

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 at a glance

Sun: Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:45am Mass
4pm FHC Session 3 (St Thomas' Hall)
7:30pm Lent Group (Godstone)

Mon: Coffee & Teas after Mass (CRH)
2pm SVP Film Club (CRH)

Tues: 7:30pm Catholic Enquiry (CRH)

Wed: 8am Morning Prayer (St Luke's Whyteleafe)
1pm Lent Group (CRH)
7pm Journey of Faith (CRH)

Thurs: 11am Lent Group (4 Court Rd.)
2pm SVP meeting (CRH)
7pm Choir practice (Committee Rm)

Fri: 11am Stations of the Cross
12pm Lent Lunch (CRH)
7:30pm - 10pm Parish Prayer Vigil for
Peace (Lady Chapel)

Sat:
Sun: Coffee & tea after 10:45am Mass
Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:45am Mass
3:45pm Confirmation Session 4 (CRH)
4pm FHC Session 4 (St Thomas' Hall)
Scouts Parade at 5:15pm Mass
7:30pm Lent Group (Godstone)

CRH = Canon Roe Hall

Next week there will be a second collection for
our Easter Flowers this collection is eligible for
Parish Gift Aid

Our QR code will take you to the
donations page.
<https://donate.myдона.com/the-sacred-heart-caterham>



SUNDAY 15TH MARCH 2026

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

SUNDAY 15TH

Fourth 'Lætare' Sunday of Lent

9:00AM -
Arantes Aranha Ints
10:45AM -
Peter Bosley RIP
5:15PM -
People of the Parish

MONDAY 16TH

10:00AM -
Mike's 80th Birthday Ints

TUESDAY 17TH

St Patrick
10:00AM -
Frank Murphy RIP

WEDNESDAY 18TH

St Cyril of Jerusalem
10:00AM LATIN MASS -
Pat & Rudy Agacy RIP

THURSDAY 19TH

St Joseph
10:00AM -
Geraldine Gillett

FRIDAY 20TH

7:00PM -
John O'Gorman RIP

SATURDAY 21ST

10:00AM -
Michael Uberoi Ints

SUNDAY 22ND

Fifth 'First Passion' Sunday of Lent

9:00AM -
People of the Parish
10:45AM -
Chris Mayer RIP
5:15PM -
Marie Quish RIP

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; Paul Rowen; Pam Jones; Eddie Cannon; Emma Wood; Terry Patterson; Adam Merrett; RB; Emilia De Marinis; Mike Wood; Jay Reeves; Lis Maria Roffey; 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 18th March 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!



Please pray for the soul of Mick Denton RIP whose funeral will be held here on Tuesday 24th March at 12pm.

Also please pray for the soul of Nita Hutchinson RIP, who's funeral will be held here on 23rd March at 11am

SVP FILM CLUB

Monday 16th March at 2.00pm in the Canon Roe Hall. Our March film will be 'Quartet', directed by Dustin Hoffman, and starring Pauline Collins, Billy Connolly, Tom Courtenay and Maggie Smith. Described as 'funny at times, poignant at others, always engaging and entertaining' this film has been recommended by several SVP members who have seen it.

Come along to enjoy an afternoon together. All are welcome, and tea, coffee and homemade cake will be served at the interval. The film will finish at about 4.00pm.

SVP ANNUAL QUIZ NIGHT -

FRIDAY 10TH APRIL 2026, 7:15PM

****Tickets on Sale:****

Tickets (£17 each) will be available in the church porch after all Sunday Masses on:

- 15th March
- 22nd March
- 29th March

****What's Included:****

- Two-course meal: Fish pie with a vegetable medley, followed by berry crumble and custard
- Parish bar open
- Prizes to be won

****Who Can Attend:****

Everyone is welcome—families, friends, or individuals. You'll be seated comfortably and have the chance to win a range of donated prizes.

****Dietary Requirements:****

Special dietary needs? Please let us know when booking or email SecretaryA010302@svp.org.uk.

****Supporting the Community:****

All proceeds go to the Sacred Heart SVP Conference, helping families and individuals in need locally and beyond.

PEACE VIGIL

The parish has a peace prayer vigil every Friday evening in the church after Mass until 10pm as we pray for Ukraine, The Holy Land, Sudan and all people living under the threat of war, conflict & violence. All are invited to join us and use the power of prayer. You may also join us on line knowing, that in solidarity, rather than feeling helpless, we want God's will to be done.

