

*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.*

First Vespers of Sunday

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Acts of the Apostles 15:1-2,22-29

Revelation 21:10-14,22-23

John 14:23-29

This week there will be a second collection for Missionary Endeavours of the Diocese. This collection is eligible for Parish Gift Aid please use your purple envelopes.

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 15TH MAY
2022**

FIFTH WEEK OF EASTER

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

SUNDAY 15TH

Fifth Sunday in Easter

9:00AM -

Liz Leake Ints (Peggy)

10:45AM -

Robbie Elliott RIP (Nessie)

5:15PM -

People of the Parish

MONDAY 16TH

10:00AM -

Pat Galvin RIP (DN Haugh)

TUESDAY 17TH

10:00AM -

Fr Sean's Godchildren Ints

WEDNESDAY 18TH

St Venantius

10:00AM LATIN MASS -

Alban Donnelly (Foundation)

THURSDAY 19TH

St Dunstan

10:00AM -

Maura Reilly Ints (B Creton)

FRIDAY 20TH

St Bernadine of Siena

**7:00PM - Fr Anthony Hale RIP
(SVP)**

SATURDAY 21ST

St Christopher Magellanes &c

10:00AM - First Holy Communion

SUNDAY 22ND

Sixth Sunday in Easter

9:00AM -

Julian & Imogen Ints

10:45AM -

People of the Madaba Parish

5:15PM -

People of the Parish

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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 & 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; Holly Osman; Julian Gavin; Emma Cook; Susie; Shirley Clarke; Mary Power, John Lowrie, Pat Boyle, Sue Ellis; Jean Joakim, Ryan Baker, Theo, Sean Flanagan, Lee, Betty Creton, Martin Moran, Ann Walker, Jean Cowap, John O'Gorman, Paul, Steve, Pam Jones & Rita Paris



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Please pray for the following candidates that will make their First Holy Communion on Saturday 21st May at 10am:

Adam Babol
Alexis Daves
Amber O'Brien
Beatrice Mason
Camilla Kiroro
Charles James Chrobot
Conor McCabe

Ella Ama Agyei
Henry Reddick
Isabella Edwards
Isabella Galasso
Lacey Rann
Lewis Arpino
Lola Dennis

Oliver Lloyd
Oly Finnis
Rowan Spencer
Saoirse Claire Timlin
Sienna Ruth Ada Majaro
Sophie Alice Chrobot
Theo Marro

JOURNEY OF FAITH

Journey of Faith is a facility for parishioners who would like to think about their faith. We are not experts and a very mixed bunch! We do some guided study, often of the readings for the next Sunday, or we may also take a topic which interests those at the meeting.

We meet on a Wednesday evenings at 8pm (to give people time to get back from work and grab a meal), and we finish at the latest by 9.30pm (often before).

We meet both face-to-face in the Bar Lounge, Centenary Hall, and on Zoom (link below).

May 18th, 2022 08.00 PM Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6986253866> Meeting ID: 698 625 3866

The funeral of Teresa Trumper RIP will take place at St Columba's Church, Selsdon at 11.00am on Wednesday 25th May. Please follow the link below for further details.



<https://www.dignityfunerals.co.uk/funeral-notice/16-04-2022-teresa-marie-trumper/>

The family have said that all Teresa's friends will be most welcome at the Requiem Mass and wake.

YOU ARE INVITED TO MEET FR FIRAS NASRAWIN

Fr Firas is expected on Sunday after his conference in Cambridge ends.

Thursday May 19th 7.30pm visit SVP Meeting

Friday May 20th 10.00am Join the Invite discussion meeting in St Thomas Hall

Sunday May 22nd Fr Firas will speak at each Mass and a collection will be taken to support the work of St John the Baptist parish in Madaba.

1 pm Fr Firas will join parishioners in the Centenary Hall for lunch. There are still a few tickets available.

Tuesday May 24th at 10.30 am. Join Fr Firas in the Centenary Hall after 10.00am Mass for coffee/croissants and conversation.

Wednesday May 25th Fr Firas will speak at The Tandridge Catenian Circle annual clergy night dinner at Bletchingley Golf Club. All parishioners are invited. Details from Alastair Ashforth 07496802420

Details of additional opportunities to meet /listen to Fr Firas will be posted in the church porch.

CAN YOU HELP?

We are looking to set up a rota of people willing to help with laundering the Church linen, perhaps once a month each. The Church has lots of little jobs and some bigger jobs that will need covering. If you can spare some time to wash and iron some of the linen please contact the parish office for details and for information on how you can help info@sacred-heart.co.uk

CALLING ALL GARDENERS - IT'S PLANT SALE TIME

Following our tremendous success last year, we hope to hold our plant sale on Sunday 29 May after Mass. All proceeds will again go to the Beavers Bulb Planting Project and to a charity. So, start planning which flower, vegetable and herbs you need. There will be flowers from Geraniums and Hollyhocks to Love in the mist, Chillies (mild to Very hot) and vegetables from tomatoes and beans (runners and climbing French) to kale. There is a large variety of plants available (the list is too long to be included here), so if you want to make sure that you get the plants you need contact David and Chris Frith on 01883 343404 or Moyra and Ray on 01883 342928.

