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THIS WEEK—SERVICES, MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS	
Sunday 6th	<i>Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C</i>
9:00am Mass	Ann Walker Int (M & E Tully)
10:30am Mass	Leo Fellner RIP (B Ahearne)
5:15pm Mass	People of the Parish
Monday 7th	<i>Our Lady of the Rosary</i>
10:00am Mass	Maura Reilly Ints (Peggy)
Tuesday 8th	
10.00 am Mass	Joan Borrás RIP
Wednesday 9th	<i>St Denis and Companions</i>
10.00 am Mass	NO MASS
Thursday 10th	
10:00am Mass	Beryl Dickenson RIP
Friday 11th	
10:00am Mass	Bridie McCarthy Int (Peggy)
Saturday 12th	<i>St. Wilfrid</i>
10:00am Mass	John O’Gorman RIP (O’Gorman family)
Sunday 13th	<i>Twenty Eight Sunday in Ordinary Times Year C</i>
9:00am Mass	People of the Parish
10:30am Mass	Paddy & Sally Creton RIP (M Hill)
5:15pm Mass	Bridie Anderson RIP (M Haugh)



Confessions every Saturday 10:30 – 11:00am
Lauds Mondays at 9.45am
Rosary Thursday & Friday at 9:40am
Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament
Tuesdays: 9am - 10am; 1pm -2pm ;
Saturdays: 9am – 11am;
HEALING MASS with Benediction every first Friday at 10:00am



SACRED HEART PARISH NEWSLETTER



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6th October 2013
27th Sunday in O.T.



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Week 51 in the Year of
Faith



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A Call to Action

Around a hundred people from around the diocese, including some priests, a few from across the border in Southward, and a visitor from Llanelli in Wales, attended the first open meeting of ACTA (A Call to Action) at the Sacred Heart Caterham on 28th September. The main speaker was Fr. Tom O’Loughin, Professor of Historical Theology at Nottingham University. His themes were discipleship and the vision of Vatican II. The audience was engrossed as he explained how St. Paul had treated each of the Churches to which he wrote as individual communities with their own special positives and problems. The largest house church in Corinth would probably accommodate no more than 50 people. New disciples were attracted by existing ones living out their discipleship. As the community grew a new house church would be started in the neighbouring street, and so on. Pages of the letters would be passed from one to another. Fr Tom then moved to the Middle Ages, where again village churches often would serve 50-150 people at most. As in the early church, Presiders at the Eucharist would emerge from the communities, their ministry confirmed by ordination. It was an organic system in contrast to the modern model where a bishop has centres of populations round the diocese and provides priests from the pool available. He then described how, prior to Vatican II, Mass was ‘heard’ by the people with minimum requirement of being present for the gospel and staying until the priest’s communion, with few receiving communion. Vatican II brought back, among others, the idea of priest and people coming together to worship God and celebrating Mass together and Communion was not just for the holy few. However, although the Council changed structures, it was top down. What was needed and what Pope Francis is now showing us is the need for a change in attitude for the vision to flourish. Community discipleship works continually, and that is how we need to operate in future through small groups.

Community Leaders: I am beginning the process of discernment towards the election by yourselves of community Leaders and deputies from amongst the 9 am, 10.30 am & 5.15 pm Masses respectively so that, should it happen that I was unable to celebrate the Masses on Sundays for one reason or another or perhaps during my absence and the supply priest failed to turn up, that these elected Leaders would lead a Liturgy of the Word with Communion and which would also fulfil the Sunday obligation. Bishop Kieran has sanctioned this. Once upon a time there were ample priests to call upon to supply but this is no longer the case and it is getting increasingly more difficult to find them. Some of the supply priests I have used recently are well into their 80’s. I have invited core representatives from among the Leaven Groups who will meet shortly to advise me the best way to process this so that guided by prayer and the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, Community Leaders, whether they be male or female will be chosen by yourselves through a ballot. In the meantime, if you feel that you would like to be considered for such a responsible position, please let me have your name by the 18th October. If proposing someone else, make sure you seek their permission first.

WHAT'S ON IN THE PARISH THIS WEEK

Sun: Children's liturgy at 9am & 10:30am
Tea & Coffee after 9 am & 10:30am Mass.
(Grainne Adamson & Diane Lawless)
12-2 pm The Club is open
School application form signing following the
10.30 am and 5.15 pm Masses today in Old Hall.

Mon: Tea/Coffee after the 10 am Mass in Old Hall
7pm Cubs in Old Hall

Tue: 9.30 am - 11.00 am Mother & Toddler Group
in Old Hall.
6.30 pm Beavers in Old Hall
7.30 pm Scouts in Old Hall.

Wed: 8.00 pm R.C.I.A.

Thurs: 9:30am – Primary School parents group (Bar)

Fri: 7:30pm -11 pm The Club is open

Sat: 9:30am - 12:45pm Glow Drama club (Old Hall)
11.15 am Form signing for School entrances in
parish office

Sun: Children's liturgy at 9am & 10:30am Masses.
Tea & Coffee after 10:30am Mass (Helen Step
toe & Claire Bentley)
11.15 am - Volunteers meeting for Xmas Fayre in
Bar

Car Parking

*Please be considerate of others
when parking in the church car
Park and should you happen to
block others in, please move
your car as soon as Mass is
over.*

Golden Jubilee

Our sincerest congratulation to Peter & Terri
Patterson who celebrated their Golden Jubi-
lee of Marriage yesterday. Ad multos annos

Offertory Collection

Sincere thanks for your generosity .
Last Sunday: £880.12 (Gift Aid £318.03)

CHRISTMAS FAIR VOLUNTEERS



We are holding a **volunteers meeting**
for anyone who would like to be involved in our
Christmas Fair this year (24th November).
Whether you want to help run a stall on the day
or just in the preparation please come along to
the bar after the **10:30 Mass next Sun-
day 13th October**. If you are unable to attend
the meeting but would still like to help please con-
tact Carina Cordina at [carinacordi-
na79@gmail.com](mailto:carinacordina79@gmail.com) We look forward to seeing you
there.

