

Parish of the Sacred Heart,



Caterham

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Our church is open daily.

**All Masses 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: Teas, Coffee & Bar open after 10:45am Mass
(Cent Hall)
Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:45am Mass
Mon: Coffee & Teas after Mass (CRH)
2pm Knitting Club (CRH)
Tues:
Wed: 8am Morning Prayer (St Peter & St Paul)
3pm St Francis Afternoon Tea (School)
Thurs: 7pm Choir practice (Committee Rm) &
Bar open
Fri: Bar open after Mass - Summer drinks event
Sat:
Sun: Teas, Coffee & Bar open after 10:45am Mass
(Cent Hall)
Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:45am Mass

CRH = Canon Roe Hall

Next Sunday there will be a second collection
for Sea Sunday. This collection is not eligible for
Parish Gift Aid

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



SUNDAY 5TH JULY 2026

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

WEEK FOURTEEN OF ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY 5TH

Consecration of our Church

9:00AM -

Shell & Welsby Family

10:45AM-

Ken Jones 1st Anniversary

5:15PM -

People of the Parish

MONDAY 6TH

10:00AM -

Yvonne Elisabeth Perera

TUESDAY 7TH

10:00AM -

Monty Lolyla Perera

WEDNESDAY 8TH

St Elizabeth

10:00AM LATIN MASS -

Bernhard Kelly RIP

THURSDAY 9TH

St Augustin Zhao Rong & companions

10:00AM -

Minnie Ann Howlett RIP

FRIDAY 10TH

7:00PM -

K Frost Ints

SATURDAY 11TH

St Benedict

10:00AM-

Charles Fleury RIP

SUNDAY 12TH

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00AM -

Welfare of pupils & staff at St

Giles School

10:45AM-

People of the Parish

5:15PM -

Members of the BS Guild
(Foundation)

Your Prayers are requested for the following people who are ill or housebound: Brenda Gilford; Julian Gavin; Joe Kelly; 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, Biddy Lovat & Francis Gatt.

JOURNEY OF FAITH

Journey of Faith will not be meeting for the rest of July and August. Our next meeting will be in September - watch this space! We wish everyone a happy and glorious Summer, and may the Lord keep you safe and well



Please pray for the soul of Theresa Striffler who passed away recently. May her soul rest in peace.

PARISH SHOP

We are looking for help in the shop on Sunday mornings, before and after the 9am Mass, if you could help please let the office know or see Joy or Sue in the shop on this Sunday for more details

SVP NEWS

SVP KNITTING CLUB

The SVP Knitting Club will be meeting in the Canon Roe Hall on Monday 6th July from 2pm to 4pm. Come along and enjoy our last meeting before the summer break. Hopefully, the worst of this heat wave will be over by then! Tea, coffee and home-made cake will be served as usual. For any queries, please contact Sandy Baron on 07984666591.

SVP FRIENDLY FACES CAFE

Feeling in need of a bit of company? Everyone is very welcome to join us at the SVP Friendly Faces Cafe on Monday 13th July, open between 2pm and 4pm in the Canon Roe Hall. Please just drop in anytime for friendship, a good natter, tea, coffee and cake

CALLING ALL GARDENERS both active or just observant. In 3 years our church will be 150 years old. We want to begin to plan and plant ready for this anniversary. There will be a meeting after 10.45 Mass on 28th June in Cannon Roe Hall. Please bring your offers of help and your ideas to get us started.

PARISH BAR

The Parish Bar will be open after the 10.45am Mass the month of July. It will also be opened during Choir practice.

The bar will be open Friday 10th July for the [Summer Drinks social event](#). Come along and try our new range of gins and summer cocktails. All are welcome!

ST FRANCIS AFTERNOON TEA - RESCHEDULED

Come along to St Francis School on **Wednesday 8th July**, 2-3pm. The children will be serving drinks and cakes whilst you are entertained by our children (Yr 2-6) who will be performing music and drama pieces. Please sign up on the sheet on the notice board. We look forward to sharing our talents with you then!

JOHN FISHER OPEN DAY

The John Fisher School would like to welcome prospective families to its Open Events for September 2027 entry. Visitors will have the opportunity to meet

staff and pupils, tour the school, learn about its academic standards, Catholic ethos and pastoral care, explore the wide range of opportunities in sport, music, performing arts and leadership, and find out more about the Year 7 admissions process.

Year 7 Open Evening

Thursday 9th July 2026, 4.30pm-7.00pm
No booking is required. Families are invited to explore the school, meet staff and pupils, visit departments, and hear from the Headteacher.

