



The Catholic Church of St Osmund, Barnes

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Mass Times

Sundays: 8.30am, 10.30am, 6.30pm

Weekdays: 10.00am Mon, Wed, Fri &
6.30pm Thurs

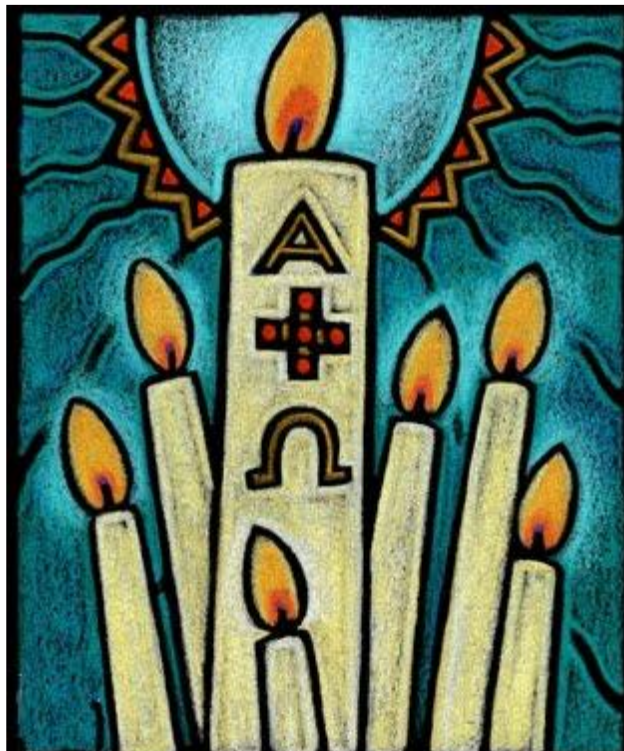
Confession: Sundays 9:45am – 10:15am & 6pm - 6:20pm

Baptisms and Weddings: Contact the Parish

Office Hours: 10:00am - 2:00pm Wed, Thurs & Fri
The parish email account is monitored regularly.

Easter Sunday and Second Sunday of Easter (B) Sunday, 31 March 2024 & Sunday 7 April 2024 Mass Book p255 & p259

Date	Time	Intention	Feast
Sun 31 st Mar	8.30am Mass 10.30am Mass 6.30pm Mass	Pro-populo Justine Estaphanos RIP Con Cahillane RIP	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord (B)
Mon 1st Apr	NO MASS	NO MASS	Octave of Easter
Tues 2 nd Apr	10.00am	Service of the Word	Octave of Easter
Wed 3 rd Apr	10.00am	Gwendoline Beckitt RIP	Octave of Easter
Thurs 4 th Apr	6.30pm Mass		Octave of Easter
Fri 5 th Apr	10.00am Mass		Octave of Easter
Sun 7 th Apr	8.30am Mass 10.30am Mass 6.30pm Mass	Jozef Langiewicz RIP Peter Doyle RIP Edward Collini RIP	Second Sunday of Easter (B)
Mon 8 th Apr	10.00am Mass		The Annunciation of the Lord (B)
Tues 9 th Apr	10.00am	Service of the Word	Feria
Wed 10 th Apr	10.00am Mass	Annie Saunders and William Oakden RIP	Feria
Thurs 11 th Apr	6.30pm Mass		St Stanislaus
Fri 12 th Apr	10.00am Mass		Feria
Sun 14 th Apr	8.30am Mass 10.30am Mass 6.30pm Mass	Pro-populo Fr Anthony Logan RIP	Third Sunday of Easter (B)



Thanks to you.

A huge thank you to one and all for all you do, especially at Easter to support the parish and your commitment, to the choir and servers, collectors, counters, catechists, children's' liturgists, sacristans, florists, readers, ministers, cleaners, Green group, coffee-makers and helpers. Thank you above all for your smiles. Mgr.

