



BLESSED DOMINIC BARBERI, of the Passionist Order.

This Italian priest has played an important role in the religious life of England. In 1841 he arrived on these shores and for eight years exercised an energetic and fruitful missionary apostolate. He preached missions and gave retreats throughout the country, and established several houses of his own Order, the Passionists.

In the history of English Catholicism, Blessed Dominic will probably best be remembered for being the priest who received John Henry Newman into the Catholic Church. Newman was an Anglican clergyman, a serious scholar, and thoroughly English in every way. Blessed Dominic was none of those things. Yet the inscrutable plans of Divine Providence had ordained that their two lives should cross. On the evening of 8th October 1845, in torrential rain, Fr. Barberi arrived at the small cottage in the village of Littlemore outside Oxford to which Mr Newman had retreated when he withdrew from ministry in the Church of England. The next day, 9th October, after Newman had made an extensive general confession lasting several hours, Fr. Dominic absolved the Anglican scholar and clergyman from heresy and schism, and then received him into what Newman had been given the grace to recognize as "the one fold of the Redeemer".

<http://www.birminghamoratory.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2013/07/Dominic-Barberi-Homily.pdf>

NOVENA PRAYER

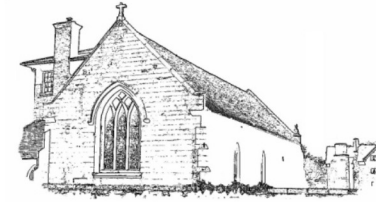
O God who so lovingly raised Blessed Dominic Barberi to the heights of holiness, learning, apostolic zeal and made him a powerful minister of your mercy, listen to our humble request. We pray that you will in your goodness, grant a miracle through the intercession of Blessed Dominic, so that the Church may further honour him on earth and that many more people will come to know and invoke the help of this faithful servant of the Church. We ask this through Christ Our Lord, Amen.

Mary Mother of Holy Hope: Pray for us.
Blessed Dominic Barberi: Pray for us.
Blessed John Henry Newman: Pray for us.

<http://passionists-uk.org/novena-for-bl-dominic-barberi-please-pray-with-us/>

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The Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham

Times of Holy Mass and Intentions (YEAR C Readings)

Sunday 24 March

8.30 am -
10.30 am -

There will be a second collection after both Masses today in response to CAFOD's Emergency Cyclone Idai Appeal.

5.00 pm -

Monday 25 March

9.00 am -

Tuesday 26 March

9.00 am -

Wednesday 27 March

9.00 am -
9.30 am -

Thursday 28 March

11.30 am -

Friday 29 March

11.30 am -

Saturday 30 March

10.00 am -

Sunday 31 March

8.30 am -
10.30 am -
5.00 pm -

Third Sunday of Lent

Day of Prayer for the Candidates for the Sacraments
Diocesan Novena to Bl Dominic of the Mother of God.
 For the People of The Parish
 Vocations to priesthood and diaconate on behalf of
 Kidderminster and District Catenian Circle

Stations of The Cross

Solemnity of The Annunciation of The Lord

Diocesan Novena to Bl Dominic of the Mother of God.
 Mary Torros R.I.P.

Lent Feria

Diocesan Novena to Bl Dominic of the Mother of God.
 Louise Murphy R.I.P.

Lent Feria

Diocesan Novena to Bl Dominic of the Mother of God.
 Stan Robson R.I.P.
 # Discussion Group (please see note below)

Lent Feria

Diocesan Novena to Bl Dominic of the Mother of God.
 Doreen Millard R.I.P.

Lent Feria

Diocesan Novena to Bl Dominic of the Mother of God.
 Timothy O'Sullivan R.I.P.

Lent Feria

Maria Oakes R.I.P.

Fourth Sunday of Lent

Day of Prayer for the Candidates for the Sacraments
 Ernest Godwin R.I.P.
 For the People of The Parish
 Stations of The Cross

Anniversaries in March: Rev John Marsden (1824), Ann Parkes (1863), Joseph Chare (1865), Rev John Brownlow (1888), Philip Alfred Haskew (1897), William Benedick Oakley (1908), Henry Mercer (1974), Anna Newton Keenan (1992), Ernest Godwin (1993), Ann Kiley (2004), Martin Amphlett (2013), Geraldine Pritchard (2017), Aubrey Campbell (2018), Tom Wilcox (2018), Anthony Francis-Flores (2018)

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Michael Bianco who died recently.
May he Rest In Peace.

