



# The Catholic Church of St Osmund, Barnes

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## Mass Times

**Sundays:** As noted below  
**Weekdays:** As noted below

**Confession:** By private appointment only  
**Baptisms and weddings:** Contact the Parish

## Twenty-Fifth Sunday (B) Sunday 19 September 2021

Date	Time	Intention	Feast
Sat 18 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Private Mass	Pro-populo	First Mass of Sunday
Sun 19 <sup>th</sup> Sept	8.30am Mass 10.30am Mass 6.30am Mass	Count Riprand Arco RIP Deirdre and Alasdair Roberts RIP Elisabeth Schorlemer RIP	Twenty-Fifth Sunday (B)
Mon 20 <sup>th</sup> Sept	10.00am Mass	For the Welfare of Mel White	St Andrew Kim Tae-gon
Tues 21 <sup>st</sup> Sept	NO MASS	No Mass	St Matthew
Wed 22 <sup>nd</sup> Sept	10.00am Mass	Annie Saunders & William Oakden RIP	Feria
Thur 23 <sup>rd</sup> Sept	NO MASS	No Mass	St Pius of Pietrelcina
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup> Sept	9.45am Mass	For the Welfare of Anita Millar	Our Lady of Walsingham
Sat 25 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Private Mass	Pro-populo	First Mass of Sunday
Sun 26 <sup>th</sup> Sept	8.30am Mass 10.30am Mass 6.30pm Mass	Georgina Chevallier RIP Julie Kendrick & Frederick Brajou 30 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary Loretta O'Connor RIP	Twenty-Sixth Sunday (B)

\*If you wish to have a mass intention said, please contact the Parish Office

## In Remembrance

For those who have died recently, especially Costas Rodoussakis and those whose anniversaries occur around this time: Mary Catherine Kiselick, Jim Carr, Leonard Brajou, Robina Brown, Vera Strobera, John Kennedy, Patrick Hayes, Julie Dean, Fr Michael Compson, Lily McLoughlin, Edward Ryan, Patsy Crudden, Margueritte Glennie and Geoffrey Hancock.

## Sick List

For the sick and the suffering, especially newborn twins Aymeric and Natalie Schirmer (both twins are now at home and continuing to get stronger), Nina Zomaya, Jeremy Wood, Mary Alinson, Sandy McCabe, Barbara Still, Rolande Gantly, Sarah Sacarello, Fr Anthony Logan and Susan Kelsey.

Please remember those who are sick and especially those who have contracted the virus.

**Welcome Back!**

This week we welcome back our old-style Newsletter – at least for now. A fresh new look is coming soon!

**YouTube Link for LiveStream Mass**

Sunday - 19 September 2021, 10:30am

- <https://youtu.be/8D-cifkulqg>

**A Reminder from the Green Team**

Today - Sunday 19th September is London Car Free Day. Can we do it? YES, WE CAN! Well, we can try. On our bikes, buses, shanks' pony.

...Also did you know that on the 1st of September Pope Francis opened this year's Season Of Creation which continues until the Feast of St Francis on the 4th October? What's that all about? Google 'Season of Creation' to find out.

**New Weekday Evening Mass**

Our weekday Mass schedule was reduced due to restrictions and the pattern has been Mass on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 10.00am. This pattern will continue with the reintroduction, as an experiment, of a Mass on Thursdays at 6.30 pm - which we will start on Thursday 30th September. This will be an attempt to facilitate a weekday Mass for those unable to attend 10.00 am Mass. It is worth explaining that weekday Masses are much shorter than a Sunday Mass and last approximately 20 minutes - which means from a 6.30pm Mass you should be home well in time for Channel 4 News or alternatively The One Show.

Please note – The start time for Mass this Friday 24 September is 9.45am to accommodate the children of the school for our "Opening Studies Mass." Parents and Governors welcome.

**Pray with Pope Francis**

Pray with Pope Francis for his Intention during September: "We pray that we all will make courageous choices for a simple and environmentally sustainable lifestyle, rejoicing in our young people who are resolutely committed to this."

**Delicious Jams!**

Our very own Margaret has produced more of her excellent homemade jams - strawberry, raspberry, plum and gooseberry. Please email her directly if you would like to make a purchase. All profit goes to the Parish.

[margaretcrawford41@outlook.com](mailto:margaretcrawford41@outlook.com)

**Advice from the Thomas More Society for the Catholic Legal Community**

With the beginning of the legal year approaching, the Red Mass will be celebrated on Friday 1 October 2021 at 9.30am.

As always, the Mass will take place in Westminster Cathedral and this year the celebrant will be Cardinal Vincent Nichols, Archbishop of Westminster. We are delighted to announce that we will also be joined by the Lord Chancellor and Secretary of State for Justice, the Rt Hon Robert Buckland QC MP. We believe that he will be the first Lord Chancellor to attend the Red Mass since the Reformation, so this is an important moment for the Catholic legal community.

**Priest Reference Forms for Secondary School**

Sign-up sheets are now in the back of the church for you to book a 10-minute appointment with Monsignor to have your Secondary School forms signed. Please bring all necessary supplementary school documents including the Certificate of Catholic Practice and the Secondary School Choice form - both can be found in the back of the church or by emailing the parish office -

[mailto:barnes@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:mailto:barnes@rcaos.org.uk)

Below is a listing of both Catholic State and Private schools that regularly serve our parish.

**Catholic State Schools**

Cardinal Vaughan (boys)  
Gumley House (girls)  
Gunnersbury (boys)  
Oratory (boys)  
Sacred Heart (girls)  
St Richard Reynolds (mixed)  
Ursuline (girls)  
Wimbledon College (boys)

**Catholic Independent Schools**

The Marist School, Ascot  
More House, Sloane Square  
St Benedict's, Ealing  
St Catherine's, Twickenham  
St Mary's, Ascot  
Woldingham School, Caterham

**The London Jesuit Centre, Farm Street are offering the following Courses:**

1. Introduction to the Old Testament (begins 23 September 2021). The Old Testament is essential to understanding the history of salvation and the course will map out the main arc of the Old Testament narrative by exploring four central themes: creation, covenant, prophecy and kingship.
2. Prayer from Scratch (begins 29 September 2021). Prayer is at the very heart of the Christian life and this course, over five Wednesdays, will help participants see prayer in a new way. There will be time for discussion and reflection and periods of guided prayer.
3. God and Suffering I - Philosophical Questions (begins 23 September 2021). It has been a centuries old cry of atheists – how can there be a perfect, loving God given that the world is so full of suffering? The course will explore some of the key philosophical arguments and help participants understand the issues more deeply.

For more information: [www.londonjesuitcentre.org](http://www.londonjesuitcentre.org).

**Give As You Live**

St Osmund's Parish has registered with the Give As You Live platform. This simply means that by shopping at trusted online retailers such as M&S, John Lewis, Waitrose, Sainsbury's, Tesco and 3994 other shops, you can earn money for our parish. Simply click the following link to register and start raising funds for our Church today. [Give as you Live - St Osmund's Church Barnes](http://Give as you Live - St Osmund's Church Barnes)

**Donations**

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