

ST OSMUND'S ✠ HOLY REDEEMER ✠ ST GREGORY'S

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Ordinary Time Week 18 Year of Mission

Year B
Weekday Cycle 2
Psalter Week 2

SATURDAY 4 August	9.30 am 10.30 am 6.00 pm	St John Mary Vianney, Priest St Osmund's St Osmund's Holy Redeemer	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament MASS MASS	Joan Stevenson RIP Mary Robson RIP
SUNDAY 5 August	9.00 am 9.30 am 11.00 am 6.00 pm	St Osmund's St Gregory's St Osmund's St Osmund's	MASS MASS MASS MASS	Danuta RIP People of the Parish Mary Baylis RIP Scarlett's Intentions
MONDAY 6 August	9.00 am 8.45 am 9.00 am	THE TRANSFIGURATION St Gregory's St Osmund's St Osmund's	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Morning Prayer Morning Prayer MASS	Sebastian
TUESDAY 7 August	9.00 am 9.30 am 9.45 am 12.00 noon	St Gregory's St Osmund's St Osmund's	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Morning Pray Morning Prayer MASS	Intentions of the Donors
WEDNESDAY 8 August	9.00 am 10.00 am 7.00 pm	St Dominic, Priest St Gregory's Holy Redeemer St Osmund's	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Morning Prayer MASS Ordinariate MASS	Marie Therese Farley RIP
THURSDAY 9 August	9.00 am 11.00 am 12.00 noon	ST TERESA BENEDICTA of the CROSS (Edith Stein) VIRGIN, MARTYR and PATRON of EUROPE St Gregory's St Osmund's St Osmund's	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Morning Prayer Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament MASS	Kevin Mooney RIP
FRIDAY 10 August	9.00 am 10.00 am 7.00 pm	ST LAWRENCE, DEACON and MARTYR St Gregory's St Gregory's St Osmund's	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Morning Prayer MASS MASS	Mary Robson RIP In thanksgiving to God for Sylvia
SATURDAY 11 August	9.30 am 10.30 am 6.00 pm	St Clare, Virgin St Osmund's St Osmund's Holy Redeemer	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament MASS MASS	Lily Mulcahy RIP Sam Drennan RIP

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

St Gregory's: Fridays 10.30am St Osmund's: Saturdays 11am Holy Redeemer: Saturdays 5.40pm
and also on request, please contact one of the priests.

ORDINARIATE OF OUR LADY OF WALSINGHAM

Fr Keith Robinson on 01722 504807 or frkeithssm@yahoo.co.uk

Mass

Holy Redeemer, Sundays 11am

Evensong and Benediction

Holy Redeemer, Second Sunday of the month 6pm

House Mass 7pm

Thursday 9 August at 48 Hamilton Road

CONGRATULATIONS AND WELCOME To Amelia Grace Wills who will be baptised at St Osmund's on Saturday 11 August. Please pray for Amelia, her parents and godparents at this special time.

CONGRATULATIONS To Oliver Ford and Megan Holloway who were married last week. Please pray for Oliver and Megan.

FR JAN WELCOME Please pray for his continuing successful ministry among us.

BAPTISM COURSES If you have a child that you would like to be baptised, you will need to complete one of our baptism preparation courses. The next course at St Gregory's is taking place immediately following the 9.30am Mass on 12, 19 & 26 August, contact Deacon Steve on 501854 or godw5hme@virginmedia.com At St Osmund's the next course is 16, 23 & 30 September, at 9am Mass and after in the parish rooms - contact Deacon John Proctor on 340206 or john@alabare.org to book onto this course.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2018/2019 If you have a child who will be in Year 3 or above from September, please make an application as soon as possible. The programme starts in September. There is a meeting for **parents only** on 12 September at 7.30pm in St Osmund's Parish Rooms. Application forms are on our website www.salisburycatholics.org or printed copies are available in all churches. Please return to the parish office or to the St Osmund's School office to register your child.

RCIA: The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults - Are you interested in becoming a Catholic? Our Salisbury Journey in Faith group is for those who are interested in exploring the Catholic faith. For more information contact Canon Michael, Fr Saji or the parish office or see our website.

HOPE AND FRIENDSHIP This group is for those who are bereaved or suffering loss. There will be no meeting Monday 13 August, but a lunch outing on Tuesday 14. Call the Parish office for further information.

SALISBURY DISTRICT HOSPITAL If you, a member of your family or anyone you know has been admitted to SDH please let Canon Michael know in order that he can visit them.

