

*Parish of the
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Our church will be open for public Masses on
Tuesdays, Saturdays and Sundays.
All daily Mass will still be celebrated, and can be
watched on line at

www.churchservices.tv/caterham

Please note that the Sunday and weekday
Masses are all recorded for watching at any
time afterwards.

*Please note that the obligation to attend Sunday
Mass remains suspended.*

Psalter Week 3

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

2 Chronicles 36:14-16,19-23

Ephesians 2:4-10

John 3:14-21

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION DURING MASS:

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the
most holy Sacrament.

I love you above all things, and I desire to
receive you into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive you
sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my
heart.

I embrace you as if you were already there and
unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to
be separated from you.
Amen.

**SUNDAY 7TH
MARCH 2021**

THIRD WEEK OF LENT

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

SUNDAY 7TH

Third Sunday of Lent

9:00AM (Public)-

John Cudderford RIP
(J Perera & family)

10:45AM (Public)-

People of the Parish

5:15PM (Public) -

Matthew Barnaville RIP
(A Pullin)

MONDAY 8TH

10:00AM (Online) -

Eddie Rowen RIP (Moran family)

TUESDAY 9TH

10:00AM (Public) -

James Allanson RIP
(Reigate Catenian Circle)

WEDNESDAY 10TH

10:00AM (Online) -

Victor Fair RIP (L Dominguez)

THURSDAY 11TH

No Mass

FRIDAY 12TH

7:00PM (Online)-

Moises Bauzon RIP (A Bosley)

SATURDAY 13TH

10:00AM (Public)-

Hazel Plastow Ints
(P&T Patterson)

SUNDAY 14TH

Fourth "Laetare" Sunday of Lent

9:00AM (Public)-

People of the Parish

10:45AM (Public)-

Sofronio O Sabellano RIP
(E Tully)

5:15PM (Public) -

Mary Carmichael RIP

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Your Prayers are requested for the following people who are ill or housebound:
Jimmy Mullen; Eileen, Mel & Rose Lattimore; Bryan Smith; John Gilford; Tabitha Harrison; Joe Kelly; Charmaine Wise; Richard Sowa; Val Williams; Emma Newton; Charley Lunn; Ursula Koh; Riche Ahearne; Enny Martin; Fr John Hartley; Maribel Chambers; Patricia Howlett; Reef Albert; Peggy Wheeldon; John Monk; Liz Leake; Sandra; Pascal Périssat; Holly Osman; Edmond Kelly; Julian Gavin; Emma Cook; Susie; Shirley Clarke; Colin Fields & Mary Power.



LENT GROUP AT THE U.R.C.

As usual, the URC have scheduled a Lent Group for 11a.m. on a Thursday, and have invited members of the Sacred Heart Parish to join them after Mass. This year, it will be via Zoom.
The title of the course is 'Caring for Creation'. Please contact either Peter Lovat (peter_lovat@yahoo.com) or Julian Thomas (jpthomas@ntlworld.com).

JOURNEY OF FAITH

Oh dear! Another boring lockdown Wednesday! Why not join us at Journey of Faith for a lively discussion?

Topic: Journey of Faith

Time: March 10, 2021 08:00 PM London

Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6986253866>

Meeting ID: 698 625 3866

MADABA

Fr Firas sends greetings to all in the Sacred Heart parish. He is very appreciative of our prayers and financial support.

Unfortunately Jordan is suffering badly from Coronavirus. On Tuesday last week over 5000 new cases were recorded. Jordan has a population of about 12 million people, 1/5 of our population. There are cases in Madaba among the Jordanian parishioners and the Iraqi refugees.

People are so afraid that Mass attendance is very low. Fr Firas suggests that most parishioners will not move far from their homes.

The government expects to vaccinate 200,000 people this month. They are struggling to source vaccines for the whole population but have taken the commendable decision to give equal priority to refugees and their own citizens.

Please continue your prayers and Lenten donations.

ONLINE RETREATS

The Open Cloister at Worth Abbey

led by Michael Woodward (member of the Lay Community of St Benedict)

12th-14th March: Romero and the Salvadorian Martyrs: Along with St Romero, we will look at his friend Rutilio Grande, the four US Churchwomen, the UCA Jesuits & the hundreds of lesser known Salvadorans who died from 1977-1992.

26th-28th March (Palm Sunday weekend) The Holy Shroud: Gospel beyond Words - What the Shroud Tells Us.

