

# SALISBURY CATHOLIC CHURCHES

HOLY REDEEMER + ST GREGORY + ST OSMUND

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## THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (B)

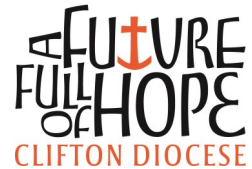
### From Father Anthony...

The bin overflowed; old papers lay on top of the shredder. The-in-tray was full and I was behind with my work... not to mention unanswered emails. Oh, and the floor needed Hoovering! I looked outside; a similar story, grass too long and weeds running riot. The Gunslinger stared at me disparagingly. However, pretty purple headed flowers danced in the wind and made it better. I started tidying up. To my dismay a lovely pot plant had withered... leaves drooping, white flower bent. I *immersed* it in water. That evening, as if by miracle, it came back tall and strong.

We are commissioned to go out to all Nations (*the hearts and minds of all people*). We are to offer a tired, often frightened and withered people an experience of God. We are to Baptise them in the *name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit*. Baptism (*from βαπτίζω*) means to *immerse* – literally, *dip under*. Physically we can baptise with water. Spiritually, we baptise with Love. We *immerse* others in our Love; Love being the expression of the Trinity within us. We often hear it said that a couple are immersed in love for one another... a child feels immersed in its parents love. Our experience of God is to be such that when others encounter us they feel immersed in the Love of God. This is at the heart of the spiritual life. We only keep and maintain the Love of God for ourselves by giving it away; things of the Spirit are kept *by giving them away*.

Mystically, this Love is formed when a meeting with Christ takes place in Spirit (*up the mountain*): when we remember that He has *arranged* to meet us. We remember this when we come to know and feel our incompleteness (*eleven, not twelve disciples*). In this meeting He supplies for our lack and completes us. He establishes a permanent relationship (*I am with you till the end of time*) ... a relationship characterised by the giving and receiving of the other. He gives Himself: we receive Him. We give by *allowing* Him to work through us and all our faculties. With Him in us, *as us*, we are the Son united to the Father by the Holy Spirit. We become Love. As Love we naturally immerse the world and others in Love by simply being who we are. Love.

**Please note: Monday 31 May is a Bank Holiday and the parish office will be closed.**



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#### **Closed on Monday 31 May**

This week: Tuesday-Friday 0900 to 17:00

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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.

Please register online at:

<https://salisburycatholics.org>

click "Registration/update"

# CATHOLIC BISHOPS' CONFERENCE OF ENGLAND AND WALES

## COVID-19 ROUTE MAP: STEP 3 GUIDANCE

**Status Quo:** The current capacity of our churches, our Mass-booking arrangements, hand-sanitising and wearing of face masks remains unchanged. Thank you for continuing to book to attend Mass and to all of our stewards.

**Holy Communion:** Under one kind only but the priest/deacon is now permitted to announce 'Body of Christ', to each communicant in turn as they come forward. Please keep your mask in place as you reply 'Amen'; lifting your mask only to consume the host. Many thanks.

**Readers:** are no longer required to wear gloves but we will continue to have only one lay reader per Mass for now. At Masses where the psalm is sung, cantors will sing from a separate place.

**Private Prayer:** St Osmund's Church will now be open throughout the day, every day for private prayer. On Tuesdays and Thursdays (when the Blessed Sacrament is exposed), if you arrive for private prayer and the church is locked (as it will be when there is no-one present), simply come to the Newman Room (at the back of the Parish Rooms) and we will open the church for you. When visiting for private prayer, there will be no stewards present and so we ask you to sanitise your hands and check-in on arrival (either using the displayed QR code or by writing your name on the list in the entrance), wear a mask whilst in the building and clean the area around your seat before you leave. A spray bottle and cloths will be available in the porch for you to use.

## THE MOST HOLY TRINITY - SUNDAY 30 MAY

The mystery of the Holy Trinity is the foundation of our faith. On it everything else depends and from it everything else derives. Hence the Church's constant concern to safeguard the revealed truth that God is One in nature and Three in Persons. We have from Father John Hardon SJ an explanation as to how the doctrine was developed and the various heretical positions that, at various periods of the Church's history, challenged the revealed Trinitarian faith. We also have a video of the 'Meaning of the Trinity' by Bishop Robert Barron just click on image in the 'Top News' box or [click here](#).

## THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY - 31 MAY

This feast commemorates the Virgin Mary's visit to her cousin, Elizabeth. The meeting of these two women was a joyful and unique event. Both found themselves pregnant in unusual circumstances: Elizabeth in her old age after suffering from infertility, and Mary by the Holy Spirit. For more click on the image in the 'Top News' box or [click here](#).

### **Marriage Support - COVID 19: a very challenging time for many marriages.**

So much uncertainty around, health, income, employment, vulnerable family members, children, housing. Different ways of seeing things, coping with change and managing fears can all be sources of conflict and stress. It can be difficult to talk, to listen to support and comfort when there is so much uncertainty. Being together all the time, brings different challenges. You wonder would we be better apart? Retrouvaille is a programme to support couples, it brings a positive focus, new hope and help nourish your marriage. Retrouvaille is a Christian marriage program and is Catholic in origin ...and you don't need to leave home, it comes to you! For information about Retrouvaille, or to register for the next programme, there is a Virtual weekend commencing on 1 - 4 July 2021. Call or text 0788 729 6983 or 0797 338 0443,

Email [retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com](mailto:retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com) – or visit [www.retrouvaille.org.uk](http://www.retrouvaille.org.uk)

**MEETINGS ON ZOOM** Please use the contacts below if you would like to join (all are welcome).

Tuesdays at 19:30	Weekly Alabaré Christian Community	Deacon John Proctor <a href="mailto:john@alabare.org">john@alabare.org</a>
Wednesdays at 14:30	Rosary Group	Josephine on 01722 328410
Thursdays at 18:30	Downton Service of the Word	<a href="mailto:michael.rennie@velaplan.co.uk">michael.rennie@velaplan.co.uk</a>

## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2021

**If you have a child that is currently in Year 3 at school whom you would like to make their First Communion** during the forthcoming year, please complete the online First Holy Communion Application Form at <https://p1.pamis.co.uk/salisbury/onlined01cab> or by clicking the 'Registration' button on the homepage of our website. **Please complete this online form even if you have already expressed interest either by email, telephone call or in person**, so that we can be confident we have not missed anyone out. Once you have completed the online application process, we will get in touch with further details. More details can be found by [clicking here](#).

**Healthy Planet, Healthy People Petition:** With global leaders meeting in autumn for two critical UN conferences – one on climate change and the other on biodiversity – the Global Catholic Climate Movement is sponsoring an online petition calling on our global leaders to take action and support a healthy planet and healthy people. More information including how to sign the petition can be found by clicking on the image in the 'Top News' box or by [clicking here](#).

**Society of Our Lady of Lourdes:** This year the society are again unable to travel to Lourdes so they are organising a virtual Pilgrimage from this Saturday 29 May until Thursday 3 June. The virtual Pilgrimage will be on a community platform - 'SOLL Eventanywhere' - which will allow them to livestream masses and arrange virtual meetings. For more information and how to join click on the image in the 'Top News' box or [click here](#).

**LOV Verbum Dei** began in Bristol at the start of the pandemic in 2020, bringing together Catholics worldwide for daily scripture, podcasts and weekly online prayer gatherings. If you would like to know more and get involved in this very special ministry you can reach them via this link: [https://linktr.ee/lov\\_verbumdei](https://linktr.ee/lov_verbumdei)

**Dare to Dream 2020-21** We have a reflection on 'Pentecost and the work of the Holy Spirit' by Mgr Jeremy Rigden. You can find these reflections and all the previous videos with reflections on our 'Dare to Dream' page; click on the 'Dare to Dream' button on the homepage or [click here](#).

**The God Who Speaks** The reflection on the 'The Most Holy Trinity' comes this week from Fr Bill Grimm. Trinity Sunday reminds us that God can "get into our pocket" and become knowable and lovable not because of what I do, but because God chooses to be known and loved, chooses to be in my pocket. To watch and listen [click here](#) or on 'The God Who Speaks' button on our homepage.

**Sunday Homily** - by Bishop Robert Barron. Trinity Sunday serves as a wonderful opportunity to unpack the life-giving relationship between the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Every time we make the sign of the cross, we invoke the power of the Trinity, thereby linking ourselves to the love that God is. To listen click on the 'Sunday Homily' button on our homepage or [click here](#).

