

# Parish of the Sacred Heart,



## Caterham

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#### CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

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To register - <https://forms.office.com/r/QADSXH1mur>

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Our church is open daily.  
All Mass are streamed and recorded and can be  
watched on line any time at  
[www.churchservices.tv/caterham](http://www.churchservices.tv/caterham)

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:** every  
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Sat-  
urday 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

#### What's on this week at a glance

Sun: Coffee & Teas after morning Masses  
Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:45am Mass  
Mon: Coffee & Tea after Mass  
Tues:  
Wed: 8am Morning Prayer (St Luke's Church)  
Thurs: 2pm SVP meeting (Canon Roe Hall)  
Fri: 4:30pm CGS Atrium at (St Thomas Hall)  
Sat:  
Sun: Coffee & Teas after 10:45am Mass  
Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:45am Mass.

We welcome Canon Jim Pannett, Fr Ian Byrns  
& Fr Gus Kinnane who will celebrate Masses here  
this week.

This week we will have a second collection for  
the White Flowers Appeal. Next week there  
will be a second collection for Pax Christi (nei-  
ther collection is eligible for Parish Gift Aid).  
As always we thank you for your generosity.

#### MASS COLLECTIONS

Our QR code will take you to the  
donations page.



## SUNDAY 7TH JANUARY 2024

### WEEK ONE OF ORDINARY TIME

Psalter Week 1

### MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

#### SUNDAY 7TH

*Epiphany of the Lord*

**9:00AM -**

John Neary RIP (O Neary)

**10:45AM -**

People of the Parish

**5:15PM -**

Thomas Finnegan RIP

#### MONDAY 8TH

*The Baptism of the Lord*

**10:00AM -**

Fr Seán Finnegan's Ints (J Doyle)

#### TUESDAY 9TH

**10:00AM -**

George and Kathleen Watts RIP  
(J Watts)

#### WEDNESDAY 10TH

**10.00AM REQUIEM MASS-**  
Charles Fleury RIP

#### THURSDAY 11TH

**10:00AM -**

Noel and Bernadette Kinsella  
(J Watts)

#### FRIDAY 12TH

*St Ælred of Rievaulx*

**7:00PM -**

Reeda D'Souza RIP (C Wise)

#### SATURDAY 13TH

*St Hilary*

**10:00AM-**

Mary Power RIP (SVP)

#### SUNDAY 14TH

*Second Sunday of Ordinary Time*

**9:00AM -**

People of the Parish

**10:45AM -**

Doyle Family Intentions  
(J Doyle)

**5:15PM -** Louisa Bergin RIP  
(AM Young)

Your Prayers are requested for the following people who are ill or housebound: Eileen, Mel & Rose Lattimore; Bryan Smith; John & Brenda Gilford; Tabitha Harrison; Joe Kelly; Charmaine Wise; Ursula Koh; Maribel Chambers; Patricia Howlett; Reef Albert; Liz Leake; Sandra; Holly Osman; Julian Gavin; Emma Cook; Susie; Shirley Clarke; Pat Boyle, Sue Ellis; Jean Joakim, Ryan Baker, Theo, Betty Creton, John O'Gorman, Paul Rowen, Pam Jones, Rita Paris, Monica Meeneghan, Anne Harrison, Eddie Cannon, Emma Wood, Laurence Daniels, Terry Patterson, Anne Moran, Margaret Cook, Adam Merrett, RB, Emilia De Marinis, Lucy & Phil Bawden & Mike Wood.



Please pray for the soul of Mary Ann Burns RIP who all passed away recently. May her soul rest in peace.

### 5TH CATERHAM SCOUTS

Our Scouts now meet on Wednesday evenings in St Thomas' Hall at 7.15pm. Girls and boys 10½ - 14 years old are all very welcome to join us. Not sure what the Scouts do? Then come along this Wednesday and find out or email Matt Cornwell: [gsl@5thcaterham.org.uk](mailto:gsl@5thcaterham.org.uk)

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

#### PROGRAMME 2024

The First Holy Communion Programme for 2024 is now full. You will have been sent an email to confirm your child is enrolled.

Please note that due to safeguarding requirements places are limited. We are looking for volunteers to help with the sessions to try and avoid this. Please email [FHC@sacred-heart.co.uk](mailto:FHC@sacred-heart.co.uk) if you are able to help and willing to have a DBS check.

### CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children's Liturgy of the Word will start up again on 7th Jan at the 10:45am Mass. If you wish your child to participate, they will need to be pre-registered by completing the online Microsoft Form. <https://forms.office.com/r/QADSXH1mur>

For safeguarding reasons, we cannot accept children who have not been pre-registered and numbers will be limited to observe strict child to adult ratios in line with Diocese guidance.

By registering your child you are not committing to weekly sessions

### PASTORAL PLAN

Bishop Richard will be hosting a Pastoral Plan Webinar for people across our diocesan community on Wednesday 10 January at 7.30pm. Please use the following link to join the webinar: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86457734895>.

