

# Sacred Heart Tisbury & All Saints Wardour Castle

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Father Robert says Holy Mass each day at 9.00a.m. within Sacred Heart, Tisbury

**Live stream from St Osmund's: CELEBRATION OF MASS WILL OCCUR WITHOUT A PUBLIC CONGREGATION**

<https://salisburycatholics.org/st-osmunds>

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April	19	SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER Divine Mercy Sunday <i>Diocesan prayer league: St Margaret Mary, Coleford; Our Lady of Victories, Cinderford; Our Lady of Lourdes, Newent, with Blaisdon</i>
		10.00 MASS    12.00 Ordinariate MASS    18.00 MASS <b>St Osmund's</b>
	20	Monday 10.00 and 19.00 <b>St Osmund's</b>
	21	Tuesday, Memorial of St Anselm of Canterbury 10.00 and 19.00 <b>St Osmund's</b> All day Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 18.40 Benediction
	22	Wednesday 10.00 and 19.00 <b>St Osmund's</b>
	23	SOLEMNITY OF SAINT GEORGE, MARTYR, PATRON OF ENGLAND 10.00 MASS <b>Patricia Talbot RIP</b> All day Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 18.40 Benediction 19.00 MASS <b>St Osmund's</b>
	24	Friday, Memorial of St Fidelis and St Adalbert 10.00 and 19.00 <b>St Osmund's</b>
	25	FEAST OF SAINT MARK, EVANGELIST 10.00 <b>St Osmund's</b>

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	26	THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER <i>Diocesan prayer league: St Patrick's, Corsham</i>
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**PRAYERS: to all those suffering; to the wonderful helpers in all sorts of areas of our lives; to the lonely, to all those who are unwell. Please pray** for the soul of Patricia Talbot who died early on Good Friday morning RIP and for the soul of Jim Bell, who died on Holy Saturday RIP

## Fr Robert writes:

Patricia ('Podge') Talbot will be interred in Northumberland, from whence she came, on Thursday April 23rd in the late afternoon. We have arranged for St Osmund's Salisbury, which streams its services daily, to make her the intention at the 10.00 a.m. Mass on that day so you can share it via your computer. There will also be a Mass behind closed doors at Wardour on the same day - which is not streamed.

Adam Hartley was welcomed into the Catholic Church on Holy Saturday evening. Adam is a teacher at St Mary's. His sponsors were Maria Young, the Headteacher and Pia, a senior pupil who has just won a place at Oxford.

All the precautions to fight the coronavirus gave a special poignancy this year to Mary Magdalene on the morning of the Resurrection, in the Garden of Gethsemane, being told, 'Touch me not'. Conversely, to Thomas in the Upper Room, 'Put your hand....'.

Please God, next year, Easter will be back to normal. Several very kind people have sent me generous Easter Offerings, many thanks. RM

**THANK YOU** to Fr Anthony at St Osmund's and also to Tony Peters-Ennis who has set up our Parish link on St Osmund's website.

**A thought sent from ICN news:** As the death toll from the coronavirus increases, thousands of funerals are taking place with little ceremony. One funeral director in Carlisle made this appeal: "Could I ask everyone for some help at this very difficult time...If you see a hearse, could you stop, stand for a moment as it passes, take off your cap, and bow your head? In these times where funerals are limited to a very few close family our chance to support people during bereavement is limited. So, we wondered if we could revive an old tradition that would show people that their loss is noticed and shared by us all. It would mean the world to families in a time of sadness." **Fr Robert**

**Parish news:** Mary Maidment has moved to Avonbourne Care Centre, Old Sarum. We all send her our good wishes.

Geoff and Wilf Fry are in good spirits, happy to chat in their driveway. Geoff had a fall and is better now, having been looked after by their neighbours. Some parishioners have had the virus and we wish and pray them a speedy recovery.

**Dn Michael writes:** We are self-isolating with the premature twins, George and Oscar, and their parents: and also our asthmatic son. We feel for friends stuck in flats in London, while here we have all the beauty of the vale towards East Knoyle: the young lambs, the carpets of bluebells and the blue sky unscarred by jet contrails.

Through *churchservices.tv* we have been to virtual mass at Walsingham, Clifton, Salisbury, Bournemouth and a cathedral in Ireland. We have more time for prayer- and meditation while bottle feeding the babes.

It seems to us that people are trying harder to be kind to one another. It is the way of the Holy Spirit to make good things come out of the bad. We pray that when this is all finally behind us we will have a world of greater kindness and love for the poor and the troubled. It is good to hear how you are all doing while we cannot see one another. Do call me on 01747 830461. Michael

**Julia Anderson, our parish representative has been organising a Bring and Buy Sale for next Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> April for Apostleship of the Sea.** Sadly, this won't happen until much later in the year. **In the meantime**, welfare services to seafarers and fishers **continue** to be active in the UK and overseas during this Coronavirus pandemic. Julia says that their donations are down a lot now and so if anyone would like to donate, please go on line <https://www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk/ways-donate>. If you wished to (anonymously) email the amount you have donated, Julia could build up a total of our Parish generosity! Just email catechist and your total will be forwarded to her.