School Morning Tours

Held throughout October 2026 for current Year 6 pupils and their parents/carers. These tours offer the opportunity to see the school in action during a normal working day. Places are limited and booking details will be available nearer the time.

THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC SCHOOL & SIXTH FORM - OPEN EVENING 2026

Thomas More Catholic School & Sixth Form warmly invites prospective students and their families to attend our Open Evening on Thursday 10 September 2026 5:00pm - 7:00pm. Headteacher's Talk: 5:15pm
Thomas More is a Catholic co-educational school for students aged 11-18 - OFSTED rated GOOD. No booking required. Parking available on site
For enquiries, please contact: Tel 0208 668 6251 or Email: schooloffice@tmore.org.uk
We look forward to welcoming you

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>

SPUC

Join the Fightback: Parliament has approved an amendment that removes legal consequences for a woman aborting her own baby - at any stage, for any reason. Self-induced abortion up to birth is now permitted in England and Wales. Please join the campaign to restore greater protection for unborn children. There are postcards at the back of the church to register for a SPUC action pack. Visit SPUC.org.uk/campaign/join-the-fightback.

EXTERNAL EVENTS

SATURDAY GET-TOGETHER GROUP

This social group is held at St Joseph's Church Redhill for ALL those who would like some company. We chat, play board games, have tea/coffee and cakes/biscuits. Please feel free to come along whenever you wish. Once in a while or every week on Saturday from 3pm.

BEREAVEMENT COFFEE MORNING

Grief is a very personal experience, but it can help to talk about one's feelings to someone who is not family or a close friend. If you feel that this would be of comfort to you please come along to our Bereavement Café on the first Saturday of the month between 10:30am and 12:00pm in the Meeting Room at St Joseph's. Trained befrienders will be there to support you.

CAFOD-DEC VENEZUELA EARTHQUAKE APPEAL

You can help our neighbours affected by the 24 June earthquakes in Venezuela with emergency shelter, water and food. CAFOD is already working with local Church partners to support people who have lost their homes, but we need your support to help more survivors. Your donation will provide essential supplies and help families rebuild their lives. Donate to the CAFOD-DEC Venezuela Earthquake Appeal today: www.cafod.org.uk/Venezuela or call 0300 999 0030. Please keep our neighbours in Venezuela in your prayers.

ADORE

ADORE spiritual mini-retreat 25th July 10.00-1.00 on Zoom. "HIS BANNER OVER US IS LOVE." Responding to God's invitation to His heavenly banquet. Mini retreat morning including Mass, Adoration, Praise, Prophecy, Prayer for the gifts of the Holy Spirit and inspiring talk from guest speaker Russ Fairman, Member of the National CHARIS renewal team. Register in advance at www.bit.ly/ADOREJUL2026

WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND ELDERLY

Sunday 26 July is the Catholic Church's sixth World Day for Grandparents and Elderly. So many of us remember with deep fondness our relationship with our grandparents as we grew up. The theme for the day is "I will never forget you (Is 49:15)." What a wonderful opportunity to encourage our youngsters to phone, visit or reach out to their grandparents, "parish" grandparents, or elderly relatives to show their love and affection. The link below takes you to the Popes full letter for this day of celebration of life, experience, and love. <https://www.vaticannews.va/en/pope/news/2026-06/pope-leo-xiv-for-sixth-world-day-of-grandparents-and-elderly.html> Many parishes have a grandparent's group, but if this is something you would like to know more about or explore, please email Deacon Simon South, Marriage and Family Life Adviser E: simon.south@abdiocese.org.uk

YOUNG ADULTS' RETREAT DAY

Saturday 26 September 2026 10am-6.30pm at St Wilfrid's Burgess Hill. Tickets start from £20pp.
Young Adults (18-35) from across the UK are invited to join the Youth team from Arundel and Brighton Diocese for a Retreat Day. A jam-packed day of prayer, formation, friendship, and fun as together, we will seek hearts open to His healing presence, trusting that Jesus desires to bring freedom, restoration, and transformation to our lives. As we encounter Him, we pray to discover true peace within ourselves, to become peacemakers in the world around us, and to be renewed with an apostolic fire burning brightly within our hearts. Lunch and refreshments are included in the ticket price. To book your place or find out more visit the Diocesan website events page. Participants are very welcome to join the Parish Mass at 6.30pm, with social time at a local pub to follow.