



# ST ANSELM'S NEWSLETTER

5th March 2023  
SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT - YEAR A



ST ANSELM'S PARISH SOUTHALL UNDER THE CARE OF THE SOCIETY OF JESUS (JESUITS)  
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## PARISH TEAM

### Parish Priest:

Fr. Jovito D'Souza S.J.

### Assistant Priest:

Fr. Eddy Bermingham, S.J.

### Deacon:

Rev Stephen Khokhar

### Parish Evangelisation

#### Coordinator:

Susan Cawley

### Parish Administrator:

Safira Viegas

### Safeguarding

#### Representatives:

Rita Khokhar, Vicentina Rebelo, Mark Silva

## NEXT SUNDAY:

THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT – Exod 17:3-7; Psalm 94; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; John 4:5-42

## MASS TIMINGS:

**Monday to Friday** 9:15 a.m.; **Saturday** 12:00 noon & 6:30 p.m. (Vigil)

**Sunday:** 8:00 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 11:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.

**Thursday Adoration** after morning mass until 11:00 a.m.

**Confessions** daily before Mass except Sunday.

## OFFICE TIMINGS:

Monday to Thursday 10:00 am until 6:00 pm (excluding 3:00 to 4:00 pm) Every Friday the office is closed including weekends.

## COLLECTIONS:

Loose plate: £2,169.91;  
Envelopes: £772.30;  
Cardinal's Lenten Appeal £307.50

## PARISH FINANCES:

Fr Jovito wish to thank you for your generous offerings. Your support has been a great help towards the upkeep of the parish and its works.

## BAPTISM PREPARATION

Please call the Parish Office Monday to Thursday between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. (excluding 3-4p.m.)

## MASS INTENTIONS: 5TH MARCH 2023 - 12TH MARCH 2023

04/03/2023 Saturday 12 noon	Special Intention
04/03/2023 6.30 p.m.	Melisha Miranda (Thanksgiving)
05/03/2023 Sunday 8 a.m.	Especiosa Travasso (RIP)
05/03/2023 9.45 a.m.	John De Melo (RIP)
05/03/2023 11.30 a.m.	Titian Silva (Thanksgiving)
05/03/2023 2 p.m.	<b>TAMIL MASS</b>
05/03/2023 6.30 p.m.	People of the Parish
06/03/2023 Monday 9.15 a.m.	Augustine & Family (Thanksgiving)
06/03/2023 7 p.m.	Confirmation Candidates (confirmandi)
07/03/2023 Tuesday 9.15 a.m.	Angel Lawrence Carvalho (RIP)
07/03/2023 7 p.m.	Confirmation Candidates (confirmandi)
08/03/2023 Wednesday 9.15 a.m.	Isabel Sobrinho (RIP)
08/03/2023 7 p.m.	Ursula Berneska (Good health)
09/03/2023 Thursday 9.15 a.m.	Paulina Rodrigues & Francis Radjou (RIP)
09/03/2023 7 p.m.	Altar servers
10/03/2023 Friday 9.15 a.m.	Teresita Boleno (Thanksgiving)
10/03/2023 7 p.m.	Rosalica Rebelo (RIP)
11/03/2023 Saturday 9.15 a.m.	Hamilda Rodrigues (RIP)
11/03/2023 11 a.m.	Travellers Confirmation Mass
11/03/2023 6.30 p.m.	Mario & Telma Colaco (Thanksgiving)
12/03/2023 Sunday 8 a.m.	People of the Parish
12/03/2023 9.45 a.m.	Audrey Rodrigues (RIP)
12/03/2023 11.30 a.m.	Sharon Gonsalves (Thanksgiving)
12/03/2023 6.30 p.m.	Milton Pereira (RIP)



## NOTICES

**Pope's Apostleship of Prayer Intention - March 2023 - For victims of abuse:** We pray for those who have suffered harm from members of the Church; may they find within the Church herself a concrete response to their pain and suffering.

**Daily Mass during Lent on Weekdays:** Monday to Friday at 9.15 a.m. & 7 p.m.

**Stations of the Cross:** Fridays in Lent after 9.15 a.m. Mass & at 6.30 p.m.

**FLOWERS:** DO NOT bring in flowers to decorate any of the statues or the altars during Lent.

**Funeral of Mrs Barbara Dias** on Friday 10 March 2023 at 11.00 a.m. Burial at Slough Cemetery at 1.15 p.m.

**This weekend: Second collection for CAFOD Family Fast Day Lent Appeal:** This Lent, help families like Dristy and Rupali's fight the effects of the Climate Crisis. Thank you for your generosity and prayers.

**Novena of Grace in honour of St. Francis Xavier of the Society of Jesus:** Mass and novena each day at 9.15 a.m. except Saturday at 12 noon and Sunday at all Masses, from Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March - Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> March.

**CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME 2023 UPDATE:** Meeting for Young People and Parents; Monday Group on 6<sup>th</sup> March & Tuesday Group on 7<sup>th</sup> March. Schedule as follows: Confirmation Session at 5 p.m. for young people, Holy Mass at 7 p.m. followed by meeting for young people and parents.

