

# St. Vincent de Paul (Osterley) Newsletter

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## 25th June 2023

### 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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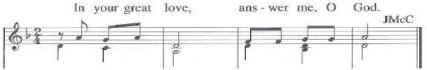


Jeremiah 20:10-13. He has delivered the soul of the needy from the hands of evil men. The prophet describes terror all around him, but trusts that God will be with him and deliver him.

Romans 5:12-15. The gift considerably outweighed the fall. God's goodness to us always outweighs human wickedness and sin. God's grace manifested to us through Christ, has a superabundance far in excess of the damage of sinfulness.

Matthew 10:26-33. Do not be afraid of those who kill the body. The Lord knows us through and through, and we must bear witness to the Lord, and his law, and his love. If God's providential care extends even to sparrows, how much more does it extend to us.

Psalm 68: In your great love, answer me, O God.



**FEAST OF SAINTS PETER & PAUL Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2023** is a Holy Day of Obligation. There will be two masses at 9.30 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

**PETER'S PENCE:** The annual Peter's Pence collection takes place next Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2023. The proceeds are used to assist the Holy Father in his work.

**AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED:** Two Sundays ago, John Ravi visited our parish to tell us about the work of Aid to the Church in Need (ACN). The collection amounted to £767.25. In addition, goods were sold in aid of ACN to the value of £217.64. Thank you.

MISSION BOX COLLECTION: If you have a red Mission Box, please bring it to church by 2<sup>nd</sup> July and hand it in to the office. Ensure that your name is on the box. Thank you.

**PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO AYLESFORD, SATURDAY 15/7/23:** To take part please complete an application form from the lobby and submit it to the office with your payment asap in a marked envelope in order to secure a place on the coach.

#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED IN JULY PLEASE:**

Sign up in the lobby with your mobile number to go on or email the office if you can help erect some tents in the parish garden next month. Further details will be provided in due course. Thank you. Fr. Mark.

SAINTS IN JUNE: The end of June is filled with feast days. For our diocese, the proximity of two of them is particularly significant. One is universal: the Solemnity of St Peter and St Paul on 29th June. It is a lovely occasion on which to ask their prayers: of Peter, entrusted by Christ with the mission of feeding his flock, sustaining the Church and being its rock; and of Paul, fearless preacher and the missionary disciple whose response to the exhortation to 'go out to the whole world and proclaim the good news' sets the standard for all others to follow.

A more local celebration is that of St John Southworth, our local martyr-saint whose body lies in the Cathedral. His feast day, on 27th June, is an occasion to remember with reverence and love his steadfastness of faith. He could have avoided martyrdom in his old age with one word, denying that he was a priest. He would not. He matched that courageous witness at the end with a pastoral ministry that was long and dedicated. An example of faith and perseverence to us all.

We ask the prayers of these great saints for the diocese and for the whole Church. We pray in particular for our new Apostolic Nuncio, Archbishop Miguel Maury Buendía, as his ministry to represent the successor of Peter in our country begins. And we pray in a special way for those who will, on 24<sup>th</sup> June, prostrate themselves in the Cathedral, close to the body of St John Southworth, as they are ordained

priests for the service of the Church in our diocese. May God bless them; and may he bless you all. Cardinal Vincent Nichols (Westminster Information, June 2023)

#### **ACCOMODATION URGENTLY NEEDED:**

Parishioners seeks a 3 to 4 bed property as a family home, with some sort of outdoor space. Preferably long tenancy and in this area. Please call 07401 571243.

**DIOCESAN VACANCIES**: For current vacancies visit <a href="https://jobs.rcdow.org.uk/">https://jobs.rcdow.org.uk/</a>

SGT ROWLAND JOHN PAUL CHANDLER: The kneeler near the organ / St Anthony's chapel has a plaque dedicated to the memory of Sgt. Chandler. He was an air gunner in RAF Bomber Command and was killed in action on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1943, aged 20. May he rest in peace.