### THE CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

"Let the little children come to me"  
Matthew 19:14

CGS (Catechesis of the Good Shepherd) Atrium returns on Friday the 12th January 2024 at 4:30pm. The Atrium is every Friday during term time at St Thomas Hall.

The CGS is a faith formation programme that helps children from an early age (3 - 8 years old) grow and foster a relationship with God. It is rooted in Scripture and Liturgy of the

Church and inspired by Maria Montessori's principles of education.

If you are interested for your child/ren to join us at some point, please contact us by email: [CGS@sacred-heart.co.uk](mailto:CGS@sacred-heart.co.uk)

### SVP FILM CLUB

Monday 15th January at 2 pm – Canon Roe Hall.

Our January film will be the recently released "The Great Escaper", starring Michael Caine, as Bernard Jordan, and Glenda Jackson, as his wife Rene. Bernard made global headlines in 2014 when he staged a "great escape" from his care home to join fellow war veterans at the D-Day Landings 70th anniversary in Normandy. The film captures the defiant "can-do" spirit of, and the lessons we might learn from, the Greatest Generation and marks the culmination of Bernie's 60-year loving marriage to Rene. All are welcome and tea and homemade cake will be available. We expect the film to finish by about 4.15 pm.

### PEACE SUNDAY

Peace Sunday 2024 is Sunday 14th January and the theme chosen by Pope Francis is 'Artificial Intelligence and Peace'. You can read a full copy of his message for the World Day of Peace here: Pope Francis Message for World Day of Peace 2024 Every year, with the support of the Catholic Bishops' Conference, England and Wales, Pax Christi – promotes Peace Sunday. Please take a prayer card as you leave church today.

### PAX CHRISTI

Pax Christi – the Peace of Christ – the Catholic peace movement was established in the aftermath of the 2nd world war, its work is based on the gospel and inspired by faith. Pax Christi works in schools, parishes and ecumenically to promote Peace based on justice, Reconciliation between individuals or whole countries after times of violence or dispute, Nonviolence - promoting alternatives to local and global violence and war. There will be a 2nd collection to support Pax Christi (it cannot be gift aided).

### ADORE

ADoRE spiritual mini-retreat 27th January 10.00-1.00 "Chosen to be holy – transformation by the Holy Spirit." Including Mass, Adoration, Praise, Prayer for the gifts of the Holy Spirit and inspiring guest speaker Charles Whitehead KSG. Please register for the Zoom meeting in advance at [bit.ly/ADOREJAN2024](https://bit.ly/ADOREJAN2024) More information at [www.altonrenewal.com](http://www.altonrenewal.com)

### CHAPLIN VISITS TO HOSPITAL

If you or an acquaintance are taken to hospital, please tell the Parish Office so that a Chaplin can be informed and arrange a visit.

### THANK YOU

An enormous thank you to everyone who sent prayers and messages for Mike when he was taken ill in Portugal. Although he is still in hospital he is making a slow but good recovery. We are blessed to belong to such a caring community. Eliz & Mike Wood

### PARISH SHOP

There are bargains to be had. Boxes of Christmas cards @ £1.50 and beautiful diaries and bible diaries @ £5 each. First come first served!

### RETROUVAILLE – DO YOU NEED IN YOUR MARRIAGE?

Retrouvaille has helped many couples find new hope, nourishment and growth in their marriages. If you want to uncover or reawaken the love, trust and commitment that brought you together and work through difficult times in your marriage contact Retrouvaille confidential for more information about our 2024 programmes. There is no group therapy or group work. Our next programme commences with a Virtual weekend on 8 - 11 February 2024 or there is a Face to Face weekend in Welwyn Garden City on 14-16 June 2024. Call or text 07887 296983 or 07973 380443, email [retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com](mailto:retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com) - or visit [www.retrouvaille.org.uk](http://www.retrouvaille.org.uk)

### DIOCESAN RUN EVENTS

#### Day of Reflection for Ministers of the Word - Saturday 20 January 2024

Bishop Richard will lead a day of reflection and formation for Ministers of the Word at Sacred Heart Church, Cobham, 11-4pm. Including Lectio Divina and Mass, plus talks on Sacred Scripture, the Liturgy of the Word, the Lectionary, and practical aspects of the ministry.

#### Annual Justice & Peace Assembly - Saturday 27 January 2024 10-1.30pm. St

Philip Howard Centre, Crawley. Free of charge Our assembly will address violence and abuse in our homes, families and wider community, with speakers from Restored, Lifecentre and Pax Christi. The doors will open, with refreshments available, from 9.30am. For more information about this event please contact our Caritas Social Action Adviser, Tessa Ricketts E: [Tessa.Ricketts@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:Tessa.Ricketts@abdiocese.org.uk)