

Parish of the Sacred Heart,



Caterham

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- LIVE @ : www.churchservices.tv/caterham

Next week there will be a second collection for the Peter's Pence. This is not eligible for Parish Gift Aid. Thank you.

WHAT'S ON IN THE PARISH THIS WEEK

- Sun 17th: Children's liturgy at morning Masses
Coffee & Teas after morning Masses
- Mon 18th: Coffee & Tea after 10AM Mass
- Tues 19th: 9:15-11:15AM Toddler Group (St T's Hall)
- Wed 20th: 8:30AM Ecumenical morning prayer
(Whyteleafe Free Church)
- Thurs 21st: 8PM Baptism Preparation (Old Hall)
- Sun 24th: Children's liturgy at morning Masses
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: £ 932.74 (Gift Aid £ 464.39)
Second Collection (Day for Life): £228.62

SUNDAY 17TH JUNE 2018

ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

Sunday 17th

9:00AM -

T.P Reynolds RIP (Betty & Dave)

10:45AM -

People of the Parish

5:15PM -

Agnes Ralph (G Barker)

Monday 18th

10:00AM -

Sue Ellis Ints

Tuesday 19th

St Romuald

10:00AM Mass -

Juliette Phillips (Foundation)

Wednesday 20th

St Alban

10:00AM Latin Mass -

Raul & Mae Parreno Ints
(Vassallo Family)

Thursday 21st

St Aloysius Gonzaga

10:00AM -

Barbara Mitchell RIP
(R & C Sowa)

Friday 22nd

Sts John Fisher & Thomas More

7:00PM -

George Vassallo RIP
(Vassallo Family)

Saturday 23rd

St Etheldreda

10:00AM -

Roy Vallier RIP (Jean)

Sunday 24th

Birth of St John The Baptist

9:00AM -

Don Hancock RIP (T Roche)

10:45AM -

Lilley & Kevin Belford (Nessie)

5:15PM -

People of the Parish



The Eucharist –The Mass as the source and summit of our faith. Explaining the Mass for Catholics. Join us – and also for our consideration of the readings for next Sunday. All welcome!

All welcome! Wednesday 20th June, 8PM in the Old Hall.

SCHOOL OPEN DAYS

St Philomena’s Catholic High School for Girls

Pound Street, Carshalton, SM5 3PS
www.stphils.org.uk
Open evening Tuesday 3rd July 3:30PM to 8PM

St Bede’s School

Carlton Road, Redhill, RH1 2LQ
www.st-bedes.surrey.sch.uk
Thursday 5th July, 5:30pm – 9:00pm

Oakwood School and Nursery

Independent Education with a Catholic Ethos for Girls and Boys aged 3 to 11
59 Godstone Road Purley Surrey CR8 2AN Tel: 020 8668 8080
www.oakwoodschool.org.uk
enquiries@oakwoodschool.org.uk
Saturday 6 October from 10AM – 1PM

Oliver House School

Independent Education with a Catholic Ethos for Girls and Boys aged 3 to 11
7-11 Nightingale Lane Clapham South London SW4 9AH Tel:020 8772 1911
www.oliverhouse.org.uk
enquiries@oliverhouse.org.uk
Saturday 6 October from 10AM – 1PM

The Cedars School

Independent Education with a Catholic Ethos for boys aged 11 to 18
Coombe Road Lloyd Park Croydon CR0 5RD Tel: 020 8185 7770
www.thecedarsschool.org.uk
enquiries@thecedarsschool.org.uk
Saturday 29 September 2018 10am-12pm

The Laurels School

Independent Education with a Catholic Ethos for Girls aged 11 to 18
126 Atkins Road London SW12 0AN Tel: 020 8674 7229
www.thelaurelsschool.org.uk
enquiries@thelaurelsschool.org.uk
Wednesday 19 September 10am-12pm
Saturday 13 October 10am-1pm

SACRED HEART TODDLER GROUP

Toddler group is back to the St Thomas Hall. On Tuesday 10th July, the toddler group will be going on their annual visit to Godstone farm. This is a fantastic day out for a great price - £7.32 for 1 child, 1 adult and a tractor ride!! Booking is essential - please email 'jenpalmer1998@gmail.com' to have your name put onto

SVP



SVP Film Club: Monday 25th June at 2pm

Our June film will be ‘Florence Foster Jenkins’, an inspirational true story of a woman who followed her dream and lit up the lives of all who came to know her. A passionate amateur, Florence aspired to be a great singer. Although she could barely hold a tune, her devoted husband and friends delighted in the joy of her performances and protected her from the ridicule of strangers. But when Florence decided to give a public concert to 3,000 people in Carnegie Hall, her husband knew that he faced an impossible challenge.

