

# SALISBURY CATHOLIC CHURCHES

HOLY REDEEMER + ST GREGORY + ST OSMUND

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2019-2020

## ORDINARY TIME WEEK 15 (A)

From Fr Anthony...

'The sun has got its hat on' blared out from an ice cream van as it rattled past. A dog barked; laughter echoed from the flats. I was cleaning the sacristy. I looked out of the window. Sparrows flitted and squabbled in the vines. Washing danced on the line! It was warm and beautiful. I felt a smile of gratitude. A pigeon launched from the roof, climbed, clapped, and swooped down into the cluster of trees dislodging baby green apples. The path is littered with them. I wondered how many would fall before the crop is ready to eat.

It made me think, what are the seeds of time: seconds? Nearly 2 billion have 'fallen' to get me where I am now! Time; wasted, asleep, hurt, happy, wondrous; getting things right, wrong, and so on. Time has brought me to *now*. *Now* is the hundred, sixty, thirty-fold mentioned in the Gospel. As well as joy and happiness there will be regrets, things we wish we had done differently, things we wish had not happened. But, all of it brought us to *now*. It only ever was and only ever will be... *now*. *Now* is the place where life happens and transforms. No point in looking back in happiness or regret; it is understanding that is needed.

For incarnational life *space* is needed for experience: *time* to modify experience. The 'sacrament of the present moment,' (*Now*), is outside of this, in the sense that it *contains* space and time. (*Isaiah 46; 10*). We constantly come *from* it. We become aware of being aware. We 'see' life as it is lived: 'see' why life was the way it was; 'see' new directions. We understand why we missed the mark (*withered away, got choked, did not grow, got distracted*) and where we hit the mark. We know what to say sorry for and how to be thankful.

Love is the measure by which we evaluate what we 'see'... in other words Christ, He is Love. Time originates in Him and is sustained by Him. He is the author of *Now*. It is He who scatters the seeds of time so that by using time we change our experience (*repentance*) and come to know that it is in Him *we live and move and have our being*. Knowing this we use space and time correctly. We bear fruit and enter peace and happiness beyond all telling.

A FUTURE  
FULL OF  
HOPE  
CLIFTON DIOCESE

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### OUR CHURCHES

**St Osmund**  
95 Exeter Street SP1 2SF

**St Gregory & the English Martyrs**  
St Gregory's Ave SP2 7JP

**Most Holy Redeemer**  
Fotherby Crescent SP1 3EG

**Chapel of the Good Shepherd**  
Barford Lane, Downton SP5 3QA

**Chapel of the Holy Family**  
Southampton Rd, Whaddon SP5 3EB

### NEW TO THE PARISH?

We wish you a very warm welcome. Once this current crisis is over, please pop in and say hello. For now, please register online at:  
<https://salisburycatholics.org>  
click "Registration/update"

**REGISTERED PARISHIONERS  
TO DATE : 2642**

## MEMORIAL OF SAINT BONAVENTURE, ABBOT, 15 JULY

“Among the great Christian figures a man of action and contemplation, of profound piety and prudent government,” Pope Benedict said. The Pope called on the faithful to take note of “the central role that Christ always played in Bonaventure's life and teaching,” and to imitate the way in which “the whole of his thinking was profoundly Christocentric.” For the full story of Saint Bonaventure please visit our ‘Blog’ or go directly to:

<https://salisburycatholics.org/blog/st-bonaventure>

**MISSIO RED BOXES** At the moment it's not possible for your Red Box to be collected or for you to take it to church as normal. So we need to think ‘outside the box’! Alternative ways of supporting our missionaries overseas are:

- Send a cheque: payable to Missio Mill Hill and post it to: Red Box, 23 Eccleston Square, London SW1V 1NU.
- By phone: 020 7821 9755 to donate with your debit or credit card.

**EU CITIZENS** “Apply for settled status as soon as possible!” Bishop William Kenny urges European citizens who have made their homes in the UK. For more, including a podcast click on the image in the ‘Top News’ box or go directly to:

<https://salisburycatholics.org/eu-citizens>

## ALBERT LAWES ORDINATION TO THE DIACONATE 12 JULY

Albert's ordination is occurring at Plymouth Cathedral **this Sunday** 12 July at 14:00. We have embedded the livestream panel on our website at <https://salisburycatholics.org/lawes> or click on the ‘Our Seminarians’ button on our homepage so we can all watch this wonderful event.