SVP KNITTING CLUB

The SVP Knitting Club will be meeting in St Thomas' Hall on Monday 16th May from 2pm to 4pm.

There are a number of projects to choose from to accommodate knitters of all levels, such as hats and scarves, squares for blankets, gloves, baby and children's pullovers and cardigans, etc. Come along and share your skills, knitting for a good cause as well as enjoying a sociable afternoon with a cup of tea and some homemade cake. We welcome new members. If you are unable to join us but would like to knit from home, please get in touch as we have knitters who support us in this manner. Similarly, if you have wool leftover from a project, knitting patterns or knitting needles you would like to donate, please contact Sandy Baron on 07984666591.

GATWICK DETAINEES WELFARE GROUP APPEAL (SVP)

The clothing stocks of the GDWG are quite depleted at the moment and we have been asked to help by donating the following items in good condition (for men only):

- Shoes or trainers in sizes 7, 8 and 9
- Backpacks
- Trousers with waist sizes 28", 30", 32", 34"
- Tracksuit bottoms in S, M and L
- New socks
- New underwear in M (also S and L)
- M jumpers (also S and L)

If you have any of the above items and would like to donate them to this worthy cause, please bring them along to Mass this Sunday 15th May when the SVP will be holding a one-day only collection. **Please note that we can only accept the items on the list above**, Thank you for your support.

THE PARISH SHOP

There are cards and gifts for First Holy Communion and Confirmation in the shop.



THE PARADOX OF ABUNDANCE

Over 800 million people go hungry each day. Yet the world produces over 4 billion tonnes of food, and we only need 3.7 billion tonnes to feed everyone. From all this food produced, a third is wasted. St John Paul II called this 'the paradox of abundance.' Clearly the current global food system is not working. But as Pope Francis said, "Each of us has a role to play in transforming food systems for the benefit of people and the planet." Let's respond to his call! CAFOD's new campaign is called Fix the Food System. See www.cafod.org.uk/food for more information, including an invitation for parish groups to learn about the impact of our food with our Fix the Food System: a 7-station journey resource.

GIFT AID ANNUAL STATEMENT

Annual statements of your Gift Aid donations for the tax year 2021/22 have been e-mailed to all donors for whom we have your e-mail address and you have given your consent for e-mail statements. If you have not received yours and would like it by e-mail, please contact the Parish Gift Aid Organiser at peterfkelly67@gmail.com.

All remaining statements will be printed out and will be available for collection at all Masses on Sunday 22nd May. Please note that these statements do not include any donations made via the parish contactless machines nor via the MyDo-na website.

Thank you to all Gift Aid donors for your generous support over this last year which has yielded more than £16,500 extra to the Parish on top of your donations.

ADORE

ADoRE spiritual mini-retreat May 28th with Mass, Adoration, Reflection, Praise, Talk, Prayer and Discussion. Theme: "We are called to be a People of Praise." Speaker: Alastair Emblem, ADoRE leader and Prayer Group/worship leader for 30 years. Guest worship group: Stay Awake.

Live all-day session 9.30-3.30 at St Bede's Church, Basingstoke RG24 9DX. Please bring picnic lunch. No need to book or register for the live session or to watch morning session livestream online 9.30-12.30 at www.stbedesbasingstoke.org.uk/live N.B. Praise song lyrics will not be shown on screen – please download from www.altonrenewal.com/adore_live

Please phone (NOT text) 07579 824523 Monday to Friday 10am to 4pm and leave ONLY name and number. Experienced prayer ministers will pray with you confidentially for healing of physical, emotional and spiritual problems; and for Baptism in the Spirit and renewal of faith.

CATENIANS DINNER

For 5 years the Parish has supported Madaba Parish in Jordan which is sheltering several hundred Iraqi catholic refugees. The parish Priest, Fr Firas Nasrawin, will be in Caterham in May to raise awareness of his community's needs and to appeal for essential funds. The Catenians are holding a Clergy Night on Wednesday 25th May at which Fr Firas will deliver a post Dinner Address. All Parishioners are invited to attend this event and anyone interested should contact Alastair Ashforth on 07496 802 420 for details.

UNIVERSE CATHOLIC WEEKLY

As you know, Covid brought about the collapse of the previous weekly newspaper, the Catholic Universe. Following that the team set up the publishing of a new digital only paper, the Universe Catholic Weekly.

They have succeeded over these last six months to provide our Catholic community with a fine paper, the Universe Catholic Weekly, but as you will imagine, it has been a struggle. We have only just been able to generate enough income to keep the paper financially stable. But it is a tight rope to walk.

In order to keep our high standard going and maintain a strong weekly Catholic voice at a time when it is much needed and of considerable importance, we seek a greater level of support from parishioners.

Having substantially cut our costs down to the bone, so enabling us to only charge £20 per quarter for 13 copies, we require an average of only 4/5 subscriptions per parish to achieve financial stability in order to safely continue publishing the paper.

If you would like to subscribe please let the parish office know and they will direct your request.