

get in touch via the website or email. As Our parish representatives will be attending the Synod on Saturday 19th June, please ensure to get in touch before Saturday 12th June. If you wish to read them, there are number of places you can find them.

On our parish website: www.sebosw.org

Printed and found online: in the April edition of the Catholic Pic: www.catholicpic.co.uk

On the Diocese Synod Recommendations Website: where you will also be able to find some theological reflections on the proposals: www.synod2020recommendations.org.uk

Together on the Road: the printed Synod book, which also includes resources for discernment and the theological reflections. This is available for £3 from Pauline Books and Media, or via the Synod Office, (email: synod2020@rcaol.co.uk, or telephone: 0151 486 1206).

Please continue to keep the Synod in your prayers in the coming months

THE LOGOS & LITERATURE: ELABORATING THE DIVINE

A series of online evening talks, exploring some of the great themes of Catholic Christianity in writing old and new; with Catholic scholars and contemporary authors. Every second Thursday at 7:30pm from 29th April. For info and registration please visit:

<https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/logos-and-literature/>

ECHOS OF ISAIAH

You are invited to join for the next Zoom sharing “**Echoes of Isaiah**” which looks at Isaiah chapter 43 and links it to the Gospel using clips from “The Chosen”. Starting on Monday 26 April at 7-8pm it will run until the proposed end of Covid restrictions on Monday 21 June. Register for the Zoom link at

www.thegodwhospeaks2020.org.uk.

The Parishes of Saint Oswald and Saint Sebastian

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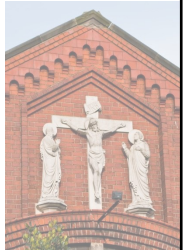
Office hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
9:00am — 3:00pm.

The office and presbytery are closed on Wednesday

Facebook: Friends of St. Sebastian's and St. Oswald's

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**Sunday 25th April 2021:
Fourth Sunday of Easter**

“I am the good shepherd.

I know my own and my own know me.

Just as the Father knows me and I know the Father.

And I lay down my life for the sheep.”

John 10:14-15

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 24	16:30	Mary Nirmala (RIP)
Sun 25	09:30	Winstanley & Woods Families
	11:00	Parishioners
Mon 26	10:00	Sr Camillus Walsh (RIP)
Tues 27	10:00	Ron Jones (Ann)
Wed 28	No Mass / service	
Thurs 29	10:00	Mary Wilson (RIP)
	13:00	Funeral Service Mary Wilson (RIP)
Fri 30	10:00	Joan Birchall (get well)
Sat 1 May	16:30	Parishioners
Sun 2	09:30	Sr Anne Murphy (RIP)
	11:00	Joseph Divers

At the moment all Masses are celebrated in Saint Oswald's Church

Unfortunately at this time, Saint Sebastian's cannot reopen due to ongoing building works.

From 1st May, you will not need to book a place to come to our Masses (unless you wish to make sure you have a particular seat). If you don't book, you will still have to give your contact details at the church door.

All previous restrictions will still remain in place (social distancing, wearing of face masks, etc.). There will also remain a restriction on numbers allowed to attend Mass, but we are able to accommodate more people within our church.

Funeral services will be celebrated within the church, but requiem Masses will not be celebrated at this time. **Please remember there is a maximum number of 30 people allowed to attend a funeral, and this number is set by the government.**

If you are at clinical risk of COVID-19, or have been told to shield, please follow the medical advice, and stay at home.

BAPTISMS AND HOLY COMMUNIONS

Please pray for Lexie-Mai Newman and Heidi & Willow Lawler who will be baptised this weekend, and also for Molly Monaghan who

will be baptised next weekend. We welcome all who are being baptised into our parish family. We also pray for the children in our parish who will be receiving their First Holy Communion during the month of May. We pray for all who will be receiving any sacraments during the coming weeks and months.

PARISH PRAYER LISTS

We remember in our prayers all whose anniversaries occur about this time, and all who have died recently.

Mick McCoy, Mary Wilson, Thomas Davies

Parish prayer list:

Peter Benson; Joseph Keaveney; Marilyn Brandon; Gary, Alma, & Alf Thomas; Danielle, Tom & Baby Luke; Pdraig Egan; Ann Tyrrell; Mary & John Murphy; Baby Anthony Bowman and Family; Lily Thomas; Josh Thomas; Wally & Kath; Vocations to the Priesthood, Diaconate, & Religious Life, Adam Mawer, Lil Corner, Mary Carroll, Debbie Froud, Stephen Parkinson, Jade Wilson, Baby Harvey McGarry & Family, Daniel Hastings

If you wish to have a name placed on our prayer list, please contact the office.

PRAYER LAMPS

The Prayer Lamps on the side altars in our churches may be lit for any prayer intention. We ask for a donation of £5 per lamp.

SAINT OSWALD'S LAMPS

Marian Lamp — Special Intention (Russell)
Sacred Heart — Alfie Davies (RIP)

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

If you use the offertory envelopes to donate to either of our churches, please contact the presbytery and we will make sure you receive them. Many thanks.

SYNOD 2020

As we approach our Archdiocesan Synod, taking place online on 19th June, Synod Members are currently discerning how they will vote on the recommendations that have emerged. Please take some time to read through them, and if you feel strongly about how the parish representatives should vote on any of the issues, please