

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

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,
Thursday and Saturday 9AM to 10AM

Daily Rosary:

12:00PM Monday to Friday &
1:00PM Saturday & Sunday

Confessions:

every Saturday 10:45AM – 11:15AM

Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual

Succour:

after Saturday Mass

Today there will be an appeal for
Empowering Vulnerable Children (EVC)
Uganda. These collections are not eligible
for Parish Gift Aid.

SUNDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER 2022

WEEK TWENTY SIX
OF THE YEAR

Psalter Week 2

MASS TIMES & 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)

MONDAY 26TH

Sts Cosmas and Damian

10:00AM -

Maureen Martin & family Ints
(P&B Lovat)

TUESDAY 27TH

St Vincent de Paul

10:00AM -

Bridget Kinnane RIP (A Bosley)

WEDNESDAY 28TH

St Wenceslaus

10:00AM LATIN MASS -

Nancy Finnegan RIP

THURSDAY 29TH

*St Michael, Gabriel & Raphael,
Archangels*

10:00AM -

Callum Roche RIP
(Wood family)

FRIDAY 30TH

St Jerome

7:00PM -

Hanley family Ints
(Hanley family)

SATURDAY 1ST OCTOBER

St Thérèse of the Child Jesus

10:00AM -

Innocent Family Ints (Foundation)

SUNDAY 2ND

27th Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00AM -

Callum Roche RIP (SVP)

10:45AM -

Robert Marjeram RIP
(G Adamson)

5:15PM - People of the Parish

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 Meenaghan, Vince Sullivan, Anne Harrison, Sandra Bearcroft & Pat Lucas.



JOURNEY OF FAITH - WEDNESDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER 8PM (BAR LOUNGE)

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, generally, on Zoom. (Unfortunately this week and next week we are unable to meet on Zoom. We aim to re-start on the 12th October)

SVP KNITTING CLUB

The SVP Knitting Club will be meeting in St Thomas' Hall on Monday 3rd October from 2pm to 4pm. Besides our usual projects, we have been asked to knit a number of shawls for women, to distribute at Christmas; therefore, we also invite knitters who knit from home to get in touch and help us deliver this Christmas project for which we can provide wool and simple patterns. 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 have any wool leftover from a project, knitting patterns or knitting needles you wish to donate, please contact Sandy Baron on 07984666591.

HCPT FAMILY GROUP - FUNDRAISING

For many years, Matthew Cornwell has travelled with one of the HCPT family groups that take disabled and disadvantaged children to Lourdes for a week at Easter. He is now planning to start a similar group for young adults that are too old to travel with a family group but still want to enjoy the HCPT experience of Lourdes. While all the adult volunteers pay their own fare, he is fundraising to contribute towards the fares of the young people who might not otherwise be able to travel and, as part of that, he is running the London Marathon on 2nd October.

If you feel able to sponsor Matthew, please visit his Just Giving page at www.justgiving.com/fundraising/matthewcornwellhcpt.

If you would like to find out more about joining the group as a volunteer or know a young adult that might enjoy the week in Lourdes next Easter, please email Matthew: group301@hcpt.org.uk.

ROSARY CRUSADE OF REPARATION - SATURDAY 8TH OCTOBER 2022

Assemble by 1.45 pm outside Westminster Cathedral (Ambrosden Avenue) Nearest Underground: Victoria

For Information Contact: Francis Carey (01494) 729223 – Mathias Menezes (020) 8764 0262 or 07950 384515

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BAR STAFF

We will soon be opening the Parish Club.

If you would be interested in doing some shifts (paid work) in the bar please contact the Parish Office for more information.

His Majesty King Charles III has expressed the wish that all in the Catholic community know of his gratitude for the many prayers that have been offered for the late Queen and for the Royal Family during these past weeks.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Please could prospective FHC candidates' parents email the office with the name of child, parents and contact details (email and telephone number) indicating that their child would like to receive First Communion in 2023. Children will need to be in Year 4 at school and have been baptised.