Service Times & Intentions: 25 JUNE – 2 JULY 2023			
SUNDAY 25	0900	John Benjamin Mendes & Sita Mary Mendes RIP	
	1130	Carmina Fernandes RIP	
	1800	Ge	raldine Leahy RIP 24th Anniv
Monday 26	0930	Thanksgiving Inacio & Farida Mascarenhas Anniversary	
Tuesday 27	1930	In Remembrance of Saad El Wasfi RIP 30 <sup>th</sup> Anniv	
Wednesday 28	0930	25th Wedding Anniversary Nixon Jacob Enokkaran & Mrs Smitha Nixon Enokkaran	
Thursday 29	0930 1930	Priv	vate Intention
& PAUL			ople of the Parish
Friday 30	0930		ention of Mary Furey
Saturday 1	0930	Mrs Santana Fernandes 70 <sup>th</sup> Birthday	
	10-1045	Confessions	
	1100	Benediction	
SUNDAY 2	0900	Laura Sullivan & Alice Hanrahan RIP	
	1130	Souls of Sabina & Edmund Kajzer RIP	
	1800	John Lynch RIP	
Rosary: Mon, Wed-Sat after Mass. Tue 7 p.m. before Mass.			
<b>The New I Am Prayer Group:</b> Next date Fri. 14/7/23 at 7.30pm			
OFFERTORY: Thank you for your offerings last Sunday.			
Standing Orders			1740
Contactless			050
Loose Plate			252 412

#### **MASS REQUESTS**

234

2638

Planned Giving Envelopes

**Total Collection** 

Mass intentions can be requested via the parish office, e-mail, or by using a donation envelope from the lobby, which allows you to gift aid your offering. Offerings may be submitted by cheque or cash deposited in the lobby drop safe in a marked envelope, by BACS transfer (see bank details below), or by using the contactless machines. The minimum Diocesan recommendation

is £10. Masses are confirmed upon receipt of the stipend. If the requested date is already booked, the next available date will be allocated. In the event of a funeral, weekday masses may have to be rescheduled.

#### **ADMIN**

ONLINE NEWSLETTER: https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/osterley/ PARISH REGISTRATION: Collect a Welcome Pack from the lobby. Completed Registration and Planned Giving forms can be posted through the door of the Parish house or dropped into the lobby safe. Please inform the office if your details change. MARRIAGES: 6 months' notice required. Please ring the office to arrange an initial discussion with Fr. Mark.

BAPTISM: For parishioners registered and attending at St. Vincent's, complete a Baptism Application form (available in the lobby or online) and submit to the Parish Office with your offering. You will be contacted to arrange a date.

#### OTHER CONTACTS

#### SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVE:

Mrs. A. Trigger. Email: osterleysg@safeguardrcdow.org.uk WEST MIDDX HOSPITAL RC CHAPLAIN: Tel. 020 8321 5447. ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: For assistance to the housebound and those in need. Tel. 07765 026377 A CERTIFICATE OF CATHOLIC PRACTICE (CCP) will be required for applications to Catholic (or Church of England & Faith) primary or secondary schools. The Diocese requires that families attend regularly (this means attending Mass every Sunday) for at least two years before a priest is able to sign the CCP. To assist the priest in signing the certificate, the parish operates a Mass Attendance Card system (see below). To obtain an application form for a CCP, or for enquiries, email osterleyccp1@rcdow.org.uk (\* fhc1 using a digit 1) alternatively, contact 07542441846.

MASS ATTENDANCE CARD: If your child is aged 1+ you may need a Mass Attendance Card. For further details email osterleyccp1@rcdow.org.uk (\*NB ccp1 using a digit/number1) FIRST COMMUNION ENQUIRIES: Email osterleyfhc1@rcdow.org.uk (\* fhc1 using a digit 1)

#### **PARISH OFFICE**

THE OFFICE IS CLOSED ON WEDNESDAYS AND BANK HOLIDAYS. Email: osterley@rcdow.org.uk

PARISH SECRETARY: Mrs. L. Faria

PLANNED GIVING CO-ORDINATOR /

**BOOKKEEPER:** Mr. S. McEvoy.

Planned Giving enquiries: osterleybk@rcdow.org.uk

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#### PARISH ONLINE BANK DETAILS

Bank: HSBC **Account Name:** WRCDT Osterley **Account:** 41095889 **Sort Code:** 40 05 20. **Please reference:** e.g. Mass, Baptism etc. / Date.

TEA & COFFEE IN THE HALL AFTER SUNDAY MORNING MASSES. CALM SPACE FOR ADULTS. **GAMES FOR CHILDREN.** ALL WELCOME!