

St. Vincent de Paul (Osterley) Newsletter

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Ezekiel 18:25-28. When the sinner renounces sin, he shall certainly live. The prophet Ezekiel reminds us that God takes our actions and our sins seriously. Though he may punish us for our sins, God is above all faithful and tender in his love for his people.

PSALM 24:4-9. Remember your mercy, Lord.

Philippians 2:1-11. In your minds you must be the same as Christ Jesus. Paul may be quoting from an ancient Christian hymn that praises Jesus for becoming obedient unto death. On account of his humble death on the cross, he will be raised to the glory of God through his resurrection.

Matthew 21:28-32. He thought better of it and went. Tax collectors and prostitutes are making their way into the kingdom of God before you. Jesus tells a parable about two sons. The first did the will of his father, having first rejected it to his father's face. The second son promised to do his father's will but failed to live up to his promise.

CAFOD Family Fast Day appeal Friday 6 October 2023

Dr Nasha's mobile medical clinic gets life-saving help to where it's needed most, fast – so when her team arrived in Meera's village in Pakistan after it had been destroyed by flooding, Meera rushed to the clinic to get her children the treatment they needed. Donate to CAFOD today so that more families can get the expert help they need. Use the envelope in church and return it next Sunday, or give online at cafod.org.uk

You may scan this QR code on your phones to take you straight to CAFOD's website where you can make your donation.



BAPTISMS: We extend a warm welcome to Azaliah De Almeida & Amaya Bragança who are being baptised today. May God grant them a life of blessings. Congratulations to both their families.

MOBILITY SCOOTER: A parishioner has donated a mobility scooter to the SVP. It will be available for any parishioner who would benefit. Please contact the SVP (contact details overleaf).

300 CLUB: The lucky winner of the July 2023 Draw for the 300 Club is Blossy Pereira, Ticket No. 805. Congratulations!

Be an angel! It costs £12 per month payable by Standing Order to support our £300 club, which helps to pay for our building loan. Standing Order Application forms (pink) are available in the Lobby. Simply fill one in and return it to the Parish Office if you wish to take part.

SYMPATHY CARD - CHISWICK BAROQUE: A thoughtful card from members of Chiswick Baroque is on display on the noticeboard addressed to members of the parish.

CONFIRMATION / FIRST COMMUNION 2024: When applications are invited, it will be advertised in the newsletter, and announced at mass,

EMERGENCIES REQUIRING A PRIEST:

If you need a priest in an emergency, i.e. a person dying and needing the last rites at home, please contact a neighbouring parish in Hounslow Deanery. If someone is seriously ill in hospital, then the chaplaincy office or,

if it is closed, the switchboard, will be able to contact whichever priest is on-call at that time.

DIOCESAN VACANCIES: For updates, see <https://jobs.rcdow.org.uk/>

PARISH STATISTICS: The second mass count will take place today as requested by the Bishops Conference of England & Wales.

CHURCH SERVICES: Eucharistic Services will continue on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday until further notice.

THE DIVINE MERCY APOSTOLATE, London is holding a Divine Mercy Retreat at St Anthony's RC Church, 5 Garrat Road, Edgware, London HA8 9AN on Saturday 14 October 2023 from 1:30 pm to 4:30 pm. The Retreat will include teachings on the Message of Divine Mercy, Holy Mass, Hour of Mercy with Stations of the Cross, Adoration and Benediction and Veneration of the Image of Merciful Jesus. Please call Millie on [07957594646](tel:07957594646) for more information.

Service Times & Intentions: 1 – 8 October 2023		
SUNDAY 1	0930	Rosalind Andrew RIP
	1130	Margaret Curran RIP B'day Anniv
	1800	Reggie & Ancy D'Souza RIP
Monday 2	0930	Eucharistic Service
Wed 4	0930	Eucharistic Service
Friday 6	0930	Eucharistic Service
Saturday 7	0930	Eucharistic Service
SUNDAY 8	0930	Joe D'Lima RIP
	1130	Daniel Foley RIP Anniv
	1800	Tony Coutinho RIP
Rosary: Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat, after the Eucharistic Service.		
The New I Am Prayer Group: Next date: Fri. 6 th October 2023 7.30pm		
OFFERTORY: Thank you for your offerings last Sunday.		
Standing Orders		1740
Contactless		259
Loose Plate		389
Planned Giving Envelopes		258
Total Collection		2646

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 Antonella osterleyccp1@rcdow.org.uk (using a digit1).

MASS ATTENDANCE CARD (MAC): If your child is aged 1+ you may need a Mass Attendance Card. For details on how to get a MAC, email Antonella using the details above.

PARISH OFFICE

Contact Hours: Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri 9.30 am – 1 pm
Email: osterley@rcdow.org.uk

PARISH SECRETARY: Mrs. L. Faria
**PLANNED GIVING CO-ORDINATOR/
BOOKKEEPER:** Mr. S. McEvoy.
Planned Giving enquiries: Tel. 07932 783647.
osterleybk@rcdow.org.uk

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.

MASS REQUESTS

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. **NOTE:** Whilst there are Eucharistic services in place, masses are currently being booked on Sunday only and the diary is currently full for this year.

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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 into the lobby safe. Please inform the office if your details change.

MARRIAGES: 6 months' notice required. Please contact the Dean of Hounslow, Fr Gerard Quinn, Brentford Parish. Tel: 020 8560 1671.

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 thereafter.

HALL BOOKINGS: No new hall bookings are being taken until further notice.

OTHER CONTACTS

SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVE:

Mrs. A. Trigger.
Email: osterleysg@safeguardrcdow.org.uk

WEST MIDDX HOSPITAL RC CHAPLAIN:

Tel. 020 8321 5447.

SVP: For assistance to the housebound and those in need.
Tel. 07765 026377.