Preparation will begin in the new year, when hopefully the Old Hall renovations will have been completed, on Saturdays; one session late morning, an alternative early afternoon.

PARISH EVENTS

If you are planning an event, activity or meeting in one of our halls on behalf of the Parish, please note that you will need to book in with halls@sacred-heart.co.uk. Once the booking is confirmed you will need to contact Health and Safety at hands@sacred-heart.co.uk to arrange for a Risk Assessment.

EMPOWERING VULNERABLE CHILDREN (EVC) - TODAY

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 about their work. For further information please visit their website www.evcuganda.org

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, Arundel Cathedral, and Worth Abbey between the 21st and 24th October.

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: stbernadette.org.uk.

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

HEALTH AND SAFETY

A polite reminder of the temporary change to the fire exit due to the works in the Old Hall continuing, therefore the fire exit is through the Sacristy for the time being.

With the weather changing please take care around the church grounds as the leaves start to fall. It can be slippery if it rains.

In case of snow, the church drive will need to be cleared and gritted, if you are able to add your name to a list of volunteers to help do this, please contact the office.

APOSTOLATE OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

The main purpose of the Apostolate is to enable and encourage our parishioners to become more actively involved in praying for vocations to the priesthood and religious life, focussing especially on their local community. We are being asked to pray for their own clergy, for God's blessing on their ministry, and for the conversion of their parish. The Apostolate hinges on personal commitment: Individuals are being asked to pledge themselves to an hour's Adoration every week at a set time on a set day. They become part of a Team, you could say, rather like a runner passing on the baton in a relay race.

While everyone is most welcome to take part, those who make a regular weekly commitment are the backbone of the Apostolate.

With this in mind, Brendan Clearly, the UK Director, will lead a day of Recollection and Instruction on Saturday 5th November at St Michael's Worthing. The day will begin with Mass, celebrated by Bishop Richard, and end about mid-afternoon.

Please contact the office or speak to Fr Seán for more information and to confirm attendance.

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: <http://www.caterhamcatholic.co.uk/ewExternalFiles/JMS%2026OT.pdf>

DIOCESAN RUN EVENTS

Externally run Diocesan events at Worth Abbey:

Finding Stillness: 20-23 September Cost £330 per person

'Be still and know that I am God' (Psalm 46). Come to Worth Abbey and encounter this refreshing and empowering stillness. Through the Benedictine tradition, discover how stillness can be part of your everyday life and how transformative it can be. The retreat will include: teachings in lectio divina and stilling the mind, as well as an opportunity to have a 1:1 meeting with a member of the monastic community.

TIME OUT: Self-led individual retreat: 7-9 October Cost £180 per person

Spend a few days at Worth Abbey enjoying the rhythm of the monastic prayer and liturgy, time in reflection and the peace of the Sussex countryside. There is no set programme other than an optional daily Lectio Divina session, the usual monastic timetable of divine office and liturgy and the opportunity for a 1:1 meeting with a member of the monastic community.

The Wisdom of St Benedict: 14-16 October Cost £220 per person

Led by Fr Martin McGee - Fr Martin will explore the riches of St Benedict's Rule, a guide to living out the Christian life in all its fullness.

Stability—Becoming rooted in Christ;

Humility—Learning how to become oneself;

Lectio Divina—Finding nourishment in Gods' Word;

Christian leadership—Serving Christ in others.

For more information and to book and pay for your place visit W: www.worth.co.uk or email E: retreats@worth.org.uk or call T: 01342 710318.

CAFOD school volunteers required

Do you enjoy working with children and young people? Could you help to inspire and empower children and young people in our Catholic schools and churches to bring alive their sense of global justice? Could you give an assembly or a workshop in a local school? Supported by CAFOD with training and resources, you will discuss issues of global justice, add to parish and school life, whilst complementing the work of teachers, priests and catechists.

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