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PUBLIC MASS

Public Masses will be celebrated here on:
Tuesdays 10am Mass
Wednesdays 10am Latin Mass
Saturdays 10am Mass, Novena and Confessions
Sundays 9am, 10:45am & 5:15pm Masses

Please note that the obligation to attend Sunday Mass remains suspended, so if you are at all nervous about public gatherings, please remain at home, and continue to attend Mass online.

All daily Mass will still be celebrated, and can be watched on line at

www.churchservices.tv/caterham

Please note that the 9am Sunday Mass and weekday Masses are all recorded for watching at anytime afterwards.

Psalter Week 4

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

Isaiah 45:1,4-6 1 Thessalonians 1:1-5b Matthew 22:15-21

Adoration every Monday to Saturday 9AM Rosary Monday to Saturday 12pm

Support in difficult times

Parish volunteers are offering:
Help with shopping, Posting letters,
Prescription collection,
Other general help or advice

If you need help with the above while 'self-isolating', are concerned about how you might manage, or would just like to be in telephone contact,

Please call the SVP on: 07599 890 043

If any parishioner is in immediate hardship (e.g. buying food or necessities) we may be able to offer a little short-term help. Please call the above confidential number to discu





Today there will be a second collection for CAFOD Family Fast day (CAFOD Gift Aid envelopes are in the porch) Next week there will be a collection for World MISSON Sunday

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sincere thanks for your generosity last weekend Collection: £442.23 (Gift Aid 245.00) Second Collection (Peter's Pence): £63.45

SUNDAY 11TH OCTOBER 2020

TWENTY EIGHTH WEEK OF THE YEAR

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

Sunday 11th

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00AM -

Katherine Moss RIP (Peggy)

10:45AM -

Fr Fires Hijazin (Wood family)

5:15PM -

People of the Parish

Monday 12th

St Wilfrid

10:00AM Mass -

Fr Seán's Intentions

Tuesday 13th

St Edward the Confessor

10:00AM -

Mick McGrath RIP (Jimmy)

Wednesday 14th

St Callistus I

10:00AM Latin Mass -Eric Bosley RIP (A & F Bosley)

Thursday 15th

St Teresa of Avila

10:00AM -

Jimmy & Sue Mullen Ints (Jean)

Friday 16th

St Margaret Mary Alacoque

7:00PM -

Deceased Bosley family, relatives & friends (A & F Bosley)

Saturday 17th

St Ignatius of Antioch

10:00AM -

George Reavey RIP (E Reavey)

Sunday 18th

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00AM -

Jimmy & Sue Mullen Ints (Jimmy).

10:45AM -

Andrew 'Tosh' McIntosh RIP (J Doyle)

5:15PM - People of the Parish

Your Prayers are requested for the following people who are ill or housebound: Jane Hill; Jimmy Mullen; Eileen, Mel & Rose Lattimore; Bryan Smith; John Gilford; Tabitha Harrison; Joe Kelly; Charmaine Wise; Breda Sharpe; Richard Sowa; Val Williams; Emma Newton; Charley Lunn; Ursula Koh; Riche Ahearne; Enny Martin; Tony McCoy; Fr John Hartley; Maribel Chambers, Patricia Howlett, Reef Albert, Peggy Wheeldon, John Monk, Liz Leake, Sandra, Ann Walker & Eileen Hanley.



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Congratulations to Aniela Harris & Annabel Peile who will receive First Holy Communion during Sunday Masses. Please pray for them.

MOTHERS PRAYERS

For mothers who wish to pray together for their children and grandchildren

Anyone interested in joining a group or wishing to set up a group can contact Anneliese Moran on 07956241427 or anneliesem2@yahoo.com

More information on Mothers Prayer can be found at mothersprayers.org

BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS

Please note that Government regulations on the 'rule of six' applies to baptisms, and children (unlike in Scotland and Wales), however small, count as one of the six. Therefore, I regret to note that baptisms may only have present five persons, because the baby is included as one person. The priest appears not to count as he is 'working'.

Weddings now must restrict guests to 15, though not including the priest or registered person who are 'working'.

A SUGGESTION FOR CHRISTMAS

Christmas shopping is going to be weird this year. Instead of boosting Amazon's profits, you could ask friends and family for a voucher for a local business that might be struggling.

TELEPHONE SUPPORT FOR THE BEREAVED

If you have been recently bereaved and you would like to talk to someone, members of our Deanery Bereavement Team are able to offer you the time and space to reflect on your loss. In the current circumstances, face to face visiting may prove difficult, but a chat on the phone is simple to arrange. If you would like to talk to someone then please contact the Parish office and this can be arranged.

ALTON DAY OF RENEWAL (ADORE)

Alton Day of Renewal (ADORE) Saturday 24 October 10.00-12.45 mini conference for spiritual renewal with Mass, Adoration, praise, prophecy, and an inspiring talk "My Spirit rejoices in God my Saviour" from Mgr John Armitage. Please register in advance for Zoom by following this link: bit.ly/ADOREOCT20

For more information go to the ADoRE website $\underline{www.altonrenewal.com}$

ADORE is also offering prayer for healing by telephone Monday to Friday 10am to 4pm Ring 07579 824523 and leave a message.