LENT ACTIVITIES

At 11:00am every Friday during lent and at 12:00pm a Lent lunch of homemade soup, bread & cheese.

Lent Group -

Wednesdays 1pm - 3pm -

Anneliese Moran (Canon Roe Hall)

Wednesdays 7pm - 8.30pm -

Peter Lovat JoF (Canon Roe Hall)

Thursdays 11am - 12.30pm

Betty East & Eliz Wood (4 Court Rd.)

Sundays 7.30pm - 8.30pm

Peter Lovat (Godstone)

We are also invited to:

St Luke's Whyteleafe -

Tuesdays 7pm - 9pm

Thursdays 4pm - 6pm

United Reform Church (URC) -

Thursdays 11am

Don't worry about signing up - just come!

GIFT AID ENVELOPE DISTRIBUTION

A reminder to donors using our card machines and claiming Gift Aid. Each card you use needs to be set up for Gift Aid (once set up, it stays set up for Gift Aid).

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 (important for second collections and the Easter and Christmas clergy offerings) as well as for weekly envelope donors. If you have not already picked yours up, please collect your box.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Jesus appeared to St Faustina with a wonderful message of Mercy for all mankind. "Paint my image according to what you see, with the signature, Jesus I trust in You."

"I want this image to be solemnly blessed on the first Sunday after Easter: that Sunday is to be the Feast of Mercy. On that day, the depths of My Mercy will be open to all. Whoever will go to confession and Holy Communion on that day, will receive complete forgiveness of sin and all punishment. Mankind will not enjoy peace until it turns with confidence to My Mercy."

The first Sunday after Easter is Divine Mercy Sunday. The Feast will be celebrated at All Saints Church, Oxted on Sunday 12th April at 2:30pm. Please come along, all are welcome



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children's Liturgy of the Word celebrates Mass in a child friendly way for children in Reception up to & including year 3 (primary). To register, click here <https://forms.office.com/r/QADSXH1mur>

ST FRANCIS - AFTERNOON TEA AND MUSIC (SAVE THE DATE)

On the 24th June we would like to invite the Parish into school for a special afternoon tea with music (hopefully it will be outside if the weather is kind).

ST FRANCIS SCHOOL PLACES AVAILABLE

Please spread the word to family and friends that we currently have a small number of spaces available in several year groups. We would be delighted to welcome new children into our school community. If you know anyone who may be interested, please encourage them to get in touch. We would be more than happy to offer a school tour and show them everything that makes our school such a warm, inclusive, and inspiring place to learn. We welcome children and families of all faiths and none.

A DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

PREPARING FOR THE FUTURE

Dealing with all that follows when a loved one dies can be hard to think about.

As such planning ahead might ease the pressure...

BEING PREPARED CAN HELP

Please come to a presentation by the Bereavement Team on Thursday June 4th gathering at St Joseph's Church from 7pm for 7.30-9pm input. Refreshments will be provided. We will cover the following topics: Advanced planning for end of life/ Types of funerals - Costs/ Planning the Service or Mass/ Power of Attorney/What to do when a person dies - who to inform/ Relevant Church Teaching/ Wills

THANK YOU FROM CAFOD

Thank you for your generous support this Family Fast Day - your kindness is helping families like Shorai's in Zimbabwe and Rejoice's in South Sudan grow food, even in the face of drought and floods. You have shown what it means to love your neighbour this Lent - fasting, praying and giving so families can put food on the table. Find out how your donations are helping to build a better world at www.cafod.org.uk/thankyou. PS It's not too late to donate - visit www.cafod.org.uk/envelope

MASS COLLECTIONS

February 2026 Totals:	
Standing orders	£6524.00
Gross Offertory SumUp*	£3382.00
Cash offertory	£1291.77
Total offertory for February	£11197.80

2nd Collections (Cash + Gross SumUp*)	
Mary's Meals	£40.00
Sanctuary Steps	£545.00
Donations	£2739.00
Music Fund	£40.00
Lourdes Pilgrimage	£349.20
Racial Justice	£167.30
Crib collection	£21.01
Poor Box	£35.00
White Flowers	£30.00

*fees of 1.6% are deducted by SumUp/Stripe

As always we thank you for your generosity.