# Parish of the Sacred Heart,



Caterham

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Our church is 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 there will not be adoration on Tuesday and Mass will be at 9am.

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:** every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday 9AM to 10AM

> Daily Rosary: 12:00рм Monday to Friday & 1:00рм Saturday & Sunday

**Confessions:** every Saturday 10:45AM – 11:15AM

Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour: after Saturday Mass

Today there will be a second collection for Mission Sunday for England and Wales. Next week there will be an appeal for Empowering Vulnerable Children (EVC ) Uganda. These collections are not eligible for Parish Gift Aid.

# Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September 2022

Week Twenty Five of the Year

Psalter Week 1

#### Mass Times & Intentions

#### SUNDAY 18TH

25th Sunday of Ordinary Time 9:00ам -People of the Parish 10:45ам - Campbell Clark RIP (M Clark & family) 5:15рм - Ania Wigley RIP (M Wigley)

MONDAY 19TH St Theodore of Tarsus 10:00AM -Maguire Family (S Owen)

TUESDAY 20THSt Andrew Kim Taegon &<br/>companions\*9:00AM -Annette Wetherly RIP<br/>(Nessie & family)

WEDNESDAY 21ST St Matthew 10:00AM LATIN MASS -Celebrant's Intentions

THURSDAY 22ND 10:00AM -John Neary Ints (Cutler Family)

**FRIDAY 23RD** St Pio of Pietrelcina 7:00рм -Bruce Kent RIP (Justice & Peace)

> SATURDAY 24TH Our Lady of Walsingham 10:00AM -Celebrant's Intentions

SUNDAY 25TH 26th Sunday of Ordinary Time 9:00AM -People of the Parish 10:45AM -Jenny Rowen RIP (A Moran) 5:15PM -Myra Massey (Foundation) 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; 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, Betty Creton, Ann Walker, John O'Gorman, Paul Rowen, Pam Jones, Rita Paris, Maura Reilly, Monica Meeneghan, Vince Sullivan, Anne Harrison, Sandra Bearcroft & Pat Lucas.

### JOURNEY OF FAITH

We are a parish group that meets to consider and grow in our faith, and we would welcome anyone who would like to think more about their faith. Come on, try us out!

We meet on a Wednesday at 8pm, either face-to-face in the Bar Lounge (sorry, the bar itself is closed!) or on Zoom (details below) Can you spare an hour or so? We'd love to see you!

Topic: Journey of Faith Zoom Meeting Time: September 21st, 2022 08.00 PM https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6986253866

Meeting ID: 698 625 3866

Please remember in your prayers the soul of Callum Roche RIP who passed away recently. May his soul rest in peace.

#### **EMPOWERING VULNERABLE CHILDREN (EVC)**

Empowering Vulnerable Children (EVC) Uganda - Appeal Sunday 25th September

This Charity provides a future through education for some of the poorest children in the world. Judi Fawcett, the Founder, will give a brief talk at all the Masses on 25th September about their work.

For further information about the Charity please visit their website at <u>www.evcuganda.org</u>

#### Madaba

We have a message from an Iraqi refugee formerly taking refuge in Madaba and now resident in Sydney, Australia:

The Queen dies, long live the King.

I come from a republic so I do not know what it means to live in a country where monarchy exists or the meaning of having a king or queen.

I express my sincere condolences to all your parish for the death of Queen Elizabeth II, especially as she was an admired figure as well as being a queen. I hope that King Charles will represent the aspirations and will of the people of the UK. I am aware of his position and statements about the Christians of the Middle East.

Salaam Kikhwa

#### STELLA MARIS

Invitation to webinar: Thank you for your recent generous support for seafarers and fishers on Sea Sunday. As a follow up, Catholic charity Stella Maris (formerly called Apostleship of the Sea) invites you to join a webinar on Tuesday 27th September from 7.30pm to 9pm GMT to learn more about the issue of seafarer abandonment, and how donations like yours on Sea Sunday are supporting those in crisis. If you would like to attend, please register in advance at <u>www.stellamaris.org.uk/abandonment</u>

#### SCHOOL FORM SIGNING

If you have a Secondary School Supplementary Form that you would like Fr Seán to sign please see him after Mass. If you are applying for St Bede's please make yourself known to Fr Seán after Mass as the school will contact him directly for a reference.

#### ST PHILOMENA'S CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS - VACANCY

St Philomena's Catholic High School for Girls is seeking to appoint a Teaching Assistant (LSA) with an immediate start date.

Further details and an application form are available by emailing <u>recruitment@stphils.org.uk</u> or by contacting the HR Officer on 020 8642 2025. Further information be downloaded fro the school's website: <u>https://www.stphils.org.uk/join-us/vacan-cies</u>

#### QUEEN ELIZABETH II FUNERAL

Good news from The Westway Community Hub who are opening their doors on Monday. Below are details of what they are offering but please do let them know if you wish to join them as they need a rough idea of numbers.

Monday 19th September 2022

Starting at 10am

Queen Elizabeth II Funeral

The Westway (25 Chaldon Rd) will open for anyone who'd like to watch the funeral procession and service with others streamed on TV.

Soup and sandwiches will be available.

If you would like to make an entry in the on-line Royal Book of Condolence, please ask, we'd be happy to help.

#### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION - VOLUNTEER REQUEST

We currently have two children with special needs in the parish that would like to start their First Holy Communion Preparation. Please contact the office if you have experience in this area and would be willing to volunteer to take them through the First Holy Communion programme. Support and teaching materials will be available.

