

St. Vincent de Paul (Osterley) Newsletter

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Pentecost Sunday

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Acts 2:1-11. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak.

At the festival of Pentecost the Holy Spirit comes to the assembled community in Jerusalem, filling everyone, and enabling everyone to speak in different languages recognised by the crowds.

Psalm 104: Send forth your spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth.

1 Corinthians 12:3-7, 12-13. In one Spirit we were all baptised into one body.

Paul reminds the Corinthian faithful that they all, individually, have received gifts from the same Spirit and that, by their Baptism, they are all different parts of Christ's body.

John 20:19-23. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you. Receive the Holy Spirit.

The risen Jesus comes to his disciples, bringing them peace, inspiring them with the Holy Spirit and commissioning them with the same commission which he had from the Father.

HOUSE OF GOD! The BIG Picture

Handing on the Torch of Faith

Thank you for your generous support. As of now, we have collected **72,470** towards our target of 100,000 for the year 2024-25.

You can directly support **Church Building**

Fund. Bank: **HSBC** A/C Name:

WRCDT ST VINCENT BUILDING PROJECT OSTERLEY

Account: **31297511** Sort Code: **40 05 20**

Please reference: **Your Name/BUILD/ Date**

We paid additional £30,000 towards the loan in December 2024. We made another payment of £15,000 in May 2025, in addition to our monthly loan repayment commitment of £3,736. As of now we are yet to pay **£492,566** of the loan undertaken in 2004 to build this new Church.

St. Vincent's has become a vibrant faith community.

We trust God and rely on your prayers and help to move towards a missional community of Jesus' disciples.

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

If you haven't collected the "Handing on the Torch of Faith" campaign brochure, kindly pick one from our lobby.

£100,000

72,470

63,524

46,593

33,990

22,250

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PARISH ONLINE BANK DETAILS

Bank: HSBC

Account Name: WRCDT Osterley

Account: 41095889 Sort Code: 40 05 20.

Please reference: Mass, Donation, etc. / Date.

Donate via **QR code**, add your name, email and reference

scan QR code to donate



ONLINE NEWSLETTER

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

OFFICE (Contact hours) TUES. & THUR. 10AM TO 12 NOON. The parish office is closed on

Wednesdays, Weekends & Public Holidays. Please contact the office via email for appointments.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION ON 15TH JUNE

Bishop Jim Curry will confirm our confirmation candidates on Sunday, 15th June during the 6pm mass. All welcome.

NEW ALTAR SERVER MEDALS TODAY 8TH JUNE

A bronze medal will be awarded to our new altar servers upon their enrolment into the Guild of Saint Stephen in recognition of their commitment to assisting at the altar. Congratulations to all servers for their commendable efforts.

SVP FOOD BANK COLLECTIONS TODAY

SVP Osterley express gratitude for contributions towards the Food Bank since the start of last year. The food items, listed on our notice board, are collected every second Sunday of the Month. You can bring food items and drop them into the boxes provided in the Church lobby.

PRE-BAPTISM COURSE ON JUNE 14 & JULY 12

We invite Parents and Godparents of children who have signed up for baptism at St. Vincent de Paul Church, Osterley to register for a pre-baptism course on Saturdays on June 14 or July 12 from 11:30 am – 1:00pm.

PARISH PICNIC ON 21ST JUNE

We are inviting parishioners to join in for a picnic at Littlehampton beach on 21st June 2025 departing at 9 am and returning at 7 pm. Kindly contact SVP members to register for the picnic. A nominal charge recommended is £15 per adult and £10 per child under 16.

WHATSAPP CHANNEL: OSTERLEY CHURCH:

We print approximately 280 newsletters every Sunday. Can we save 50,000 sheets of paper in 3 years? We invite WhatsApp users from our parish to follow our WhatsApp channel: Osterley Church. You don't need to give us your mobile number, neither will you see other people's mobile numbers or be able to post on the channel. You will only see what the church posts on the channel, such as newsletters, activities and parish updates.



Osterley Church
WhatsApp channel



DAY FOR LIFE - 15TH JUNE 2025: Next Sunday the Church celebrates the Day for Life on Trinity Sunday, emphasising the dignity of every life. On 15th June, parishes will hold a second collection for this fund, supporting life-respecting organisations. For further information or to donate, visit the website: prayforlife.ie

PENTECOST SUNDAY
Mass Intentions: 8-15 JUNE 2025

08/06/2025	Sun	9:30am	Thanksgiving RIP Maria Palmira Rodrigues
		11:30am	RIP Maria & Caetano Fernandes
		11:30am	RIP Domingos Fernandes
		6:00pm	
09/06/2025	Mon	9:30am	RIP Edna & George Dalgado
10/06/2025	Tue	7:30pm	T/G Linda & Mike O'Brien & Family RIP Patrick Maguire RD
11/06/2025	Wed	9:30am	T/G Liza Sequeira Birthday RIP Maria Santana Fernandes
12/06/2025	Thu	9:30am	RIP Luis Ferrao RD
13/06/2025	Fri	9:30am	
		9:30am	Good Health & Blessings on Family
		6:30pm	GC St Anthony Feast (Konkani)
14/06/2025	Sat	9:30am	T/G Sezie De Souza LeAnn, Marcelino & Maryvonne (Prayers during Exams)
		4:00pm	T/G Andreza & Allwyn (25th Wedding Anniv)
15/06/2025	Sun	9:30am	RIP Silvester Baptista RIP Thomas Baptista RIP Anthony Carvalho
		11:30am	
		6:00pm	Confirmation Mass

HEALING MASS: Last Tuesday of the month at 7.30 p.m.

