

# St. Vincent de Paul (Osterley) Newsletter

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4th Sunday in OT

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**Deuteronomy 18:15-20. I will raise up a prophet and I will put my words into his mouth.** Moses, the great prophet of the Exodus, assures the people that God will provide another prophet who will guide them when Moses himself dies.

**PSALM 94: O that today you would listen to his voice! Harden not your hearts.**

**1 Corinthians 7:32-35. An unmarried woman can devote herself to the Lord's affairs; all she need worry about is being holy.** Paul encourages the Christians of Corinth to devote themselves urgently to doing the will of the Lord.

**Mark 1:21-28. He taught them with authority.** Jesus makes a deep impression on the people of Capernaum by the authority with which he speaks and acts in their synagogue.

## NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF LOURDES

3-11 February

Loving God,  
inspired by the compassion  
of Our Lady of Lourdes,  
we pray for healing  
in mind, body and soul  
for all who suffer.

Through the intercession of Mary,  
may your healing touch bring comfort  
and acceptance to the sick  
and those who care for them.

Through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

## ANNUAL MASS FOR OUR LADY OF LOURDES, WESTMINSTER CATHEDRAL

Cardinal Vincent Nichols will celebrate a special Mass on Saturday 10th February at 2.30pm at Westminster Cathedral.

If anyone wishes to go, please contact the parish office. Entry is by using a ticket system and tickets have to be booked in advance.

Tickets are in three categories:

- 1) Wheelchair users who require anointing
- 2) Walking sick who require anointing
- 3) Those assisting the sick but who do not require anointing.

## FR FERROZ ANNUAL LEAVE

Fr Feroz is on leave until 6/2/24. Masses will be celebrated by Fr Patrick and Fr Robin (Sunday evening).

## DIOCESAN VACANCIES

For details of current vacancies, please visit <https://jobs.rcdow.org.uk/>

## WEDDING CONGRATULATIONS

We extend congratulations and best wishes to Kieran Rusell and Sarah Norris on their wedding day (Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2024) and wish them every happiness.

**PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA** Please see the poster on the notice board re a pilgrimage to Fatima in June with A Day with Mary.

**MASS REQUESTS:** Mass intentions can be requested via the parish office, by 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 above), or by using the contactless machines. The minimum Diocesan recommendation is £10. Masses will be 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.

**PARISH OFFICE**

Contact Hours: Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri 9 am – 1 pm.

**The office is closed on Wednesdays.**

Email: [osterley@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:osterley@rcdow.org.uk)

**ONLINE NEWSLETTER**

<https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/osterley/>

**PARISH SECRETARY:** Mrs. L. Faria

**PLANNED GIVING CO-ORDINATOR & BOOK-KEEPER:** Mr. S. McEvoy. [osterleybk@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:osterleybk@rcdow.org.uk)  
Planned Giving enquiries: Tel. 07932 783647.

**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.

**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 Fr Feroz Fernandes via the Parish Office.

**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.

**ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CATHOLIC?** Did you miss out on one or more of the sacraments of Baptism, Communion and Confirmation? Please make contact with the Parish Office, and we can direct you to one of our programmes.

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

**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](mailto: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 (see above.)

**TEA & COFFEE AFTER SUNDAY MORNING MASS. ALL WELCOME.**

<b>Service Times &amp; Intentions</b> <b>28 January - 4 February 2024</b>		
<b>SUNDAY 28</b> <b>4th Sunday</b> <b>in OT</b>	0930	Constancio Mariano Dias RIP
	1130	Thanksgiving & Good Health of Andrica Fernandes
	1800	People of the Parish
Monday 29	0930	Int. Health of Roy Azavedo
Tuesday 30	0930	Holy Souls
Wednesday 31	0930	Michael & Sarah O’Sullivan RIP
Thursday 1	0930	Inacio Mascarenhas Birthday Intention
Friday 2	0930	Lavinia Siqueira RIP Death Anniv
Saturday 3	0930	Thanksgiving
	10-1030	Confession
	1100	Benediction
<b>SUNDAY 4</b> <b>5th Sunday</b> <b>in OT</b>	0930	John & Iris Griffin RIP
	1130	Int. of the Griffin Family <i>FHC Group Mass</i>
	1800	Thanksgiving
<b>Morning Prayer:</b> 9.10 a.m. <b>Rosary:</b> Mon-Sat after mass.		
<b>OFFERTORY:</b> Thank you for your offerings last Sunday		
Standing Order		586
Contactless		283
Loose Plate		447
Planned Giving Envelopes		255
<b>Total Collection</b>		<b>1571</b>
Outstanding totals		
<b>6-13 Jan</b>		
Contactless (no broadband)		5
Standing Order		1662
<b>14-21 Jan</b>		
Contactless		506
Standing Order		868
<b>21-25 Jan</b>		
Contactless		283
Standing Order		586

**FIRST COMMUNION & RECONCILIATION**

FHC 2 on 30/1/24 at 6.15 p.m.

Contact email: [osterleyfhc1@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:osterleyfhc1@rcdow.org.uk)

**CONFIRMATION** Session 1 – I am special.

Monday 29/1/24, 6.30 – 7.45 p.m.

Contact email: [Osterleyconfirmation@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:Osterleyconfirmation@rcdow.org.uk)

**SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVE**

Mrs. A. Trigger [osterleysg@safeguardrcdow.org.uk](mailto:osterleysg@safeguardrcdow.org.uk)

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

**WEST MIDDX HOSPITAL RC CHAPLAIN**

Tel. 020 8321 5447.