

*Parish of the
Sacred Heart,*



Caterham



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Our church will be open for public Masses daily.

All Mass are streamed and recorded and can be

watched on line any time at

www.churchservices.tv/caterham

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

Psalter Week 4
NEXT WEEK'S READINGS
Wisdom 2:12,17-20
James 3:16—4:3
Mark 9:30-37

Today there will be a second collection
for The Catholic Education Service.
Next week there will be a second col-
lection for Home Mission Sunday
(neither collection is eligible for Parish
Gift Aid)

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 12TH
SEPTEMBER 2021**

WEEK TWENTY-FOUR OF THE
YEAR

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

SUNDAY 12TH

24th Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00AM -

Eric Elsmore RIP (C Lunn)

10:45AM -

Peter Sore RIP (Sore family)

5:15PM -

People of the Parish

MONDAY 13TH

St John Chrysostom

10:00AM -

Sr Kathleen Canniff RIP

(J Pereira)

TUESDAY 14TH

Exaltation of the Cross

10:00AM -

John & Olive Wood RIP

(Froundation)

WEDNESDAY 15TH

Seven Sorrows of our Lady

10:00AM LATIN MASS -

Seamus Horrocks (B Horrocks)

THURSDAY 16TH

Sts Cornelius and Cyprian

10:00AM -

Maura Reilly Ints (Peggy)

FRIDAY 17TH

St Robert Bellarmine

7:00PM -

Jim Horrocks (B Horrocks)

SATURDAY 18TH

Our Lady's Saturday

10:00AM-

Deceased members of the
Catenian Association

SUNDAY 19TH

25th Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00AM -

People of the Parish

10:45AM -

Campbell Clark RIP (M Clark)

5:15PM -

Patrick Quinn RIP

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

Jimmy Mullen; Eileen, Mel & Rose Lattimore; Bryan Smith; John & Brenda Gilford; Tabitha Harrison; Joe Kelly; Charmaine Wise; Richard Sowa; Val Williams; Emma Newton; Ursula Koh; Fr John Hartley; Maribel Chambers; Patricia Howlett; Reef Albert; Peggy Wheeldon; Liz Leake; Sandra; Pascal Périssat; Holly Osman; Julian Gavin; Emma Cook; Susie; Shirley Clarke; Mary Power, John Lowrie, Pat Boyle, Malcolm Harmes, Sue Ellis; Jean Joakim, Laura Brighten, Ryan Baker, Theo, Sean Flanagan, Carla & Betty Creton.



SCHOOL FORM SIGNING

Secondary school forms that need to be signed must be posted through the parish office door.

Fr Seán will sign the forms and the office will collate and send the forms directly to the appropriate school.

For any children applying to St Bede's, please email the parish office on info@sacred-heart.co.uk to add their name to the list. If this is not done Fr Seán will not be able to sign the supplementary form when the school sends them.

SOCIAL DISTANCING

As the directive for social distancing has been lifted, and more people are now returning to Mass the pews in church have been moved closer together. Parishioners do not need to socially distance now in Church, and may sit closer together as they did pre pandemic.

We do understand that some Parishioners would still like to maintain a social distance and we ask that if you do, please use the pews in the South Aisle as these remain socially distanced. Please note there are signs by the Offertory basket that can be put on the bench next to you so other parishioners know you who wish to remain distanced.

As we navigate through these changing times we ask that all Parishioners respect each other and continue to wear face masks. We also ask that you are mindful when kneeling, particularly if the person in front of you has remained seated.

It is wonderful to welcome more children back to the Church but we do ask that parents ensure their children stay in their pews and do not walk around Church, this is particularly worrying for Parishioners that are still trying to keep a social distance.

THE PARISH CHOIR - OPEN EVENING

There will be an evening of drinks and nibbles at 7.00pm on Monday, 13th September in St. Thomas' hall for anyone interested in being part of the church choir. It will be a chance to chat and discuss how the choir will re-start and ideas for the future. The choir is open to all – the ability to read music is not a necessity – so please come along and join us for the evening.



SVP AWARENESS MONTH

COFFEE & CAKE AFTER 9.00AM AND 10.45AM MASSES - SUNDAY 19TH SEPTEMBER

We are delighted that the SVP will be able to serve tea & coffee with cakes in the Centenary Hall, after the two morning Masses on Sunday 19th September.

There will also be homemade cakes for sale, together with some of the beautiful children's knitwear produced by our knitting club during the pandemic.

The SVP has endeavoured to offer support in many different ways over the last year and a half, and now at last we have the opportunity to replenish our funds a little, as well as to raise awareness about the work of the St Vincent de Paul Society.

