#### MOVEMBER

During "Movember" I will be raising money for "Pauls Place" a counselling service for people who have been bereaved through suicide. If you would like to donate, please use the "Movember Envelopes" found at the back of church, and then place into the offertory, or by visiting:

https://www.justgiving.com/page/rev-liam-collister-2

#### ANNUAL MEMORIAL MASS

Our annual Memorial Mass will take place on **Thursday 13th November 2025** at **6:00pm**, in **Saint Sebastian's Church**. During Mass, the names of all the people whose funeral took place within our churches in the last year will be read out; and special Remembrance Candles will be lit. All welcome to attend.

#### CHRISTMAS BINGO

Tickets are now on sale for our Christmas Bingo, which will take place on Friday 5th December 2025, at 1:00pm, at the back of St Oswald's Church. Tickets cost £10. Please see Pat Roscoe after Mass, or contact the Parish Office.

#### CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Tickets are now on sale for our Christmas Raffle, which will be drawn during the December Parish Lunch Club on **Thursday 11th December 2025**. Tickets are 20p each, or £1 a book.

#### **CHRISTMAS FAIR**

Our annual Christmas Fair will take place on **Saturday 22nd November** in **Saint Oswald's Church**. Donations of baked goods, unopened bottles, new and unwanted gifts/toys for the tombola stalls, costume jewellery, bric-a-brac etc (all in good condition,) would be greatly appreciated (please note, we will not be accepting books or DVDs). We are also looking for helpers who can assist us on the day; especially with setting up the stalls beforehand and tidying up afterwards. If you would like to help, please get contact the Parish Office.

For information on how to donate to our parishes, please scan the QR code



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# The Parishes of Saint Oswald and Saint Sebastian

26th October: 30th Sunday of Ordinary Time

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# **Parish Clergy**

Fr. Liam Collister Dcn. John Power

#### Office Hours

Monday: 09:00 — 15:30 Tuesday: *Closed* Wednesday: *Closed* Thursday: 09:00 — 15:30 Friday: 09:00 — 15:30

The tax collector, standing far off, beat his breast, saying,

"God, be merciful to me, a sinner!"

Our Family Of Parishes includes the communities of: Saint Oswald, Saint Sebastian, and Saint Cecilia.

Date	Time	Mass / Service	Location
Saturday 25 October	15:30 16:30 17:30	Exposition Louise & Thomas Carson (RIP) Ukrainian Rite Mass	Saint Oswalds Church Saint Oswalds Church Saint Sebastians Church
Sunday 26 October	09:30 11:00	Fr. Alan Devanney (RIP Ann) Parishioners	Saint Oswalds Church Saint Sebastians Church
Monday 27 October		No Masses / Services	grvices
Tuesday 28 October		No Masses / Services	grvices
Wednesday 29 October		No Masses / Services	grvices
Thursday 30 October	09:15	Rosary & Novena No Mass RCIA Course	Saint Cuthberts Chapel  No Mass  Saint Oswalds Presbytery
Friday 31 October		No Mass / Services	rvices
Saturday 01 November	15:30 16:30 17:30	Exposition Parishioners Ukrainian Rite Mass	Saint Oswalds Church Saint Oswalds Church Saint Sebastians Church
Sunday 02 November	09:30 11:00 13:00	Pious List Pious List Baptism's	Saint Oswalds Church Saint Sebastians Church Saint Oswalds Church

#### LATELY DEAD

We pray for all in our community who have died recently. Joan Winer, John Channell, Joseph Tallant, Liz Cray May the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

#### PARISH PRAYER LIST

Religious Vocations, Joe Keaveney, Padraig Egan, Mary Murphy, John Murphy, Jarleth Conway, Kathleen Conway, Joyce Jones, Ella Tetherington, Monica Bellew, James Toohey, Clare Connolly, Dcn .Chris Houseby

If you have any names/intentions for any of our prayer lists, please contact the Parish Office.

### PARISH PRAYER LAMPS

- 1. Pope Leo's intentions
- 2. Religious Vocations

Parish Prayer Lamps may be lit for any intention (£5 donation a Lamp).

# Weekend collection Sunday 19th October 2025

Collection in Saint Oswald's came to £685 Collection in Saint Sebastian's came to £160

World Missions Sunday
Collection came to £85
Thank you for your ongoing support

#### PARISH LOTTERY

Our draw took place on Friday 24th October. The winning numbers were: 02, 03, 04, 09, 10, and 11. There were no winners. The £10 consolation prize went to ticket number 72833. The next draw will take place on Friday 31st October, with an estimated jackpot of £1205. Good luck!

#### **DEANERY NOVENA OF MASSES**

Our deanery will be holding a Novena of Masses, between 27th October and 6th November. Churches within our deanery will host the Masses, with St Oswalds hosting the final Mass on **Thursday 6th November** at **7:00pm** celebrated by Archbishop John More details will be available in the coming weeks.

#### **NOVEMBER: MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS**

Please place any names for the Pious List in the Pious Envelopes; and leave in the "Pious List" box within our churches. Mass intentions for all on our Pious List will be celebrated every Tuesday, Thursday, and Sunday during November.

# SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

The Sacrament of Confirmation for St. Oswald, St Sebastian, St. Cecilia, and St. Matthew parish Communities will be celebrated on **Friday 14th November** at **18:00** in **St. Oswald's Church**.