

Parish of the Sacred Heart,



Caterham

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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
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

What's on this week at a glance

Sun: Coffee & Teas after morning Masses
Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:45am Mass
4pm Confirmation Session 3 (Canon Roe Hall)
Bethlehem Appeal - All Masses

Mon: Coffee & Teas after Mass

Tues:

Wed: 8:30am Morning Prayer (St John's Church)
7:30pm Journey of Faith (Canon Roe Hall)

Thur: 7pm Choir Practice (Committee Rm)

Fri: 11:15am Stations of the Cross followed by
Lent Lunch
5pm Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
(St T's Hall)

Sat: 9:30am FHC Session 4
Confirmation Retreat
Youth Flame Trip

Sun: Coffee & Teas after morning Masses
Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:45am Mass
3pm Youth Club (Retro Cafe)
4pm FHC Session 4

Our QR code will take you to the
donations page.

<https://donate.mydona.com/the-sacred-heart-caterham>



SUNDAY 9TH MARCH 2025

FIRST WEEK OF LENT

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

SUNDAY 9TH

First Sunday of Lent

9:00AM -

Peter Patterson RIP

10:45AM -

Prima Stead RIP

5:15PM -

People of the Parish

MONDAY 10TH

9:45AM REQUIEM MASS -
Liz Fernandes RIP

TUESDAY 11TH

10:00AM -

Deceased of the Fahy Family

WEDNESDAY 12TH

10:00AM LATIN MASS -
Enny Martin RIP (Foundation)

THURSDAY 13TH

10:00AM -

Simon Cockshutt RIP

FRIDAY 14TH

7:00PM -

Andrzej Paciorkowski RIP

SATURDAY 15TH

10:00AM -

Jackie Leslie RIP

SUNDAY 16TH

Second Sunday of Lent

9:00AM -

Freddy Lobo RIP

10:45AM -

People of the Parish

5:15PM -

Francis Xavier Oliso RIP

Your Prayers are requested for the following people who are ill or housebound: Bryan Smith; Brenda Gilford; Tabitha Harrison; Joe Kelly; Charmaine Wise; Ursula Koh; Maribel Chambers; Patricia Howlett; Reef Albert; Sandra; Holly Osman; Julian Gavin; Emma Cook; Susie; Pat Boyle; Sue Ellis; Jean Joakim; Ryan Baker; Betty Creton, John O'Gorman, Paul Rowen, Pam Jones, Rita Paris, Monica Meenaghan, Anne Harrison, Eddie Cannon, Emma Wood, Laurence Daniels, Terry Patterson, Anne Moran, Margaret Cook, Adam Merrett, RB, Emilia De Marinis, Phil Bawden, Ruby, Mike Wood, Claire Frith, Jay Reeves, Lis Maria Roffey, Camille Corpuz, Ermin Bryce, Maria, Mary Hopkins, Henry Proos, Tish Funnell, Dennis Ireland, Gordon; Shirley Clarke; Tony D'Souza, Elizabeth Hubbard-Brown & Lesley Funnell.

JOURNEY OF FAITH

Journey of Faith will meet as usual in the Canon Roe Hall at 7.30pm on Wednesday 11th March. We will be looking at the readings for next Sunday, (2nd Sunday of Lent) and other aspects of our faith and how it makes a difference to our lives. We will then look at the Churches Together Course 'The Nicene Creed' - so join us stimulating discussions!

PRAYER FOR PEACE

Creator God of love and mercy,
Hear the cry of your people in this time of war on our continent.
Keep safe the people of Ukraine.
Draw into your eternal mercy the soldiers killed on the battlefield and the civilians bombed at home.
Heed the silent tears of the bereaved.
Heal the wounds of those maimed in body and heal the souls of those who have seen too much.
Reunite those torn by exile from their loved ones.
Keep innocent the spirits of the young and keep alive the hopes of all for a different world of peace with justice.
Mend the scars inflicted on our planet by the ways of violence.
Forgive the waste of human ingenuity in perfecting ways to kill.
Lead us all beyond the barbarity of war to the vision of your peace, And pour your Spirit into the hearts of those with the power to bring the killing to an end.
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

SVP NEWS

Diary Date: SVP Quiz Night – Friday 25th April (more details to follow)

Film Club

Monday 17th March at 2.00pm in the Canon Roe Hall
A special film for St Patrick's Day - the BAF- TA-winning 'Brooklyn'. Set in the 1950s, the story follows young Irish woman Ellis Lacey as she travels to New York in search of a better life. Initially homesick, she begins to adjust to her new surroundings with the help of Italian-American Tony Fiorello with whom she becomes romantically involved. After news of a family crisis, Ellis returns to Ireland where she enjoys spending time back in her hometown and becomes acquainted with a young man, Jim Farrell, finding herself torn between two very different paths.
All will be welcome at this rather special Film Club afternoon, with an Irish flavour! The film should finish at about 4.15pm.

