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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

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 morning after morning Mass
4pm FHC Session 1B (Canon Roe Hall)
Mon: Coffee & teas after Mass
Tues:
Wed: Ash Wednesday - *Fasting & Abstinence*
8:30am Morning Prayer (United Reformed Church)
Thurs: 11am Lent Group
7pm Intro to Catholic Faith (Canon Roe hall)
Fri: 10am Lent Group (Canon Roe Hall)
11:15am Stations of the Cross
Sat:
Sun: Coffee & Teas morning after 10:45am Mass
7:30pm Lent Group

We welcome Mgr Benny O'Shea, Fr Gus Kinanne &
Canon Jim Pannett who will celebrate Masses here

Today there will be a second collection for the
Lourdes Pilgrimage Fund (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 11TH FEBRUARY 2024

WEEK SIX OF ORDINARY TIME

Psalter Week 2

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

SUNDAY 11TH

Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00AM -

George Medou RIP & George
Gauslin (S Gauslin)

10:45AM -

Mary Fenny RIP (Teresa)

5:15PM -

People of the Parish

MONDAY 12TH

10:00AM -

Ann Burns RIP (SVP)

TUESDAY 13TH

Shrove Tuesday

10:00AM -

Ints of Fr Seán's Godchildren

WEDNESDAY 14TH

Ash Wednesday

10:00AM -

Fr Bill East RIP (Betty)

7:30PM -

Georgina Formosa RIP (C Lunn)

THURSDAY 15TH

10:00AM -

Johanna Packer Ints

FRIDAY 16TH

7:00PM -

Canon Frank Harrington RIP

SATURDAY 17TH

10:00AM -

Nellie Cannon (M Copley)

SUNDAY 18TH

First Sunday of Lent

9:00AM -

Nora & Jeremiah Moynihan RIP
(M & M Liversage)

10:45AM -

People of the Parish

5:15PM -

Fr James Maguire RIP

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.

JOURNEY OF FAITH

There is NO Journey of Faith this week, since it is Ash Wednesday.

Join us NEXT Wednesday (and every Wednesday) for a lively discussion of the readings at the Sunday Mass - or for any topic you may want to bring to the meeting, at 7.30p.m. in the Canon Roe Hall. (Note new time: 7.30 p.m.)

During Lent, in addition to the readings, we will be following a course for Lent called "Stop and Stare" based on the poem by William Davis which starts "What is this life if, full of care, we have no time to stop and stare?"

Anyone who would like to join us on a Wednesday evening would be very welcome!

LENT

Lent is nearly upon us! Join a Lent group (or start your own!). Instead of giving up sweets or alcohol, give up some time, and find a group to suit you!

Wednesday afternoon, 1pm.; Wednesday evening, 7.30pm.; Thursday mornings, 11am.; Friday mornings, 10am.; Sunday evenings, 7.30pm.

Sign-up sheets in the church porch, with details of venues and resources.

Stations of the Cross - Each Friday during Lent, starting on 16th of Feb, the Stations of the Cross will be prayed at 11.15am. From 23rd Feb there will be Lent lunches in Canon Roe Hall at 12.30 every Friday.

Celebrating Lent - For children there are Lent Calendars and family there are activities to help children understand this very important season of the church. For adults there is a collection of books for short daily reflection. All available in the Parish shop. Come and browse.



Please pray for the soul of Phil Bellot RIP whose funeral will be held here on Wednesday 21st February at 11:30am. May his soul rest in peace.

SVP FILM CLUB

Monday 19th February at 2.00pm in the Canon Roe Hall

Our February film will be *Miracle Club* (released Oct 23). Set in Ballygar, Dublin in 1968, close friends Lily (Maggie Smith), Eileen (Kathy Bates), and Dolly (Agnes O'Casey) win the trip of a lifetime - a pilgrimage to Lourdes. With each woman desperately in need of a personal miracle, the trip seems like an answer to all their prayers. But when they are joined by Chrissie, returning to Dublin after decades in America, deep wounds from the past are re-opened and bitter truths exposed. As they confront one another and embrace their shared past, the group reckon with revelations that will change them forever. The *Miracle Club* is a heartfelt story of friendship, family, and forgiveness.

