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FULLHOPE	Ο		me Week 20Year Bf MissionWeekday Cycle 2Psalter Week 4	
SATURDAY 18 August	9.30 am 10.30 am 6.00 pm	St Osmund's St Osmund's Holy Redeemer	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament MASS Patrick & Helen, their intentions & thanks giving for family MASS All those receiving examination results this week	
SUNDAY 19 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	MASSBrian Waters RIPMASSCatherine Hadaway RIPMASSBrian's IntentionsMASSPeople of the Parish	
MONDAY 20 August	9.00 am 8.45 am 9.00 am	St Bernard, Abb St Gregory's St Osmund's St Osmund's	bot, Doctor of the Church Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Morning Prayer Morning Prayer MASS Sybil Reekie RIP	
TUESDAY 21 August	9.00 am 9.30 am 9.45 am	St Pius X, Pope St Gregory's St Osmund's St Osmund's	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Morning Pray Morning Prayer MASS Scarlett's Intentions	
WEDNESDAY 22 August	9.00 am 10.00 am 7.00 pm	The Queenship St Gregory's Holy Redeemer St Osmund's	of the Blessed Virgin Mary Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Morning Prayer MASS Chrissy Pater RIP Ordinariate MASS	
THURSDAY 23 August	9.00 am 11.00 am 12.00 noon	St Gregory's St Osmund's St Osmund's	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Morning Prayer Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament MASS P J Chacko RIP	
FRIDAY 24 August	9.00 am 10.00 am 7.00 pm	ST BARTHOLO St Gregory's St Gregory's St Osmund's	MEW, APOSTLEExposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Morning PrayerMASSIntentions of the DonorsMASSBrian & Feithlinn Whitehead RIP	
SATURDAY 25 August	9.30 am 10.30 am 6.00 pm	St Osmund's St Osmund's Holy Redeemer	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament MASS Josephine Kohlhofer RIP MASS People of the Parish	
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 Evensong and Benediction Holy Redeemer, Sundays 11am Holy Redeemer, Second Sunday of every month 6pm

FAREWELL FR JAN Fr Jan leaves us to go back to Poland this week. We are very grateful for his ministry to us over the last few weeks. Please pray for his safe return to Poland and his ministry there.

SECOND COLLECTION This weekend is for SCORE overseas projects.

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. St Gregory's: Continues immediately following the 9.30am Mass on Sundays 19 and 26 August, contact Deacon Steve on 501854 or *godw5hme@virginmedia.com* St Osmund's: The next course is Sunday 16, 23 and 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 now. 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.

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

TRAIDCRAFT Stall will be held between Masses in St Osmund's Parish Rooms this Sunday 19 August.

MY GENERATION Next gathering is on Wednesday 29 August at 2pm in St Gregory's Hall. To see the photos and details of our daytrip to Weymouth recently, please see *www.salisburycatholics.org/news*

HOLY REDEEMER meeting is on Wednesday 29 August at 7pm in the hall. All welcome.

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

BEACH PARTY BBQ Frances and Jim with the support of the Catenians have organised a barbeque for everyone. The theme is 'Beach Party' so come in your Hawaiian shirts or bright summer wear. This will be held at St George's Parish Hall, Harnham, which has the room for us all on Sunday 16 September starting at 1pm. The event is free to attend but there will be a charge for the BBQ food, please bring a picnic, drinks (the Old Mill is nearby) and maybe a sample of your local dishes if you wish to. There will be music and games. If you want to get involved we will leave a list at the back of the churches or contact Frances and Jim on 01722 337164 with your details.

CHURCH TV - Exciting Developments! Recording at Holy Redeemer and St Gregory's

As you know, our Church TV (which is accessed via our website) is a continuous 'livestream' from St Osmund's Church. In addition, we record Sunday Masses and other key liturgies (funerals, weddings etc) to enable people to access these at any time. We continue to receive lots of really positive feedback from parishioners past and present and from far and near and we have managed to successfully overcome any teething problems and technical difficulties experienced.

