

# St. Vincent de Paul (Osterley) Newsletter

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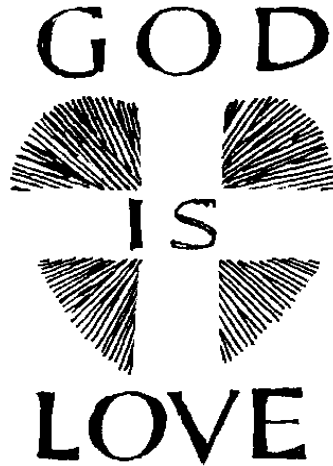
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5 May 2024

6th Sunday of Easter

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**Acts 10:25-26,34-35,44-48. The Holy Spirit has been poured out on the pagans too.** A humbled Peter is sent for and received by Cornelius the Centurion, and he reminds all who listen that God has no favourites.

**PSALM 97 The Lord has shown his salvation to the nations.**

**1 John 4:7-10. God is love.** John's simple words remind us that God loves us and that love, revealed by Jesus, will change us.

**John 15:9-17. A man can have no greater love than to lay down his life for his friends.** Jesus challenges his disciples to remain in his love – something they do by keeping his commandment: 'Love one another as I have loved you.'

## HOUSE OF GOD! The BIG Picture

Scan the QR code to support your parish.



### God Bless You

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

Trusting in God, it began as a dream to build a new place of worship at St. Vincent de Paul, Osterley. The inspired dream continues with your fervent prayers, generous contribution and volunteer spirit. We are yet to pay £579,812.79 of the loan undertaken in 2004 to build this new Church. The good news is that we are still on track to complete payments by 2034.

But factors beyond our control, like a spike in interest rates, inflation, and disruption due to COVID-19, impacted our timeline. We are committed to paying off £35,347.00 capital in 2024, plus £33,678 interest on the loan at 5.7%, so total we need this year is £69,025. We trust God and rely on your prayers and contribution to catch up on the agreed timeline of payments.

Thanks to our people who have responded by increasing their Standing Orders and Gift Aiding their donation. Thanks for considering to Gift Aid your donations. With your prayers and support, let's build a faith community.

### ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY BAKE SALE

Help to raise funds to feed to homeless and the church building fund. Enjoy the delicious treats on sale after today's morning masses.

### ASCENSION on 9th May 2024

Holy Day of Obligation Masses at 9:30 am and 7:30 pm

### EDNA DALGADO RIP

The funeral of Edna Dalgado will take place on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May at 11 a.m. followed by a private committal at New Brentford Cemetery, Sutton Lane.

### FIRST COMMUNION MASSES 2024

25 children from the parish will be making their First Communion at the 9.30am and 11.30am Masses on Sunday, 12 May. These services will therefore be very busy with many seats reserved for the children, their families and friends. As space for other parishioners will be limited, please consider attending the 6pm Mass that day and please pray for the children as they prepare to receive Jesus in the Eucharist for the first time.

### CONFIRMATION

Our Parish confirmation celebration will be held on Saturday, 18th May at 10 am. There will be no 9:30 am mass, Confession and Benediction on 18th May. Please pray for confirmation candidates.

### REPOSITORY

There is a selection of First Holy Communion and Confirmation gifts and cards in the church shop, in addition to many other religious items. Do visit and take a look.

### CHURCH FLOWERS

Thanks to all those who donated Easter flowers and flowers for Sundays. If you wish to donate to the church flowers, please submit your offering via the drop safe in a marked envelope.

Service Times & Intentions 5-12 May 2024		
<b>SUNDAY 5 6th Sunday of Easter</b>	0930	Silvester & Rosada Baptista RIP
	1130	Lavinia Siqueira RIP
	1800	Raymond Jude Joseph RIP
Monday 6	0930	BDay Marçalo Christopher Da Costa
Tuesday 7	1930	Maria D'Souza RIP RD
Wednesday 8	0930	Birthday Intention Fain Mascarenhas
	0930	People of the Parish
	1100	<b>Requiem Mass: Edna Dalgado RIP</b>
Thursday 9	19:30	Mass: Holy Day of Obligation
	0930	Edna Dalgado RIP RD
Friday 10	0930	Thanksgiving Aires & Tina Coutinho
	10:00	Confessions & Adoration
	11:00	Benediction
<b>SUNDAY 12 7th Sunday of Easter</b>	0930	First Communion Mass (1)
	1130	First Communion Mass (2) Sabina & Edmund Kajzer RIP
	1800	Thanksgiving Parish
<b>Morning Prayer:</b> 9.10 a.m. <b>Rosary:</b> Mon/Wed/Thu after mass.		

#### PARISH OFFICE

Office contact/visiting 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.**

Offertory: Thank you for your offerings last Sunday	
Standing order Sun 28 Apr	2508.81
Contactless	373.00
Loose Plate	641.29
Planned Giving Envelopes	330.00
Donations	188.00
Hall Hire (Nursery)	874.00
Others	61.19
Total	4396.29
<b>Per week Osterley Parish needs</b>	<b>£6269.00</b>

#### 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.

**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.

**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.

**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](#) (also available in the lobby, online or QR code) and submit to the Parish Office with your offering. We are celebrating baptisms on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays of the month at 11:30 am.

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

#### FIRST COMMUNION & RECONCILIATION

Tues. 7/5/24 Parents & Children 6.15 p.m.

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

**CONFIRMATION:** Rehearsal 13/5/24 at 7.30 p.m.

Sponsors and parents required.

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

#### 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, email Antonella (see above.)

#### 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.

#### HALL BOOKINGS

Hall Bookings on Saturdays only. £50 per hour.  
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