

SALISBURY CATHOLIC CHURCHES

HOLY REDEEMER + ST GREGORY + ST OSMUND

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ORDINARY TIME WEEK 14(C)

From Father Anthony

Another sweltering day. Tourists wilted and slouched as they gazed upon the Cathedral. People sprawled on the lawns, children played and a dog ran up to be fussed. I retreated to the cloisters and sat against a wall to cool off. I gazed out through open arched windows onto the quadrangle. The tower loomed above, immense and brooding, surrounded by the haunting cries of peregrines. The gentle hubbub was shattered by the arrival of a group of children. In they came, two by two, full of noise and cheer... followed by an exhausted teacher!

I thought of the Gospel... *'The Lord sent them out two by two'*. The children's cheer lifted my heart, *'The seventy-two came back rejoicing'* and it made me reflect. *'Carry no purse, no haversack, no sandals'*. The only burden they seemed to carry was their school bags... yet burdens are not just physical. There is something absolutely and utterly unique about each one of us. Yet, all too often we define ourselves and others by the limited and often false labels given us by society. We label others as *average, offender, important* and so on; as if we *are* those labels. What a burden! No wonder there is little cheer! You and I are unique; we have family resemblance with God. He cannot be contained by a label and by extension nor can we. If we judge ourselves by worldly terms then we will be saddled with and live by labels that do not adequately describe who we truly are; we will be left with the disappointment of error. We have to learn to lose the labels and experience ourselves and others as *Images of the Father*; then we will begin to resemble *His likeness* in what we do and say.

To liberate ourselves spiritually from the burden of labels we should dwell on 'wholeness', *'peace to this house'*. The root of the word used for *peace* means *to tie together into a whole: Peace is God's gift of wholeness... which we are*. A label describes a part of a person not the whole. When the Lord visits, He visits in the Truth of our Being which is whole, not a part. We must see the whole in order to be the agent of His visit; this brings rejoicing and an awareness that we have always been known by God... *our names are written in Heaven*.



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OUR CHURCHES

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Chapel of the Holy Family
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NEW TO THE PARISH?
We wish you a very warm welcome.
Please register online at:
<https://salisburycatholics.org>
click "Registration/update"

**REGISTERED PARISHIONERS
TO DATE : 2981**

TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF ST OSMUND'S CHURCH

Sadly, as a result of plaster chunks falling from the ceiling, and with professional and Diocesan advice, we have closed St Osmund's Church until further notice. I hope to come back to you by the middle to end of July with an update and way forward; but not much can be done before then.

Our temporary solution is to move Sunday Masses to Holy Redeemer Church with same timings: and continue with Weekday Masses, the Saturday morning Mass and Ordinariate Masses in St Osmund's Parish Hall with the same timings.

You will understand that these circumstances are beyond my control and that your health and safety must come first. I'll keep you updated. Love and prayers.

Fr Anthony Paris.

Weekday and Saturday Masses at St Osmund - during the period of closure Mass will be celebrated in the Parish Rooms. As a result of this, there will be no livestream Masses available. However, we will be recording one of our Sunday Masses each week and this will be posted on our website for our housebound parishioners. **Please note that next Tuesday 5 July the 10am Mass will be in St Osmund's Primary School Hall.** All parishioners are warmly invited.

Many thanks to Jerin Jacob and David Alappat who spent their day on Friday telephoning parishioners who may not have access to the internet (or email) to let them know of the Mass location changes.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Glastonbury: Sunday 10 July 2022 The Annual Pilgrimage to Glastonbury, is taking place on Sunday 10 July. This is the last call, if you are interested in going please complete the list at the back of Holy Redeemer or St Gregory or call the office on 01722 562703. Dependent on the level of interest a decision will be taken on whether to hire a coach and on cost etc. For more information click on the image in the 'Top News' box or [click here](#).