Prayers for the sick: Denis Conway, Kathleen Clark, Anthony Mitchell, Jeannie Morrison, Charles Paice, Michael Bird.

Eucharistic Ministers:

Sunday 24 March Greg Kelly, Helen Raphael
John Charuk, Steve McWalter
Sunday 31 March Stephen Fox, Bridget Robson
Jean Lloyd, Mary Meese

Readers:

Sunday 24 March Geoff Summers
Terry Mulroy
Sunday 31 March Martin Dawson
David Lewis

Church Cleaners:

Friday 29 March Teresa & Greg Oakley
Friday 5 April June & Robert Hall

Money Counters:

For the 24 March collection Mrs B Goodyear & Mrs M Walmsley
For the 31 March collection Andrea Barker & Marian Trafford

Contributions to the Parish:

Weekly Offertory taken on Sunday 17 March

Gift Aid Direct Debits £259.00
Gift Aid Envelopes £224.40
Loose cash £204.22
Second collection taken for CAFOD, Lent Fast Day: £597.88

SAFEGUARDING OFFICER: Mrs J Lloyd - 01562 754448

- If you would like to speak to someone about Diocesan safeguarding and the Church's work, please call **0121 230 6240**.
- If you would like to speak to someone independent of the Church you can contact the NSPCC on **0808 800 5000**.

HEALTH & SAFETY OFFICER: Mr M Dawson

EMERGENCY EXIT: Via sacristy and through the house



PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOPS are going to be run later in the Spring. An introductory presentation will be in the stable on **Sunday 7 April** after **10.30 Mass**. Please see the posters in the church porch and stable for further details. **So we can plan whether the stable's upstairs is large enough to accommodate numbers please sign one of the forms either on the porch table or on the stable notice board to register your interest.**



Vacancy for **Deputy Head Teacher:-**

St. Alban's Catholic Primary School, Broad Lane, Kings Heath, Birmingham, B14 5AL. Tel: 0121 444 6530

If you are interested in applying for this vacancy please go to the school's website for more information. www.st-albans.eschools.co.uk
Closing Date for Applications: Monday 8th April 2019 (12.00 pm)



Celebrate Easter and the Lord's Resurrection by taking an **EMMAUS WALK** on **SATURDAY 27 APRIL 2019**

This sponsored walk, organised by The Friends of the Holy Land, is a walk to St Mary's Harvington starting at different places chosen as they are approximately an Emmaus distance away including Stourbridge, Stourport, Bromsgrove, Cutnall Green and Kidderminster (these last two being a little shorter). **Registration and Sponsorship Forms are now available.** Please ask Gail and Stephen Brown or Anne and Jim Quinn



The St Mary's Harvington Events Committee invite us all to join a **'BLUEBELL WALK'** on **TUESDAY 30 APRIL**. Leaving Harvington at 10.00am joining up with those who would rather start in Chaddelsy at 10.45am, arriving at Rowberry's Tea rooms 12.30/1.00pm approx. when others are welcome to join the walkers for refreshments.



CAFOD Emergency Cyclone Idai Appeal

Please support our parish second collection for this appeal. Your donation will give food, clean water and healthcare to people in desperate need.

Gabriel, CAFOD's expert working with the Church in Mozambique at this time, tells us: "We know that Idai has wiped out crops and livestock, damaged water supplies and wrecked sanitation facilities, leaving vulnerable families even more exposed. With the support and generosity of the Catholic community, we can reach the people who really need urgent emergency aid."



The Wednesday Word Trust leaflets are available from the table in the porch or may be downloaded from: <http://www.wednesdayword.org/parish/index.htm> (click on The Parish Version) either for your personal use at home or in anticipation of the **GROUP DISCUSSION** on **WEDNESDAY MORNINGS**. The informal discussion group is led by Fr John and is open to everyone. Do come along for a coffee and an exchange of ideas!