PERMANENT DIACONATE The diocese have arranged a series of discernment sessions for men who may be interested in becoming a Deacon. These sessions are on Saturdays: 29 September, 24 November, 12 January and 16 March. These initial sessions will help to deepen your prayerfulness and to reflect upon where God may be calling you. They will give you an opportunity to explore the ministry of the permanent Deacon and how it is lived out in daily life. If you are considering a vocation to the permanent diaconate, please come and speak to Fr Michael.

SALISBURY ROSARY GROUP Our next Get Together is on Wednesday 8 August at 2.30pm. This month the Rosary will be held at 'Lemerle', Amesbury Road, Newton Tony. Turn down road into Newton Tony by The Dogs Trust. Jiffer has kindly offered to host the Rosary this month. Do come and join this friendly group. All are welcome. Lifts are available where possible. Please contact Bernardette Petty on 01722 711137.

MY GENERATION Next meets for a two course Fish and Chip Lunch on Wednesday 15 August at 12.30pm in St Gregory's Hall. Cost £7. Please book with Chris, 321109.

THURSDAY BRIDGE - THANK YOU Grateful thanks to The Thursday Bridge Group for presenting another generous cheque to St Osmund's. Since 2010, they have raised over £3,000 for Canon Michael's projects. The group plays a few rubbers of bridge and a pause for a chat and a cup of tea. This ecumenical group meets in St Osmund's Hall most Thursday afternoons. For further details please contact the parish office.

ST GREGORY'S CAKE STALL Will be held this weekend, 5 August, after Mass.

A DAY WITH MARY Saturday 25 August at Downside Abbey. Posters in all churches or email dwm@adaywithmary.org for information.

OTHER MASSES

Polish Mass:

St Osmund's

4.00pm

Second Sunday of the Month

Syro-Malabar Rite Mass:

Holy Redeemer

5.30pm

First Sunday of the Month

HEALING PRAYER MINISTRY

12 August - After the 9.30am Mass at St Gregory's

26 August - After 9am Mass St Osmund's

Update on Live-Streaming

As you know, the service is now live and I continue to receive wonderful feedback from parishioners who have joined us online for Mass. Some feedback has been of a technical nature and we are very grateful for this. As a result of this feedback we have now retuned the service to allow better streaming to more remote locations/those with slower broadband speeds. Please keep your feedback coming in - we are very interested to hear who is using the service and what impact it is having.



How can we get Church TV on our televisions?

Some of our Parishioners have asked how they can watch Church TV from their own television. We have purchased, tested and installed a device called Roku Express which provides access to the live stream from St Osmund's. All that is required is a HDMI slot in your TV, good Wi Fi, and a power plug close to your TV. The device costs £29.99 from Amazon or Curry's (PC World). There are no running costs but to activate the device during install you will need to provide card details in the event that you purchase a movie from one of the pre-installed sites on Roku. When you have installed the device you will need to add 'Church Services TV' channel which is free. When you open the channel you navigate to St Osmund's to get the live feed from St Osmund's. On 'Church Services TV' you have access to all the Churches that use this service. Not all streaming devices have the Church Services TV channel, we have only tested and used the Roku Express, so please be careful. Instructions come with the device. If however you need help or advice please contact us on the numbers below.

Help is available

Please recommend our Church TV to your friends and neighbours who are housebound or unable to get to Mass. Do remember that we have parish volunteers who are DBS checked and are able to visit parishioners in their homes to teach them how to use and access the service and to support them with ongoing use.

If you require any further information or support contact our Outreach Worker, Caroline Williams on 01722 333581 outreach@salisburycatholics.org or Tony Peters-Ennis on 01722 500653 tony.petersennis@hotmail.com

RIDE FOR VOCATIONS – The Final Leg: Fr Matt Anscombe cycled up some of the classic climbs of the Tour de France, in the Alps & the Pyrenees, including Mont Ventoux and completed this challenge. He has been offering his ride for vocations to the priesthood, religious life and marriage. If you would like to make a donation in recognition of Fr Matt's achievement please write a cheque made payable to the 'Clifton Diocese' and drop it into the Presbytery in an envelope marked "Fr Matt Anscombe's Ride for Vocations" or visit: www.mydonate.bt.com/events/rfv4

VOICE for LIFE

We are delighted to announce that, from September 2018, we are introducing 'Voice for Life' into our parishes. 'Voice for Life' is a programme that has been developed by the Royal School of Church Music and has proved very successful across the country. It provides a framework for singers to develop their vocal skills, their musical understanding and their knowledge of repertoire. This will be ideal for younger singers and beginners.