Please come along to support your Parish SVP conference and to find out more.

The use of the Centenary Hall will allow tables to be well-distanced and you are very welcome to bring along your own cup if you would prefer to do so. If you would like to donate a homemade cake it may be dropped off on the way into Mass. We are most grateful, as always, for your support.

JOURNEY OF FAITH

Join us for a consideration of the next Sunday's readings and a discussion around faith-based topics. It's your faith, your life - make the most of it!

Topic: Journey of Faith
Time: Wednesday July 14th, 2021 8:00 - 9.30 p.m.
Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6986253866>
Meeting ID: 698 625 3866
All welcome!

REFRESHMENTS AFTER 9AM MASS

Volunteers are needed to make and serve teas and coffees after the 9.00am Mass from 26th September; if you are able to help with this as part of a team, please contact Charley Lunn at charleylunn@tiscali.co.uk.

THANKS FROM MADABA

We sent £2000 to Fr Firas to pay the university registration fees for 4 of his parishioners who would otherwise have been unable to continue their studies.

Dear Fr Finnegan and parishioners,

We are sending you this email with our love and respect to thank you for your help and support which didn't only help us financially but also gave us all motivation and encouragement to work harder.

It was a light in a long tunnel in these dark days as all of us have been through a lot since the start of this pandemic. Your contributions helped us all to continue our journey at university which is a big dream that we have and our biggest goal to achieve. We are so grateful for this opportunity you have given us.

Thank you Fr Sean and parishioners at The Sacred Heart,

Jwan,Seren,Nagham,Balquess

WELCOMERS ROTA

We are hoping to reinstate Welcomers at the 9am Mass on Sunday 3rd October, if you would like to help and join the team, (training will be given) or if you would be able to rejoin the rota please would you contact me, Sue on 01883346399.

If you would like any more information please ring for details. Thank you

THE PARISH SHOP

The shop is now open again. We would be pleased to see you. Unfortunately we can only accept cash.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL GROUP

A group for Catholic adults to meet for regular social and networking events in a friendly and relaxed setting with the aim of making new friends, enjoy new experiences or just to socialise.

Upcoming events include walks, a karaoke evening and a Christmas meal; our monthly socials will restart in October. We can be found on Facebook – 'London SW Catholic Social Group' or on email - londonswcatholicsocial@gmail.com

WORTH ABBEY - THE OPEN CLOISTER

We are delighted to be re-opening Worth for residential and day retreats.

RETREAT PROGRAMME 2021 - Our new retreat programme is now open for bookings! Keep checking the website for further updates www.worth.co.uk. We hope you find something of interest to you and thank you in anticipation of your booking. You are now able to book a place online via the website. The online booking form also includes an option to make a payment online via PayPal, credit/debit card, or bank transfer (BACS).

Book your place online at: www.worth.co.uk/retreat-programme For all enquiries, email: retreats@worth.org.uk

JOURNEYING FROM DESPAIR TO HOPE

Journeying from Despair to Hope: 'Building support from parishes to prisoners and their families.'

An online event on 12th October, 5 pm to 6.15 pm. Register at <https://forms.office.com/r/J1zTkUTiP7>

RETRouvaille

Covid 19—a very challenging time for many marriages.

So much uncertainty around, health, income, employment, vulnerable family members, children, housing. Different ways of seeing things, coping with change, managing fears can be a source of conflict and stress. It can be difficult to talk, to listen to support and comfort when there is so much uncertainty. Being together all the time, brings different challenges. You wonder would we be better apart?

Retrouvaille is a programme to support couples, it brings a positive focus, new hope and helps nourish and grow your marriageand you don't need to leave home, it comes to you!

For confidential information about Retrouvaille, or to register for the next programme, a Virtual weekend commencing 24th October 21st- 2021 Call or text 086 8211795. Email: info@retrouvaille.uk – or visit www.retrouvaille.uk

APPLY TO WORK FOR RIGHT TO LIFE UK

Are you looking to leave a corporate career and instead use your skills and energy to make a significant positive difference to this world?

Right To Life UK are currently hiring for a number of positions across media, public affairs, digital and operations.

In particular, they are looking to urgently fill positions in their Public Affairs team, to ensure that they have the right team in place ahead of their opposition making further attempts to introduce radical changes to abortion and assisted suicide legislation.

They are looking for highly-skilled, hard-working, professional individuals to join them.

If this is of interest to you or if you know of anyone that would be suitable for one of the positions, please visit the link below to view the roles they are looking to hire for and learn how to apply.

www.righttolife.org.uk/jobs/

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>

Please note that due to banking changes, our bank can only read cheques made out in BLACK ink.