

St. Vincent de Paul (Osterley) Newsletter



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This parish is part of the Westminster Roman Catholic Diocese Trustee | Registered Charity No. 233699

24 August 2025 | 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time (Yr. C Vol 2 Pg. 127)

Readings: Isaiah 66:18-21. Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13. Luke 13:22-30.

Psalm 117: Go into all the world and proclaim the good news.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND ACTIVITIES

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 17 Aug 2025	586.11
Contactless	383.00
Loose Plate	468.22
Planned Giving Envelopes	354.00
Total	1791.33



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

INCLUSIVE MASS FOR CHILDREN AND ADULTS WITH LEARNING DISABILITIES ON SEPTEMBER 27

St John Fisher Roman Catholic Church, Perivale invites for an inclusive mass for children and adults with learning disabilities, celebrated by Fr. Peter on Saturday, 27 September 2025 at 11:00 AM.

MARRIAGE PREP COURSE AT FELTHAM on October 4

St Lawrence RC Church in Feltham (TW13 4AF) offers a one-day Marriage Preparation Course for engaged couples on Saturday from 10 am to 6 pm on 4th October, which includes engagement ring blessing at 5pm Mass. email feltham@rcdow.org.uk

NOTRE DAME DE FRANCE: 14th September – Notre Dame Square. Be part of this parish festival of prayer, music, fun and witness. To register email anne-lise.gaillac@ndfchurch.org

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER: Marriage enrichment weekend on 27-28th September. St George's Sudbury (non-residential). A time to refresh, enrich and deepen your couple relationship. For details email evangelisation@rcdow.org.uk

CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF 'SERVANT OF GOD' JOHN RANDAL BRADBURNE ON SEPTEMBER 13

Join the John Bradburne Memorial Society (JBMS) for a special event honouring the extraordinary life and lasting spiritual legacy of Servant of God John Randal Bradburne on Saturday, 13th September 2025, from 2:00pm to 5:00pm at Westminster Cathedral. Tickets for the post-Mass programme are £25 per person.

INVITE TO MEET THE CATENIANS ON SEPTEMBER 10

The Brothers of Richmond & Twickenham Circle (90) and Osterley & District Circle (355) of the Catenian Association warmly invite you and your guests to join for an evening of fellowship on Wednesday, 10th September 2025, from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm at St Margaret of Scotland Church Hall, 130 St Margarets Road, Twickenham, TW1 1RL. Light snacks and refreshments will be served. If you would like to attend, please email your name, parish, and number of attendees by Friday, 29th August 2025, to Kevin Brady, Secretary R&T Circle (90), at kpbrady68@gmail.com.

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 celebrations will be held on the following Saturdays at 11:30 am on 23rd August, 27th September, 25th October & 22nd November. Kindly submit the [Baptism Request Form](#). Check dates for Pre Baptism Courses. Further details on parish website.
- MARRIAGES:** 6 months' notice required. Please contact Fr. Feroz Fernandes via the Parish Office email. See website.
- FUNERALS:** Contact Fr Feroz via the parish office to arrange a funeral date and time. Further details on parish website.
- 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: Sept 20, Oct. 4, 11 & 18, Nov. 22 & Dec. 6, 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 July 1, 2025		-488,888.93
Nursery Rent/Month	3,270.75	
Parish Hall Revenue	50.00	
Be an Angel (300 Club)	538.00	
Torch of Faith	3095.50	
Parish Activities (BBQ 2025)	657.54	
Parish Activities (Goan Breakfast)	380.00	
Loan Repayment/Month		3736.41
Debit Interest on Loan (Quarterly)	-5471.90	
Loan Status July 31, 2025	2,519.89	-485,152.52

You can directly support the [Church Building Fund](#). Bank: **HSBC** A/C Name: **WRC DT ST VINCENT BUILDING PROJECT OSTERLEY** | Account: **31297511** Sort Code: **40 05 20** | Please reference: **Your Name/BUILD/ Date**

Mass Intentions 24 -30 AUG 2025

Sun 24/8 9:30am - RIP John & Iris Griffin
Sun 24/8 9:30am -
Sun 24/8 11:30am - RIP Dan Moriarty
Sun 24/8 11:30am – T/G Shannon de Cruz
Sun 24/8 6:00pm - People of the Parish
Mon 25/8 9:30am – Int of M Fox
Tue 26/8 7:30pm - Int Healing of Brigida Leitao

Mass Intention/Offering Request

Wed 27/8 9:30am -
Thu 28/8 9:30am - RIP Ezilda Araujo
Fri 29/8 9:30am - T/G Matthew Bhalla Bday
Fri 29/8 1:30pm - GC Wedding: Rován & Grizelda
Sat 30/8 9:30am - Int Shaun & Ramona
Sat 30/8 9:30am – Int Anderson & Andrew Fernandes

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