

Parish of the Sacred Heart,



Caterham

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To register -

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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 at a glance

Sun: Coffee & Teas after 10:45am Mass (Cent Hall)

Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:45am Mass

Mon: Coffee & Teas after Mass (CRH)

Tues: 7:30pm Catholic Enquiry (CRH)

Wed: 8am Prayer morning (United Reform Church)

7pm Journey of Faith (CRH)

Thurs:

Fri:

Sat:

Sun: Coffee & Teas after 10:45am Mass (Cent Hall)

Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:45am Mass

3pm Youth Club (St T's Hall)

CRH = Canon Roe Hall

Next Sunday there will be a second collection for Racial Justice Sunday (Not eligible for Parish Gift Aid)

Our QR code will take you to the donations page.

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



SUNDAY 25TH JANUARY 2026

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

WEEK THREE OF ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY 25TH

Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00AM -

C Barretto & family

10:45AM -

Canon Frank Harrington RIP

5:15PM -

People of the Parish

MONDAY 26TH

Sts Timothy and Titus

10:00AM -

Joan Slater RIP

TUESDAY 27TH

St Angela Merici

10:00AM -

Alison Carvell

WEDNESDAY 28TH

St Peter Nolasco

10:00AM LATIN MASS -

James Kinanne Sr RIP

THURSDAY 29TH

10:00AM -

Anita Holmes RIP

FRIDAY 30TH

7:00PM -

Tony D'Souza RIP

SATURDAY 31ST

St John Bosco

10:00AM -

Ethel Bosley RIP

SUNDAY 1ST FEBRUARY

Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00AM -

People of the Parish

10:45AM -

Richard Flaherty RIP

5:15PM -

Walter Masservy (Foundation)

Your Prayers are requested for the following people who are ill or housebound: Brenda Gilford; Julian Gavin; Joe Kelly; Sue Ellis; Jean Joakim; Ryan Baker; Betty Creton; John O'Gorman; Paul Rowen; Pam Jones; Eddie Cannon; Emma Wood; Terry Patterson; Adam Merrett; RB; Emilia De Marinis; Mike Wood; Jay Reeves; Lis Maria Roffey; Camille Corpuz; Ermin Bryce; Mary Hopkins; Tish Funnell; Gordon Till; Elizabeth Hubbard-Brown; Maureen Miller; Sue Hooper, Charmaine Wise, Robyn Cooper & David Miller.



JOURNEY OF FAITH

Journey of Faith will meet again this week, on Wednesday the 28th January 2026 at 7.p.m. in the Canon Roe Hall.

Join us! The Bible readings at Mass are important, but are easy to miss. We take the time to look at the readings properly so that when we hear them in Mass they make much more sense!

This Wednesday we will be considering the readings for this coming Sunday - the 4th Sunday of Ordinary Time. Do they make sense? Where do they come from? Are they relevant to us? - Do come along!



Please pray for the souls of: Claude Michel RIP, whose funeral will be held here on Tuesday 17th February at 11am; and

Gordon White RIP. Gordon's funeral will be held here on Tuesday 3rd February at 11:30am.

COFFEE & TEAS

Hi everyone, we are looking for volunteers to help with the teas and coffees after the 10.45 Mass on Sundays. It is a valuable service and is most appreciated by the parishioners.

Please contact Sue Fanthome on 0773 3448013 or sue.fanthome@gmail.com
Thank you.

GATWICK DETAINEES WELFARE GROUP

SVP Request on behalf of Gatwick Detainees Welfare Group

Specific items of clothing are urgently needed this winter. You have been very generous in the past and we hope you will be able to help again this time. The SVP will be collecting items before each of the three Sunday masses on **SUNDAY 25th JANUARY 2026 ONLY**. Please do not leave items at any other time. There will be a collection box on 25th January at the bottom of the ramp outside church. Please only donate the items listed below as storage at the centre is limited.

(All sizes – Men's clothes only) - warm tracksuits, jeans, warm coats/jackets, warm jumpers, winter hats and gloves and trainers. Boxers, shorts and socks are also required but these need to be new please. Backpacks (average, cabin bag size) are also needed.

As always, thank you so much for your support.

THE SVP KNITTING CLUB

The SVP Knitting Club will be meeting in the Canon Roe Hall on Monday 2nd February from 2pm to 4pm. We invite our knitters to join us again and welcome new members to knit for charity. Come along and share your skills as well as enjoying a sociable afternoon with a cup of tea and some homemade cake. If you are unable to join us but would like to knit from home, please get in touch as we have knitters who support us in this manner. Wool donations welcome. For any queries, please contact Sandy Baron on 07984666591.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Our weekly sessions will run until Sunday 8th February when we will pause for the school half term break for children in Reception up to & including year 3 (primary).

To register, click here: <https://forms.office.com/r/QADSXH1mur>

RETRouvaille

LAST CALL for online marriage programme.

Does your marriage need some TLC? Need help with communication and trust? Retrouvaille helps marriages. It can bring hope and healing to relationships.

Next date: 12th February 2026.
www.retrouvaille.org.uk Tel: 07887 296983

DIOCESAN RUN NEWS

Mass of thanksgiving - for Bishop Richard's Ministry in Arundel & Brighton on 30th January at 6.30pm, Arundel Cathedral. Archbishop-Elect Richard will celebrate this Mass, which will be followed by a reception in the Baron's Hall, Arundel Castle, by kind permission of His Grace, the Duke of Norfolk. We have 17 places available please email the office if you would like to attend. Allocation is on a first come first serve basis.

MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS TRAINING

Saturday 7 February 2026 10-3pm at the St Philip Howard Centre, Crawley

One of the challenges that we are experiencing in our modern world is the growing number of people, of all ages, experiencing the darkness and challenge of various mental health conditions. Thanks to the support of Mental Health England, we are able to offer this training, to explore the realities, symptoms and impact of living with these many debilitating conditions.

Thanks to the support of the trainer, we are able to highly subsidise the event. Tickets are now £40 per delegate (usual price £120).

To register go to the Events page of the Diocesan website. If you have any questions, contact Simon South, Marriage & Family Life Adviser simon.south@abdiocese.org.uk

VOLUNTEER AMBASSADOR ROLE Friends of the Holy Land. Can you offer us a few hours each month?

- Are you concerned about the situation in the Holy Land and want to do something practical to help?
- Are you willing to speak on behalf of your fellow Christians in the Holy Land?
- Do you have contacts with groups and individuals locally and across your diocese? What We Need from You
- A commitment to make up to 8 talks, appeals and presentations a year in Catholic parishes and other Christian communities in your region
- Be willing to deliver presentations to Catholic and other Christian student groups, colleges and schools to help raise awareness of our work and inspire fundraising activity among young people

What You Can Expect from Us

- Support and training in the role from the Advocacy and Engagement Manager
- Fees of £250 per parish appeal completed
- Ongoing mentoring and being part of a growing network of people who are passionate about making a difference in the lives of Christians who are struggling

For a detailed role description please contact the team by email office@friendsoftheholylan.org.uk, telephone 01926 512980, or contact Edmund Adamus, Advocacy and Engagement Manager on Edmund.adamus@friendsoftheholylan.org.uk

Visit www.friendsoftheholylan.org.uk to find out more about our work and mission

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.