Also, a date for your diary: Albert's brother Thomas will be ordained a priest for the Clifton Diocese in our Cathedral on 26 September. There is more on the Lawes' brothers on the same page as above. Please keep Albert, Thomas and Dominic Lawes (also a seminarian) in your prayers.

**BIBLE STUDY** meets on Tuesdays every week at 10:45 via Skype. All are welcome. For more information and/or to join please contact Michael on 01725 510310.

**ZOOM** Please contact [outreach@salisburycatholics.org](mailto:outreach@salisburycatholics.org) if you need assistance. **Meetings on Zoom:**

Tuesdays at 17:00	Pastoral Team meeting	
Tuesday at 19:30	Alabare community meeting	Contact Deacon John Proctor on 01722 340206
Wednesdays at 14:00	15 July Rosary Group House Mass	Contact Josephine on 01722 328410
Thursday at 15:00	16 July HR /Whaddon House Mass	Contact Tony on 01722 562703
Thursdays at 19:00	Downton Liturgy	Contact John by email: <a href="mailto:jpelliott@btinternet.com">jpelliott@btinternet.com</a>
Thursday at 19:00	23 July Downton House Mass	Contact John by email: <a href="mailto:jpelliott@btinternet.com">jpelliott@btinternet.com</a>

## OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Due to the difficulties handling cash at present, our preferred method of receiving offerings is still via your bank (see below). However, after each weekend Mass, there will now be a retiring collection for those that prefer to pay with cash or cheque. There will also be a retiring collection at each weekday Mass to enable those people who are unable to come to Mass at the weekend to make their weekly contribution should they so wish. If you are already contributing through your bank do not feel any need to contribute further.

If you wish to set up a standing order with your bank please email [office@salisburycatholics.org](mailto:office@salisburycatholics.org) for our bank details, including the reference to quote. For more information, please click on the ‘Offertory Giving’ button on our homepage or go to: <https://salisburycatholics.org/offertory-giving> where you will find that you can also use PayPal. If you need assistance, ring 01722 562703. We realise that the lockdown has affected many people's income and you may not be able to continue your pre-crisis level of giving. In which case, we fully understand and our prayers are with you.

## OPENING FOR MASS

The full list of Mass times in all our churches is on the last page of this newsletter or on our website: click on 'Mass Times' on our homepage or go to: <https://salisburycatholics.org/mass-times>

### Attending Mass in person...

- Please do NOT come to the church (even if you have booked) if you have any of the symptoms of COVID-19.
- Please follow the direction of the stewards with regards to where to sit, when to move forward for Communion and when to depart after Mass.
- Reception of Holy Communion - There will be no dialogue between the priest and communicant at the point of reception. Communion will be under one kind and in the hand only.
- There will be no singing.
- There will be a retiring collection only. Please be aware that the safest way to contribute to the parish is by standing order/direct transfer. Please see previous page.

### Volunteer Stewards (Mass cannot be opened to a congregation without stewards)

If you are willing to assist and are 'non-vulnerable', please do volunteer to the appropriate Co-ordinator: for St Gregory's, contact Sam on 07973 678115; for St Osmund contact Tony on 01722 562703 and for Holy Redeemer please contact Warwick on 01722 327507.

### 'Booking' to attend Mass

Because of social-distancing requirements there are a limited number of spaces permissible for each Mass and so there is a need to 'book' a place so that we can control numbers and thereby adhere to regulations. Please do not arrive at a church hoping to attend Mass if you have not booked in advance.

**To book please call 01722 562703 or email [outreach@salisburycatholics.org](mailto:outreach@salisburycatholics.org)**

**Bookings can only be taken on this number and email address.**

**Those wishing to attend a non-consecutive Sunday Mass please book early in the week**, we are not encouraging advance bookings for consecutive Sundays in the interests of fairness, but we will open up to all from Thursday so do please ring or email as above to see if there are any spaces remaining. Booking will be on a first come/first served basis. When you book, we will ask your name and how many members of your family will be attending. Each household will have to book separately. You still need to book for a weekday Mass, spaces are usually available.