MADABA PARISH LINK

70 parishioners and friends enjoyed a splendid lunch in the Centenary Hall last Sunday. The amazing sum of £630 was raised. This includes donations from those unable to attend. We were fortunate to have a brief talk by Della Shenton, the founder of Parish- es for Peace. She explained that the Iraqi’s are facing a long stay in Jordan. Visas to other countries are rarely available. Funds are needed to enhance their educational standards and so improve opportunities for the future. Thanks to all who helped to make the event a success by printing and selling tickets, donating and sorting raffle prizes, providing a large selection of puddings and assisting in so many ways on the day including setting up and clearing the hall. Huge thanks to the stalwarts who tackled the mountain of washing up and laundering the table cloths. It was a real community effort. Della sent pictures of the event to Madaba. We had already received messages of appreciation while the meal was going on.

Mike Wood

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PHOTOGRAPHS 2018

If you were unable to collect your child's photographs last week these can be viewed at Caterham Digital in the Valley. Certificates can be collected from the Office during opening hours.

TRAFFICKING AND MODERN SLAVERY.

Cardinal Nichols is among church leaders who have welcomed the launch of **The Safe Car Wash App.** It is intended to be opened while visiting a car wash and users are asked to answer a number of questions. If the answers suggest the car wash may be suspicious they will be advised to contact The Modern Slavery Helpline. 0800 0121 700. Please support this initiative. Justice and Peace Group

GIFT AID ANNUAL STATEMENTS

Printed Gift Aid Donation Statements which were not collected on Sunday 3rd June are available in the Sacristy. If you have not received your annual statement for tax year 2107/18 either in printed form or via email, please contact the Parish Organiser at peterkelly67@gmail.com or call 01883 330684. Thank you for your generous support.

ADORE (ALTON DAY OF RENEWAL) – SATURDAY 23RD JUNE 11.00-4.00

You are warmly welcome to a mini-retreat day (or morning/afternoon) of spiritual refreshment and renewal, focussing on Renewal and Mission. At Alton School, Anstey Lane, Alton GU34 2NG. 11.00AM Rosary; 11.30AM Mass; 12.15 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament; 1.00PM Shared lunch (please bring finger food to share); 2.00PM Praise & Worship; 2.30 Talk "Good News to the Poor" – Revd Andrew Micklefield; 3.30 Prayer for healing. We end about 4PM. There is no need to register in advance, and no charge (though a collection will be taken to cover costs). For more information and directions, see poster or website: www.altonrenewal.com Or telephone Alastair Emblem on 01252 714809. Following month's meeting: 28th July. Guest speaker Mgr Canon Jeremy Garratt. "Good news and Gospel."

THE ASCENT – DISCIPLESHIP PROCESS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

This October, the ASCENT will be launching at Worth Abbey with the support of the diocese. It's a three-year discipleship process involving three weekend residentials a year and weekly online group sessions. It's open to anyone about to go into year 10, 11, or 12 and it's designed to take people with a real interest in their faith and to help them to make a deeper commitment and to explore who God created them to be, while making a few friends and hopefully having some fun in the process. For more details, or to apply, visit theascentuk.co.uk or contact Jack.Regan@dabnet.org

ENCOUNTER EVENINGS FOR 15-30S

The evenings offer 15-30 year olds a chance to meet people, have fun and deepen their faith in a friendly, welcoming environment. There are a few coming up in June: Friday June 29 – Crawley (St Wilfrid's School) All of the evenings start at 7.30PM and end at about 9.30PM, with an optional trip to the pub afterwards for over 18s.

LIFE: ANNUAL GARDEN PARTY, 2018

Do come along to our Annual Garden Party from 12.00 – 17.00 on 23rd June 2018 in an imaginative child-friendly garden at 101 Foxley Lane, Purley, CR8 3HQ. Entry is by ticket, on the gate. Tickets are £8 for adults and £5 for children and include a ploughman's lunch and afternoon tea. A family ticket is available for £20. There will also be live music, a produce stall selling cakes, jams, chutneys and plants, and a jewellery stall.

Any offers of help on the day or making cakes or other home-made produce would be gratefully received.