**Children's Meditation: 'In My Heart Room'** We have the latest meditation from Frances Rolleston. '3 in 1 prayer'. You can access this and all the previous meditations by clicking on the 'Children's Corner' button on our homepage or by [clicking here](#).

**Children's Liturgy** - from Catholic Kids Media. This week we have 'What is the Trinity?' A fun Catholic reflection for children based on the readings for the Solemnity of the Holy Trinity, Cycle B and also from Redemptorist Publications we will introduce a video of the week's Gospel reading, a reflection and a final prayer when it is published. To view, click on 'Church TV' then select 'Children's Liturgy' or [click here](#).

**Albert Lawes' Ordination to the Priesthood** is taking place on 25 June in Plymouth Cathedral. Praise be to God! If you would like to attend in person, please contact the parish office. You will also be able to join the Ordination Mass online - we plan to feature the livestream of his Ordination on our website as we did when he was ordained a deacon last year ([click here](#) if you missed it or would like to watch again). Albert is the eldest of the three Lawes brothers from our parishes to enter preparation for the priesthood - Thomas was ordained priest last year for the Clifton Diocese and Dominic is currently in seminary in Melbourne, Australia. Please keep Albert, Thomas and Dominic in your prayers.

# LITURGY THIS WEEK

Year B-1 Week 9, Psalter 1 and Proper of Season

**Please book if you would like to attend Mass in person.**

*booking@salisbury Catholics.org 01722 562703*

## Saturday 29 May

10:00 St Osmund MASS Bridie & Harry Clapham RIP

## First Mass of Sunday

18:00 Holy Redeemer MASS Jenny & Family

## SUNDAY 30 May

### THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

09:00 St Gregory MASS thanksgiving for Chris Huthwaite and family as he completes his army service

09:00 St Osmund MASS Phillipe & Gamaine Hellman and Family RIP

11:00 St Osmund MASS Bernadette Moloney RIP

12:15 St Osmund Ordinariate MASS

18:00 St Osmund MASS Intentions of the Donors

## Monday 31 May

### THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

10:00 St Osmund MASS In thanksgiving

## Tuesday 1 June

### Saint Justin, Martyr

10:00 St Osmund MASS Frank Farley RIP

All Day Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

18:40 St Osmund Benediction

## Wednesday 2 June

10:00 St Osmund MASS Robert Wright RIP

19:00 St Osmund Ordinariate MASS

## Thursday 3 June

### Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions

10:00 St Osmund MASS Mariam Chakkappan RIP

All Day Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

18:40 St Osmund Benediction

## Friday 4 June

19:00 St Osmund MASS Marie Therese Farley RIP

## Saturday 5 June

### Saint Boniface, Bishop

10:00 St Osmund MASS Mary Robson RIP

## First Mass of Sunday

18:00 Holy Redeemer MASS John McCarthy RIP

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

St Gregory On request Contact priests

St Osmund Saturdays 10:30 to 11:00

Holy Redeemer Saturdays 17:30 until Mass

# PRAYER & SCRIPTURE

## POPE FRANCIS INTENTION FOR MAY

### Universal: The Beauty of Marriage

That young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community may grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience. [Click here](#)

## CLIFTON DIOCESE

We pray this week for Sacred Heart (Chew Magna) and St Pius X (Withywood).

## PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

We also remember in our prayers all those who have died: Keith Summerill, Irene Hayes, Margaret Flanagan, Frances Phelan, Garth Vaughan-Brown and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

## SUNDAY SCRIPTURE

*Deuteronomy 4:32-34,39-40*

*Ps 32*

**Happy the people the Lord has chosen as his own.**

*Romans 8:14-17*

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,  
the God who is, who was, and who is to come.  
Alleluia!**

*Matthew 28:16-20*

## SACRAMENTS

**MARRIAGES** Please speak to the priest for guidance.

**FUNERALS** Please speak to the priest for guidance.

**BAPTISMS** Can now take place in accordance with government guidelines and preparation courses are taking place on Zoom. Please contact Deacon John Proctor by email [john.proctor@cliftondiocese.com](mailto:john.proctor@cliftondiocese.com) or on 07802 63196

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION** If you have a child in Year 3 or above, please use our online form to apply to join our next preparation programme [Click here](#)

**CONFIRMATION** If you have a child in Year 9 or above, please use our online form to apply to join our next preparation programme [Click here](#)  
*(Please note that the current programme is already underway and is now full)*