St Anselm's Newsletter



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

PARISH PASTORAL TEAM: Fr. Jovito D'Souza SJ. (Parish Priest), Fr. Eddy Bermingham SJ., Fr Paul O' Reilly SJ., Rev. Deacon Stephen Khokhar, Susan Cawley (Evangelisation Coordinator), Safira Viegas (Parish Administrator). SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVES: Rita Khokhar, Vicentinha Rebelo, Mark Silva

## **OFFICE TIMING**

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

## **NEXT SUNDAY:**

The Most Holy Trinity: Deut 4:32-34, 39-40; Psalm 32; Rpm 8:14-17 & Matt 28:16-20

## **COLLECTIONS:**

Loose Plate: £2,832.58 Offertory Envelopes: £1,411.50 Second Collection for Catholic Communications: £506.97 Standing orders: April 2024: £3,280.00

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.

**Standing Orders** are the easiest way to make regular donations to our parish. They're a secure and convenient way to give, and they help our parish plan for the future.

To set up a 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

MASS TIMINGS Monday to Friday 9:15 a.m. Saturday: 12:00 & Vigil 6:30 Sunday: Morning; 8:00, 9:45, 11:30 Evening 6:30

Adoration: Thursday after morning mass until 10:45. Confessions daily before Mass except Sunday.

**PARISH FINANCES:** We thank you for your generous offerings. Your support has been a great help towards the upkeep of the parish and its works. **PLANNING TO GET MARRIED** You Must Contact Fr Jovito, 6 Months before the Date for Your Wedding. Please phone the Parish Office Monday – Thursday 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. (but not 1-2 p.m.) to make an appointment.

**BAPTISM PREPARATION** Please call the Parish Office

**LEGION OF MARY** Meeting every Friday at 5 p.m. & Saturday at 12.30 p.m. in the Rectory

**CHARISTMATIC PRAYER** Every Wednesday at 6 pm in the Church



**Pope's Prayer Intention for May:** For the formation of religious and seminarians. We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation,

leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.

## **First Holy Communion Updates:**

Mass: Group A on Saturday  $25^{th}$  May 2024 at 11 a.m. Please arrive by 10.30 a.m.

Group B on Saturday  $25^{th}$  May 2024 at 3.30 p.m. Please arrive by 3 p.m.

Update for Bank Holiday Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2024: Mass at 12 noon. There will be no Mass at 9.15 a.m. Parish office will remain closed.

**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.

**New Offertory Envelopes:** The new boxes of offertory envelopes (2024-25) are available to collect from the Parish office, during office hours. Thank you all for your constant support.

SVP Meeting on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May at 8 p.m. in the Rectory

**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 to susancawley@rcdow.org.uk

Ealing Food Bank - Southall CaféFor help, please phone 020 8840 9428Option 1 for booking collections or home deliveryOption 2 for information on how to get a referral codeOption 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 the Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency (CSSA) by telephoning 0207 901 1920 or via email at admin@catholicsafeguarding.org.uk.

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  $26^{th}$  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.

**SEASIDE TRIPS to Brighton on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> July 2024 and to Margate on Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> August 2024.** Leaving St Anselm's Southall at 8 a.m. sharp. Tickets: £28.00-Adult; £23.00 – 4 to 12; under 3 years can sit on adult. Payment non-refundable. Tickets available with volunteers at the end of all masses. Contact Person: Wendy Norris Tel: 020 8578 3247.

The Cardinal Wiseman Catholic School Greenford: Please see the link below to find the most recent Ofsted Report for Cardinal Wiseman School:

https://www.wiseman.ealing.sch.uk/page/?title =OFSTED%2FSEF%2FSGP&pid=50

Bull of Indiction of the Ordinary Jubilee of the Year 2025: Pope Francis on the fest of the Ascension issued the Bull of Indiction for the Jubilee/Holy Year of 2025 (Spes Non Confundit) "Hope does not disappoint" (Rom 5:5). It can be easily accessed via the diocesan website. <u>The Year of Jubilee 2025 - Diocese of Westminster (rcdow.org.uk)</u>

<b>MASS INTENTIONS:</b> 19 <sup>TH</sup> MAY 2024 – 26 <sup>TH</sup> MAY 2024	
18/05/2024 Saturday 12 noon	Santan Rego (Month's Mind)
18/05/2024 4 p.m.	KONKANI MASS
18/05/2024 6.30 p.m.	Santan & Emelia Dias (RIP)
19/05/2024 8 a.m.	Gracy Pereira (RIP)
19/05/2024 9.45 a.m.	Lemis D'Silva (Speical Intention)
19/05/2024 11.30 a.m.	People of the Parish
19/05/2024 3 p.m.	MALAYALAM MASS
19/05/2024 6.30 p.m.	Maria Steven Robinson (RIP)
20/05/2024 Monday 9.15 a.m.	Miguel Barretto (Birthday Thanksgiving)
21/05/2024 Tuesday 9.15 a.m.	Mazie Julia Dias (Birthday Thanksgiving)
22/05/2024 Wednesday 9.15 a.m.	Milton & Natty (25 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary)
23/05/2024 Thursday 9.15 a.m.	Elliott Johnstone (Thanksgiving)
24/05/2024 Friday 9.15 a.m.	Augustine & Carma D'Costa (RIP)
25/05/2024 Saturday 11 a.m.	First Holy Communion
25/05/2024 3.30 p.m.	First Holy Communion
25/05/2024 6.30 p.m.	Roselina Rodrigues (Second Death Anniversary)
26/05/2024 Sunday 8 a.m.	Andy Dolan (RIP)
26/05/2024 9.45 a.m.	Margaret Pereira (Third Death Anniversary)
26/05/2024 11.30 a.m.	Maria Kemp (First Death Anniversary)
26/05/2024 6.30 p.m.	People of the Parish