The programme will be open to parishioners of all churches. Children must be 8 years or older. The training will be led by Rosemary Field of the RSCM who is a highly experienced organist, teacher and choral trainer. Sessions will take place from **5pm-5.45pm on Tuesday evenings** during term time. We are very grateful to Rosemary for agreeing to lead the sessions. You can find out more information about the programme by visiting: <https://www.rscm.com/voiceforlife/>

To register your interest, please contact Caroline Williams 01722 333581 outreach@salisburycatholics.org



WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2018

Go to our website to see this week's 'Insight' which will offer short reflection on a particular theme from 'The Joy of Love' and a couple of questions for you to consider. Each 'Insight' will draw us in to an enriched appreciation and understanding of the Pope's recent document 'Amoris Laetitia – The Joy of Love'. Take a look at it, sit down as a family or as a couple to consider, discuss and be guided in your family life. You will also find links to the document 'Amoris Laetitia – The Joy of Love' and all the other resources that are available for this event.



This week's insight is 'Marriage is Indissoluble'.

Go to: www.salisburycatholics.org/world-meeting-families

PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

CLIFTON DIOCESE We pray for the priest, staff and communities of all our all Chaplaincies to HM forces in the diocese.

SALISBURY CHURCHES TOGETHER We pray for Holidays and Summer Play Schemes.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS all those who are sick and in hospital. We remember those who have died recently, including Sylvia Verrian, Dorothy O'Farrell and those whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace.

YOUTH GROUPS - have now stopped for the Summer

New groups starting in September!!



A new programme starting after the holidays for those in Year 3 and above who love singing. From September 2018 we will be running 'Voice for Life' from **5pm to 5.45pm on Tuesday evenings**. This is perfect for young people who love singing and who want to praise God with their voice. The sessions will be led by Rosemary Field who is a highly experienced organist, teacher and choral trainer. The programme will help singers to develop their vocal skills, musical understanding and knowledge of different types of music. If there is a lot of interest, places will be allocated on a first come-first served basis. Interested? Contact Caroline: outreach@salisburycatholics.org or ring 01722 333581 to book a place.

POPE FRANCIS - CATECHESIS ON THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

Dear brothers and sisters: As we resume our catechesis on the Ten Commandments, we now consider the first commandment: "I am the Lord, your God... You shall have no other gods before me" (Ex 20:3). The Lord alone is God; he must be the ultimate centre of our lives and our values, rather than some object, image or idea of our own making. All of us are tempted to this kind of idolatry: to turn away from the true God and to fashion a false god that is no more than a projection of our own selfish desires. Such idols then demand our worship and sacrifices (cf. vv. 4-5). How often in our world does money become an idol to which we are willing to sacrifice our children, by ignoring them or even by refusing to bring them into the world? In the end, idols enslave; they promise a happiness that they simply cannot deliver. The worship of the true God, on the other hand, teaches us, in love, to find freedom, happiness and life in abundance. Let us ask for the grace to make God the centre of our lives, to reject every temptation to idolatry, and to open our eyes to the divine love that alone brings lasting joy and fulfilment.

YEAR OF MISSION

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Just notice what the people are doing at the start of today's Gospel! They are *looking* for Jesus. They are *hungry* for what he has to offer them. Like the Samaritan woman whose thirst cannot be taken away with mere water from the well, so the crowd's hunger cannot be truly satisfied with any old bread. They yearn and hunger for the 'bread' that is Jesus. Only he can nourish them and satisfy them completely... that's why, maybe, they are eager to find him. The challenge is 'to come' to Jesus and 'to believe' in Jesus. Only when we come to him, allow him into our lives, give our all to him will we find our hunger and thirst taken away. Knowing him as our nourishment then, surely, we are charged with allowing others to be guided towards him who can satisfy the longings of the human heart. Maybe our *mission* this week is to allow others to come to understand what nourishes us, what sustains us, what feeds us and to allow them to journey towards the Christ who reaches out to them in their hunger and their thirst.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading	<i>Exodus 16:2-4</i> I will rain down bread for you from the heavens.
Responsorial Psalm	<i>Psalm 77</i> The Lord gave them bread from heaven.
Second Reading	<i>Ephesians 4:17. 20-24</i> Put on the new self that has been created in God's way.
Gospel Acclamation	Alleluia, alleluia! I am the Way, the Truth and the Life, says the Lord; no one can come to the Father except through me. Alleluia!
Gospel	<i>John 6:24-35</i> He who comes to me will never be hungry; he who believes in me will never thirst.