Book your place on line at <https://worth.co.uk/retreats/online-retreats> Further information available from E: toc@worth.co.uk

Diocesan Mission 'Invited': The weekly Thursday conversation groups are now fully booked but the Monday videos can be viewed via our website www.abdiocese.org.uk

Transcripts of Speakers and those giving testimony are also available. Thank you to all who have signed up.

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>

ANGRY AT INJUSTICE - JOHN 2:13-25

This Gospel passage can be one of the more confusing. In our minds we have an image of Jesus as someone who is always calm, always peaceful; so how can it be that we suddenly see an image of Jesus who is angry and overturning stalls in the Temple?

Anger is a powerful emotion. However, unlike hate (of which nothing good can come) much good can come from appropriate anger. Jesus is angry at injustice, That the poor are being manipulated and those who are exploiting them are making a profit from doing so.

We too are called to be angry when we see injustice in our world; surely as Christians there is something wrong if we do not. But this anger must have purpose: an anger that produces actions in us that lead to us getting involved (peacefully) to bring about change to address this injustice.

Who are the exploited? E.g

- **Trafficked men, women and children** – who have no wage, no freedom, no friendship and suffer constant fear
- **Prisoners** – locked in their cells for 22 hours per day no privacy, no exercise, no shower, no dignity
- **Those on benefits and very low wages** – always afraid of hunger and eviction.

Lord teach us to walk in another's shoes.

Lord make my heart burn with love for those I see being exploited and give me the courage to speak out against injustice in our world. Amen *(taken from Lent Extra 2021)*

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

There will be Stations of the Cross on Fridays at 11.00am on live stream. Unfortunately it can only be spoken as it's not possible to show pictures.

On Friday 12th March, the Stations of the Cross will be for Refugees.

On Friday 19th March, the Stations of the Cross will be for St Alphonse Liguri (traditional).

On Friday 26th March, the Stations of the Cross will be for the sick and disabled.

On Friday 26th March (Good Friday), the Stations of the Cross will be for the recovery from the pandemic.

There are Stations of the Cross online:

CAFOD LINK FOR Stations https://www.bigmarker.com/series/lent/series_summit.

Register to join in Stations for the poor. Join in live or watch recording at a later.

FRANCISCAN SISTERS OF THE RENEWAL

- “Stations with reflections on the CoronaVirus Pandemic”, written for Good Friday 2020, when Coronavirus had begun to take hold, and we were in the first Lockdown. The direct link is:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HaIBxHYoiRs>

The booklet for the Stations is available at the church, and is also downloadable here:
www.Stations-of-the-Cross-with-reflections-on-the-CoronaVirus-pandemicDownload

- Stations of the Cross written for the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes by the Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal
The link is: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BzhOHvWbOSQ>
- The Stations of the Cross from the Via Dolorosa is available on you Tube:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R59EpPSIVBg>

Just click on the link to join in the Stations of the Cross.

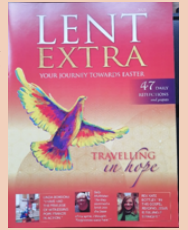
PERIODICAL

If you would like a copy of *The Universe* newspaper, *Day by Day*, *Mass of Ages* or *Lent Extra*, please email the parish office to arrange a safe collection point.

If you would like a copy of the *Magnificat*, please let the office know by the 9th March so that they can be ordered. We will no longer have a stock to purchase unless they are pre ordered.

The *Universalis* and *Magnificat* have online options which you can use to join in with the antiphons during Mass.

The Parish Shop have *Lent Extra* – each day has a short thought and prayer related to the readings at Mass with articles and ideas to celebrate Lent @ £2.00. Easter cards are also available @ 60p each. Please let the office know if you would like any of these items



CATERHAM FOODBANK



During Lent, Caterham foodbank has created an ADLENT calendar. This is a way to collect items that will help local people in need, which has become more acute during the pandemic. If you would like to take part, you can either pick up a calendar at the back of the church or donate from the following list...

Tinned carrots
Tinned fish
Long life sponge pudding
Bag for life
Tinned fruit
Jam
Tinned peas
Powdered milk
Small packets of tea bags
Tinned sweetcorn
Tinned meat
Small jar of coffee
Tinned/carton custard
Tinned carrots
Men's deodorant
Savoury biscuits
UHT milk
Household bacterial
Instant mash
Women's deodorant
Hand wash/ soap
Feminine hygiene
Pasta sauce
Shampoo
Long life fruit juice
Face masks.

Items can be put in the wheelie bin located outside the Old hall door.

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Three-day emergency food supplies
given to people in crisis last year