**Click the 'Opening for Mass' button on our homepage or go to: <https://salisburycatholics.org/mass-booking>**

### OPPORTUNITIES FOR PRAYER SUPPORTED BY OUR WEBSITE

*THE LORD IS NEAR TO ALL WHO CALL ON HIM, TO ALL WHO CALL ON HIM IN TRUTH*

**BIBLE TESTIMONIES** Find out what the Bible means for Catholics from the diocese of Portsmouth, and how God spoke in their lives through the Scriptures. We have a series of short podcasts, please click on the 'God Who Speaks' button on our homepage or go direct to: <https://salisburycatholics.org/god-who-speaks>

**'AVE MARIA'** as a special treat we have the 'Ave Maria' sung by Andrea Bocelli renowned Italian opera singer. You will find this and a whole lot more, just click the 'Music in Isolation' button on our homepage or go directly to: <https://salisburycatholics.org/music-isolation>

**WEEKLY BIBLE VERSE** On our 'God Who Speaks' page we have an image-based verse from Scripture in the form of a slideshow to enrich prayer and reflection. We will be adding a new image to this each week. Go directly to: <https://salisburycatholics.org/god-who-speaks> or click on the 'God Who Speaks' button on our homepage.

# LITURGY THIS WEEK

Year A-2 Ordinary Time Week 15 and Psalter 3

ALL MASSES IN ST OSMUND ARE  
LIVESTREAMED AND RECORDED

<https://salisburycatholics.org/church-tv>

## Limited Congregation Masses

### Saturday 11 July

10:00 St Osmund MASS Charlie Dunn RIP

### First Mass of Sunday

18:00 Holy Redeemer

### SUNDAY 12 July

09:00 St Osmund MASS For the Intentions of Kevin Kelly

09:00 St Gregory MASS

11:00 St Osmund MASS Jim Shine RIP

12:15 St Osmund Ordinariate MASS

16:00 St Osmund Polish MASS

18:00 St Osmund MASS People of the Parish

### Monday 13 July

10:00 St Osmund **REQUIEM MASS Jim Rolleston RIP (Family Only)**

19:00 St Osmund MASS Jim Rolleston RIP

### Tuesday 14 July

10:00 St Osmund MASS John Edwards (wishing return to good health)

All Day St Osmund Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

18:40 St Osmund Benediction

19:00 St Osmund MASS Carol Carthy RIP

### Wednesday 15 July **Saint Bonaventure, Bishop**

10:00 St Osmund MASS Jacinta Last RIP

12:00 Holy Redeemer MASS

19:00 St Osmund Ordinariate MASS

### Thursday 16 July

10:00 St Osmund MASS Jim Rolleston RIP

All Day St Osmund Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

18:40 St Osmund Benediction

19:00 St Osmund MASS Jovit & Joseph Vazhappilly 3rd wedding anniversary

### Friday 17 July

10:00 St Osmund MASS Jim Rolleston RIP

12:00 St Gregory MASS

19:00 St Osmund MASS Pat Durrant RIP

### Saturday 18 July **SAINT BENEDICT, ABBOT**

10:00 St Osmund MASS Michael Price RIP

### First Mass of Sunday

18:00 Holy Redeemer MASS

## SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

Spiritual Communion is the heartfelt desire to receive Our Lord, even when we are unable. You may wish to use this prayer at Communion as you follow our livestreamed Masses:

*I wish my Lord to receive You with the purity, humility and devotion with which your Most Holy Mother received You and with the spirit and fervour of the saints. Come Lord Jesus.*

*Give me, good Lord, a longing to be with You...give me warmth, delight and quickness in thinking upon You. And give me Your grace to long for Your holy sacraments, and specially to rejoice in the presence of Your very blessed Body, Sweet Saviour Christ, in the Holy Sacrament of the altar.*  
(St Thomas More)

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### POPE FRANCIS INTENTION FOR JULY

**Our Families** - that today's families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.

<https://salisburycatholics.org/pope-francis>

### CLIFTON DIOCESE

We pray this week for the parishes of St Dunstan, Keynsham and St Bernadette, Whitchurch.

### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Please remember all those who have died: Paula Elvin, Jim Rolleston, Anita Wilders-Pratt, Pat Durrant, Elizabeth Waters, Sylvia Grant and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

### INDIVIDUAL PRIVATE PRAYER IN OUR CHURCHES

St Osmund will be open for Private Individual Prayer at the following times this week: If we have stewards available.

Monday - Friday After 10:00 MASS - 12:00

Saturday After 10:00 MASS - 12:00

### SUNDAY SCRIPTURE

*Isaiah 55:10-11*

*Ps 64*

**Some seed fell into rich soil and produced its crop.**

*Romans 8:18-23:*

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

**Speak, Lord, your servant is listening;  
you have the message of eternal life.**

**Alleluia!**

*Matthew 13:1-23*

### MARRIAGES

Where possible, these must be deferred.

Please speak to the priest for further guidance.

### FUNERALS

Please speak to the priest for guidance.

### BAPTISM

Baptisms should be deferred until such time when the public health advice allows. In the case of necessity, please contact a priest.