

Parish of the Sacred Heart,



Caterham

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Today there will be a second collection for The Education of Future Priests. This is eligible for Parish Gift Aid.

WHAT'S ON IN THE PARISH THIS WEEK

- Sun 22nd: Children's liturgy after morning Masses
Coffee & Teas after Masses
- Mon 23rd: Coffee & Tea after 10AM Mass
- Tues 24th: 9:15-11:15AM Toddler Group (St T's Hall)
7:30PM Choir (Old Hall)
- Wed 25th: 8:30AM Ecumenical morning prayer
(Caterham Community Church)
8:00PM Journey of Faith (Old Hall)
- Fri 27th: 7.30PM Celebration of Confirmation
- Sat 28th: 1:30PM FHC Session 8B (Old Hall)
- Sun 29th: Children's liturgy after morning Masses
10:00AM Youth Choir rehearsal (Old Hall)
Coffee & Teas after 10:45AM Mass

Morning Prayer every Monday 9:40AM

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament every
Tuesday and Saturday 9AM to 10AM

Rosary every Thursday 9:40AM

Confessions every Saturday 10:45AM – 11:15AM

Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour -
after Saturday Mass

Benediction every Sunday 4:45PM

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sincere thanks for your generosity last weekend:
Collection: £ 806.62 (Gift Aid £ 382.59)

SUNDAY 22ND APRIL 2018

FOURTH SUNDAY EASTER

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

Sunday 22nd

9:00AM -

Brian Maguire RIP (P & B Lovat)

10:45AM -

Don Hancock RIP (J Doyle)

5:15PM -

People of the Parish

Monday 23rd

St George

10:00AM -

Edward Caffrey RIP (J Watts)

Tuesday 24th

10:00AM -

Gina White RIP (G White)

Wednesday 25th

St Mark

10:00AM Latin Mass -

Agnes & John Fahy RIP

11:30AM Funeral - Terence Egan

Thursday 26th

10:00AM -

Philip Lank RIP (M Hopkins)

Friday 27th

7:30PM -

Celebration of Confirmation

Saturday 28th

*Sts Peter Chanel & Louis Marie
Grignon de Montfort*

10:00AM -

Florence Scott (Foundation)

Sunday 29th

Fifth Sunday of Easter

9:00AM -

Don Hancock RIP (Peggy)

10:45AM -

People of the Parish

5:15PM -

Frank & Vera Pullin RIP
(Pullin family)

Tickets are now on sale for this popular event. (£8 adults, £4 children). Donations to CAFOD up to 12th May will be doubled by the UK government, so please support the Vintage Tea and help us to raise lots of money to support poor communities around the world. We will submit as much of the proceeds as possible in advance, to benefit from the match-funding! Tickets are available after Sunday Masses or from Vera (01883 348373).

PARISH PLANT SALE

Our first Parish Plant Sale takes place in 3 Weeks time on Sunday 6th May after all Masses. Proceeds from the sale will be shared between the beavers crocus planting on the lawn in front of the church and the Gatwick Detainees Welfare Group. Plants should be brought to the old hall after 2 o'clock on Saturday 5th May, labelled and priced if possible. If you can help with the setting up of the stall or selling plants, please contact me on the number below or email the office on info@sacred-heart.co.uk Moyra Brohier, 342928.

FISH & CHIP LUNCH



Wednesday lunch on 2nd May has been rescheduled to

Friday 4th May 1PM in the Centenary Hall. Price for Fish & Chip lunch will be £5. Please put your name down on the list in the Church porch if you would like to join.

YOUTH CHOIR

We would like to call the young people of our Parish to join our Youth Choir who will sing at each Holy Communion on 12th & 19th of May.

Rehearsal dates: Sun 29 April 10AM, Sun 6 May 4.45PM, Thu 10 May 6PM & Thu 17 May 6PM. If possible please try to make at least two rehearsals. Ideally children/young people related to /friends of FHC candidates or church members. Please rsvp to: musica@sacred-heart.co.uk before 29th April (first rehearsal) if you're able to make it.

Thank you to the parishioners that were kind enough to sponsor Amelia and Anne Ford, they raised an amazing £745, for the Royal Marsden with walking the Marsden March.



We look at the celebration Confirmation and the fruits of the Holy Spirit Join us – and also for our consideration of the readings for next Sunday. All welcome! 8.00PM Wednesday 25th April, in the Old Hall

SVP



Film Club – Monday 30th April

This month's film will be 'Viceroy's House'. Set in India in 1947, the final Viceroy of India, Lord Mountbatten, is tasked with overseeing the transition of British India to independence, but meets with conflict as different sides clash in the face of monumental change. This film stars Hugh Bonneville (Downton Abbey) and tells the incredible true story of the final months of British rule in India, and of the resilience of the human spirit.

SVP CARAVAN HOLIDAYS

The SVP can offer Parishioners a week's holiday outside of the school terms, in their caravan at Bognor Regis. The charge for a week outside of school term is only £250. The updated caravan has six berths, gas central heating and double glazed, Flat screen TV.