It is our plan to continue to develop our Church TV in all sorts of ways but a priority has been considering how we can include Masses from Holy Redeemer and St Gregory's. We recorded the Mass at Holy Redeemer on the Feast of the Assumption last week using a portable video camera and tripod and this has now been uploaded to Church TV.

Where do I find it?

Unlike the recordings of Masses at St Osmund's, we cannot feature this in the 'Recordings' tab of our Church TV as it was not recorded from 'within' the system. It can be found in the 'Uploads' tab. We would really appreciate any feedback and comments from parishioners. One observation we have made is that we may need more light on the Sanctuary area, for example. Dependent on your device you may need to display in Full Screen Mode to get a reasonable picture. We hope to record a Mass at St Gregory's in the near future.

Help needed

As the scope of this project extends and if we are to regularly film from Holy Redeemer and St Gregory's, we will need some help. Are you good with technology? Are you a regular Mass attender who is capable of setting up a tripod and camera, adjusting it and letting us have the footage? Perhaps we have a budding (or extremely competent!) cameraman or woman in our parishes that we don't know about? If any of this sounds like you and you would like to join in, please contact Caroline on 502503 *outreach@salisburycatholics.org* or Tony on 01722 500653 *tony.petersennis@hotmail.com*

While the Cat's away...

As you may be aware, next summer Canon Michael will be celebrating his 50th Anniversary of Ordination to the **Priesthood.** He has been our parish priest since September 2006 and is universally loved and respected. His Golden Jubilee will be a major milestone in service to God and His people and it is one that we hope to celebrate in such a way that demonstrates our love and appreciation for him and offers thanks and praise to God for his wonderful ministry to us and to many before us.

We have been in contact with Bishop Declan and Fr Michael's family and have booked the evening of 7th June 2019 for the celebration. This is a Friday evening - please put the date in your diary now so that you can attend.

Why are we planning so far in advance?

Fr Michael takes very little time away from the parish but is currently on his summer vacation - it may be the last chance we have to get properly organised before next June! When we celebrated his 40th anniversary in 2009, the Mass was held in St Gregory's church and those of you that attended will remember that there was nowhere near enough room in the church or the hall and many people had to stand outside. So - our experience tells us that none of our own venues were big enough even then and he is now ten more years known and loved! This means we will have to book an alternative venue if we are to enable everyone to comfortably attend. Fr Michael has a very special ministry to the elderly and housebound and we believe that he would want everyone to be given the best possible chance to attend. We will therefore need a large venue that has good disabled access and parking so that the event is as inclusive as possible. Large venues get booked up a long time in advance so we will need to act soon!

Budget

We know from 2009 that Fr Michael is not willing to release parish funds for an event for him and so we must raise some money in advance to be able to book a venue and make all necessary arrangements and provide transportation where necessary. We will sort out the catering ourselves in the normal manner of parish events. We never have problems providing enough food!

Envelopes

It is important that any contributions for this event do not get 'mixed up' with general parish finance and so we have printed special envelopes for any contribution that you may wish to make. Please place your contribution in one of the special envelopes that are available in all churches. Envelopes can be dropped into the collection baskets in the normal way, handed into the parish office or to any of our (other!) priests, deacons or staff either today or in the coming weeks. Please make any cheques payable to 'St Osmund's Parish' as the event will be co-ordinated via the parish office.

Gift Aid

If you are a UK taxpayer, please complete the 'Gift Aid Declaration' on the envelope. If you are not a taxpayer, simply ignore or strike through this portion but please, do still use the special envelope. Thank you.

OUR WEBSITE

Since the launch of our new website in April this year, we have continued to develop and improve the site. We are really grateful when parishioners remember to tell us of their events for the 'Diary' section and take pictures and write reports of their activities so that we can put them on the website to attract and welcome new people to our parish. The 'Photo Gallery' and 'Blog' pages are a great place to see what's been going on in the parish recently.