SEA SUNDAY - 8TH JULY

Sea Sunday is when we have the opportunity to remember and pray for seafarers, their families and all who support them. On Sea Sunday Catholic Churches around the UK take up a second collection with all funds raised going to the Apostleship of the Sea to support our work. It is a day of remembrance, prayer and celebration, and an opportunity to think about and thank those seafarers who work tirelessly throughout the year bringing us goods we often take for granted. For information and resources see Apostleship of the Sea website www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk

DAY OF REPARATION AND CONSECRATION, WEST GRINSTEAD

God willing, we are expecting a day of Reparation and Consecration on July 21st at Our Lady of Consolation, West Grinstead, commencing with Holy Mass at 12.00 noon. For further details please contact: Linda C-Dominguez on 01273 463463 or email Jayne Lock at jaynejock1@gmail.com

LIVING THEOLOGY STUDY WEEKEND

'Thy Will be done? - healing God's world'. This Study Weekend at The Bar Convent is on Saturday 14th and Sunday 15th July 2018; it is one of the Jesuit inspired 'Living Theology' courses held at different venues across the country. The cost for the weekend is £60 (students £30) which includes lunches and refreshments. All are welcome, and - for anyone who cannot come for the whole weekend - attendance for just one of the days is half the price. Booking is essential; the last day for booking is June 30th. For more details see www.jesuit.org.uk/living-theology-york-2018, e-mail Brenda on fazikasbrenda@btinternet.com or phone Patricia on 01642-645732.

ALTAR SERVERS ROME PILGRIMAGE

At the invitation of the Holy Father, the Archconfraternity of St Stephen (Guild of Altar Servers) is organising a five-day trip to Rome in July, 2018. For more information and to book go to <http://www.paxtravel.co.uk/guild-of-st-stephen>.



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, Mary Wallace, Gina Waiton, Joe Kelly, Ian Lester, Fred Ardley, Charmaine Wise, Breda Sharpe, Richard Sowa, Val Williams, Emma Newton, Charley Lunn, Ursula Koh, Riche Ahearne, Enny Martin & Tony McCoy.

WEDDINGS



We pray for David Trayling & Katherine Spackman who will be married here this week.

Psalter Week 3

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

Leviticus 13:1-2,44-46

1 Corinthians 10:31—11:1

Mark 1:40-45

GOSPEL REFLECTION

Though there are one or two major feasts ahead, with the return of green vestments, we turn once more to what one might call the bread and butter of the Gospel message; the preaching of the Kingdom of God.

This preaching of the Kingdom is what our Lord spent most of his time doing, and it is what we, the Church, should be spending our time doing, principally. If you look at the synoptic Gospels (Matthew, Mark, Luke) you will see our Lord preaching the kingdom both in his words and in his works. In his works by doing the sorts of things that belong to the Kingdom; by giving the blind new sight, by making the lame walk, by teaching the truth to those who believe lies, and so forth. And he also preaches about the kingdom, but does so through the medium of parables, or analogies.

In today's Gospel, we hear two of these; the grain and harvest, and the mustard tree. Both these emphasize that the growth of the kingdom is a slow process. Well, we have been at it for two thousand years now, and still the Kingdom of God on earth has a long way to go. But I think that these parables can also apply to us as individuals. We know that people can have a conversion experience, but it takes a long time for the Kingdom to be properly rooted in them. As St Philip Neri said, you don't become a saint in one day or even four. It takes a lifetime of the grace of God and our co-operation. It takes patience, and perseverance. But if truly undertaken with humility and faith, it can indeed produce a wonderful harvest.

As to why our Lord explained things to his disciples alone, and not to the crowd, I can only think that it is because he intends that evangelization is the job of the Church, and he intends that it is through his Church that the message of the Kingdom will reach to the ends of the earth.

SCHOOL VACANCIES

THE JOHN FISHER SCHOOL - Cover Supervisor - required as soon as possible

020 8660 4555 johnfisherschool@suttonlea.org

Salary Scale 4/5 - Salary range £19,917 – £24,510 full time equivalent £16,611 - £20,441 pro rata

Completed application forms should be sent with a covering letter to Mrs Rigby, Office Manager on jrigby3@suttonmail.org by the closing date: noon on Thursday, 28th June 2018. Interviews will be held week commencing 2nd July 2018.

Margaret Roper Catholic Primary School - Class Teachers required for September 2018

We are looking to appoint two outstanding class teachers to start in September 2018. Interviews to take place late June / early July 2018. Both experienced and newly qualified teachers are encouraged to apply. Full details and application forms are available on the school website or via the school office 020 8660 0115.

Coloma Convent Girls' School - Head teacher from September 2019

To apply please visit our website www.coloma.croydon.sch.uk Visits to the school are warmly encouraged and can be arranged by emailing the Clerk to the Governors (strembath@coloma.croydon.sch.uk) Closing date for applications: 15th July 2018 Shortlisting: 19th July 2018 Interviews: 19th and 20th September 2018

