



NEWSLETTER

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23RD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

EDUCATION DAY

10TH SEPTEMBER, 2017

MASS TIMES, INTENTIONS & SERVICES

SEPTEMBER 2017

10 th	Sun	09.30	Tony Donovan + <i>Main Choir</i>
		18.00	Pro Populo
11 th	Mon	09.00	James Maughan +
12 th	Tue	19.00	HOLY ROSARY
		19.30	Fr Andrew Nkhata +
13 th	Wed		NO MASS
14 th	Thu	18.30	EXPOSITION AND BENEDECTION
		19.00	Mary Perks (1 st ann) + <i>Feast of the Exultation of the Holy Cross</i>
15 th	Fri	09.00	Paudraig Geelen + <i>Our Lady of Sorrows</i>
16 th	Sat	10.00	Helen Cullen Intention <i>Ss Cornelius, & Cyprian,</i>
		10.30-11.00	CONFESIONS
17 th		24TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	
		09.30	Manuel Duarte
			<i>Music on PA System</i>
		18.00	Joao Tavaris

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK OR RECOVERING:

Minnie Rowse, Jean Collard, Pat Barfield, Dennis Thompson, Philomena Little, Sally Muhuta, Anna Ingelton, Ann Holden, Paddy Meridith, Michelle Iverson, Major Bartolome Giron, Vera Cooper, Bernadette Samworth, Natasha Anderson, Julio Arquimbau, Kate Surman, Steven Bradley, Johanes Baptista Klau, Bozena Pastuszka, Lucas Randall, Neville Melhado, Betty Duff, Noreen Mills, Christopher Owen King, Mary Healey, Charlie King, Andrew Pile and all who care for the sick.

RECENT DEAD: HE Cardinal Cormac Murphy-O'Connor whose funeral rites will be performed at Westminster Cathedral on 12th and 13th September at Westminster Cathedral.

ANNIVERSARIES: Billy Durkin

FINANCES:

- Offertory: £563.22
- Side Window Fund: £96.25

SECOND COLLECTION TODAY: for Catholic Education Service

HALF & HALF: Please keep buying tickets for the next draw which will take place Sunday on 24th September.

EUCARISTIC MINISTERS

- **TODAY 9.30AM:** Chris Donovan, Jenny Parker and Lorraine McKenna. **6.00pm** John Thomas and Juniya John.

- **NEXT WEEK 9.30am:** Matthew Emmersion, Philomena Doherty and Marry Barry. **6.00pm:** Fred Manansala and Lilian Tatenda Mwawa.

READERS

- **TODAY: 9.30AM :** Veronica Robbins, Sally McVeigh and Michelle Afanu. **6.00PM** Reemon Jacob, Jason Waine & Rachel Beward
- **NEXT WEEK: 9.30AM:** Michelle Rodrigues, Sr, Stella and Rachele Beward **6.00PM:** John Thomas, Reemon Jacob and Jason Waine
- *Copies of next week's readings are available on the small table by the entrance to the sacristy or else you can access them online: <http://www.wednesdayword.org>*

FLOWER ARRANGEMENT: Thanks to Maggie Durkin and Margaret Early for the flower arrangement this week. Next week it will be the turn of Jocelyn Esteban and Claire Fermin

RESUMPTION OF INFANT BAPTISMAL COURSES: Those wishing to have their children baptized the preparatory program for September begins this Thursday, (14th September) starting with Mass at 7.00pm followed by the course at 7.30pm.

RIVER SIDE WALK: Next Sunday, 17th September. Starting from Folly Bridge at 11.30am. Please be on time as part of the walk is detoured due to maintenance. We need to follow Jacque to take us through the detour. The walk will terminate at Sandford Lock and end with a meal either at either King Arms on Sandford Lock or at Bullnose. Things will be clear on the day. Sponsorship forms can be got from Jacqui Halliday if you wish to take part or please do sponsor someone for the Side Window Project.

DEANERY VISITATION: This winter, Archbishop Bernard Longley and Bishop William Kenney will conduct a parish to parish visitation of the North Oxfordshire Deanery. The opening visitation meeting will take place at Blessed Dominic Barberi on Wednesday, 20th September at 7pm. and closing of the Visitation will take place on 9th March 2018. I will be asking three representatives from the parish to come with me to Littlemore for the opening event. The weekend of 2nd and 3rd December Bishop William Kenney will have an extensive visitation of our parish of Sacred Heart.

CAFOD HARVEST SUPPORTERS' DAY: Saturday, 30 September at Our Lady Help of Christians, 59 Hollow Way, Cowley, **Oxford OX4 2ND**. Come along to hear an inspiring story from Bishop William Kenney about his experience in the Sudan from 10am till 2:30pm (shared lunch from 1:30pm).

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEK: for Home Mission Sunday.