

St. Vincent de Paul (Osterley) Newsletter



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13 July 2025 | 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Yr. C Vol 2 Pg. 108)

Readings: Deuteronomy 30:10-14. Colossians 1:15-20. Luke 10:25-37.

Psalm 69(68): **Seek God, you who are poor, and your hearts will revive.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND ACTIVITIES

STELLA MARIS (SEA SUNDAY) ON JULY 13

Seafarers and fishers play a vital role in all of our lives, but they often work in difficult, hazardous conditions. The Church prays on Sea Sunday (13th July) for the charity, Stella Maris, that supports seafarers and fishers in need. You can donate in church, by visiting www.stellamaris.org.uk/donate, or by texting 'SEA' to 70460 to donate £5. Gift aid envelopes are also available.

ANNUAL PARISH BBQ ON JULY 13

The annual Parish Summer BBQ is today, after the 11:30 am mass. The Catenians are organising the event with the proceeds going to the Church Building Fund and on the day, Raffles to Aid to the Church in Need.

MISSION APPEAL BY COMBONI MISSIONARIES ON JULY 20

We welcome Father Jude Burgers, a Comboni Missionary Priest, who will visit our parish and celebrate Sunday masses on July 20. Father Jude is part of the Comboni Missionaries visiting different parishes for an appeal to support missionaries working in difficult and dangerous conditions. The appeal is an opportunity for people to join the universal church in the mission field.

GOAN BREAKFAST ON JULY 27

After Mass Goan Breakfast is on demand. Once again, a goodwill parishioner will prepare a Goan breakfast for 100 people on July 27 after 9:30 am mass. A nominal charge per serving is £5. The funds raised will go towards the Church Building Fund.

INTERNATIONAL DAY ON AUG 9 AT OSTERLEY: Parishioners are invited to celebrate an International Day on August 9, 2025, with a special Mass at noon, followed by an afternoon of fellowship and entertainment organised by our Joyful Voices choir and parish youth. Would you like to help or support?

WELCOME TO VISITORS: We welcome visitors to our church. We hope that you have an experience as disciples of Jesus.

WHATSAPP CHANNEL: We invite WhatsApp users from our parish to follow our WhatsApp channel: Osterley Church.

CHURCH CLEANING VOLUNTEERS NEEDED on Fridays from 10:30 am – noon.

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.

"BE AN ANGEL" FOR THE CHURCH FUND

The oldest "Be An Angel" initiative invites you to 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**

Thanks for your Last Sunday Offerings

Standing orders Sunday 6 th July 2025	2437.81
Contactless	618.00
Loose Plate	654.85
Planned Giving Envelopes	431.00
Total	4141.66



Osterley Parish needs £ 4717.00* per week * Excluding Loan repayment and interest payments

PARISH BANK DETAILS: Bank: **HSBC** Account Name: **WRCDT Osterley** Account No: **41095889** Sort Code: **40 05 20**
Please reference: Mass, Donation, etc. / Date **Donate via online link**, add your name, email and reference

You are welcome to join for Tea & Coffee in the parish hall after Sunday Morning Masses.

OFFICE and SACRAMENTS

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

- BAPTISM:** Baptism celebration will be held on the following Saturdays at 11:30 am on 26th July, 23rd August, 27th September, 25th October & 22nd November. Kindly submit the [Baptism Request Form](#). Check dates for Pre Baptism Course.
- MARRIAGES:** 6 months' notice required. Please contact 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** may be needed if your child is aged 1+. Email: osterleyccp1@rcdow.org.uk
- CCP/MAC/DBS COORDINATOR:** Mrs Antonella Cleaver (Tue/Thu). Email: osterleyccp1@rcdow.org.uk
- CHILDREN LITURGY:** If would like to volunteer to conduct the Sunday Children's Liturgy, kindly contact the office.
- ALTAR FLOWER ARRANGERS:** Interested in flower arranging in the church? Join the volunteers and contact the office.
- SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVE |** Mrs. A. Trigger. osterleysg@safeguardrcdow.org.uk
- SVP OSTERLEY:** For assistance to the housebound and those in need. Contact Tel. 07765 026377.
- COMMUNITY FOOD BANK SUNDAY:** Donate food items for the poor. Food collection every 2nd Sunday of the month.
- HALL BOOKINGS:** [Parish Hall Bookings](#) are taken for Fridays 6 pm – 11 pm and Saturdays between 10 am-11 pm. The following dates are available on Saturdays: Aug. 2, 9 & 23, Sept 13 & 20, Oct. 4, 11 & 18, Nov. 22 & Dec. 6, 13, 20 & 27.
- WEST MIDDX HOSPITAL RC CHAPLAIN:** Tel. 020 8321 5447.
- PLANNED GIVING COORDINATOR & BOOK-KEEPER:** S. McEvoy. osterleybk@rcdow.org.uk (Tue/Thu 1–6 pm).
- FIRST COMMUNION & RECONCILIATION:** Contact Email: osterleyfhc1@rcdow.org.uk.
- CONFIRMATION:** Contact Email Osterleyconfirmation@rcdow.org.uk

HOUSE OF GOD! Handing on the Torch of Faith

We have collected **74,178** towards our interim target of 100,000 for the year 2024-25. We paid an additional £30,000 towards the loan in December 2024. In May 2025, we made another payment of £15,000, in addition to our monthly loan repayment commitment of £3,736. We are yet to pay **£488,829** of the loan undertaken in 2004 to build this new Church. Thank you.

CHURCH LOAN PENDING June 1, 2025		-492,566.34
Nursery Rent/Month	3,270.75	
Parish Hall Revenue	755.00	
Be an Angel (300 Club)	563.00	
Torch of Faith	2293.00	
Parish Activities (Goan Breakfast)	375.00	
Loan Repayment/Month		3736.41
Loan Status June 30, 2025	7,256.75	-488,829.93

You can directly support the [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**

Mass Intentions: 13 JULY - 19 JULY 2025

Mass Intention/Offering Request

Sun 13/7	09:30	RIP Laura Sullivan & Alice Hanrahan	Tue 15/7	19:30	RIP Elsa Rodrigues Anniv T/G Patrocina Gonsalves 80th BDay
	11:30	RIP Rani Benjamin RIP Richard Armstrong	Wed 16/7	09:30	RIP Rosalind Andrew & Family
	18:00	RIP Remedios & Bette D Silva RIP Family Generations	Thu 17/7	09:30	T/G Myles Alphonso D'Souza (B'Day)
Mon 14/7	09:30	RIP Jose Manuel & Maria Josefa Dsilva RIP Thomas & Mary Ann Doheny Anniv	Fri 18/7	09:30	RIP Christalina DSouza
			Sat 19/7	09:30	RIP Mr & Mrs S Joseph
				16.00	T/G Engson Wedding Anniv

SATURDAY: Adoration 10-11:00 | Confession 10:00–10:30 am | **HEALING MASS:** Last Tuesday of the month at 7.30 pm.
MORNING PRAYER: 9.10 am. | **Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet:** Mon/Wed/Thu/Sat after mass | [Approved Mass Intention](#)