

Rotas commencing TODAY Sunday August 10th

Eucharistic Ministers 10am	Eucharistic Ministers 6pm	Readers 10am August	Readers 6pm August	Weekday readers This week	Eucharistic Ministers weekdays
Ted Cross	Pearle Gorman	Volunteers please	Volunteers please	Liam McMahon	Christine Kelly
Margaret Duffy	Santosh Pinto	Volunteers please	Volunteers please	Bridie Close	Imelda Dean
Margaret Hennigan	Julia Traynor	Volunteers please	Volunteers please	Counting Team	
Christine Kelly	Little Church	Tea & Coffee		Ged Allcock	
Bernadette Kirstein	On holiday	M Allcock	10am Offertory	Olive Hogan	
John McCormack		E Bostock	Volunteers please	Liam McMahon	
Pauline Nieri		Mary Saunders		Yvonne Tapodi	Cleaning team

FAMILY FLOWERS: Thank you for the continued gifts of flowers for the Church. **New flower list** at the back of Church; over the last few weeks gifts from the Froggatt Family, Carr Family, In memory of Mary Rowley Thank you.

Last week's Offerings to the Parish: Total £604.60 Thank you

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Items for the Bulletin can be left at the Presbytery or emailed to michaelkujacz@hotmail.com by **Wednesday evening** as the Newsletter for inclusion the following Sunday is usually published Friday Morning.

Signed Mass Cards can be obtained from Bridie Close, 44 Shawbrook Rd, during the week or on Sundays from the Bookstall (back of Church) or the Piety Stall (Parish Hall).

Pope Francis tweet: I ask all Catholic parishes and communities to offer a special prayer this weekend for Iraqi Christians

ST. BERNARD'S PARISH NEWSLETTER

Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sunday 10th August 2014



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19th Sunday MASS 7/ Creed 11; Sunday P. 114 Eucharistic Prayer 2 (p24)
Hymns; 243, 641, 379, 706



This Monday is our Diocesan Day for praying for Vocations. Each Parish is given a day to intercede that candidates will come forward for the Priesthood and the religious life. So why not try to come to Mass on Monday at 9-30am to pray for this intention. If you can't and it's a working day for you or you can't get away from home please would you consider saying a Rosary on the day? The luminous mysteries would be perfect. I have always

been convinced that vocations are out there but that we just have not prayed hard enough or worked and encouraged people to consider that God may be calling them. Remember most vocations come to fruition because of a person's good example and encouragement. Sometimes families are frightened to encourage a family member to consider the possibility and at other times would be candidates think a previous life style may be an impediment to them going forward; well you just have to think about the backgrounds of the first disciples to know that Jesus calls even those that the world considers impossible, because nothing is impossible to God: e.g. St. Paul!

Prayer for Vocations: Lord Jesus Christ, Shepherd of souls, who called the apostles to be fishers of men, raise up new apostles in your holy Church. Teach them that to serve you is to reign: to possess you is to possess all things. Kindle in the young hearts of our sons and daughters the fire of zeal for souls. Make them eager to spread your kingdom on earth. Grant them the courage to follow you, who are the Way, the Truth and the Life: who live and reign for ever and ever. Amen.

Mary, Queen of the Clergy, pray for us. Help our students who are preparing for the priesthood. Please pray especially on Monday and every day for Vocations. God Bless mjk

Pope Francis tweet: When we do not adore God, we adore something else. Money and power are false idols which often take the place of God. *2014 Year of Our Parish*

THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS [August]

General: That refugees, forced by violence to abandon their homes, may find a generous welcome and the protection of their rights.

Missionary: That the Christians in Oceania may joyfully announce the faith to all the people of that region.