See Website www.rivcentre.co.uk. For further details contact Laurence Kelly on Tel: 07788963909 or Email: laurence.j@hotmail.co.uk

Diary Dates:

SVP Coffee and Cake Sale – Sunday 20th May (after 9AM and 10.45 Masses)

SVP Quiz Night - Friday 15th June (details to follow)

MADABA LINK

Our Easter cards and messages were very well received and appreciated by the refugees in Madaba.

There is a list of names and brief family details of who received your card in the church porch.

Raida, the primary school head, has also sent thanks for the computer



which we financed and

reading books which we sent. She reports they are frequently in use.

The refugees and poor Jordanians in the parish are suffering badly because of Jordan's economic problems. As an example the price of bread has doubled in recent weeks.

There are also reports of



isolated violence against refugees. 'I won't lie to you, we are indeed afraid and over cautious to avoid any future incidents.' (Salaam)

Please remember the people of Madaba in your prayers and keep free the date of our next fundraising lunch on Sunday 10th June. Mike Wood.

The next meeting of the 9AM Leaven group is on Sunday 29th April following the 9AM Mass. We normally meet in the room above the bar. We would greatly welcome anyone interested to join us. If not and there is something regarding the 9AM Mass you would like discussed please speak to one of the group - Pat Magnus, Joy Cutler, Moyra Brohier, Frances Roberts, Cheryl Daly, Rosemary Kinman or Richard or Valory Williams.

MODERN SLAVERY AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING

Saima Raza of Croydon Community against Trafficking will give a talk on this issue at 7.30PM in the old hall on Fri 11th May. Please come along and become better informed about this growing issue in the UK and locally.

CCAT is a coalition of concerned citizens, faith and community groups who aim to stop the injustice of human trafficking within the borough of Croydon. For more details visit the CCAT website which is very informative.

Justice and Peace Group.

THE WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES IN DUBLIN

Only Limited Places still available!

Bishop Richard invites you to join him for the World Meeting of Families in Dublin with the Holy Father, Pope Francis: 21-26 August 2018 sees the arrival of the World Meeting of Families in Dublin,

Ireland. The Diocese is making the most of this wonderful opportunity by organising accommodation and transport for those who would like to attend. It is open to families of all shapes and sizes, from tiny tots to Grandma and Pops! We will be staying together in

Dublin City University accommodation and travelling to events together by coach. A three day congress will be followed by a Festival of Families and a Solemn Eucharistic Celebration with Pope Francis. If you would like more information about the event visit

www.worldmeeting2018.ie/en
If you would like to join us on this journey, please speak to your parish priest about how he can support you financially, and for a booking form. Alternatively you can contact Lizzie of the Diocesan Pastoral team
wmof2018@dabnet.org

MEDJUGORJE IRISH CENTRE PILGRIMAGES 2018: 7 nights B&B and Airport Shuttle service from €279 per person. Book any flight - any time and we provide guaranteed airport shuttle service. Call us for further info and book the dates that suit you. Tel. 020 3239 8662 or email reservations@med-irishcentre.com.

ADOREMUS - NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE AND CONGRESS

Adoremus - National Eucharistic Pilgrimage and Congress - Liverpool 2018: Adoremus ("let us adore") is the title being given to an initiative of all the bishops of England and Wales to create a special opportunity for us to reflect on

the centrality of the Eucharist in our lives.
From 7th to 9th September 2018 there will be a National Eucharistic Congress in Liverpool called Adoremus. Through this event, and all the preparation taking place

before it, we seek to rejuvenate Eucharistic adoration in our parishes as the source of strength for our lives and for our mission, that of making present the love and compassion of Jesus in our society. You can read more about the

Eucharistic Congress here.
A&B Diocesan contact is Canon Tom Treherne whom you can contact via his assistant for the event Liz Fitch on 01424 420815 or by email office.admin@parishofgoodshpherd.co.uk.

ANNUAL FORMATION DAY FOR BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT

Wednesday 23rd May from 10AM (coffee 9.30AM) to 4PM at St Bernadette's Church, Tilgate, Crawley, West Sussex, RH10 5SB. The day will look at how best to support a family when a loved one has a life threatening illness. Please bring a packed lunch. Booking Essential @ katherine.bergin@dabnet.org or ring 01293 651152

DIOCESAN GRANDPARENTS

Wednesday 13 June from 10.45AM at the Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation, Park Lane, West Grinstead RH13 8LT. The day will include Adoration and Reconciliation and Mass with Bishop Richard.

Hot drinks available but bring own packed lunch. Booking Essential with Rosie Read on 01293 651161 or rosie.read@dabnet.org.

