconsecrated hosts. Please place in your own pyx the number of hosts you require and place it on the little tray which will later be brought to the altar at the offertory to be consecrated. You will need to make sure you can identify your own pyx. There is, therefore, no need to leave notes with names on.

Please come to the altar step after Communion to receive the Blessed Sacrament and a blessing, and then leave the church directly.

If you have other duties after Mass, or are ministering at that Mass, please mention this to me beforehand, and I will leave your pyx on the High Altar by the tabernacle for you to collect when you are ready after Mass is over.

God bless you for your kind ministry to the sick.

CAFOD's Concert in Arundel Cathedral

The distinguished **Weybridge Male Voice Choir** will be giving a concert, which will also feature music from The Opera Bellas on the 1st of November 2014 at 7pm (approximately 2 hours). Tickets are £10 and £5 for under 16s and Professed Religious. Refreshments will be served during the interval. Contact: arundelandbright-on@cafod.org.uk (01483 898866) for more information or to buy tickets.

Date for your diary Parish Christmas Pantomime!

Sunday 7th December 2014
at 2pm
Look out for ticket
information



Go Carefully

Please remember to take care at this time of year while walking around the Church and Halls as wet leaves are slippery.

WHAT'S ON IN THE PARISH THIS WEEK

Sun 19th: Children's liturgy at 9 & 10.30am Mass
Coffee & Teas after 10:30am Mass
(M O'Donoghue & A Baker) 
12pm - 2pm Sacred Heart Club open
3pm Mass for St Philip Howard: Arundel
Cathedral Mass followed by Tea & Coffee.

Mon: Coffee & Tea after Mass (Old Hall)

Tues: 9:15am - 11:15 am Toddler Group (Old Hall)

Wed: 8pm RCIA (Sacristy)

Fri: 7:30pm - 11pm Sacred Heart Club open

Sun 26th: Children's liturgy at 9 & 10.30am Mass
Coffee & Teas after 10:30am Mass
(M & S Fanthome)

ENCOUNTER EVENING FOR CATHOLICS AGED 15-30

The ENCOUNTER evenings are a hugely popular event for young Catholics, featuring music, speakers and a chance to meet other young Catholics in a friendly environment. The next event is Friday October 31st and we are doing a Catholic take on Halloween. It's called ENCOUNTER: ALL HALLOWS EVE, and there will be a Mass with some great music and then some social time. We are always really excited to welcome new people, so if you haven't been before please don't be afraid. You will be very welcome. Search for 'ENCOUNTER: ALL HALLOWS EVE' on Facebook for more info. John (Jack) Regan | Chaplain

ITEM 105 words

HOST is looking for kind, friendly, hospitable people who are inspired by the idea of welcoming an international student at university here, far from his or her own family, to their home. This could be for a day, a weekend or Christmas, and you don't need to live near a university, as students will travel for the privilege of meeting you, learning about real life in this country, and sharing their own culture. HOST is a voluntary activity which makes ambassadors for international goodwill of us all. Please see www.hostuk.org or call HOST Office on 0207 739 6292. Thank you.

'The next **5.15 Leaven Group** meeting:
Tuesday 28th October 7.30pm, 'Old Hall'.

We welcome, feedback and suggestions on how to sustain and develop our worship and community life. Please speak to a member of the Leaven Group after Mass, write comments on the suggestion sheets in the porch or come along to the meeting. For further details contact Janet D B. 01883 712440 jdoyleblunden@gmail.com or via the parish office'

Discovering Priesthood Day:

An opportunity to explore a vocation to the priesthood with, at the same time, a chance to visit St John's Seminary and meet seminarians. Included in the day is a time for prayer, discussion, relaxation and activities as well as Holy Mass for All Saint's Day. On 1 November at St John's Seminary, Wonersh, Guildford GU5 0QX from 10am-5pm for Men aged 16-50. More information from Fr Terry Martin 07545 576627 orvocations@dabnet.org



Your Prayers are requested for the following persons who are ill or housebound.