19 th Sunday	10 th August	Mass of Sunday Evening Mass	10am 6-00pm	Mass
Monday	11 th August	St. Clare Reception	9-30am 7pm	Mass
Tuesday	12 th August	Requiem: Frank Killeen Mass of the day	10am 6pm 7pm	Exposition Mass
Wednesday	13 th August	Mass of the day	9-30am	Mass
Thursday	14 th August	St. Maximillian Kolbe	9-30am	Mass
Friday <i>Holy day of Obligation</i>	15 th August	The Assumption of Our Blessed Lady	9-30am 12 noon 7pm	Mass
Saturday	16 th August	Mass of Our Lady	11- 12noon 12 Noon	Exposition & Confessions Mass
20 th Sunday	17 th August	Mass of Sunday Evening Mass	10am 6-00pm	Mass

+ I offer our prayers and sympathy to the families and friends of John Keighron, Frank Killeen, and Bernie Maloney who have died; may they rest in the peace of the Lord. +

Masses received this week: Special Intentions, John Cross, Mary Curley, Margaret & Matthew Barrrens, Pat Scally, Sean Keighron, Thomas Joyce, Big Dave Lee, Luke Duffy, Annie Mitton, Andrew O'Shea, and Bernadette Maloney

Sick; please commend to your prayers the sick and housebound of the Parish especially, Maximus, Daniel, Martin, Sarah, Cissie Corrigan, Pat Jones, Mary Duffy, Leanne Todd Michael Doyle, Bob Cook, Jacob Bannister, Eddie & Olive Hogan, Janet Roberts, Kathleen Curley, Simon Kelly, Fr. Michael Hoare, Mary & John Featherstone, John Doona, Hilary Addyman, Margaret Keable, Ruth Sivori, Pat Preston, Clare Bainbridge, Breda Gallagher, Dr Sean Doohan, Sheila MacCrimmon, Carolyn Smith, Pat Reid, Simon McDermott, Julie Ann Keeney, Stephen Gatley, Kath Rafter, Margaret Keable, Constance Murphy, Maria Baker, Denny McGuigan, Betty Foster, Steven Moorhouse, Alan O'Donnell, Dorothy Hampsey, Michael Flatley, Martin & Michael Rock, Louis Kerr, Mary Whieldon, Delia Connelly and Colin Pearson.



The Sacrament of Baptism: Pick up yours forms after Mass and return them to the presbytery: our next Baptism meeting is 2nd September in the Presbytery.

Divine Mercy Prayer Group seaside
 Toddlers Group
 Little Church
 Senior Citizens Club

*ON HOLIDAY
 TILL
 SEPTEMBER*



Our Lady's Lamp burns this week for the intentions of in memory of Fr. Keane. Thank you. There is a list at the back of the Church if you would like to be involved on any particular week. There are now many vacancies if you missed out last time, so why not sign up today.? Suggested offering £5

Requiem Mass in Southern Cemetery, the Catholic section, Bank Holiday Monday 25th August at 11am. [Please bring your own portable seating]



House Masses around the parish. Please consider the possibility of hosting one. I am sure it will be a source of many blessings. New Forms to arrange a House mass at the back of the Church. Our house Masses will start in September.

In September we will be introducing a new Sacramental programme; essential to its working are Catechists or team leaders; we will need eight at the moment. So if your child is due to be involved next time round you would be ideal also if you are just willing to help that would be brilliant.



DROP IN THURSDAY after Mass in the Parish Hall open till 3pm, Good conversation, games, newspapers, constant tea and coffee, and toast. Homemade soup and bread and homemade treat at 12-30pm, lovely warm atmosphere: don't be shy come



and join our regulars become one yourself! Young, middle, not so old, and golden oldies most welcome. This event is for all our Parishioners, why not pop in and show your support? We even have a resident chiropodist!

It's Pantomime time: Cinderella that Stockport Plaza, Friday 19th December coach & ticket £14. List now open at the back of Church. Only 100 tickets this year!!!!

Holiday recommendations: Guardians of the Galaxy, is a great family film, quite laid back, a real spectacular with crazy characters, lots of fun clean dialogue, with good conquering evil which won't come as a surprise. A follow up is planned.

HOLY LAND meeting for all who booked their flight on Monday 29th September in the Parish Hall at 7pm