### **GIFT AID:**

If you are a UK taxpayer, please consider GIFT AIDING your donation. The parish can reclaim 25p for every £1 donated. To join the Gift Aid scheme, or if you want an annual box of offertory envelopes, please give contact details to Parish Administrator in Parish Office

### **ADULT CONFIRMATION**

Those over the age of 18 who are baptised and made their First Holy Communion and wish to be confirmed, contact Deacon Stephen Khokhar  
Tel:07526513557; email: stephenkhokhar@rcdow.org.uk

### **PLANNING TO GET MARRIED**

You Must Contact Fr Jovito, 6 Months before the Date for Your Wedding. Please phone the Parish Office Monday – Friday 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. (but not 3-4 p.m.) to make an appointment.

### **CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETING**

Every Wednesday at 6 pm in the Church

### **EALING FOOD BANK- SOUTHALL CAFÉ:**

For help, please phone 020 8840 9428 and listen for the different options:

**Option 1** for booking collections or home delivery

**Option 2** for information on how to get a referral code

**Option 3** for any other enquiry and to speak to the manager.

### **REPORTING ABUSE:**

If you are concerned about the welfare of a child or adult at risk, do not delay in contacting the police, using 999 if a child or adult is believed to be in immediate danger. You can also contact CSAS by telephoning 0207 901 1920 or via email at admin@csas.uk.net

**PLANNING FOR HOLY WEEK / EASTER TRIDUUM:** There will be a meeting in the Rectory at 7.15 p.m. on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> March to plan and prepare for the holy week / Easter Triduum. All are welcome to join the meeting.

**New Offertory Envelopes; April 2023 – March 2024:** Thank you to all those who kindly give their offerings via standing orders, weekly offertory envelopes, online donations, contactless card machine, loose plate and who further help the parish finances by gift aiding their offerings. The new boxes of offertory envelopes will be available to collect from the Baptistery at the end of all Masses on the weekends of 11<sup>th</sup> /12<sup>th</sup> March and 18<sup>th</sup> /19<sup>th</sup> March. Kindly advise us if you have changed your address in the past year or if you are no longer a taxpayer.

**The PASSION, DEATH & RESURRECTION 2023 (PDR 2023).** The Parish Youth (SARYM) will be enacting the PDR on 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> March, after the 6:30 pm Mass. You are invited to journey with Jesus along with from the Manger to the Cross, from the Cross to the Grave and from the Grave to the Resurrection.

**Thanks to the Goan Community Association (Ealing)** for their generous donation of £6,090 & £1,000 towards the building fund and Youth fund respectively. These amounts were raised through the raffle and the Valentine's Day dance, held on 11<sup>th</sup> February 2023. Blessing and gratitude.

**Annual Mass of Thanksgiving for the Sacrament of Matrimony at Westminster Cathedral on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2023 at 2:30pm :** The Cardinal is inviting to this Mass all couples in the Diocese, who are celebrating their 5<sup>th</sup> 10<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup> and 60<sup>th</sup> (and every year over 60) wedding anniversary of Catholic marriage in 2023. If you are celebrating an anniversary, please call the parish office and give the following details: husband and wife's names, wedding date, full postal address and email (or telephone number, if no email).

**Give to support St. Anselm's Poor, Youth and Building Funds:** Your donations will help St. Anselm's church to help those in need in our congregation and the wider community, to support the youth ministry in helping our young people grow spiritually, and to maintain an ongoing building fund to provide for emergency repairs to existing building and for future works. Envelopes for your donations to the Poor Fund (White), Youth Fund (Black) and Building Fund (Brown) are available in the Church Porch.

**Standing Orders:** You will have seen that our weekly collection has been drastically affected by the pandemic. We would like to appeal to parishioners to please consider switching your weekly donations to a monthly standing order. Kindly request a standing order form by sending an email to southall@rcdow.org.uk or visit the Parish Office. The information needed to make donation /set up a standing order is as follows: Parish Bank Account details: *WRCDT - Southall / Sort Code: 40 05 20 / Account No. 91308505 / Address: 69 Pall Mall, London SW1Y 5EY / Ref: Donation / your name*

**RCIA – Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults.** Do you want to know more about the Catholic Faith? The RCIA is an someone – husband, wife, friend, neighbour who might be interested in exploring whether God may be calling them to become a Catholic, then please ask them to contact Sue Cawley, the Parish Evangelisation Coordinator by email on susancawley@rcdow.org.uk or telephone the parish office 0208 574 3300 Monday-Thursday from 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. (but not between 3 p.m. and 4 p.m.)

**Treasurer role with homelessness charity – Volunteer needed:** The charity Hope for Southall Street Homeless (HSSH) is looking for a volunteer to become its Honorary Treasurer. HSSH is looking for someone who has experience of managing an organisation's finances. If that person has taken care of a charity's finances, that would be a bonus. With the assistance of a Bookkeeper, the tasks of the role would take less than 3 hours a week to start with and nearer 2 hours normally. The Honorary Treasurer is a voluntary role and would be required to attend Trustees' meetings once a month; currently these take place on a Friday morning at St Anselm's for 2 hours. If you are interested and wish to know more and to request a role description and application form, please email John Murphy (Secretary) john.murphy@hssh.org.uk