MORNING PRAYER: 9.10 a.m.

Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet: Mon/Wed/Thu/Sat after mass.

“BE AN ANGEL” FOR THE CHURCH FUND

The oldest “Be An Angel” initiative invites you join with a monthly contribution of £12 for a lucky draw of £300 per month. Collect a brochure to learn more or set us direct debit with our HSBC bank with a reference: Be An Angel/Your Name - **WRCDT St Vincent Building Project Osterley**
Account Number 31297511 Sort Code 40-05-20

Offertory: Thanks for your last Sunday offerings	
Standing orders Sunday 1 June 2025	£ 2347.55
Contactless	£ 774.00
Loose Plate	£ 495.53
Planned Giving Envelopes	£ 411.00
Donations (Building Fund)	£ 317.00
Hall Hire (Nursery)	£ 874.00
Donations & Hall Letting	£ 0.00
TOTAL	£ 5219.08
Osterley Parish needs £ 6,269.00* per week	
* Inclusive of loan repayment and interest payments.	

PARISH SECRETARY: Mrs. L. Faria (Mon/Tue/Thu/Fri)

PLANNED GIVING COORDINATOR & BOOK-KEEPER: Mr. S. McEvoy. osterleybk@rcdow.org.uk

P/G enquiries: Tel. 07932 783647 (Tue/Thu 1-6 pm).

CCP/MAC/DBS COORDINATOR: Mrs Antonella Cleaver
Tue/Thu) Email: osterleyccp1@rcdow.org.uk

PARISH REGISTRATION: If you are new to our parish or still need to register, collect a Welcome Pack from the lobby, complete the registration and Planned Giving forms, and drop them in the church lobby safe. Please inform the office if your details change or you leave.

MASS REQUESTS: Scan QR code for Mass Intention

Scan the QR Code to check the availability of a Mass for the preferred day. Enter the requested details, make a donation, and the Office will confirm your mass booking via email. The minimum Diocesan recommendation is £10. Mass intentions are publicised in the newsletter the week beforehand.



FIRST COMMUNION & RECONCILIATION 2026

Contact Email: osterleyfhc1@rcdow.org.uk.

CONFIRMATION 2025

Sunday 15/6/2025. Confirmation Mass at 6pm.

Contact: Osterleyconfirmation@rcdow.org.uk

BAPTISM: Baptism celebration will be held on the following Saturdays at 11:30am on 28th June, 26th July, 23rd August, 27th September, 25th October & 22nd November. The link for an **application form** is on the parish website (in Sacramental Preparation). Parents & Godparents need to sign up for baptism preparation Program.

MARRIAGES: 6 months' notice required. Please get in touch with Fr. Feroz Fernandes via the Parish Office email.

FUNERALS: Contact Fr Feroz via the parish office to arrange a funeral date and time.

MASS ATTENDANCE CARD (MAC)

If your child is aged 1+, you may need a Mass Attendance Card. For details contact Antonella Cleaver (Tue/Thu).

Email: osterleyccp1@rcdow.org.uk

SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVE

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

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

Contact Tel. 07765 026377.

COMMUNITY FOOD BANK SUNDAY (SVP)

On the 2nd Sunday of every month. See the noticeboard for a list of items to donate in the lobby collection box.

HALL BOOKINGS: Hall Bookings are taken for Saturdays between 10 am-11 pm only. Email: osterley@rcdow.org.uk

WEST MIDDX HOSPITAL RC CHAPLAIN

Tel. 020 8321 5447.

MARRIAGE PREP COURSE AT FELTHAM

St Lawrence Church in Feltham offers a one-day Marriage Preparation Course for engaged couples on Saturdays from 10 am to 6 pm on 28th June, 19th July, and 4th October, which includes engagement ring blessing at 5pm Mass. For info email feltham@rcdow.org.uk or see notice board.

FEAST OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA ON JUNE 13

The Goan Chaplaincy is organising a Konkani mass on the feast of St. Anthony of Padua on June 13 at 6:30 pm at St. Vincent de Paul Church, Osterley. Since May 31st devotees have gathered at 7:00pm in the Church Garden for the Tredicina (13-day novena to St Anthony).

Tea & Coffee after Sunday morning masses.

All are welcome to join in fellowship.

O GOD, WHO DIDST INSTRUCT THE HEARTS OF THE
FAITHFUL BY THE LIGHT OF THE HOLY SPIRIT,
GRANT US IN THE SAME SPIRIT TO BE TRULY WISE,
AND EVER TO REJOICE IN HIS CONSOLATION,
THROUGH CHRIST OUR LORD. AMEN.