#### KNOCK SHRINE PILGRIMAGE

Escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, 17th October 2022. £699.00 per person sharing. Price includes 4 nights' in Knock House Hotel with full board. All entertainment and excursions included. Day trips to Westport, Ballintubber Abbey, Croagh Patrick, Fr. Peyton Centre & National Museum. Single supplement £100.00. Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com

#### ST BERNADETTE

The relics of St Bernadette have arrived in the UK and will be on tour until the end of October. Visiting St Dunstan's in Woking (21st), Arundel Cathedral (22nd), and Worth Abbey (23rd).

The visit provides a once in a lifetime opportunity for people across our community to venerate St Bernadette's Relics in a church or cathedral near them. Registration is encouraged though everyone is very welcome to attend and no one will be turned away. To find out more please visit W: <u>stbernadette.org.uk</u>.

There will be a sign up sheet in the porch. Drivers can you offer care space?

# CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY - WORLD FOOD CRISIS APPEAL

Millions of families are facing a food crisis that could be the worst in living memory. As each day goes by, the situation worsens. As people of faith we must act. Your donations can help CAFOD's local experts to provide emergency food supplies to families in the worst affected countries in East Africa and support communities around the world working hard to put food on the table. Please give today or start a monthly gift to CAFOD. Use the envelope for our parish collection or go to <u>www.</u> <u>cafod.org.uk/fastday</u>.

Finally, thank you for your parish's prayers and donations to our DEC Pakistan Floods Appeal. Our partners have been able to deliver immediate food and medical relief to flood affected communities in Sindh Province in Pakistan and will continue to do so.

Our current focus on emergencies in the Commonwealth countries of Pakistan and Kenya feels apt as we join with the rest of the UK in mourning the passing of Her Majesty The Queen. She was a good and faithful servant of God and the country and we pray for her. CAFOD has shared these prayer intentions for the Queen and her family on our website and social media pages.

This faith, so often and so eloquently proclaimed in her public messages, has been an inspiration to me, and I am sure to many. The wisdom, stability and service which she consistently embodied, often in circumstances of extreme difficulty, are a shining legacy and testament to her faith.

Our prayer is that she is now received into the merciful presence of God, there to be reunited with her beloved Prince Philip. This is the promise of our faith, and our deep consolation.

Queen Elizabeth II will remain, always, a shining light in our history. May she now rest in peace.

We pray for His Majesty the King, as he assumes his new office even as he mourns his mother. God save the King.

#### MASS SHEETS

A limited number of Mass sheets will be printed for those that really need a hard copy. If you would like to follow the Mass, sheets are available online at: <u>http://www.caterhamcatholic.co.uk/ewExternalFiles/JMS%2025OT.pdf</u>

#### BARTIMAEUS PROJECT

You may remember that a number of parishes joined in the "Bartimaeus Project" talks back in March. It is aimed at people who know the basics of the Catholic faith and want to grow a little deeper in their understanding.

Season 2 is starting on Thursday 29 September, at 7.30 pm. Topics this season, on the relationship of faith and reason are:

(1) Why Seeing Isn't Believing: What Sort of a Thing is Faith? (29 Sept)

(2) Why Faith Isn't a Leap in the Dark: How Faith and Reason go together (6 Oct)

(3) Why Dawkins is Wrong: Understanding the Complementarity of Science and Faith (13 Oct)

(4) Why Dawkins is Wrong Again: How Science actually Points us to God (20 Oct)

People can join individually, or you can gather a small group somewhere, and they can form a ready-made discussion group.

More details at https://bartimaeus-project.org

#### DIOCESAN RUN EVENTS

We are so excited to be welcoming the relics of St Bernadette to our Diocese, and our Youth Adviser is making the most of the opportunity by hosting events for teenagers and young adults.

The Young Adults Community (for those aged 18-35) will be travelling to Arundel Cathedral on 22 October for Mass, veneration of the relics and lunch. They will then receive a talk from Canon David Parmiter before joining the Blessed Sacrament Procession. We are currently coordinating minibuses from a variety of locations across the Diocese to ensure that as many people are able to join us as possible. Any Young Adult is welcome to join us for the day, so if you would like to know more contact our Youth Adviser E: <u>lizzie.wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk</u>

Bookings for World Youth Day are now open!

Join the Diocesan Group attending World Youth Day in 2023 for an experience of fellowship, faith and jolly good fun!

Lisbon2023 is expected to follow the standard schedule of WYD events beginning with an Opening Ceremony & Mass on Tuesday 1 August and concluding with a Papal Mass on Sunday, 6 August. Throughout the week, pilgrims will have opportunities to attend Catechesis, Masses, and Youth Festival events from concerts and film festivals to Adoration and prayer nights.

The pilgrimage is for anyone aged 18-35, who has a desire to celebrate their faith with like-minded people, we guarantee there is no other pilgrimage quite like it!

To book your place visit W: <u>https://abdiocese.churchsuite.com/events/laowefiv</u> or E: <u>lizzie.wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk</u> for more information.

However, the celebrations don't end there! There is also an event for 14-17 year olds on 23 October at Worth Abbey. If you were Redshirt in Lourdes this year, or are interested in becoming a Redshirt next year, this is the event for you! Our Youth Adviser is coordinating a 'mini-Lourdes' experience with a chance for participants to spend some time with other young Catholics their age, having fun, being inspired in their faith and taking part in a candlelight procession. Once again contact E: <u>lizzie.wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk</u> for information.

## P/T Clerk needed urgently in Cranleigh

St Joseph's Specialist Trust, a Catholic school and home in Cranleigh, is urgently seeking a Clerk to support their work caring for children with complex needs and severe learning disabilities, many of whom are on the autistic spectrum. The role encompasses 160hrs a year at £20/hr. For details and to apply please visit: <u>https://www.abdiocese.org.uk/careers/clerk-st-josephs-specialist-trust</u>