

# St. Vincent de Paul (Osterley) Newsletter

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2nd Sunday of Easter

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*Doubt no longer, but believe*

**Acts 4:32-35. United, heart and soul.** Writing several generations after the first days of Christianity, Luke wanted to put an ideal picture before his audience to help them recognise that we can really grasp the significance of the resurrection only when we attempt to build a new style of community in the world.

**PSALM 117: Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, for his love has no end.**

**1 John 5:1-6. Anyone who has been begotten by God has already overcome the world.** This text is a summary of the faith of the baptised person: one who enters by water into the life of Christ, who passes on his victory over death by a style of life that forgives and makes peace, and who comes to rest in the life of God.

**John 20:19-31. Eight days later Jesus came.** Christ came among his people gathered on Easter Sunday; eight days later, he came again among them: each time he offered them peace, forgiveness, and the promise of new life.

## PRIESTS EASTER COLLECTION

You can still donate in the following ways:

**OR** use your Planned Giving Envelope dated 31<sup>st</sup> March 2024

**OR** use the designated Blue Easter Envelopes in the lobby

**OR** the Contactless Machines in the lobby

**OR** scan the QR code provided.

The salary for parish clergy comprises the Christmas and Easter offerings, donations for baptisms, weddings and funerals, and offerings for masses.

### A BIG THANKS for your Easter offering.

The weekly collection is used to fund the parish and the Diocese.

Scan the QR code to support your parish clergy.



### God Bless You

for your **Generosity** towards your Priests and **LOVE** for St. Vincent de Paul Church, Osterley.

## PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

The Planned Giving envelope dated 31<sup>st</sup> March 2024 is the Easter offering for your priest. You will be receiving a new box of Planned Giving envelopes with the start date of 7/4/24. If you have not yet received your box, please submit the envelope dated 7/4/24 in next week's collection.

**A BIG THANK YOU** to all who helped in one of the many ways required to prepare the church and liturgy for Lent, Holy Week and Easter. Thank you to all the volunteer stewards who have given their time and assistance, ministers, flower arrangers, cleaners who have kept our church clean, altar servers, sacristans & staff. May God bless you! Fr. Feroz Fernandes

**DONNA JOSEPH RIP:** Please pray for the repose of the soul of Donna Joseph who passed away recently. Our sympathy is extended to her children and family. Donna's funeral mass takes place on Saturday 13/4/24 at 8.45 a.m. followed by committal at 10:00 am.

**MARIA D'SOUZA RIP:** Kindly offer prayers for the repose of the soul of Maria D'Souza who returned to the Lord on Saturday, March 30, 2024. Maria is the sister of late Tony Coutinho. We extend our condolences to her children and family. Maria has served St Vincent de Paul Church, Osterley as a dedicated sacristan. The funeral date is yet to be announced.

### ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY Bake Sale

Bake a difference! Donate your homemade goodies and help us raise funds for a good cause at our upcoming bake sale! 5<sup>th</sup> May after 9:30 am & 11:30 am masses.

### SVP REQUEST: ADULT BICYCLE

SVP have had a request for an adult bicycle. If you have one to donate, please contact the SVP on [07765026377](tel:07765026377) for collection.

Service Times & Intentions 7-14 April 2024		
<b>SUNDAY 7</b> 2nd Sunday of Easter	0930	Alice Delpoio RIP
	1130	Peter Goode RIP
	1800	People of the Parish
Monday 8	0930	Levit Pereira RIP 3 <sup>rd</sup> Anniv
Tuesday 9	1930	Benjamin D'Souza RIP
Wednesday 10	0930	Thanksgiving Tina Nathan 91 <sup>st</sup> Birthday
Thursday 11	0930	Talitha, Alice, Michael & O'Connell- Curran Families
Friday 12	0930	Leah De Souza Thanksgiving / Good Health 1 <sup>st</sup> Birthday
Saturday 13	0845	<b>Requiem Mass:</b> Donna Joseph RIP
	0930	Tiofilo De Souza RIP
	10-1030	Confession
	1100	Benediction
<b>SUNDAY 14</b> 3rd Sunday of Easter	0930	Uldarico Estiaga RIP 5 <sup>th</sup> Anniv
	1130	Barry Palmer RIP
	1800	Ubaldo Menezies RIP Month's Mind
<b>Morning Prayer:</b> 9.10 a.m. <b>Rosary:</b> Mon/Wed/Thu after mass.		

#### PARISH OFFICE

Office contact Hours: Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri 9a.m. – 1 p.m.  
Email: [osterley@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:osterley@rcdow.org.uk)

**The OFFICE IS CLOSED on Wednesdays, weekends, and public holidays.**

#### 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, or if you leave the parish.

Offertory: Thank you for your offerings last Sunday	
Standing order	TBA
Contactless	1467.69
Loose Plate	4426.34
Planned Giving Envelopes	972.20
Donations	1844.36
Hall Hire (Nursery)	874.00
Others	179.97
Total	8890.56
Per week Osterley Parish needs	6269.00

**Lenten Alms** collection on Holy Thursday: £ 693.49  
**Holy Places** collection on Good Friday: £1028.85

**HALL BOOKINGS:** Hall Bookings have resumed on Saturdays only. £50 per hour. email: [osterley@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:osterley@rcdow.org.uk)

**SUPPORT FROM 300 CLUB:** Thanks and appreciation to the members of 300 Club who support the Church Building Fund. The "Be An Angel" brochure invites new members to join with a monthly contribution of £12 for lucky draw of £300 per month and an annual draw of £1000. Pick a brochure to learn more and opt to be a member. Thank you.

**MASS REQUESTS:** Submit via the parish office, e-mail, or use a donation envelope from the lobby, which allows you to gift aid your offering. Submit offerings by cheque or cash deposited in the lobby drop safe in a marked envelope, by BACS transfer (see bank details provided), 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: Intentions can be offered per individual, or for couples. Multiple names cannot be accepted.

**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 in due course.

**FUNERALS:** Please contact Fr Feroz in the first instance to arrange funeral dates and timings.

#### FIRST COMMUNION & RECONCILIATION

Classes resume on 23/4/2024 at 6.15 p.m.  
Contact email: [osterleyfhc1@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:osterleyfhc1@rcdow.org.uk)

**CONFIRMATION:** Classes resume on 15/4/24, 6.30-7.45p.m. 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  
Tel. 07765 026377.

#### WEST MIDDX HOSPITAL RC CHAPLAIN:

Tel. 020 8321 5447.

#### A CERTIFICATE OF CATHOLIC PRACTICE (CCP)

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.)

**Blessed are they who have not  
seen and yet have believed.**  
**John 20:29**