Journey in Faith: This is an on-going programme for adults who are interested in Christianity, but who are not confirmed Catholics. The next meeting is on Sunday 31 July at 3pm in the Parish Rooms at St Osmund. For more information please visit 'Becoming Catholic' on our main menu or [click here](#) or contact Dave Blake nicodemus@salisburycatholics.org.

Reflections in Faith - Salisbury Catenians are arranging gatherings to which all parishioners of our three parishes are invited. The first of these will be a talk on 'Reflections in Faith' by John Glen MP. The talk will be preceded by a three course meal at 7.45pm at the White Hart Hotel on Thursday 28 July. Please contact David Morehead by email: dmorehead@btinternet.com if you would like to attend and he will provide you with menu choices. The cost is £25 per head. Please visit our Blog for the full invitation or just [click here](#).

Salisbury Foodbank. During July we are collecting long life milk and fruit juice for the Foodbank. These items are urgently required by the Foodbank. Please leave items in the boxes at the back of our churches or the Parish Office. Thank you for your response to the recent emergency appeal, it has been tremendous.

Support Stella Maris (Apostleship of the Sea) on 'Sea Sunday' 10 July. Stella Maris is a Catholic charity who improve the lives of seafarers and fishers both in the UK and around the World through their network of local chaplains and seafarer centres. They provide expert information, advocacy, and spiritual support to all those who provide us with the food we eat and the goods we need. There will be a retiring collection at all the Sunday Masses on the weekend 9/10 July.



SALISBURY CATHOLICS SUMMER BBQ/FUN DAY



SUNDAY 17 JULY

12 TO 4.30 PM AT ST OSMUND'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

We are all invited to a wonderful afternoon being organised by parishioners from all three Churches. There will be a **free barbecue and drink** and we will be asking parishioners to bring salads and side dishes to share. If you have any food allergies, please bring (and keep separate) your own food as we cannot guarantee that the food provided will be allergen free. Although the event is free, we need everyone planning to attend to claim a free ticket so that we can assess accurately how much food and drink to provide and avoid any waste. Tickets will again be available after all our Sunday masses this weekend or you can pop into the Parish Office during the week or contact us on 01722 562703 outreach@salisburycatholics.org

The event will feature: A Bouncy Castle, Didicars and Hoppers provided by Salisbury Catenians. Other activities will be **Face Painting**, a **Beat the Goalie** competition, **Treasure Hunt**, **Giant Jenga** and **Giant Connect 4** games.

There will be a **Cake stall** which volunteers will run with cakes and bottles provided by YOU! **Cakes can be brought to the Office preferably on Friday 15 July or directly to the stall on the day.**

Deacon Steve & Margaret Godwin are running a **Bottle Stall** and are in urgent need of bottles (alcohol and non-alcoholic). As these have to be labelled with tickets prior to the event, please bring your bottles - either to one of our churches or to the parish office as soon as possible. If you need us to collect then that can be arranged too. Contact Deacon Steve.

Please do claim your free tickets and support this event which will be an ideal occasion to get to know some of our new parishioners who have joined the parishes during the pandemic. Got an idea that you'd like to add? Willing to help? Don't hold back! Contact us asap! Email Dave Blake: wessexwildlife@gmail.com

Confirmation Mass 2022 - The Confirmation Mass for this year's candidates will be on Tuesday 5 July 7pm at St Gregory. The Mass will be recorded and will be available to watch later on our 'Church TV' page. Click on the 'Confirmation 2022' button. Photographs will also be available on the same page. Please keep the candidates in your prayers

Baptism - Congratulations and welcome to Ruby Kokoszka who received the Sacrament of Baptism last Sunday 26 June. Please keep Ruby and her parents Katarzyna & Gerhard in your prayers at this special time.

Baptism Preparation Course is in progress with two remaining sessions on 7 July and 14 July at 7pm in St Osmund's Parish Rooms. To apply for a baptism please complete a 'Baptism Application' by clicking on the 'Registration' button on our homepage or by [clicking here](#). For further information please contact Deacon John Proctor on 07802 631968.

