

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF BL. DOMINIC BARBERI
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MASS INTENTIONS 13th – 20th September

Saturday 12th	24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 6.00 pm Vigil Mass	Margaret Corcoran RIP (1st Anniv.)
Sunday 13th	11.00 am Mass	John Batey RIP
Monday 14th	Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross 9.00 am Mass	Eileen Kelly RIP
Tuesday 15th	NO Mass	
Wednesday 16th	9.00 am Mass	David Watson (for healing)
Thursday 17th	9.00 am Mass	Michael Fernandes RIP (Birthday Remembrance)
Friday 18th	9.00 am Mass (<i>in Newman College</i>)	Edmundo Da Conceicao RIP
Saturday 19th	9.00 am Mass	People of the Parish
	25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 6.00 pm Vigil Mass	Fr Pat Armstrong
Sunday 20th	11.00 am Mass 12.15 pm Baptism of Oliver O'Neill	Private Intention (W.W.)

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

ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament after Friday's Mass until 10am

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

SECOND COLLECTION: Unless there is a Diocesan collection, the second collection is for Church Maintenance. There is an option on the Tap and Go machine to donate to this. Thank you for your generosity

EDUCATION SUNDAY - An Invitation from Archbishop Bernard Longley: 'Today we give thanks for the gift of Catholic education. Our schools have a mission to form Christ-centred pilgrims of hope, with kind hearts, questioning minds, a thirst for knowledge and a hunger for justice. There is a real need for more foundation directors and governors to help guide our schools and keep Christ at the heart of their mission. This is not simply an administrative role; it is a true vocation and a practical way to serve Christ and His Church. If you are a practising Catholic, committed to our mission, and willing to share your time, skills and faith, you can make a lasting difference for thousands of children and young people. No prior experience is required, as full training and support are provided.

God's unconditional love and readiness to forgive our sins remind us that service is not always easy, but it is always fruitful when rooted in love. Please speak to your parish priest or visit the Diocesan Education Service website for further details and to complete an online application form.: <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/news/could-you-be-a-foundation-governor-or-director-at-your-local-catholic-school> and <https://www.bdes.org.uk/governor-online-application-forms.html>. The Archbishop has written a Pastoral Letter for Education Sunday and it will be read at this Sunday Masses.

FEAST OF THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS will be celebrated this Monday. The Holy Cross of our Lord Jesus Christ is a symbol of hope for all, and his teachings in the Gospels a guiding light for lifelong learning and spiritual growth.

READERS' ROTA can be collected from the church porch.

CAR PARK GATE: A new car park gate will be installed in a few weeks time. This is for the security of the parish. We recognise the importance of safety for the parish community. This will cost £4620. If you can help, donations towards this would be greatly appreciated. Donations can be made via the DONA machine using the Church Maintenance option (please Gift Aid if you are eligible) or the second collections when they are for Church Maintenance. A big THANK YOU to those who have contributed already.

SOME parishioners, married couple with a grown up daughter are looking for somewhere to rent. If you can help, please contact Fr Ziggy

Sat 12 th	T. Bennett/T. Naudi	Sun 13 th	R. Floralde/E. McNamara
Sat 19 th	D. Downes/T. Bennett	Sun 20 th	D. Bibby/K. Hollett

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Let us pray for the sick, especially: David Inwood, Angela Keown, Ann Daly, Donatien Draema, Pushpa Gomes, Gini Pope, Nayana Pilaye, Samson James, Janet Joseph, Fiona Howe, 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, Keith Culliford, Margaret Harte, Sylvia Gilbert, Sharon Richira, , Anne Paynes, and all the patients of Littlemore Hospital.

The Parish operates in accordance with statutory safeguarding guidance and the national and archdiocesan policies and procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Ruth McNamara. She can be contacted at the parish safeguarding email address above. Alternatively, the Diocesan Safeguarding Team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 or safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concerns.

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