

Parish of the Sacred Heart,



Caterham

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To register -

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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: SVP Knitting sale after Mass (Cent Hall)
Teas & Coffee after 10:45am Mass & bar open
Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:45am Mass
Coffee & Teas after Mass (CRH)
Mon:
Tues:
Wed: 8am Morning Prayer (St Mary's)
7pm Journey of Faith (CRH)
Thurs: 7pm Choir practice (Committee Rm)
Fri: Peace Roasy after Mass
Evening Prayer Vigil
Sat:
Sun: Teas & Coffee after 10:45am Mass (CRH)
Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:45am Mass

CRH = Canon Roe Hall

This week there will be a collection of CAFOD
Harvest Day. 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 27TH SEPTEMBER 2026

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

**WEEK TWENTY SIX OF
ORDINARY TIME**

SUNDAY 27TH

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00AM -

Jenny Rowan RIP

10:45AM-

Mary Kathleen & Phyllis Nee
Heneghan

5:15PM -

People of the Parish

MONDAY 28TH

St Laurence Ruiz & Companions

10:00AM -

Nancy Finnegan RIP

TUESDAY 29TH

Holy Archangels

10:00AM -

Bridget Kinnane RIP

WEDNESDAY 30TH

St Jerome

10:15AM LATIN MASS:

Myra Massey (Foundation)

THURSDAY 1ST

St Thérèse of the Child Jesus

10:00AM -

Innocent Family Ints
(Foundation)

FRIDAY 2ND

The Holy Guardian Angels

7:00PM -

Arlette Aloysius

SATURDAY 3RD

Blessed Martyrs of Sussex

10:00AM-

Robert & Soleme Kalema RIP

SUNDAY 4TH

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00AM -

Juanita Tween RIP

10:45AM-

Aloysius & Vera Oakes RIP

5:15PM -

People of the Parish

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; 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, Francis Gatt, Terry Patterson, Irene Poole & Biddy Lovet.



SVP NEWS

SVP KNITWEAR AND CAKE SALE

The SVP will be running its customary Autumn Knitwear and Cake Sale on Sunday 27th of September, the Feast Day of our Patron Saint. It will take place in the Centenary Hall after the morning Masses, where we shall be serving teas / coffees and cake. There will be a selection of cakes to purchase, as well as a large variety of knitwear such as baby knitwear, children's jumpers and a selection of items for adults. We would appreciate any cake donations which can be dropped off before Mass in the Hall. Your kind generosity helps us to help others.

SVP KNITTING CLUB

The SVP Knitting Club will be meeting again on Monday 5th October from 2-4 pm in the Canon Roe Hall. Everyone is very welcome, from complete beginners (we can teach you!) to experienced knitters. We'll be serving teas, coffees and delicious homemade cake, there'll be plenty of opportunity to chat to old friends and new and you'll be supporting the work of the SVP too. If you have any queries, please speak to Beverly Searle on 07599 890043

MASS FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND ON

MONDAY 12TH OCTOBER AT 2.00PM

A special Mass for the sick and housebound will be celebrated in the Sacred Heart Church, at 2.00pm on Monday, 12th October. The SVP will aim to arrange lifts if they are needed. There will be a social get-together with refreshments and entertainment in the Centenary Hall after the Mass. We are hoping that many of our sick and housebound parishioners, for whom it is difficult to join us in person at Sunday Masses, will be able to attend. If you would like to come but have not yet received a letter of invitation, if you have received an invitation but have further questions or if you know of someone who might like to attend, please telephone the SVP on 07599 890043 and leave your contact details by Wednesday 1st October at the latest, to allow time for final arrangements to be made. A member of the SVP will get back to you as soon as possible.

PEACE ROSARY

The Justice and Peace group invites you to join in a short Peace Rosary after 7pm Mass on Friday 2nd October (in person or online <https://www.church-services.tv/caterham>).

This month we reflect on the Reconciliation Mysteries with prayers for prisoners and their families. Prisoners' Sunday falls this year on 11th October.

PARISH CHRISTMAS FAIR

Sunday 29th November

Following the success of our Christmas Fair last year, planning has now started for this event and proceeds from the Christmas Fair will be shared between Mary's Meals, Caterham Food Bank and the parish.

Can you help run a stall, help with setting up and clearing at the end. If you can, there will be a meeting on Tuesday 29th September at 7 o'clock in Canon Roe Hall. We look forward to seeing you.

SCHOOL FORMS

If you have a school form that requires signing or you are applying to St Bede's School for 2027 entries please make yourself known to Fr Seán after Sunday Mass.

PAT TESTING

We are looking for someone to carry out PAT Testing within the Parish. Please contact the office if you are qualified to do this.

JOURNEY OF FAITH

Journey of Faith will meet again this week, on Wednesday the 30th September 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! - Do come along! We will also be thinking about other topics to consider this term - if you find any aspect of the Faith interesting or puzzling, come along and put it on the list!

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>

FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT 2026

Fairtrade Fortnight 2026 runs from 21st September to 4th October and continues the "Do it Fair" campaign, focusing on fairness for people, the planet and pay. The campaign encourages individuals and communities to consider the impact of everyday purchasing decisions and to support fairer supply chains, better livelihoods for producers, and greater accountability from businesses. For more on Fairtrade Fortnight, see <https://www.fairtrade.net/.../fairtrade-fortnight.html>

ALPHA COURSE

Following its successful introduction over the last two years, the Alpha Course will run again!

Begins: Tuesday 13th October, 7-9pm in the Canon Roe Hall.

The course will run for 10 successive Tuesdays.

Alpha is best described as a fun, non-pressurised exploration of Christianity. The course looks at who Jesus is, and how we can deepen our relationship with Him. It is a great way to establish friendships and re-invigorate your faith! Each week we will enjoy a supper together, watch a short presentation on some aspect of the faith, and then join a small discussion group. If you are interested in attending the course we would love to hear from you! Please email: caterhamalpha@outlook.com Please do invite friends and family from outside the parish. Alpha is a great way to share our faith with others!

ST PHILOMENA'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL FOR GIRLS - OPEN MORNINGS

Tuesday 29th September, Wednesday 30th September & 8th October

LATIN MASS TIME CHANGE

Please note that the Latin Mass will be at 10:15am and no Adoration or Confession on Wednesdays until December.

MODERN SALVERY

RIGHT HERE, RIGHT NOW
Southwark Cathedral, Garry Weston Library. Saturday 17th October 2026
9.30 – 13.00 FREE

Come to reflect on the recent past, the present and the future. Understanding survivors' experiences helps us respond better and plan for a safer future. Join us for a morning of expert insight from people with lived experience and experts working in this field, for honest conversations and sharing ideas. Dr Júlia Tomás and Mila Mihaylov from The Passage in conversation about Mila's lived experience of modern slavery. Chris Elliott and Jennifer Hyde from Southwark Against Modern Slavery will talk about modern slavery, right here, right now. Tatiana Gren-Jardan from Justice and Care will challenge us to consider what is needed to create a world free of slavery. For more information, please contact SAMS at Southwarkams@gmail.com. To Book a ticket please click on the link below <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/modern-slavery-right-here-right-now-tickets-1990972977772?aff=oddttdtcreator>