First Holy Communion - Congratulations to Ann-Mary who made her First Holy Communion at St Osmund last weekend. Photos can be accessed by clicking the 'Photo Gallery' button on our homepage or by [clicking here](#). Please pray for Ann-Mary that she will be sustained by the Eucharist throughout her life.

First Holy Communion Dresses - Does any parishioner have a First Communion dress that is unlikely to be worn again? Please, Deacon John Detain would like to have a collection of nice white dresses to lend as the cost of living rises and families might struggle to buy new. Contact: (Deacon) John Detain 01722 415588

LITURGY THIS WEEK

Year C-2 Ordinary Time Week 14 and Psalter 2

Change of venue for the Sunday Masses at St Osmund.

**09:00, 11:00 and 18:00 Masses will be celebrated at
Most Holy Redeemer Church**

***Weekday & Saturday Masses will be in the Parish Rooms at
St Osmund's as will all Ordinariate Masses.**

Saturday 2 July

10:00 St Osmund* MASS Josephine Kohlhofer RIP

First Mass of Sunday

18:00 Holy Redeemer MASS Bernard & Beryl Moger RIP

SUNDAY 3 July

09:00 St Gregory MASS People of the Parish

09:00 Holy Redeemer MASS Thanksgiving for the Jacob
Family

11:00 Holy Redeemer MASS Audrey McKeigue RIP

12:15 St Osmund* Ordinariate MASS

18:00 Holy Redeemer MASS Barry McCombe RIP

Monday 4 July

10:00 St Osmund* MASS Tresa Thomas RIP

Tuesday 5 July

10:00 **St Osmund's Primary School Hall**
MASS Betty Tyrie RIP

19:00 St Gregory Confirmation MASS

Wednesday 6 July

10:00 Holy Redeemer MASS Steven & Jan Fleming's
Intentions

19:00 St Osmund* Ordinariate MASS John Stone RIP

Thursday 7 July

10:00 St Osmund* MASS Intention of Samantha Chinedum

Friday 8 July

10:00 St Gregory MASS Josephine Kohlhofer RIP

19:00 St Osmund* MASS Freddie Falzon for health

Saturday 9 July

10:00 St Osmund* MASS Robin Turvey RIP

First Mass of Sunday

18:00 Holy Redeemer MASS Harry Thompson RIP

RECONCILIATION

St Gregory	Fridays	After the 10:00 Mass
St Osmund	Saturdays	10:30 to 11:00
Holy Redeemer	Saturdays	17:30 until Mass

PRAYER & SCRIPTURE

POPE FRANCIS INTENTION FOR JULY

For the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility. [Click here](#).

CLIFTON DIOCESE

We pray this week for the parishes of **Our Lady St Mary of Glastonbury** (Glastonbury), **St Michael** (Shepton Mallet), **Our Lady Queen of Apostles** (Cheddar), **St Joseph and St Teresa** (Wells).

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Paddy Talty, Stanislaw Pawinski, Brian Ling, Mabel Perkins and Rita Brockhurst, who died recently and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

Funeral Service for Paddy Talty has moved to Holy Redeemer Church and will take place Wednesday 13 July at 12 noon at Holy Redeemer. All parishioners are very welcome to attend.

SUNDAY SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 66:10-14

Psalms 65 **Cry out with joy to God all the earth.**

Galatians 6:14-18

Alleluia, alleluia!

I call you friends, says the Lord, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father. Alleluia!

Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS For baptisms please contact Deacon John Proctor or Deacon Stephen Godwin.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION If you have a child who will be in Year 3 or above from September 2023, 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](#)

MARRIAGES Please speak to the priest for guidance.

FUNERALS Do your family know your wishes with regards to your funeral? If you (or they) find this difficult to talk about, why not provide the details to the parish office? Registered parishioners can provide these details which are scanned and stored confidentially with your parishioner record and can be given to families at the appropriate time. Contact Caroline for more details: caroline.williams@cliftondiocese.com