Pat Knight; Kathleen & John Saunders; Helen Keogh;
Daisy Hill; Connie Cronin; Christopher Browne;
Kit Monk; Krista Thompson; Jane Hill; Rosemary Whale;
Pam Weaver; Jimmy & Bridie Mullen; Jim & Bernie Horrocks; Margaret Robertson; Heather Tordimah;
Jenny Rower; Elizabeth Daley; Eileen Lattimore;
Bryan Smith; Diane Bailey; Rose Knight; Oliver Farrell;
Richard Richardson; Seeta Pillay; Christopher Miles;
Pat McCoy; Olive Wood; John Dunlop, Elise O'Connor,
Malcolm Bowen & John Gilford.



John Fisher School currently have the following vacancies

PUBLIC EXAMINATION INVIGILATORS required as soon as possible

The John Fisher School is currently looking to increase its team of Public Examination Invigilators. You will be required to work for a period of 6 weeks during May and June and to invigilate internal examinations throughout the year. To be remunerated at £8.00 per hour.

Telephone enquiries to Mrs Bourne, Examinations Officer are welcome. Application forms (support staff) are available by downloading via the website on www.johnfisherschool.org where further information on the school may also be found. Completed application forms should be sent with a covering letter to Mrs Rigby, Office Manager on jrigby3@suttonmail.org by the closing date Monday, 20th October 2014. Interviews will be held on Thursday, 23 October 2014.

The School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and to equality of opportunity. An enhanced disclosure from the Disclosure and Barring Service will be required.



Weddings

Congratulations to Alistair Dean & Carly Sands who will be married this week.



Baptisms

Next week Harry Thomas Lamb will be baptised.

Jubilee Event ~ Follow Me: Exploring What it Means to be a Disciple of Jesus Today - Speaker Fr Christopher Jamison, Director of the National Office of Vocation and monk of Worth Abbey on Saturday 15th November 10am - 3:30pm at Cardinal Newman Catholic School, Upper Drive, Hove. The day includes Talks, Mass, Adoration and Reconciliation. No booking necessary. Bring a packed lunch. To find out more, email admin@wellspringbrighton.org.uk.



School application form signing

Fr Seán will sign your School application forms after Sunday Masses. Please complete as much of the form as possible and if you have a reference letter from Fr Kieran please bring this along with you.

CONTACTS

Parish Office:

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9.30 am - 12.30 pm)
info@sacred-heart.co.uk
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Baptism Preparation:

John Baron 0208 763 2144

Marriage Preparation:

(6 months notice required) - Fr Seán

Journey of Faith (RCIA):

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Chair of Liturgy Group:

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elizabeth.wood11@btinternet.com

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First Holy Communion

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Safeguarding:

Dee Hall and Jacqui Voorbach
e-mail: safeguardingreps@gmail.com

Gift Aid:

Peter Kelly 01883 330684
peterf_kelly@o2.co.uk

Tuesday Toddlers 9.30-11.00:

Kelly Coyne: 07921 030991
kelly.coyne@btinternet.com

Parish Youth Clubs:

(First Friday during school term. 7pm)
Mel Flaherty
youthclubsacredheart@gmail.com

5th Caterham Scouts

Paul Lovell: 07712 436591

Chill Club

Veronique Wood

Chair of Parish Finance:

Rayon Brown - raybrown2006@aol.com

St. Francis Primary School:

Head teacher: Maria Wheeler
01883 342005

THIS WEEK—SERVICES, MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Sunday 19th

St Philip Howard

9:00am Mass

People of the Parish

10:30am Mass

Joan Borrás RIP

5:15pm Mass

Annie Duffy Ints (Maura)

Monday 20th

10:00 am Mass

Brenda & John Gilford Ints

Tuesday 21st

10.00 am Mass

In Thanksgiving (Mullen Family)

Wednesday 22nd

10.00am Latin Mass

Stan & Joan Roberts RIP (P Roberts)

Thursday 23rd

10.00 am Mass

Daniel Leonard RIP (A Bell)

Friday 24th

7.00 pm Mass

Alfred & Marie (A Edward)

Saturday 25th

10.00 am Mass

Michael Murray RIP (M Flanagan)

Sunday 26th

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am Mass

John Wood RIP

10:30am Mass

People of the Parish

5:15pm Mass

Joan Borrás RIP

Confessions every Saturday 10:30 – 11:00am

Lauds Mondays at 9:45 am

Rosary Wednesday at 9:40am & Friday at 6:40pm

Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesdays: 9am - 10am; Saturdays: 9am – 11am

