



ST ANSELM'S NEWSLETTER



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
Rebello, Mark Silva

NEXT SUNDAY:

Fifth Sunday of Easter:
Acts 9:26-31; Psalm 21; 1
John 3: 18-24 & John 15:1-
8

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.

COLLECTIONS:

Loose Plate: £2,362.38
Offertory Envelopes:
£740.01
Standing orders:
March 2024: £3,084.00

OFFICE TIMINGS:

Monday to Thursday 9am
until 5 pm (excluding 1pm
to 2pm) Every Friday the
office is closed including
weekends.

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 9 a.m.
and 5 p.m. (excluding 1-2
p.m.)

MASS INTENTIONS: 21ST APRIL - 28TH APRIL 2024

20/04/2024 Saturday 12 noon	Jackie Pereira (Birthday Thanksgiving)
20/04/2024 4 p.m.	KONKANI MASS
20/04/2024 6.30 p.m.	Karla Maria Gonsalves (Thanksgiving)
21/04/2024 Sunday 8 a.m.	Caden Sanches (Birthday Thanksgiving)
21/04/2024 9.45 a.m.	Vincent Fernandes (RIP)
21/04/2024 11.30 a.m.	People of the Parish
21/04/2024 3 p.m.	MALAYALAM MASS
21/04/2024 6.30 p.m.	Pray for Vocations
22/04/2024 Monday 9.15 a.m.	Conroy & Greta (Thanksgiving)
23/04/2024 Tuesday 9.15 a.m.	Gabriel & Gorretti Barros (Thanksgiving)
24/04/2024 Wednesday 9.15 a.m.	Antonio Alex Fernandes (RIP)
25/04/2024 Thursday 9.15 a.m.	Antonio Joao De Souza (RIP)
26/04/2024 Friday 9.15 a.m.	Andrew & Josephine Fernandes (RIP)
27/04/2024 Saturday 12 noon	Gonsalo Fernandes (Month's Mind)
27/04/2024 6.30 p.m.	Colin Cawley (RIP)
28/04/2024 Sunday 8 a.m.	For all souls in purgatory
28/04/2024 9.45 a.m.	Macwin Vas (Thanksgiving)
28/04/2024 11.30 a.m.	Paul Carvalho (Birthday Thanksgiving)
28/04/2024 3 p.m.	URDU MASS
28/04/2024 6.30 p.m.	People of the Parish



Pope's Prayer Intention for April: For the role of women. We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognised in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world.

Dear Parishioners, thank you for your generosity and your continual support. With your help, we have been able to pay the entire amount i.e. **£52,800.00** (including VAT) for the roof work. We are yet to pay the scaffolding cost as it was not part of the removing, clearing and laying of the new roof. With regard to the Heating, we are still awaiting decision from the diocese. The quote received for the two commercial boilers is **£64,629.50** (including VAT). Meanwhile we as a parish need to raise this amount so that we can make all the payments on completion of the works. Hence, anyone wishing to make a donation to fund these works, please contact the parish office. **Parish Bank Account details: WRCDT - Southall / Sort Code: 40 05 20 / Account No. 91308505 / Address: 69 Pall Mall, London SW1Y 5EY / Ref: Building Fund / your name**

Second Collection for Priest Training Fund. The 4th Sunday of Easter, Good Shepherd Sunday, we request you to pray for vocations to the priesthood.

First Holy Communion Day Mass Times:

Group A on Saturday 25th May 2024 at 11 a.m. Please arrive by 10.30 a.m.
Group B on Saturday 25th May 2024 at 3.30 p.m. Please arrive by 3 p.m.

Feast of St Anselm: On Sunday 21st April, the feast of our parish patron Saint Anselm will be celebrated at the 11.30 a.m. Mass, with Bishop John Sherrington as the main celebrant. **The Clergy and the People of the Parish of St. Anselm's** would like to express a hearty welcome to **Bishop John Sherrington** and for gracing this occasion.

LEGION OF MARY

Prayer meeting every Friday at 5 p.m. & Saturday at 12.30 p.m. in the Rectory

CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETING

Every Wednesday at 6 pm in the Church

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 the Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency (CSSA) by telephoning 0207 901 1920 or via email at admin@catholicsafeguarding.org.uk.

SVP Meeting on Tuesday 23rd April at 8 p.m. in the Rectory.