Immediately after Easter, Fr Oladele Craig assumes the role Parish Priest of St Osmunds. I know you will make him feel very welcome. He will move into the presbytery over this weekend and will be saying his first mass on Wed 3 April 10am.

*Oh I often sit and ponder,
When the sun is sinking low,
Where shall yonder future find me:
Does but God in Heaven know?
Shall I be among the living?
Shall I mingle with the free?
Wheresoe'er my path be leading,
Saviour, keep my heart with Thee.*

*Oh the future lies before me,
And I know not where I'll be;
But where'er my path be leading,
Saviour, keep my heart with Thee.
(Author: Jennie Stout)*

With thanks and good wishes to all of you, Mgr.

Confirmation Announcement

If your child is currently in YR8 or above they are eligible to participate in this year's Confirmation Program. Please email (barnes@rcaos.org.uk) to register your child. Sessions will be held Sundays at St Osmund's School, Church Road, from 4:30pm-6:00pm on the following dates: 14 April, 21 April, 28 April, 12 May, 19 May, 2 June, 7 June (Friday evening, garden party)*, 9 June, 16 June, 23 June. *Possible weekend away 7-9 June depending on cost and availability.

The final confirmation mass date is not yet available but will be announced as soon as possible.

Catholic Union Pub Talk with Alex Macqueen.

The Catholic Union's next "Pub Talk" on Tuesday 30 April at 6pm, 18.00 is 'Treading the Boards with Faith', with acclaimed BAFTA nominated actor and writer Alex Macqueen. Alex is rarely off our screens, small and big, and has appeared in The Inbetweeners, Peaky Blinders and Downton Abbey to name but a few. He will be talking about being a Catholic in the acting world. The Pub Talk will take place in the upstairs room of the Windsor Castle pub on Francis Street, behind Westminster Cathedral. Free to attend. Tickets here: (<https://catholicunion.org.uk/events/>)

Easter Egg hunt

This will take place in the presbytery garden straight after 1030 mass.

Easter offerings

Since Priests do not receive a salary, these offerings are your gift to the clergy. Along with Christmas, these offerings provide an annual income for the parish priest. You can either donate by cash, envelope, portals in the back of the church or via our Parish website at:

<https://stosmunds.parishportal.net/> and selecting the "Donate Now" button.

St Osmund's Interfaith Pilgrimage

Join us on Monday 6 May for the inaugural St Osmund's Interfaith pilgrimage. We'll be meeting with local Sikhs, Jews and Buddhists to pray with and for each other. Starting at 2pm at Merton Gurdwara for refreshments, prayers and a talk. We will then move on to the Buddhapadipa Temple in Wimbledon via Wimbledon Synagogue, on foot, or by car for those less able to complete the 55 min walk. All are welcome including and especially children and dogs. Please save the date. More information to follow soon.

Foodbank

Please continue to give generously to the Castelnaud Centre Food Bank. Tinned meats, fish, vegetables, fruit, household cleaning and toiletry items are very welcome.

Sick List

For the sick and the suffering especially, Catherine Bithrey, Andrew Brodrick-Ward, Joan Moore, Susan Kelsey, Maureen Carr, Eddie Henshaw, Charles Stiller, Serge Moussalli and Bridget Jabour.

In Remembrance

For those who have died recently and those whose anniversaries occur around this time: Kay King-Farlow, Sergio Gattinara, Liam Whelan, Betty McGuckin, Derek Abbott, Nora Durbridge, Martin Kavanagh, Agnes Foley, Margaret Field, Damien Cook, Mary Davies, Hans Kuipers, Gwendoline Beckitt, Edward Sumner, Andrea Rittweiler, Anita O'Mahony, Margaret Lewis, John Brett, Robin Buckley, David Fenwick and Raymond Murray.

Regine Caeli (Sung from Easter Vigil through Pentecost Sunday):

Regina caeli, laetare, alleluia; quia quem meruisti portare, alleluia; resurrexit sicut dixit, alleluia; ora pro nobis Deum, alleluia.