Pope Francis

We now have a new section in our website entitled 'Pope Francis' - it can be accessed from the top, pale blue horizontal menu bar or using one of the large 'buttons' on the right hand side of the home page alongside the photographs of our priests. We intend to feature some of the teachings, prayers and guidance of the Holy Father in this section. Every month, Pope Francis asks the worldwide church to join him in prayer for a particular intention and Vatican Media release beautiful, short videos which demonstrate clearly the message Pope is sharing with the Church and why he is asking us to pray for a particular intention. You can now view these on our website - take a look: https://salisburycatholics.org/pope-francis

OTHER MASSES Polish Mass: 4.00pm St Osmund's Second Sunday of the Month Syro-Malabar Rite Mass: Holy Redeemer 5.30pm First Sunday of the Month HEALING PRAYER MINISTRY 26 August - After 9am Mass St Osmund's 8 September - After 6pm Mass at Holy Redeemer



THE TWO MOST IMPORTANT DAYS OF YOUR LIFE The day you were born...... And the day you discover why

Inspired by the words of Pope Francis, the Project 99 Mission is a parish project which started here in Salisbury last year, with the blessing of the Clifton Diocese. Our mission is to provide the future church with disciples, competent and confident to proclaim the Gospel and serve the Church. This coming year will be bigger and greater, we have so many amazing things planned!

We offer young adults the opportunity for a life-changing year growing in faith, developing practical ministry skills, receiving church teaching and deepening their love of scripture as well as basic life skills, such as integrity, reliability and responsibility whilst living a life of prayer. There is also a lot of fun to be had whilst living in a community of young adults with days out and recreation time.

Opportunity to join us!

- Do you, or someone you know, think that God may be calling you to a year given over to Him?
- Are you unsure of where you are meant to be heading?
- Do you need some time out to hear a clearer direction for your life?

This is the first year of the rest of your life...make it count. Make it one that is a foundation for every other one that follows.

Check out our website and read some of the testimonies from those who have just completed a year with us, take some time to hear God's voice and His plans for your next step.

Apply on-line **www.project99.org.uk**.... Find your Purpose.

PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

CLIFTON DIOCESE We pray for the priest and community of Christ the King, Amesbury.

SALISBURY CHURCHES TOGETHER We pray for Counselling services, Samaritans, Salisbury Mediation Service, Listening Place, Lighthouse.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS all those who are sick and in hospital. We remember those who have died recently, including Dorothy O'Farrell, Joyce Sugg, (Joyce's Requiem will be held on Wednesday 5 September at 11.30am at St Osmund's Church) and those whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace. Please also keep in your prayers all our young people who received their A-level results last Thursday and those who will receive their GCSE results during this coming week.

YEAR OF MISSION : TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

You are what you eat! That should be true when it comes to the Eucharist. The food and the drink we receive at Mass is our nourishment to sustain us in all we do to be like Christ. But those gifts of Christ's Body and Blood are given precisely that we might become what we receive – Christ. We are to become what we eat and drink. Christ is given to us as food and drink so that we might have life in us and so that his life, flowing through us, might enable our world and others to know he is near through us. Christ is truly present to us in the Eucharist; his *real presence* makes his home in us so that, seeking to be like him, we might be reminders and signs of his presence in the ordinariness of our week – at home, at work, in the places where we encounter others. May our world know 'Christ living among us' because of the witness we give and the life we live.

	LITURGY OF THE WORD	
First Reading	Proverbs 9:1-6 Eat my bread, drink the wine I have prepared for you.	
Responsorial Psalm	Psalm 33 Taste and see the Lord is good.	
Second Reading	Ephesians 5:15-20 Recognise what is the will of God.	
Gospel Acclamation	Alleluia, alleluia! The Word was made flesh and lived among us; to all who did accept him he gave power to become the children of God. Alleluia	
Gospel	John 6:51-58 My flesh is real food and my blood is real drink.	