



# 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.

## Thirty-Third Sunday (C) Mass Book p. 164 Sunday, 13 November 2022

Date	Time	Intention	Feast
Sun 13 <sup>th</sup> Nov	8.30am Mass 10.30am Mass 6.30pm Mass	Celine Cesar RIP Pro-populo For the Benefactors of the Parish	Thirty-Third Sunday (C)
Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> Nov	10.00am Mass		Feria
Tues 15 <sup>th</sup> Nov	10.00am	Service of the Word	St Albert the Great
Wed 16 <sup>th</sup> Oct	10.00am Mass		St Edmund of Abingdon
Thurs 17 <sup>th</sup> Nov	6.30pm Mass		St Hilda
Fri 18 <sup>th</sup> Nov	10.00am Mass		The Dedication of the Basilicas of St Peter and St Paul
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup> Nov	8.30am Mass 10.30am Mass 6.30pm Mass	Justine Estaphanos RIP (Birthday remembrance) Holy Souls	Thirty-Fourth Sunday (C)

## Reflection

Remembrance Sunday:

With proud thanksgiving, a mother for her children,  
England mourns for her dead across the sea.  
Flesh of her flesh they were, spirit of her spirit,  
Fallen in the cause of the free.

Solemn the drums thrill: Death august and royal  
Sings sorrow up into immortal spheres.  
There is music in the midst of desolation  
And a glory that shines upon our tears.

They went with songs to the battle, they were young,  
Straight of limb, true of eye, steady and aglow.  
They were staunch to the end against odds uncounted,  
They fell with their faces to the foe.

They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old;  
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.  
At the going down of the sun and in the morning  
We will remember them.

(Extract from 'For the Fallen', by Laurence Binyon)

November is the Month of the Holy Souls. Please add your loved ones' names to the List of the Deceased in the Narthex. The Book of Remembrance is kept on the Altar during Masses in November. Mass envelopes are also available for masses to be offered for the deceased in November.

**What is the Archbishop's Appeal?**

The aims of the Archbishop's Appeal:

**Youth and Evangelisation:** To strengthen the formation of young people in the faith within Catholic schools and parishes in the Archdiocese of Southwark, to enhance the faith life of parishioners and to support the work of parish catechists.

**Our Faith in Action:** To show compassionate and active service in the world around us through love for all people: the protection of human dignity, respect for the inter-connectedness of our world and common home, hearing the cry of the poor and the cry of the Earth.

**Clergy Care and Formation:** To care for sick and retired priests in their old age and ill health. Supporting the on-going formation of our priests and deacons. Providing on-going formation of clergy in active ministry.

**Red Box appeal**

Next Sunday, St Joseph's Missionaries will make an Appeal for support through the Red Boxes. Missio ignites God's love by helping local missionaries to work alongside global communities that are poor or in need. Sometimes this need might be very specific: a motorbike for a Priest to celebrate mass in remote villages or a simple community hall so people can gather together. Whatever our missionaries need to help them share the joy of the Gospel, Missio strives to provide.

**St Frances Cabrini**

Had today not been Remembrance Sunday we would have celebrated her Feast. The only canonized saint to have shopped on Oxford St. The youngest of thirteen children, Frances Cabrini was born on 15 July, 1850 in a small village near Milan, In 1880, with seven young women, Frances founded the Institute of the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. She was as resourceful as she was prayerful, finding people who would donate what she needed. She and her sisters wanted to be missionaries in China; Pope Leo XIII told Frances to go "not to the East, but to the West" to New York rather than to China as she had expected. She was to help the thousands of migrants already in the United States. She and her companions established 67 institutions: schools, hospitals and orphanages despite tremendous odds. Her activity was relentless until her death on December 22, 1917, in Chicago. She is patron saint of migrants and cabdrivers and excellent for finding a parking space.

**First Holy Communion Registration 2023**

Registration for First Holy Communion 2023 is open. Children should be approximately 7 years old (Year 3) at the beginning of the preparation in order to make their First Holy Communion in 2023. Please complete an application form, available at the back of the church, or by emailing the Parish Office. A meeting for parents takes place on Thursday 1 Dec at 7 pm. Enrolment is on Sunday 4 Dec 2022 after 10.30 mass, after which date it will be impractical for others to join.

**St Osmund's Primary School Open Morning**

St Osmund's last Open Morning will be on 24 Nov starting at 9.30am. Please call 020 8748 3582 to book a place.

**PACT - Thanks from Andy Keen-downs**

As both CEO of PACT and a parishioner, I'm grateful to you for your support for Prisoners' Sunday (£475.07). The money will help support more prisoners' families and prison leavers during the difficult winter months ahead. On Dec 6, PACT is holding a free Carol Service at Farm Street Church. To book a place please use the link: <https://www.prisonadvice.org.uk/Event/pacts-christmas-carol-service-2022>

**The Men's Group**

Our next meeting is on Thursday 17 November, 8.15 for 8.30pm in the St Edward's Room, over the river at Our Lady of Grace and St Edward Church on Chiswick High Road (enter via passageway to right hand side of church). Men of all ages are very welcome to join us for a presentation on 'Persuasive Pro-Life', followed by drinks at The Lamb. Email Stephen Donnelly at [donnelysm@hotmail.com](mailto:donnelysm@hotmail.com) for details, or just turn up. We are affiliated to [www.catholicman.uk](http://www.catholicman.uk)

**Children's liturgy**

Children's liturgy resumes at 10.30am mass. Thank you to our volunteers. The function of the liturgy is to build up the members of Christ's body and to strengthen us in preaching Christ.

**Sick List**

For the sick and the suffering, especially Maggie Danby, Maureen Carr, Eddie Henshaw, Philippa Couttie, Charles Stiller, Serge Moussalli, Michael Creighton and Bridget Jabour.

**In Remembrance**

For those who have died recently and those whose anniversaries occur around this time: Fergus O'Kelly, Susan Sardell, Eamonn Ted Kenna, Diana Thompson, Christine Wylde, Jane O'Neill, Henry Worthington and Paul Parletti.

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**Salve Regina:** *Salve Regina mater misericordiae, vita, dulcedo, et spes nostra salve. Ad te clamamus, exules filii Evae. Ad te suspiramus, gementes et flentes, in hac lacrimarum valle. Eia ergo, advocate nostra, illos tuos misericordes oculos, ad nos converte. Et Jesum, benedictum fructum ventris tui, nobis post hoc exsilium ostende. O Clemens, o pia, o dulcis virgo Maria.*