**Knitting group for AoS:** How is everyone getting on? Last count was 50 hats and 5 balaclavas. We look forward to counting them all together later this year.

**Volunteers/help needed?** For anyone who would like any sort of assistance, ranging from a telephone call to help with food shopping and delivering, Michael Hodges is co-ordinating a group of volunteers in the Parish. Contact him on: 01747 870254 and email [michael.jeremyhodges@gmail.com](mailto:michael.jeremyhodges@gmail.com)

**For children:** do look at St Osmund's link here for some short films – St Joseph is there for May 1<sup>st</sup> and

many others: <https://salisburycatholics.org/childrens-corner>

**The Alice Combes Trust** supported by The Lord Arundell of Wardour Charitable Trust have created a special fund to distribute to this people who are currently suffering financial hardship as a direct result of Covid-19 Sean Moran: 01747 871258 or email [alicecombestrust@gmail.com](mailto:alicecombestrust@gmail.com)

#### Useful websites

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

<https://www.walsingham.org.uk/live-stream/>

<https://www.vaticannews.va/en.html>

#### Proposed development of land behind Trellis House

The Parish's Planning Application for the development of the land behind Trellis House has been submitted. The application is now live on the Wiltshire Local Authority website and is available for comments, the deadline for which is 6<sup>th</sup> May. The twin aims of this development are:

1. To provide much-needed affordable housing, and
2. To release some capital for the purpose of refurbishing and extending the Parish Room and the flat above it.

This is not a speculative venture to maximise the value of the site, but to provide mixed housing suitable for single residents and for some young families. It is designed to incorporate solar generated energy for all the houses and to present a low carbon footprint. If you feel able to do so, may we ask you either to write in to the Planners or to add your supportive comments on-line. If you do support the Parish's application, please make that point clearly in your comments.

The planning application is at:

<https://unidoc.wiltshire.gov.uk/UniDoc/Document/Search/DSA,908877>

and on-line comments at:

<https://planning.wiltshire.gov.uk/Northgate/PlanningExplorer/PLComments.aspx?pk=908877>

**Sunday, 19<sup>th</sup> April is Divine Mercy Sunday.** See more at <https://salisburycatholics.org/divine-mercy>

Divine Mercy Sunday is celebrated on the Sunday after Easter. Saint Pope John Paul II instituted it on May 5, 2000, five days after the canonization of Polish nun, Saint Faustina Kowalska, the most notable advocate of the devotion. On Divine Mercy Sunday, the Church calls us to celebrate God's Divine Mercy and our need for trusting Faith.

**Sunday bulletin/information** sent out each week: [catechist.tisbury.thesacredheart@cliftondiocese.com](mailto:catechist.tisbury.thesacredheart@cliftondiocese.com)

If you would like to receive this, please let us know. Be warned- it may go into your JUNK box, so do check that you haven't already had it. We are building an email list and have over 100 now but the more the merrier!!!

#### Offertory

Several parishioners have asked how they can continue to make their offerings at this time when we are not able to visit our churches. The thought is very much appreciated, given that our parish's outgoings for the most part continue unabated, whether or not we are attending Mass.

There is a page on the website outlining offertory methods, but please do email Robert Vaux [treasurer.tisbury.thesacredheart@cliftondiocese.com](mailto:treasurer.tisbury.thesacredheart@cliftondiocese.com) for information if needed.

**Useful Prayers:** <https://www.walsingham.org.uk/prayers-at-mass/>

### **Spiritual Communion – Prayer of St Alphonsus**

My Jesus,

I believe that you are present in this Holy Sacrament of the altar.

I love you above all things

and I passionately desire to receive you into my soul.

Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally,

come spiritually into my soul so that I may unite myself wholly to you now and forever.

*Amen.*

### **Prayer to Combat the Coronavirus Pandemic**

Most Merciful God,

We come to You in our weakness.

We come to You in our fear.

We come to You with trust.

For You alone are our hope.

We place before You the disease present in our world.

We turn to You in our time of need.

Bring wisdom to doctors.

Give understanding to scientists.

Endow caregivers with compassion and generosity.

Bring healing to those who are ill.

Protect those who are most at risk.

Give comfort to those who have lost a loved one.

Welcome those who have died into Your Eternal Home.

Stabilise our communities.

Unite us in our compassion.

Remove all fear from our hearts.

Fill us with confidence in Your care.

Jesus, I trust in You.

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*Amen.*

### **Catholic Safeguarding Advisory Service:**

<https://www.csas.uk.net/wp-content/uploads/2018/05/Guidance-Supporting-people-who-may-be-experiencing-domestic-violence.pdf>

### **Helpline numbers:**

Woman's Aid - National Domestic Violence Helpline – 0808 2000 247

The mix – Advice for the under 25yrs. – 0808 808 4994

Advice for Male Victims of Domestic Violence - 0808 8801 0327

Childline – Deals with a vast variety of children concerns including Domestic Violence. 0800 111