Confirmation Programme 2024 Update: Meeting for Young People, Sponsors & Parents - Monday Group on 15th April and Tuesday Group on 16th April. (Confirmation Session for young people at 5 p.m. followed by meeting for Sponsors, Parents and Young People at 7 p.m.)

Confirmation Mass Online Bookings: Candidates for Confirmation this year will have to make a booking online to choose the date of their Confirmation Day. The link to make the booking online will be available on the parish website <https://stanselmchurchsouthall.com/> The Online Booking link will open on 24th April at 11 a.m. and close on 30th April at 5 p.m. Please provide the name of the candidate when booking.

Ealing Food Bank - Southall Café

For help, please phone 020 8840 9428

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

New Offertory Envelopes: The new boxes of offertory envelopes (2024-25) are available to collect from the Parish office, during office hours. Kindly let us know if you have changed your address in the past year or if you are no longer a taxpayer. Thank you all for your constant support.

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*

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 the Parish Administrator.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA). 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

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.

Konkani Drama Bank of Love: The parishioners and well-known artists have come together to present a Konkani Drama 'Bank of Love' at Featherstone High School, Southall, on 26th May at 4:00 pm. The drama is directed by Simon Gonsalves. The catchy songs, fantastic sound and light and a clear message makes the drama a super-hit. You can buy the tickets from the volunteers at weekend Masses The tickets are priced at £13. All profits for St. Anselm's Church Building fund.

Mayoral Assembly 25th April: On Thursday 2 May 2024, people living in London will be able to vote for the Mayor of London and Members of the London Assembly. West London Citizens along with its partners invite us to join them for the Mayoral Assembly on 25th April at 6 pm. at the Methodist Central Hall, Westminster. The issues raised at this assembly are Living wages, housing, Migrants, and refugees. Few youth of our parish will be performing a short skit on housing situation. Those interested kindly register yourself by clicking on this link www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/823784851667/?discount=98WLCind

The **Legion of Mary** are organizing their annual Edel Quin pilgrimage to Aylesford on Saturday 4th May, a coach has been arranged for the same. The ticket is priced £ 20/- pickup: St Anselm's Southall. The coach will leave at 8:00 am sharp and way back leave Aylesford at 5 pm. All are welcome. Those interested kindly contact Mary 07828952100 or Henriques 07463505044

A Brief History of the Parish

At the time of St. Anselm in the eleventh century, there was a Chapel at Norwood Green. This area was in the precinct of Hayes and came under the patronage of the Archbishop of Canterbury who had a Country House there. This is one of the reasons we have St. Anselm as a patron. While he was Archbishop of Canterbury, he is known to have made his way from Hayes, to consecrate the Church of Harrow-on-the-Hill, by a path—now called Church Path—that runs through this parish.

In 1903, there were sufficient Catholics in Southall – some working in North Hyde, others in the brick fields – to warrant a Mass Centre apart from North Hyde School. The old Barn by the Manor House was purchased and converted into a Chapel and the orchard behind – where St. Anselm's School now stands was acquired. In 1920 what is now the school hall was the Church. On 17th June 1967, the New Church was build, the present location. Bishop Casey laid the Foundation stone for the new Church and then on March 23rd 1968 came again for the Blessing of the New Church. On 20th April, His Eminence the Cardinal John Carmel Heenan officially opened the new Church in the presence of all the Parishioner and distinguishing guest. We are privileged to be part of this history a sign of faith and unity.

Parish Priests

Fathers	Years
Arthur Day	1905 - 1911
William Wright	1911 - 1917
Francis Macirone	1917 - 1919
William Buckle	1919 - 1932
Leo Ward	1932 - 1970
Michael Hollings	1970 - 1978
Anthony Brunning	1978 - 1987
John Cunningham	1987 - 2001
James Crampsey SJ	2001 - 2009
Gerard Mitchell SJ	2009 - 2021
Jovito F. D Souza SJ	2021 -



CNACD RESEARCH SURVEY: The CNACD (Christian Network Against Caste Discrimination) are researching the experiences of Dalits living in the UK and if they face any discrimination within the UK. They will be holding a survey at the end of all Masses on 4th/5th May and would be grateful for your participation with the research. The survey can also be completed online: <https://forms.office.com/e/U8iX3prciP> Please feel free to share the survey with other Dalits living in the UK. To find out more about CNACD, please see their website: <https://www.cnacd.co.uk/>

Experiences of Caste Discrimination in the UK

