



CATENIANS
FRIENDSHIP IN FAITH

BROOKLANDS CIRCLE

DEAR BROTHERS, FAMILIES & FRIENDS



The 720th meeting of Brooklands Circle will be held online using Zoom on Thursday 15th April 2021 at 8.00pm.

President Tony and incoming President John Hamilton earnestly request all Circle members to make every effort to attend this special Installation Circle meeting.

If unable to do so you are required to send an apology to the Circle Secretary.

PRAYERS

Please remember our Brooklands sick Brothers, relatives and friends: Father Pat Monroe, PP of St Hugh & St John's, Kalid Attisha (Hamid's Brother), John Constable, Peter Fleming, Gerry Langford, Ken Ling (Andrew's Grandfather), Matteo Llerena (Stephen Robinson's Nephew), Maureen McGeough (Ian's Mother), Costas Raris (Andrew Ling's Father-in-Law) & Elizabeth Tierney (Peter Kerr's Neice).

And those in other Circles: **Crewe:** Alexandra Holmes Amatiello, Peter McDonald (*John McDonald's Brother*) & Mike O'Neill, **Didsbury:** Kathy Raftery (Jim's Wife), Jean Calderbank, Ariene Carrol, Ross Clarke & Tony Keane, **Knutsford:** James O'Dude, David Perls & Tony Weir, **Macclesfield:** Sally Boxer (Mike Guerin's Sister-in-Law), Norman & Barbara Clayton, Lynne Mears (Tom's Wife) & Peter Smith, **Ringway:** Brian Cann, Pat Carrahar (Peter's widow), Bob Mellor, Tony & Trudy Denny & Simon Stafford (Son of Bernard), **Warrington:** Tony Rudder & Norman Turner, **Wilmslow:** Frank & Kath George, Molly McCool, Geatano Scapaticci & Celia Sivori (Antony's Sister), Brian Hamshire (Province 1) and all others who for whatever reason do not wish to be included on the sick list but are in need of prayers.

Please also remember our deceased Brothers, relatives and friends including from **Warrington:** David Jack

May they rest in eternal peace.

CIRCLE EVENTS

Sunday 11th April: A Virtual Handover Lunch at lunchtime with photographs/video of a distanced handover between Bro President Tony and incoming President John Hamilton.

ATTENDANCE & MEMBERSHIP

The March Circle meeting was held online and was attended by 31 members (67.4%) and 11 Visiting Brothers. Apologies had been received from 14 members. Membership presently stands at 46

CIRCLE VISITS

Since the last Circle meeting, 13 Brothers made 37 visits to 13 Circles in 5 Provinces. Visiting Figures for the year so far are that 24 Brothers (52.17% of Circle Membership) made 557 visits to 55 Circles in 26 Provinces.

APRIL CONGRATULATIONS

Enrolment Anniversaries: Congratulations go to Gerry Langford (1975, 46yrs) & David Donlan (1980, 41yrs), Hamid Attisha (1997, 24yrs) & Festus Arorote (2020, 1yr).

Birthdays: Congratulations to David Muldoon (10th) & Ian McGeough (15th)

FAMILY & CIRCLE NEWS

A MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT TONY & MARY

After a most unusual and sometimes difficult year, I



think we can look back and say "we made the best of it". My sincere thanks go to all our Brothers and their ladies for all the support you have given to

both the Circle and myself throughout a long 12 months. Let us look forward to meeting up again in the not too distant future and renewing the good times we have together. God Bless and Keep Safe. Tony and Mary.



GB Virtual National Conference

21rd to 23rd May 2021

please control + click on the link below to the
Registration & Booking Form

<http://bit.ly/2021CatenianVirtualConferenceBookingForm>

Booking deadline Monday 3rd May



The last year, the year of the Pandemic and the COVID 19 restrictions, has been a difficult and demanding year. However, in spite of this the usual Circle and Council meetings were held online as were a number of very successful and enjoyable Social Events which included a Ladies' Evening in formal dress, wine tasting and a Murder Mystery Evening. President Tony also managed to lay a wreath on behalf of the Circle at Sale Cenotaph to celebrate Remembrance Day. President Tony and Mary Mottram finished their Presidential Year in style with a Ladies' Social which followed the March Circle meeting. There were nibbles, drinks, lots of chat and a great deal of fun.

Ladies' Social

