



# 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 – 4:00pm Thursday & Friday  
The parish email account is monitored regularly.

## Thirteenth Sunday (C) Sunday 26 June 2022

Date	Time	Intention	Feast
Sat 25 <sup>th</sup> June	Private Mass		
Sun 26 <sup>th</sup> June	8.30am Mass 10.30am Mass 6.30pm Mass	Pro-populo Health and Wellbeing of the Kollhoff Family Vincent Herbert Egan and Family RIP	Thirteenth Sunday (C)
Mon 27 <sup>th</sup> June	10.00am Mass		St Cyril of Alexandria
Tues 28 <sup>th</sup> June	10.00am	Service of the Word	St Irenaeus
Wed 29 <sup>th</sup> June	10.00am Mass 6.30pm Mass	Jose Colautti RIP	Sts Peter and Paul
Thur 30 <sup>th</sup> June	6.30pm Mass		The Nativity of St John the Baptist
Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> July	10.00am Mass	Holy Souls	The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church
Sat 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Private Mass	Pro-populo	
Sun 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	8.30am Mass 10.30am Mass 6.30pm Mass	For Saleh Estaphanos RIP	Fourteenth Sunday (C)

## Today we celebrate the anniversary of the Consecration of St Osmund's by Archbishop Cowderoy in 1958

64 years later we thank God for the vision of those who worked so hard to achieve the building of a new Church and Hall, back in the day. We have a legacy which we need to maintain to hand on to the next generation. We are pursuing quotations for major repairs to the Hall, bringing it up-to-date and making it more welcoming and serviceable. Thanks to the Finance Committee who are overseeing the project which includes redecorating the Church. Plans will be shared at an upcoming parish meeting.

After the 10.30 Mass today, we will plant a tree as a legacy for future generations and as a sign of how we grew and served the Lord in our time. The tree also commemorates Her Majesty's Platinum Jubilee. It is a Cherry Tree, they bloom in Spring, saying summer is coming. In Spring we celebrate the Resurrection saying new life and hope for all. Refreshments in the garden.

**Wednesday, 29 June is the Feast of St Peter and Paul, a day of obligation. Mass – 10.00am, 6.30pm**

On the feast of Saints Peter and Paul, the Church remembers how their deaths planted the Faith in Rome, "O Roma felix, quae duorum Principum es consecrata glorioso sanguine!" (O happy Rome, which was consecrated by the glorious blood of the two Princes!) - A hymn we sang after feast day meals in the Seminary. Sung perhaps with more gusto this year at the closing of Womersley Seminary. St. Peter urges us to "remember the words spoken in the past by the holy prophets, and the commandment of the Lord and Saviour spoken through your apostles" (2 Peter 3:2). St. Paul encouraged the Christians in unruly Corinth: "Now I commend you because you remember me in everything and maintain the traditions even as I delivered them to you" (1 Corinthians 11:2). Both of these men were very different, and did not enjoy compatible temperaments but they were bound by a holy memory that had changed their lives.

**Collection today for Peter's Pence**

What is Peter's Pence? Peter's Pence is the name for the financial help offered by the faithful to the Holy Father in support of his apostolic and charitable mission in favour of the universal Church and the entire world. Each donation is a sign of communion with the Pope. Helping the Holy Father in his mission, Peter's Pence helps the Holy Father exercise his universal mission in two ways:

- makes possible works of service throughout the universal Church, carried out by the Offices assisting the Pope in evangelization, the promotion of integral human development, education and communication.
- contributes to numerous charitable works directly assisting the most in need; people and families in distress, hit by natural disasters or war.

**Secondary school transfer 2023. A Message from the Archbishop**

The Bishops have reinstated the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days. Parents applying for a place at a Catholic school, under faith-based criteria will need to complete a Supplementary Information Form. Evidence of practice will be measured by frequency of attendance at Mass as validated by either a priest or minister, as was the case prior to 18th March 2020. These arrangements apply to the admissions round for 2023 and forwards.

**Hall temporary kitchen** - Thank you to a parishioner who saw a kitchen on eBay and renegotiated a price. Another parishioner has kindly offered to put it together.

**A New Dog?** - New owner sought for a lovely dog who needs space, exercise and stimulation. She is a purebred Alsatian (German Shepherd) and bred for temperament and for show. She is super bright and will be two years old on 6<sup>th</sup> August.

**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.*

**Congratulations to the 24 children who made their First Holy Communion yesterday**

Best wishes to their parents and sponsors who brought them to this marvellous day and special thanks to catechist Camille Robertson Cole; to the organist Emilia Lederleitnerova; to Sarah and team for the floral arrangements; to Debbie Gellard for the photo frames; to Mia Gibbons in the sacristy; the MCs and altar server and to Andrew Cole for preparing the certificates and Mass Books.

**Tres Chic Second Hand Fashion Sale**

You may remember the Tres Chic fundraiser from four years ago when a group of parishioners ran a one-day sale of high quality second hand fashion from the church hall. We are looking to run a second sale the afternoon of July 1 and morning of July 2 in front of the chapel at St. Osmund's Primary School. All sale proceeds will go to St Osmund's Catholic Church. We already have clothing, shoes and accessories for the sale, but would be happy to have assistance from any parishioners who would be available to help with set up, sales on the day, and clear up. Please contact Katrina at [katrina.polaski@gmail.com](mailto:katrina.polaski@gmail.com) if you can assist.

**Bereavement Support Group**

Bereavement has affected so many of us these past years. I received the following request and I would like to respond positively. "We are writing to invite you to consider the formation of a bereavement support group in your parish by sending suitable persons for a one-day training course. This intensive training day will give a good base for those who would like to help in this ministry – which is a ministry of listening, not counselling. It will help provide the skills to those who wish to practice in listening skills, rules for running a group for the bereaved or reaching out to the individual with an explanation of the stages of grief that they may come into contact with." Interested? Please email [barnes@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:barnes@rcaos.org.uk).

**Career Opportunity with FiSH**

Micky Forster, current Director of FiSH is retiring in the summer. As such, they are looking for a new Director. Could this be you? Based in Barnes, permanent, 30 hours per week. Salary range - £33,600 - £35,600 per year. Full details and job description at: [www.fishhelp.org.uk](http://www.fishhelp.org.uk) Applications to: [chair@fishhelp.org.uk](mailto:chair@fishhelp.org.uk) Closing date – Friday, 1st July

**In Remembrance**

For those who have died recently and those whose anniversaries occur around this time: Len Cunningham, Edna Durie, Michael Scanlon, Rosetta Hoadley and Norman Harrison.

**Sick List**

For the sick and the suffering, especially Maureen Carr, Ian Gomes, Eddie Henshaw, Charles Stiller, Aymeric and Natalie Schirmer, Fr Anthony Logan and Susan Kelsey.