BIDDING PRAYERS

Response 'In the Lords own house shall I dwell forever and ever'

Let us pray for all who are searching for truth or have fallen away from their faith. R

Pope Francis reminds us that each human being is not a commodity to be used but an individual to be nurtured and cared for.R Let us pray for all decision makers in government, education, health care and the church. R

Lord you invite us to your banquet. Help us to believe it is you we hunger for. Let us sit at your table feed us and challenge us once more --invite us in again. In your mercy hear our prayer. Amen

We remember those in our Parish whose anniversaries occur at this time: Therese Saville, Rosa Lopez, Chiara Johns, Edward George, Paul Driscoll, Francis Hanley, Margaret Slater, Ivan Ralph Ottmann, Diane Hooper, June Kay, Baby Kendall Cooper, Eamonn Brennan & Kathleen Saunders. May they Rest in Peace.

FAIR TRADE NEWS

Sadly sales of KitKat will no longer support the families of farmers in the Ivory Coast. Until now KitKat has been made with fairly traded ingredients giving a regular income to the cacao farmers. This is a devastating decision for these workers now facing poverty and uncertainty. This highlights the way such people are commodities used by large companies denying them any power to make decisions.

Thankfully Maltesers, Green & Black & Divine are all Fairtrade plus other items in all the major supermarkets. Have you tried Tony Chocoloney yet? It's all the rage!

To all chocoholics: Please choose you chocolate carefully and support the cacao and sugar farmers who work gruelling hours for very little money.

2 ND COLLECTION NEXT WEEK 18TH OCT WORLD MISSION SUNDAY. RED BOX DAY!

This collection is for MISSIO the Mill Hill Missionaries.

SIster Nicéaja says:

"the programme I've created for babies and pregnant girls is going well. Women receive medicine, sugar and soap. Soap to wash the baby and sugar for the mother because supplying food is difficult because of the pandemic....... We sisters don't have any income; we live through donations and at the moment donations and very few. "



'To call to mission the invitation to step out of ourselves for the love of God and neighbour, presents itself as an opportunity for sharing, service and intercessory prayer. The mission God entrusts to us leads us away from fear and introspection, when we give ourselves to others.

Pope Francis

MADABA UPDATE

Jordan is suffering from a dramatic increase in Covid cases. Further lockdown measures are being introduced. Before the current crisis, 23% of the adult population were unemployed. Schools are to close indefinitely and a 48 hour curfew is now in place each weekend. Troops patrol the streets to ensure compliance.

Fr Firas is clearly concerned about his Madaba parish. 'The situation becomes more complicated every day,' he reports. 'Many poor families come to the church asking for help'.

We are looking at how the Sacred Heart parish can provide more food parcels for the 90 Iraqi refugee families living in Madaba. Most of them remain unable to earn anything. Now Fr Firas is identifying Jordanian parishioners in the same predicament, without earnings and short of necessities.

Please remember in your prayers Fr Firas Nasrawin and both Jordanians and refugees living in St John the Baptist parish in Madaba. Mike Wood Tel 07981998414

TRACK & TRACE

With the new Government guidelines rules over track and trace, we have a duty to record all attendees at every Mass or other gathering.

We now have a QR code displayed in the porch for your convenience, however as a lot of people do not have smart phones or do not carry their phones to Mass, we will need to take down names on entry. Writing down names and numbers every time presents considerable difficulties, not least up to over a hundred people having to do so at the same time, sharing of pens, long queues of people in proximity, constant making contact details semi-public etc.

To avoid all this, we ask that, as soon as possible, each household email the Parish Office on info@sacred-heart.co.uk to register their name and a contact telephone number (whether they plan to attend Mass this week or not). In return each household will be given a unique number which will be its identification for all future attendance of any member of that household at Church. The number can then be given to the steward on arrival, who will record the number only.

This should take less time even than accessing the QR code on the app; it avoids any sharing of pens, and maintains privacy of all contact details.

Due to a technical glitch we were not able to record the details for the following track and trace numbers:, 158, 160, 161, 163, 164

If one of these numbers belongs to you, please could you contact the Parish Office to reconfirm your name and telephone number.

SCHOOL FORM SIGNING

SECONDARY SCHOOLS

If you have a secondary school form that you require signing, please post them through the Parish Office door along with a **copy** of the Baptismal Certificate (originals will not be returned), all other documents should be sent directly to the school. Your details will be matched against our Parish Register and sent to the appropriate school directly.

If you are applying to St Bede's, please send an email to the Parish Office to let us know you are applying there. Please do not send in the St Bede's form as they will contact us directly.

PRIMARY SCHOOLS

2021-22 Catholic applications – for Reception places for St Francis' Catholic Primary School

Extraordinarily for this year, due to the COVID situation and to best protect Fr Seán and Fr Stephen, they will not be meeting parents in person to sign the SIF forms.

The general process for applications remains the same. Before the closing date for applications:

- · Parent/Carers complete their Local Authority Common Application Form online.
- · Parent/Carers must also complete the SIF and return it to the school minus the section usually completed by the priest.
- The school will formally log receipt of each SIF form from each Catholic applicant.
- The school will then take all the Catholic applicants' SIFs to the priest in one go for the priests to complete the relevant section for each applicant and return to the school.
- · If you wish to receive a copy of the final signed SIF, please email the school office on office@stfrancis.surrey.sch.uk.

WEEKLY OFFERING

If you would like to make your weekly offering (though of course there is no obligation or expectation to do so), you are welcome to save it up until you are able to come to Mass, or you may put your envelope through the Parish Office door. Alternatively, you can donate online. This donation page works across browsers, on mobile, desktop and tablet devices.

https://portal.mydona.com/assets/webPay/index.php?cid=27

We will be able to take contactless payments in the Church Porch, please ask one of our stewards if you would like to contribute this way.