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MASS INTENTIONS 1st – 8th November		
Saturday 31st	SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS 6.00 pm Vigil Mass	Helder Mota & Melania Bria Seran Intentions (Thanksgiving to God)
Sunday 1st	11.00 am Mass	November Dead List
Monday 2nd	The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed 9.00 am Mass	November Dead List
Tuesday 3rd	NO Mass	
Wednesday 4th	9.00 am Mass 7.45 pm Holy Hour	November Dead List
Thursday 5th	**9.30** am School Mass	November Dead List
Friday 6th	9.00 am Mass *(in Newman College)*	November Dead List
Saturday 7th	9.00 am Mass	People of the Parish
	THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 6.00 pm Vigil Mass	November Dead List
Sunday 8th	11.00 am Mass 3.00 pm Blessings of the Graves at Rose Hill Cemetery	Maryam and Akbar Afshari Sarjaz 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.

SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS this Sunday celebrates all the unknown saints who are now in heaven. The Church reminds us that sanctity is within everyone's reach. Through the Communion of Saints, we can help each other.

SECOND COLLECTION this Sunday will be for **JOHNSON CLERGY ASSOCIATION** (Birmingham) CIO, which has supported priest for over 315 years. These priests who are sick, infirm or retired often depend on support of the Association. During the past year the Association gave grants of over £399,000 to approximately 60 priests. Please help us to care for them who have cared for you. Your financial generosity is greatly appreciated but please remember the pray for the work of the Association and for its members.

NOVEMBER is a month to pray for our departed loved ones. On 2nd November (the Commemoration of All the Faithful departed) and throughout this month, the Church prays for all who are in purgatory, waiting for the day when they will join the company of the saints in heaven. NOVEMBER DEAD LIST ENVELOPES are available at the back of the church. You can leave them in the box at the church door. The Holy Mass will be offered for them in November.

HOLY HOUR for vocations this Wednesday (4th) from 7.45 - 8.45pm in the church.
SCHOOL MASS will be celebrated this Thursday at 9.30am for St John Fisher R.C. Primary School.

BLESSING OF GRAVES at Rose Hill Cemetery next Sunday (8th) at 3pm. We will gather in the cemetery chapel for a service of prayer for the dead, and then we will walk among the graves praying the Rosary and blessing them.

FR IAN KER MEMORIAL LECTURE at Newman College this Sunday (1st) at 4pm. Dr Marie Daouda, Lecturer at Oriel College Oxford, will speak on "Newman as Novelist". For more information see details on notice board.

FRIENDS OF THE HOLY LAND On 14/15 November, Andrew Nash of Friends of the Holy Land , will visit our parish and speak about the work of the Friends to support Christian population in Palestine & Israel. The second collection will be for this purpose.

CHF Oxford Fellowship-Lourdes Pilgrimage fund. Bingo to be held on Wednesday 18th November at Headington Conservative Club, Windmill Rd. OX3 7BZ. Doors open 7pm. Cash only please.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR will be held on Saturday 21st November 12-3pm. We need donations of cakes, bottles (alcoholic or non-alcoholic) and prizes for the Grand Draw. This is a social parish event and major source of fundraising for the parish.

BLESSING OF GRAVES at Rose Hill Cemetery will take place on Sunday 8th November at 3pm.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: We are compiling lists of candidates for First Holy Communion and Confirmation 2027. Please contact Kate Hollett, parish FHC catechist on firstcommuniondominicbarberi@gmail.com , or Fr Ziggy for Confirmation.

CHURCH HEATING SYSTEM is still shut down for safety reasons. 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.

Sat 31st	B. Downes/T. Naudi	Sun 1st November	R. Francis / L. Dos Santos Justino
Sat 7th November	T. Naudi/D. Bibby	Sun 8th November	R. Floralde/D. P. Costa

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. - *The Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham. Registered Charity No 234216*