

OUR LADY OF THE HOLY SOULS

Kensal New Town



3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME — 25TH JANUARY 2026



Live Jesus' Prophecy today:
Bring light into darkness

MASSES & SERVICES

Sunday 25 6 pm Vigil (Sat) 9.00 am 11.00 am	3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Kathleen Murphy (INT) Mary & John Cotter (INT) People of the Parish	Thursday 29 9.30 am	Feria Patrick Morgan (RIP)
Monday 26 No Mass	Feria	Friday 30 11.00 am	Feria Funeral Mass: Maureen Daly
Tuesday 27 9.30 am 11.00 am	Feria Noctor Family (INT) Funeral Mass of Magdalena Thelma Charlemagne	Sunday 1st 6 pm Vigil (Sat) 9.00 am 11.00 am	4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Paddy & Margaret Barry (INT) People of the Parish Arthur (RIP) and Christine Dale 46th wedding anniversary
Wednesday 28 9.30 am	Saint Thomas Aquinas Rowan Family (INT)		

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT Every Saturday 5-6 pm in the church before Mass and during Confessions

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE/ CONFESSIONS, Saturday 5.15pm—5.45pm or by appointment (call 020 3376 4133)

BAPTISMS By appointment. Please see the website for more information, or speak to the Parish Priest. Adults wishing to enquire about the Catholic Faith should speak to the Parish Priest. (For some local Catholic Secondary schools, it is a requirement that your child is baptised within 6 months of birth.)

WEDDINGS For those couples wishing to get married here or elsewhere, it is important that you notify Fr Damian at least 6 months before your wedding date.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK – If you are admitted to Hospital, please ask for your details are to be passed to the R.C. Chaplain and that you would like the R.C. Chaplain to visit. If any one is in danger of death and needs Last Rites at home, please, call Fr Damian at the office on 0203376 4134. If no answer, please call 07356 232090, and leave a message. He is generally available from Tuesday 6 am to Sunday 6pm.

To book a Mass or Lamp Intention, please contact the Parish Office

The Blessed Sacrament Lamp: Sick & Housebound
The Lamp by the Shrine of Our Lady: People of the Parish
The Lamp by the Sacred Heart: Deceased People

Please pray for the sick and homebound
Please pray for all those who have recently died, especially
Magdalena Thelma Charlemagne, Maureen Daly, Simon Cullinane and Mary Dulice



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Parish Office Hours: Tue-Fri 10:00—12:30

Website: parish.rcdow.org.uk/kensalnewtown/

Parish Priest: Fr Damian Ryan (IG: [@DamianRyan30](https://www.instagram.com/DamianRyan30))

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Fr. Damian
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PARISHIONER TESTIMONY:

"Jesus truly saved me. Everything I have is from because of him. Without Jesus, I don't have purpose because everything I do is for Jesus."

CHURCH MINISTRY & TEAMS GATHERING (CMTG)

We will have a Church Ministry & Teams Gathering (CMTG) for all adults and young people who serve in any type of parish ministry and teams. The aim of the meeting is to strengthen **community identity and purpose**, celebrate our successes, and **build up** the parish further. The date will be **Sat 31st Jan 2026 10-12, in the church hall**. Please sign up on the notice board in church, or confirm your attendance with the parish office. Please reply by email kensalnewtown@rcdow.org.uk or call 020 3376 4133.

Please Pick up a blue copy paper at the back of church

RIP

The Funeral of **Magdalena Thelma Charlemagne** will be on **Tuesday 27th January at 11:00 am** followed by **Burial at Kensal Green Cemetery at 12 noon**. The Funeral of **Maureen Daly** will be on **Friday 30th January at 11 am** followed by **Burial at West London Crematorium at 12 noon**. The Funeral of **Simon Cullinane** will be on **Wednesday 4th February at 10:00 am** followed by **Cremation at West London Crematorium at 12 noon**.

The Funeral of **Mary Dulice** will be on **Thursday 19th February at 10:00 am** followed by **Committal Service at Kensal Green Cemetery at 11:30 am**.

We commend **Magdalena, Maureen, Simon and Mary** to the love and mercy of the Lord and pray for them and their families at this sad and difficult time.

ALPHA

We are starting our 6th season of **alpha** for adults on **Sunday 11th Jan 4 pm** in the **parish hall**. Alpha is an 11 week series where everyone (from argumentative atheists to committed baptised Catholics) can get curious and explore the **big questions of life, faith, and meaning**, in a relaxed and informal way, with food and drink, input, and open discussion (you can say anything you want!). Places are now full. However, you can go on our waiting list by registering using a form at the back of church or online. Please, do pray for our team and guests.

GRATITUDE:

After more than 20 years of dedicated service as Chair of the Parish Finance Committee, **Leo John** is stepping down from this role. We are deeply grateful to **Leo** for his faithful and generous service to the parish over so many years. Please join us in the Parish Hall after the **11.00 am Mass on Sunday 1st February** to express our thanks and appreciation.

DIVINE MERCY PRAYERS

Divine Mercy Prayers takes place on the first Sunday of each month from **12.30-1:30pm**. The next one will be **1st February**. Contact **Celine Green** (07960334140) for more information.

SUNDAY COFFEE MORNING

Sunday Coffee Morning takes place on the first Sunday of each month. The next one will be on **1st February** after the 9 am and 11 am Masses. Donation collected during Coffee Morning will be used to cover the cost. Everyone is welcome!

MASS IN THANKSGIVING

For **Cardinal Vincent Nichols** will take place on **Thursday 5th February at 5:30 pm**, at **Westminster Cathedral**.

ANNUAL MASS OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES

And for the **World Day of Prayer for the Sick** will be take place on **Saturday 7th February at 2.00 pm**, at **Westminster Cathedral**.

INSTALLATION MASS OF ARCHBISHOP RICHARD MOTH:

Vespers at 5.30pm on Friday 13 February, Mass at 12pm on Saturday 14 February at **Westminster Cathedral**.

WESTMINSTER DIOCESE PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES:

17th to 24th July 2026. Registration is now open at <https://pilgrimages.rcdow.org.uk/registration-form> or via the Pilgrimage Office on **0207 798 9173**. If you would like to sponsor or fundraise for an Assisted Pilgrim, member of the medical team or volunteer then please also contact the Pilgrimage Office for further details. Please see the Notice board and QR Code for registration.

MARRIAGE WEEK 7TH TO 14TH FEBRUARY:

"On Love in the Family." To prepare for this anniversary, we invite you from the beginning of National Marriage Week, **7-14 February until 19 March 2026**, to reflect on the central role that marriage and family life play in our Church and in wider society. More info <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/marriage-week/>

PARISH BAZAAR:

The total amount raised was **£7,247.04!!!**

Thank you all for your generous support and collaboration. These funds will be used to refurbish the kitchen in the Hall.

Offertory Collection for the week ends 18/01/2026: **Christmas Bazaar: £ 7,247.04**

Loose: **£243.81** Envelopes: **£282.20** Contactless: **£ 94.39** Standing Orders: **£234.50** **TOTAL: £854.90** **Thank you!**

ITEMS FOR THE NEWSLETTER: Please make sure that any items you wish to be included in the weekly Newsletter are with the Parish Office by 10.30am on Fridays by contacting kensalnewtown@rcdow.org.uk. Newsletter items received after this time cannot be guaranteed to appear in the Newsletter that week.

JOB VACANCIES WITHIN THE DIOCESE: For more details, go to: <https://jobs.rcdow.org.uk>.

GIFT AID: If you are a UK tax payer and wish to Gift Aid your donations, please contact the office or visit the parish website.