A&B ECUMENICAL WALKING PILGRIMAGE - BUCKFAST MILLENNIUM PILGRIMAGE - BUILDING OUR FAITH

The Pilgrimage is from 11-26 August 2018. Are you interested in walking? Do you want to join a travelling Christian community? Come and Walk with them! Their pilgrimage is open to all, so long as you are able to walk about 15 miles per day

at a moderate pace, and sleep on a floor of a church, school or community hall. Breakfast, packed lunch and dinner are included in the price - two weeks for £210. Full details and how to book at www.thepilgrims.org.uk

PRIESTHOOD VOCATION REFLECTION DAY

A day of reflection for single men aged 35-55 who wish to explore if they have a calling to the priesthood. Saturday 9th June 9.30AM – 3.30PM. St. John's Seminary, Wonersh, Guildford, GU5 0QX. For more details contact the Fr. Con Foley - 01932 842643 or email foleycon@gmail.com.

FAMILY FUN DAY TO CELEBRATE THE FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI

Sunday 3 June at St John's Seminary, Wonersh, Guildford GU5 0QX from 1PM including activities, Blessed Sacrament procession with Bishop Richard and ending with tea. To assist with catering please confirm attendance with Katherine Bergin on katherine.bergin@dabnet.org

iFAB – Inclusion Festival Arundel & Brighton: Save the date! Sunday 16th September, from 11.30AM at St Wilfrid's Secondary School, Crawley, RH11 8PG. Mass celebrated by Bishop Richard at 2.30PM. Fellowship, Reflection, Workshops, Refreshments. All Welcome! More details will follow.



Your Prayers are requested for the following people who are ill or housebound:

Pat Knight; Kathleen & John Saunders; Helen Keogh; Daisy Hill; Christopher Browne; Kit Monk; Krista Thompson; Jane Hill; Rosemary Whale; Pam Weaver; Jimmy Mullen; Margaret Robertson; Heather Tordimah; Jenny Rowen; Elizabeth Daley; Eileen, Mel & Rose Lattimore; Bryan Smith; Oliver Farrell; Seeta Pillay; Elise O'Connor, John Gilford, Chris Norman, Baby Tabitha Harrison, Christine Vernon, Maureen Kelly, Mary Wallace, Gina Waiton, Joe Kelly, Ian Lester, Fred Ardley, Charmaine Wise, Breda Sharpe, Richard Sowa, Val Williams, Peter Sore, Emma Newton, Charley Lunn, Ursula Koh, Riche Ahearne & Enny Martin.

First Vespers of Sunday

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

Acts of the Apostles 9:26-31

1 John 3:18-24

John 15:1-8

G O S P E L R E F L E C T I O N

There are two methods of persuading sheep to move from one place to another: the one we are most familiar with (from One Man and his Dog, as well as from getting caught in West Country lanes) is for the shepherd to use intelligent and well-trained dogs to drive the sheep before him. Because there is no leader who knows where to go, the sheep tend to wander here, there and everywhere, and the dogs have to dart around, nipping legs and barking excitedly to keep the flock moving in roughly the right direction.

This is, however, not the only way of moving sheep. The alternative is for the sheep to learn to trust the shepherd and if they identify him as their leader, then they will confidently follow wherever he leads; they are much too anxious to remain united with the rest of the flock to go wandering off on their own. I have seen this system in operation in Ireland, where the sheep happily trotted after the shepherd on the verge of a busy road, never thinking of setting foot onto the tarmac. But, more pertinently, this is the system of the near East also. Our Lord's analogy in today's Gospel only works if one understands this. The bond between sheep and shepherd relies precisely on their relationship of love and trust. To the good shepherd, his sheep are not economic units of wool-covered meat but real individuals whom he calls by name, creatures he loves and is prepared to sacrifice his life to defend.

His analogy is obvious: he is, of course, the Good Shepherd who laid his life down for his sheep, and we the flock who belong to his pasture, who are led by his hand. And since we are called to be Christ to our neighbours, this also ought to be the standard of our relationship with them.

Y O U T H & S C H O O L S

London SW Catholic Young Adults is a social group for young Catholics which meets every month. For further details visit our Facebook page or contact Miles on 07790 441242. Our next social evening is on Saturday, 5th May from 7.30PM at The Hope, Wandsworth Common SW17 7EGLondon SW

S C H O O L O P E N D A Y

Oakwood School, Independent School with a Catholic Ethos for Girls and Boys - Enquiries@oakwoodschool.org.uk
OPEN DAY - 12 May 2018 10AM - 1PM



V A C A N C I E S

Woldingham School, Marden Park, Woldingham, Surrey CR3 7YA Four new vacancies have been added to the website:

- * Teacher of Chemistry
- * Teacher of Physics
- * Head of Theology
- * Teacher of Theology

Full details of the role and how to apply can be found via our website www.woldinghamschool.co.uk/employment-2/teaching

The John Fisher School, Peaks, Purley, Surrey CR8 3YP

SCIENCE TECHNICIAN - required from 1st September 2018. Salary Scale 4/5 - Salary range £19,917 – £24,510 full time equivalent £17,447 - £21,471 pro rata. Please see the notice board for full details.

