

St. Vincent de Paul (Osterley) Newsletter



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27 July 2025 | 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Yr. C Vol 2 Pg. 114)

Readings: Genesis 18:20-32. Colossians 2:12-14. Luke 11:1-13.

Psalm 138: On the day I called, you answered me, O Lord.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND ACTIVITIES

MISSION APPEAL BY COMBONI MISSIONARIES JULY 20

Following the visit to our parish last Sunday by Father Jude Burgers, Comboni Missionary Priest, the second collection raised £1362.72 to support missionaries working in difficult and dangerous conditions.

GOAN BREAKFAST ON JULY 27

A goodwill parishioner will prepare a Goan breakfast for 100 people today after the 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 OSTERELY: Parishioners and friends are invited to celebrate an International Day on August 9, 2025, with a special Mass at noon, followed by food and entertainment organised by our Joyful Voices choir.

WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE ON AUG 30

We are going on a pilgrimage to Walsingham on August 30, with the coach departing from Osterley Church at 8 am and returning around 7 pm, depending on traffic conditions. The pilgrimage includes a visit to the Catholic National Shrine and Basilica of Our Lady of Walsingham, the Slipper Chapel, and other places of religious interest in Walsingham. We will have a Mass at noon. For details on booking a seat, please contact our volunteers or sign up using the link.

FUNDRAISER IN MEMORY OF ROY AZAVEDO

Nalika D'Cunha, together with her son Zaniel Azavedo, has launched a fundraising campaign aiming to raise £10,000 for the Church Building Fund at St. Vincent de Paul Church in Osterley. The initiative is being held in memory of her late husband, Roy Azavedo who passed away on 5 June 2025. So far, the campaign has garnered support from approximately 123 donors, raising £5,246 towards the target. The initiative is being promoted on JustGiving for Roy Azavedo Memory.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY will break for the school summer holidays and start again on the first Sunday of September (the 7th).

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 20 th July 2025	930.55
Contactless	358.00
Loose Plate	577.67
Planned Giving Envelopes	301.50
Total	2167.72



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 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: 26 JULY- 3 AUG 2025

Sun 27/7	09:30	Int Agnelo Philip Dias T/G Johan Melisa &family
	11:30	T/G Xavier & Renita RIP Gerry Harte Anniv
	18:00	RIP Christopher Payne
Mon 28/7	09:30	RIP Souls in Purgatory RIP Esperanca & Minguel D'souza

Mass Intention/Offering Request

Tue 29/7	19:30	RIP Milagrina and Antonio Pereira
Wed 30/7	09:30	Jim Harrington RIP 1 st Anniv
Thu 31/7	09:30	RIP Anthony Dsouza
Fri 1/8	09:30	
Sat 2/8	09:30	T/G Preeti Fernandes T/G Alora & Aaron Monteiro B'days

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](#)