Tickets for the Silent Auction and Cheese and
Wine evening are now on sale you can reserve
your ticket by contacting Carina Cordina at [carina-
cordina79@gmail.com](mailto:carina-cordina79@gmail.com). There are fantastic items
up for grabs on the day including a pair of VIP tick-
ets with VIP hospitality for Les Miserable a round
of golf for four people at Surrey National Golf Club
and Chocolart Gift Vouchers.
Tickets are £7 each.

The Safeguarding Reps will be in the Parish Office
on **20 October and 17 November** after both morn-
ing Masses to check ID, sign forms and for any oth-
er queries. Could any Eucharistic Ministers who
are not already DBS checked please complete the
necessary paperwork and come to see us on those
dates. The forms can be downloaded from our
Parish Website Safeguarding page or alternatively
pick the forms up from the back of the Church.

Thank you

Primary & Secondary School Forms Signing / References

I will accept forms /names for entry to
Primary & Secondary School on:
Today 6th in the Old Hall after the 10.30 am Mass
and after the 5.15 pm Mass and again this Saturday
12th October at 11.15 am in the Parish Office. *(I
will post the priest signature section onto St Francis
School myself).*

St Francis Open Morning

Prospective parents for children's entry in 2014
may visit the School on:

Tuesday 8th October or Wednesday 20th November at
9:30am. The Head teacher will speak at 10:30am.

CHILDREN'S NEARLY NEW SALE

SATURDAY 9TH NOVEMBER 2013 - 10AM- 1PM
ADMISSION: ADULTS - 50P , CHILDREN - FREE
IN THE CENTENARY HALL

Please contact Kelly on 07921030991 if you could like to hire a
table to sell goods at £10 per table.



Cafod Harvest Fast Day

Second Collection today for CAFOD..

Baptisms in October

We welcome the following children into the Family of the
Church and Parish during October:
Annabel Rodriguez **Williams**; Jennifer Freya **Dixon**; Joseph
Ian Trumper-**Rennie**; Evelyn Rosa **Chang**; Amelia Grace
Jones; Beatrice Colette **Mason**; Oluwatomi Jessica
Famoritade.

Hall Manager

Reluctantly Nathalie has had to relinquish her
position as Hall Manager due to the birth of her
third baby . Our sincere thanks to her for manag-
ing the bookings so diligently and smoothly.
Miguel Pires has kindly agreed to replace her.
The phone number remains the same.

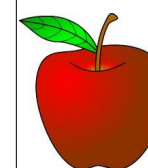
Dei Verbum

The next major document from Vatican II "Dei Verbum"
will be looked at and discussed on the Mondays of 21st &
28th October following the 10 am Mass with Fr Kieran.
The Bishop's letter today speaks of this.

Your Prayers are requested for the following persons.

Pat Knight, Kathleen & John Saunders, Helen
Keogh, Daisy Hill, Connie Cronin, Christopher
Browne, Kit Monk, Krista Thompson, Jane Hill,
Rosemary Whale, Michael Labonte, Leon & So-
phie Kozlowski, Pam Weaver, Jimmy & Bridie
Mullen, Jim & Bernie Horrocks, Margaret Robert-
son, Tess Gully, Heather Tordimah, Jenny Row-
er, Ken Archer, Jenny Trumper, Elizabeth Daley,
Mary Tanner; Peter Hanley; Eileen Lattimore;
Bryan Smith; Diane Bailey; Nicholas Crapp, Rose
Knight, Oliver Farrell; Richard Richardson; Enny
Martin; Seeta Pillay; Avi Aaronson.

Home grown produce



Do you have any excess home produce
(fruits, potatoes, courgettes etc.) that
you would be happy to share with your
fellow Parishioners? If so bring them
along to Church on Sunday 13th Octo-
ber where all parishioners can share their goods.
We have a donation of cooking apples coming in so
please bring your bags! This is for one Sunday only.

FOOD BANK

Please see the posters at the back of the Church de-
tailing the types of food you need to start donating for
our food bank. There are also posters with shopping
lists printed out. PLEASE START NOW! We need
good stocks of food if we are to open at the end of
November. Our Food Bank will be held at St Thom-
as's, Station Road, Whyteleafe, and we are now in the
process of cleaning the building up. "Clean sweep"
days are planned for 11th and 12th Oct at St Thomas.
On Friday 11th, it would be from 11 to 3pm, on Satur-
day, 11 to 1pm, but I will probably be there most of
Saturday, so if they wanted to do more.....
(refreshments provided!) PLEASE HELP! Anyone will-
ing and able to wield a mop, bucket, duster or broom
PLEASE contact Kate Spillett (01883 653029
kspillett@talktalk.net). I the planning meeting in the
old hall on Friday, 11th October from 7pm to 8pm.

Important Dates - 2014

First Holy Communion Day - Saturday June 14th
Confirmations: Saturday May 17th at 11 am (Redhill)