All are welcome to come along and enjoy this highly-rated film, with tea and homemade cake at the interval. For those who are ar-

ranging transport, the anticipated finish time is 4.00pm.

CONFIRMATION 2024

We are now in the final stages of planning for the programme and will shortly be asking candidates to register. Classes are likely to start after Easter with 6 to 7 sessions before the Confirmation Day which has been booked for Saturday 6th July at 10am.

Please keep an eye on the newsletter for updates.

A BIG 'THANK YOU' FROM THE SVP

The SVP would like to thank parishioners for the most generous support given to the SVP Cake Sale last Sunday. Your response was overwhelming, and on behalf of all those families who will benefit from our School Outreach Programme over the coming months, we are most grateful. The grand total of £757.50 was raised, enabling us to reach out with support to even more local families who are struggling to cover expenses in these financially difficult times. Thank you to everyone who supported in any way, including making or buying cakes, marmalade, knitwear or art & craft items, purchasing raffle tickets or making a donation. Congratulations to Sue Webb who won the raffle!

FIRE MARSHALLS

We are looking for volunteers (over 18 years of age) to undertake fire marshal training to assist in case of an emergency during Mass. You would need to watch an online video and then answer a short questionnaire on what you have watched.

This is a way you could easily volunteer to help your Parish without a time commitment and we would be very grateful if anyone who feels they could do this would email hands@sacred-heart.co.uk for more information.

DOUBLE C CLUB

Well done to the winners of the February draw of the Double C Club

£70 Mark Fanthorne

£50 Pam Jones

£30 Janice Harvey

Welcome to the new members who joined on Sunday *Good luck* We still have memberships available if you would like to join this club which raises funds for the parish with the bonus of being a winner of one of the 3 prizes draw each month. Please contact Sue of 01883 346399 to discuss details

CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY

This Lent, your donations to CAFOD's Family Fast Day appeal will help hardworking people like James the fisherman in Liberia with resources, tools and training to feed their families for good. Give today using the envelope or online at cafod.org.uk and please join us in praying with James that our sisters and brothers around the world have what they need to feed their families. Use the envelope in church or give online at cafod.org.uk

THE CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

CGS Atrium next week is half term break and will return on Friday 23rd February 2024 at 4:30pm.

The Atrium is every Friday during term time, held 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

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children's Liturgy of the Word will be taking a short break & return on Sun 25th February.

CHAPLAIN VISITS TO HOSPITAL

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

FOOD BANK

Just a quick update from Gemma Zarembski at Caterham Foodbank after 'The Harvest Appeal' last Autumn.

Your very generous donations helped go towards stocking the warehouse ready for the winter.

Christmas hampers were put together as a welcome boost and sprinkling of cheer for the clients.

298 hampers were given out to 1070 recipients, 634 of whom were children.

This shows how vital your donations were and how your continued generosity is greatly appreciated. On behalf of the trustees and all the volunteers we thank the parishioners of Sacred Heart very much.

ART EXHIBITION

We are excited to let you know that applications for this year's inaugural New Life Art Show are now officially open. This event will run 2nd-6th April 2024 at Oakhall church-181 Chaldon Road, Caterham. To ensure that we have adequate display room, we are inviting applicants to let us know a little about their intended submission piece or pieces (up to 3) to help with planning. If there is not sufficient space, we may need to limit the artwork being displayed. The theme this year is "New Life", and we are looking forward to displaying artwork of all mediums and from people of all faiths and none and are particularly excited to receive works from local Christian artists with a gospel message. Please apply by 11th February following the link on our Instagram page @newlife.artshow or using this link. We very much hope that some of your members will exhibit alongside us.