

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF BL. DOMINIC BARBERI
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MASS INTENTIONS 29th December – 5th January 2025

Saturday 28th	HOLY FAMILY FEAST 6.00 pm Vigil Mass	Thanksgiving Mass with God's blessings for Sonia & Family
Sunday 29th	11.00 am Mass	Maria Dos Santos Madeira RIP
Monday 30th	9.00 am Mass	Cancio da Costa RIP
Tuesday 31st	6.00 pm End of Year Mass	Gerry Cole RIP
NEW YEAR Wednesday 1st	SOLEMNITY OF MARY MOTHER OF GOD 11.00 am Mass	Sr. Marianne Wallner RIP
Thursday 2nd	9.00 am Mass	Andrew Fleming RIP
Friday 3rd	9.00 am Mass (<i>in Newman's chapel</i>)	Tommy & Carmel Lennon
Saturday 4th	9.00 am Mass	People of the Parish
	EPIPHANY OF THE LORD 6.00 pm Vigil Mass	Michael Flood RIP
Sunday 5th	11.00 am Mass	Elzbieta Piotrowska RIP

CONFESSIONS on Saturdays 5.15 - 5.45pm, and after Saturday morning Mass by request.

ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament after weekday Mass until 10am, except Saturday.

CUP OF TEA/COFFEE after Sunday Mass in the parish hall.

Fr Ziggy wish all parishioners a HAPPY NEW YEAR 2025

May the coming year bring you an abundance of God's blessings, peace, love and joy.

THANK YOU: Fr Ziggy would like to thank all of you for nice Christmas wishes and gifts.

PASTORAL LETTER of Archbishop Bernard Longley will be read this Sunday for the Holy Family Feast.

OPENING OF THE JUBILEE YEAR 2025 in our archdiocese will begin this Sunday. The theme for this Jubilee is '*Pilgrims of Hope*'. **Blessed D. Barberi Church and St John Newman College** have been chosen as particular place of pilgrimage - JUBILLE CHURCH, and for the granting of the indulgence.

To mark Opening of the Jubilee in our church, we will have a short Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at the end of 11am Mass this Sunday. In the afternoon, we will gather at 3:30pm at the **Chapel of Newman College** to officially open this Jubilee Shrine. After the ceremony, all are welcome at The Library for a cup of tea and Carol Singing.

THE JUBILLE PRAYER

Father in heaven, may the *faith* you have given us in your son Jesus Christ our brother, and the flame of *charity* enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed *hope* for the coming of your Kingdom. May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos, in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally. May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION IN JUBILEE YEAR: On the first Sunday of each month in 2025, instead of a homily, there will be a period of prayer in front of the Blessed Sacrament concluded with Benediction after 11am Mass. This adoration will conclude our Sunday Mass celebration.

WEEKDAY MASSES next week will be celebrated in the church (except Fridays in Newman chapel).

SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD will be celebrated next Sunday (5th).

CHURCH CLEANERS: (January - June 2025) - your cleaning rota can be collected from the church porch.

Sat 28 th	D. Bibby/B. Downes	Sun 29 th	S. Corea/S. Hilton
Sat 04 th January	T. Naudi/T. Bennett	Sun 5 th January	D. Guterres/K. Hollett

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Let us pray for the sick, especially: Owen and Rena Naish, David Inwood, Angela Keown, Ann Daly, Donatien Draema, Pushpa Gomes, Gini Pope, Nayana Pilaye, Samson James, Am An Nathaliyan, Janet Joseph, Fiona Howe, Violet James, Stephen Ajit, Therese O'Malley, Sabby Wilkinson, Poonam Wilkinson, S P Massey, Jane, Jo Jo James, R. Frederick, Mary Cronin, Anglina Messy, Robina Ajit, Elizabeth Francis, Mary O'Mahony, Cynthia, Keith Culliford, Joyce Jose., Margaret Harte, Maria Codd, Sylvia Gilbert and all the patients of Littlemore Hospital.