Sacred Heart, SVP Conference

We seek to reach out to people in the Caterham community who may be in need of help and support. We can provide material assistance or simply a 'listening ear'. If you know someone who may be struggling and could benefit from a little befriending or perhaps financial help, please contact us. You can speak to any SVP member or call

our confidential phone line: 07599890043

THE BETHLEHEM NATIVITY GROUP

The Bethlehem Nativity Group TBNG, A missionary from Bethlehem, The Holy Land, will visit us on the weekend 9th March to briefly talk about the Holy Land and sell religious articles made out of Olive Wood to help and support the poor Christian families, any help you could give to them it will be highly appreciated" (when you help the poor you help our Lord")

LENT GROUPS

We have a number of Group you are welcome to join during Lent:

Time: **Wednesday Afternoons 1.00pm**
Dates: 12th March to 9th April
Venue: Chez Anneliese Moran
Contact: Anneliese Moran – 07956 241427
anneliesem2@yahoo.com
Resource: Using The Nicene Creed.

Time: **Wednesday Evenings 7.30pm**
Dates: 12th March to 9th April
Venue: Canon Roe Hall
Contact: Peter Lovat – 01883 345749
peter_lovat@yahoo.com
Resource: Sunday Readings and Churches Together: Using The Nicene Creed.

Time: **Wednesday Evenings 8.00pm**
Dates: 12th March to 9th April
Venue: St Lawrence's Ancient Church.
Contact: Rev Helen Burnett –
vicar@chaldonchurch.co.uk
Resource: Journalling the Psalms

Time: **Thursday Mornings 11.00am-**
Dates: 6th March to 3rd April
Venue: URC Church, Caterham Valley.
Contact: Peter 01883 345749
Resource: Using The Nicene Creed.

Time: **Sunday evenings 8.00pm**
Start: 9th March to 6th April
Venue: 1 The Enterdent, Godstone RH9 8JF
Contacts: Rosemary: 01883 742488
Resource: Jubilee 2025 – Pilgrims of Hope

CHURCH CONCERT

The Parish Choir & Friends will be performing Franz Liszt's final masterpiece, Via Crucis (Stations of the Cross) on Saturday 22nd March 19:30. This will also be the launch of the much-needed music fund. Please spread the word and come along. Tickets are £10 (£5 concessions) and under 18s get in free! Tickets are available beforehand via email (music@sacred-heart.co.uk) or on the door.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

This week the Stations of the Cross and Lent lunch will be arranged by the Catenians.

SHOP

Have you got your Lent reading? There is a selection of books and Lent activities all available in the shop.

SPONSORED BIKE RIDE

Jonathan Sara is doing a sponsored bicycle ride during the week before Easter from Paris to Lourdes for HCPT. Please click on the link if you wish to donate to this amazing charity <https://www.justgiving.com/page/jonathan-sara-3> Children with Special Needs are given an opportunity to visit Our Lady of Lourdes.

GIFT AID ENVELOPES

Gift Aid envelopes for the new tax year, starting in April, are available for collection from a table in the porch. There are envelopes for standing order donors as well as weekly envelope donors. If you have not already picked yours up, please collect your box.

DOUBLE C CLUB

Well done to the winners of the March draw of the Double C Club
£70 Theresa Streifler
£50 Richard Williams
£30 Paul Tully

ST FRANCIS SCHOOL - VACANCY

St Francis' Catholic Primary School is looking to appoint a term-time Teaching Assistant to join our fantastic team of staff, to start as soon as possible. This position is for a fixed-term contract until the end of the academic year. Working hours are from 8:45am – 3:30pm, Monday to Friday. Please see our website for more details <https://www.stfrancis.surrey.sch.uk>. Closing date for applications is Friday 21st March 2025 at 1pm.

CAFOD LENT APPEAL – FAMILY FAST DAY COLLECTION

Please donate to our Family Fast Day parish collection and be a pilgrim of hope with CAFOD this Jubilee Year. You'll be supporting communities experiencing the impacts of war, poverty and climate change to find solutions and hope. Use the CAFOD envelope in church, donate online at www.cafod.org.uk/envelope or call us on 0303 303 3030. You can also text CAFODLENT to 70085 to donate £10.

MASS COLLECTIONS

February 2025 Totals:

Standing orders	£3281.00
Gross Offertory SumUp*	£922.00
Cash offertory	£1366.09
Total offertory for February	£5569.09

2nd Collections (Cash + Gross SumUp*)	
COAT	£442.50
Racial Justice Sunday	£137.30
Sanctuary Step	£1985.00
Lourdes Pilgrimage Fund	£362.24
Crib	£22.01
Donations	£220.00

*fees of 1.5% are deducted by SumUp
As always we thank you for your generosity.