THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF BL. DOMINIC BARBERI
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MASS INTENTIONS 11th – 18th October		
Saturday 10th	28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 6.00 pm Vigil Mass	 Paraic O'Flaherty RIP
Sunday 11th	11.00 am Mass	Thanksgiving Mass with petition for God's blessings (Anna)
Monday 12th	9.00 am Mass	Luisa Maria Jose Belo Misquita RIP
Tuesday 13th	NO Mass	
Wednesday 14th	9.00 am Mass	Fr John Mundakal RIP
Thursday 15th	9.00 am Mass	Chris Doyle RIP
Friday 16th	9.00 am Mass *(in Newman College)*	Melania Bria Seran's Intention
Saturday 17th	NO Mass	
	29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 6.00 pm Vigil Mass	 Nellie Quirke RIP (Anniv.)
Sunday 18th	11.00 am Mass	Anthony Warner RIP

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

PRISONS SUNDAY is celebrated this Sunday. It marks the beginning of the week of prayer and action for prisoners, for their families and children, who often know hardship through no fault of their own, and for those who work in all areas of the prison ministry.

DEANERY VISITATION: The Closing Meeting for our Deanery Visitation presenting the final report in our parish went very well. It was a pleasure to host Archbishop Bernard, bishop Richard, priests and the representatives of all parishes in our deanery. Thank you to all those who helped to organize this event and those who took part in it. We could hear some encouraging things about our parishes in areas of evangelisation, formation, liturgy and worship, and charity and social outreach, as well as challenges that need to be addressed in the near future in our deanery. There is, however, a sense of willingness to adapt and support the necessary changes.

FAITH FORMATION FOR YOUNG PEOPLE: The next session of faith formation for the youth of our parish, organized by The Sisters of the Spiritual Family The Work, will take place next Saturday 17th October 2026 at 2:45 pm at the Newman College. We look forward to welcoming many of our young people! Please contact the Sisters (Tel. 01865779743, email: littlemore@thework-fso.org).

PLEASE note that there will be NO morning 9am Mass next Saturday 17th of October.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR will be held on Saturday 21st November 12-3pm.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: We are compiling a list of candidates for First Holy Communion 2027. Please let Fr Ziggy or Kate Hollett firstcommuniondominicbarberi@gmail.com know, if your child should be included on this list. First Holy Communion Mass will be celebrated on Saturday 15th May. The preparation classes will begin in January on Sundays 9:45-10:45am at the parish hall.

CONFIRMATION MASS will be celebrated on Sunday 25th April 2027; the preparation sessions will begin in February on Saturdays 10-11am in the parish hall.

CHURCH HEATING SYSTEM had to be shut down for safety reasons, as there are cracks and holes in the main burner. This is a major failure and we are awaiting for the heating company to resolve this. Please be aware that it might be colder in the Church.

NEW CAR PARK GATE will be installed soon for the security of the parish. If you can help, donations will be greatly appreciated. A big Thank you to those who have contributed already.

Sat 10th	E. McNamara/W. Wamani	Sun 11th	L. Dos Santos Justino/D. Guterres
Sat 17th	W. Wamani/T. Bennett	Sun 18th	D. Guterres/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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