# **SALISBURY NEWSLETTER—October 2022**



# **SALISBURY CIRCLE 266**

Founded 14<sup>th</sup> March 1971 Current membership 33







20th - 22nd September were a busy three days for Salisbury Catenians.

On Tuesday evening, the Morning Star Charity gave a talk on the history and scope of their work for the homeless, followed by a question and answer session. The talk which was open to all the three Parishes, was both insightful and thought provoking. Finally President Michael Presley handed over a cheque for £1,000 raised by Salisbury Catenians.

Salisbury President presenting a cheque to Mike & Kerry Badger

Wednesday evening saw an Inter - Circle Skittles Match between teams from Southampton, Andover and a joint Salisbury/Winchester team. Due to a difference in numbers within each team, the top 10 scores from each team were used obtain the result. At half time when we broke for a meal, Salisbury/ Winchester were in the lead but by the end of the evening Southampton (courtesy of the GB National President) overtook us by a single point. However the honours didn't all go to Southampton, Alison Verrian walked away with a bottle of Prosecco for the lady with the highest score.

Alison being presented with her bottle of Prosecco by Southampton President Malcom Forster





Finally at our Ladies night Circle meeting we welcomed Fr Joseph Columba, our new Assistant Priest here in Salisbury. Fr Joseph joined us for our meeting which he found interesting, and then for our dinner afterwards. Following the meal Fr Joseph gave us ia short but interesting talk on his journey into the Priesthood. Joseph Meigh was ordained to the Priesthood in a lovely Mass at Clifton Cathedral on Saturday 9th July 2022. Bishop Declan was the main celebrant. Fr Joseph has taken the name Fr Joseph Columba and has been appointed Assistant Priest at St Osmund's parish in Salisbury to gain experience of Parish life.

Fr Joseph Columba with Salisbury Catenian President Michael Presley

#### Other news

During out September meeting, one of the topics for discussion was membership retention and also ways in which our meetings could be made more accessible to all our members. Various options were touched on and Circle Vice President Steve Carrivick said he would construct a questionnaire for all members to respond. This has now been circulated and all Brothers are asked to please return all their completed questionnaire by 24th October, so we can discuss them at out October Circle meeting.

# **Diary Dates**

**Sunday 2nd October** - Season of Creation - The final session of a service of Readings, Prayer, and Reflection to mark the Season of Creation will be held at St Osmund's Church at 3.00pm.

**Tuesday 4th October** - Season of Creation - On the Feast of St Frances, Fr Brendan Thomas's recent video "In the Footsteps of St Francis" is being shown in St Osmund's Parish Rooms at 7.30pm.

**Saturday 8th October** - The Navy Larks, & The Kate Edgar Singers will be both performing at the Salisbury Methodist Church 7.30pm in aid of "Action for Children". Tickets are £7 Adults and £1 for Under 16's, refreshments included. Tickets available on the door or Telephone 01722 743700 or email: tickets@salisburymethodist.org

**Tuesday 11th October** - Pub lunch - Rose & Crown, Harnham 12.15. Advise Allan Trowbridge by Friday 7th October if you wish to attend.

**Tuesday 11th October** - Council meeting to be held at the White Hart Hotel, St John Street, Salisbury at 7.30pm (this will be a fully minuted meeting and registered as a main circle meeting in order that our 600th meeting will happen in September 2024).

**Friday 14th October** - Potential group guided tour of the gardens and lake at Stourhead to appreciate the wonderful autumn colours of the trees. (Further details to follow).

Thursday 27th October - Salisbury Circle meeting and dinner (gents informal).

**Saturday 5th November** -Salisbury Circle Mass for Deceased Brothers at St Osmund's Church, Salisbury at 12noon. Mass will be celebrated by Fr Joseph Columba. After Mass refreshments will be available in the Parish Hall. Please would circle members bring some food for the buffet either for a main course or dessert. Please advise Steve Carrivick of what you would like to bring so that we can avoid duplication.

**Wednesday 9th November** - Catenian mass in the Private chapel at Arundel Castle at 6pm. (Further details to follow as we may try to make a day trip of this and arrange a minibus if numbers permit).

**Wednesday 9th November** at 7:30pm the Salisbury Medieval Hall will be staging a performance of the "The Unknown Warrior". Further details can be found at https://salisburymedievalhall.com/the-unknown-soldier

**Wednesday 14th December** - Salisbury Circle Christmas Party & Dinner at White Hart Hotel, Salisbury. Further details to follow. If any Brother has suggestions or ideas for the evenings entertainment then please contact Brother David Morehead.

Anniversaries and Birthdays in October			
Enrolment:	David Morehead 21yrs, Cliff Bawden 4yrs, Allan Trowbridge 11yrs, Michael Presley 12yrs		
Birthday:	: Graham Brown, Michael Cairns, David Morehead		
Ladies Birthday:	: Melinda Hilliard, Mary Gillen		
Wedding:	: lan & Jaks Simpson, Richard & Melinda Hilliard		

# Please remember especially in your prayers

**Tony Broughton** 

John & Christine Edwards Michael & Mary Cairns

Cath Kiamtia (widow)

Mike O'Neill

Madelaine Sadler

Charles & Dorothea Sultana de Maria

John Say Ken McNally

# **Forthcoming Events**

A number of social events are under consideration or being planned, but if anyone has ideas, or would care to organise something, then please contact either Brother Michael Presley or Brother Steve Carrivick.

Events will be advised by the relevant organiser.

# **Meeting Diary**

Circle Meetings 4th Thursday of the month (no meeting in December) at the White Hart Hotel, Salisbury.

7.00pm for 7.30pm.

Council Meetings 2nd Tuesday of the month ZOOM unless advised otherwise).

7.30pm.

#### **Presidents Visits**

A rolling programme of Presidential Visits will be advised each month. Should you wish to accompany him please advise him direct.

NB You can visit other Circles at any time, you don't have to wait for a Presidents Visit

# **Circle Meeting**

# **Thursday 27th October**

Registration from 7.00pm

# Circle Meeting 7.30pm

Dress Code: Smart Casual Dinning Cost: £23.00

Brothers are kindly asked to advise the Dining Secretary David Morehead of their dining intentions, menu selection plus any dietary requirements, especially allergies, no later than SUNDAY 23rd.

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#### 27th October Menu

#### **Main Course**

Beef and Ale Pie

or

Chicken with a Cream and Mushroom Sauce

or

Penne Pasta with Tomato Sauce topped with Parmesan

#### **Dessert**

Profiteroles with Butterscotch Sauce or Apple and Forest Berry Pie with Custard or Chocolate Cheesecake

# Don't forget your tickets for the Salisbury Swindle

Each square selected costs only £2, with a monthly prize of £20. The draw takes place after the monthly circle meeting during the meal. As ever your generosity is much appreciated.

Brothers are reminded that photographs may be taken at our Circle functions for inclusion in the Newsletter and our website unless an objection has been notified. Please advise any of your visitors accordingly.

Officers 2022 – 2023				
President	Michael Presley	Vice President	Steve Carrivick	
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