Snippets

20th September 2026

25th Sunday In Ordinary Time



MASS TIMES

SAT: 10:00am
For the welfare of the parishioners

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SUN: 8:00am
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SUN: 10:00am
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MON: 7:15pm
Mass followed by Holy Rosary and Mothers Prayer

TUES: 9:30am
For the welfare of the parishioners

WED :9:30am No Service
Celebration of the Word and Holy Communion

THURS: 9:30am
Celebration of the Word and Holy Communion

FRI: 9:30am
Mass followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

SAT: 5:15 - 5:45pm
Sacrament of Reconciliation

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Prayers for the Faithful, please contact Canon Cronin.

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After 10am Sunday Mass

Join us for coffee in the Church Hall



May God Bless you all
Canon Danny

A message from Cannon Danny

Today, Friday 18th at 7.00pm at the Church of Our Lady of All Creation, Rant Meadow, Hemel Hempstead, HP3 8PG, there will be a Mass in honour of St Carlo Acutis with a relic of part of his heart. I understand there may be a talk afterwards by a priest closely associated with his process of Canonisation. I intend to be present myself.

From the Archbishop

This weekend, I will have the joy of leading, for the first time, our Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham. Over the past decade, since the Diocese of Westminster made its first annual pilgrimage to Walsingham, great numbers of the faithful have walked the Pilgrim Way, coming together in prayer and fellowship at the Shrine of Our Lady.

I look forward to seeing many of you there with your parish communities. For those of you who cannot attend this year, please keep all of us in your prayers, as we keep you in ours.

Archbishop Richard Moth

CAFOD's Family Fast Day is on Friday 2 October.

It is a day when we are invited to pray, eat simply and give generously.

By giving to CAFOD this Harvest, we can put our faith into action and share God's love with our neighbours overseas – we can help communities support children to stay in school with better access to water, nourishing school meals and gardens where food can be grown, even during times of drought.

Please collect a CAFOD envelope as you leave, or donate online at **cafod.org.uk/envelope** or call **0303 303 3030**.

You can also donate using the QR code

Thank you for your generosity.

Children's Liturgy 10am Mass, First Sunday of every month during term time.

Reminder

First Holy Communion Preparation for 2027

We invite all children in year 3 and above who want to join our First Holy Communion preparation to register now.

Application forms are available in the church foyer or can be emailed upon request. Please return your completed application form to the church office with a **photocopy** of your child's **Baptism Certificate**. There is also a charge of £25 for the resources required. Cash or a cheque payable to WRCDT St Thomas More, Knebworth, can be placed in an envelope marked First Holy Communion 2027 and your child's name and posted to the presbytery door. Or you can make a BACS payment to WRCDT St Thomas More, Knebworth, with a reference of FHC. If you have any questions, please respond to the church email address knebworth@rcdow.org.uk

Date for the first session is on **Sunday 11th October 2026.** Time TBC

Catholic Chaplaincy to London's Universities

Are you a student at one of the universities or colleges in London, or in Hatfield? Our Catholic Chaplaincy is for you! It's based at Newman House, 111 Gower Street, WC1E 6AR. We have Sunday Masses for students and regular events during the week. And in many of the universities and colleges we also have campus-based Catholic societies and activities. Go to: www.universitycatholic.net or our Instagram page: @newmanhouselondon to find out more. If you are a full-time student (undergraduate or graduate student) heading to a university outside London, then why not take a look at https://www.catholicsatuniversity.org.uk/ to identify the Catholic chaplaincy in your place of study.

"The Saint John Henry Newman School warmly invites parents of Year 6 pupils to an Open Evening on Thursday 24th September, from 5:30pm – 8:00pm . Prospectuses and Application Forms will be available on the evening.

The last tour will be at 7:00p.m. and the school will close to visitors once the final Headteacher's address starts at 7:30p.m.

Flyers can be found in the church foyer

Come & See Vocations Morning – Sat 17th Oct, 10.30-1.30 at Ealing Abbey, Charlbury Grove W52 DY. **Could God be calling you?** If you have ever wondered whether God might be calling you to serve the Church as a Priest or Permanent Deacon, come and learn more about the Priesthood and Permanent Diaconate. Hear from those already serving in their vocations and meet others who are also discerning their vocation. Refreshments and a light lunch will be provided. To find out more and register your attendance: contact Canon Roger Taylor, Vocations Promoter vocationspromoter@rcdow.org.uk or Deacon Ian Edwards Assistant Director, Permanent Diaconate ianedwards@rcdow.org.uk

St Thomas More: An Evening with Dr Joanne Paul

Join historian and broadcaster Dr Joanne Paul for an evening exploring the life of St Thomas More - his beliefs, his writing and his dramatic clash with Henry VIII. The talk will be followed by a Q&A, with plenty of opportunity to ask questions. 7:00pm, Thursday 15 October 2026 at the Church of St Thomas More, 9 Henry Road, Manor House, London N4 2LH. Tickets are £10. Book at www.eventbrite.co.uk — search "Joanne Paul and St Thomas More". Contact John Mullen john_mullen@hotmail.com for further information.

Peter's Pence

The Apostolic Nuncio has written to thank parishes for their generous donations to the Peter's Pence collection, which helps support the Holy Father in his mission. In July 2026, a total of £6,474.68. Thank you to everyone who contributed generously.



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