



# 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-Eighth Sunday (B) Sunday 10 October 2021

Date	Time	Intention	Feast
Sat 9 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Private Mass	Pro-populo	First Mass of Sunday
Sun 10 <sup>th</sup> Oct	8.30am Mass 10.30am Mass 6.30pm Mass	Jadwiga Langiewicz RIP Thomas Ducey RIP Gregory Gomes RIP	Twenty-Eighth Sunday (B)
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup> Oct	10.00am Mass	*Available	St John XXIII
Tues 12 <sup>th</sup> Oct	NO MASS		St Wilfrid
Wed 13 <sup>th</sup> Oct	10.00am Mass	Funeral of Costas Rodoussakis	St Edward the Confessor
Thur 14 <sup>th</sup> Oct	6:30pm Mass	*Available	St Callistus I
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> Oct	10.00am Mass	*Available	St Teresa of Jesus [of Avila]
Sat 16 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Private Mass	Pro-populo	First Mass of Sunday
Sun 17 <sup>th</sup> Oct	8.30am Mass 10.30am Mass 6.30pm Mass	Muriel Maseyk RIP	Twenty-Ninth 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 Fr Michael O'Halloran SJ and those whose anniversaries occur around this time: Alice Wakeling, Robert Walker, James Mahon, Friedrich Albin Wolf, Nancy Ansbro, Alex Kelly, Helen Moncrieff, Stephen Willmick, Michael Costello, Frederick Webber, Frederick Christian, Wim Cocqueril, Hugh McCaffrey and John Dougal.

### **Sick List**

For the sick and the suffering, especially newborn twins Aymeric and Natalie Schirmer, Nina Zomaya, Jeremy Wood, Mary Alinson, Sandy McCabe, Barbara Still, Rolande Gantly, Sarah Sacarello, Fr Anthony Logan and Susan Kelsey.

**YouTube Link for LiveStream Mass**

Sunday – 10 October 2021, 10:30am

<https://youtu.be/izYAxISkNMO>

**Congratulation and best wishes to Parishioners Natalie Cole and Ian Cullen for their wedding here at St Osmund's on 9 October!****Getting Back to Normal**

The obligation to hear Mass on Sundays returns on Sunday 28 November.

Last Sunday, attendance in person was: 8.30am - 65, 10:30am - 117, 6.30pm – 50, Online – 81 (including playbacks)

As we move forward, the Children's Liturgy recommences on Sunday 31 October.

Coffee is available in the Narthex after 10.30 Mass.

We are now singing together – please pick up a Hymn book for the 10.30am Mass.

Weekday Thursday Mass – Mass is now being said on Thursday evenings at 6.30pm for those unable to attend the 10.00am Mass. This is a short mass, lasting approximately 20 minutes long.

**Today is Prisoners Sunday**

Today there is a second collection for PACT. Please use the puce bucket or tap second collection on the card reader. The Prison Advice and Care Trust (Pact) is a national charity that provides support to prisoners, people with convictions, and their families.

**What they do:**

- Support people to make a fresh start and minimise the harm caused by imprisonment.
- Build stronger families and safer communities.
- Reduce risk of harm to prisoners and their children.
- Remove barriers and increase awareness in public services.
- Influence commissioning, policy and legislation.

**The Requiem Mass for Costas Rodoussakis** is this Wednesday, 13 October at 10.00am. Prior to his health deteriorating, Costas did much to support Fr. Logan. He has no relatives so I would be glad if as many as possible could attend the Mass for Costas.

**New Faces**

A big welcome to parishioners who have recently moved into Barnes to join us. Please do register so the parish can communicate with you via our weekly Newsletter. Please email [barnes@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:barnes@rcaos.org.uk) to request a New Parishioner Registration Form.

**Sacrament of Confirmation Registration**

St Osmund's will host a 2021/22 Confirmation Programme for children in Yr8. You can register by completing the form in the back of the church or by emailing the parish office.

The program will run for 9 weeks and will be held on Sundays from 4pm-6pm on the following dates: 21-Nov, 28-Nov, 5-Dec, 12-Dec, 9-Jan, 16-Jan, 23-Jan, 30-Jan and 6-Feb. There will also be a social on Saturday 22 Jan from 2PM – 7PM. The final Confirmation ceremony will be held Feb/early March.

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

St Osmund's will host three Open Mornings this term - 14th & 21st October and 18th November. The morning will start at 9.30am with an address from the Head, Mrs Lunney, followed by a tour of the school. Numbers are limited, so please book a place by calling the school office on 020 8748 3582. Please note that the Open Mornings are for parents only.

**COP26**

South Bank Churches invite people of all faiths to a prayer vigil for the success of COP26, the international conference on climate change, at Southwark Anglican Cathedral on Saturday 23 October from 2.00 - 3.40pm. This is a short walk from London Bridge station.

The Green Team has a limited number of tickets for this event - apply to - [patricia.neate@btinternet.com](mailto:patricia.neate@btinternet.com). If anyone would like to make this a day of pilgrimage in company with others, a group will be also leaving on foot from St Mary's, Church Rd, after prayer and refreshments at 9:30am. It is estimated the walk to Southwark Anglican Cathedral will take three hours.

**Go Green This Halloween**

Halloween is just around the corner. All those tricks and treats can add up to a lot of waste for the landfill. Up to 2,000 tonnes of plastic waste is estimated to be generated from Halloween costumes here in the UK alone. In an effort to Green this Halloween, you can: Make your own Halloween costume or adapt one you already have; Buy locally grown pumpkins. You can even pick your own on some farms; Use (and decorate) household items to collect sweets. A bucket, a tote bag or even an old pillowcase can be decorated; Upcycle and paint cardboard for wall decorations and cut out cats, bats spiders and ghost or reuse your decorations from last year; Buy locally produced foods, sweets and treats and look for goodies with minimal/recycled packaging.

**October: The month of the Holy Rosary**

October is one of the months of Our Lady when all of us should strive to find that inner joy that comes from such an encounter. To quote Fr Henri Nouwen (1932 – 1996), a writer of deep spirituality: "Mary calls me back to where I most want to be. Go to Mary, and learn from her how to live in this anguishing world as peace-bringing witnesses to her Son", concludes Henri Nouwen. Such very sound advice!

**October 9 – 15th is Baby Loss Awareness Week**

The Loss of a baby in pregnancy or after birth is very traumatic, and may often go largely unknown by others. It can be so difficult even to talk about, yet the loss will always mark the life of a family.

**Donations**

Thank you to all who have made donations via the parish website and by Standing Order/Direct Debit. Your kind generosity is much appreciated. If you are interested to make any regular, gift-aid or one-off donations, please view the details on our parish website by clicking here:

<https://stosmunds.parishportal.net/parish-life/giving>