

Rotas commencing TODAY Sunday October 12th

Eucharistic Ministers 10am	Eucharistic Ministers 6pm	Readers 10am October	Readers 6pm October	Weekday readers This week	Eucharistic Ministers weekdays
Tony Kirstein	Carol Cooper	James Walsh	Irene Edwards	Bridie Close	Christine Kelly
Terry O'Neill	Kathy Petty	Yvonne Tapodi	By Ju Joseph	John Press	Imelda Dean
Barbara Philips	Comfort Mensah	Audrey Stedford	Janice Banks	Counting Team	
Ann Richards	Little Church	Tea & Coffee		A Brown	
Jacqueline Turner	Children Celebration	Angela Lord	10am Offertory	B Moorhouse	
Mary Saunders		Sandra McCormack	Volunteers please	Julie Comerford	Cleaning team
Berni Roan		Bernadette Moorhouse		James Walsh	End of month

AMILY FLOWERS: Thank you for the continued gifts of flowers for the Church. **flower list** at the back of Church Thank you.

Last week's Offerings to the Parish: Total £600 23p 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).

Going into hospital? Or have a family member? Remember you should ask the ward staff to ask the chaplain team to visit. Fr. David Egan's numbers are 07914285672 Or 0161 224 1895.

ST. BERNARD'S PARISH NEWSLETTER

28th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sunday 12th October 2014

October: Month of the Holy Rosary



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28th Sunday MASS 7/ Creed 11; Sunday P. 140 Eucharistic Prayer 24 (p27)



"Father we thank thee for this food
for health, strength, and all things good.
May others all these blessings share, and hearts be
grateful everywhere.

I thank you God for most this amazing day; for the
leaping greenly spirits of trees and a blue true dream
of sky; and for everything which is infinite which is
yet."
E.E. Cummings

In making our thanksgiving today, we are pleased that some of our children are helping us to say thank you. Of course harvest time is when we look around us and see the mighty hand of God working through nature and helping to provide so many wonderful things to keep us going. The word Eucharist means Thanksgiving so really every time we come to Mass it is great to give thanks for our personal harvest and Blessings.

It is also good at harvest time to remember those in need, and today we are taking a collection for the work of our Food Bank, and I hope some of you will have brought items to share. I am delighted that the Burnage Food Bank begins its ministry tomorrow, and thrilled that so many of our parishioners are involved in its organisation. Of course we set it up with the hope that we can close it in the future, because the need will have gone away, in the mean time I hope that you will not have to need it, and if you do, please know there is no shame in it for it is very good to share from God's bounty. I would also like to say thank you to our sister Churches here in Burnage who have all contributed equally to this project, another sign of our unity and common harvest for the Lord

Next Sunday at both Masses our boys and girls will be being presented for the Sacraments; it will be the normal Sunday Mass and the presentation part will take the place of the Creed. Don't forget you daily decade of the Rosary, if you can't manage it all! Finally THANK YOU for being you: what a blessing. God Bless mjk



Francis tweet: Let us ask the Lord for the grace not to speak badly of others, not to criticize, not to gossip, but rather to love everyone.

THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS [October]

General prayer intention for October is: "That those feeling so crushed by life that they wish to end it may sense the nearness of God's love."

His mission intention is: "That the celebration of World Mission Day may help all Christians realise that we are not only receivers but proclaimers of God's word."

28 th Sunday HARVEST FESTIVAL	12 th October	Mass of Sunday Evening Mass	10am 6-00pm	Mass
Monday <i>St Edward</i>	13 th October <i>The Confessor</i>	Requiem: Jody Fitzgerald	11am*	Mass
Tuesday	14 th October	Mass of the day	6pm 7pm	Exposition Mass
Wednesday	15 th October	Feast: St Teresa of Avila	9-30am	Mass
Thursday	16 th October	St. Margaret Mary	9-30am	Mass
Friday	17 th October	St Ignatius of Antioch	9-30am	Mass
Saturday	18 th October	Feast; St Luke	11- 12noon 12 Noon	Exposition & Confessions Mass
29 th Sunday	19 th October	Mass of Sunday Evening Mass	10am 6-00pm	<i>Children's Presentation</i>

+ I offer our prayers and sympathy to the family and friends of Jody Fitzgerald, who has died tragically aged 35; may the angels lead him into paradise. +

Masses this week: Bridget & Thomas Joyce, John Cross, Special intentions, Bridie Marron, Chrissy Callaghan, Willie Flannery, Briege Kennedy, Pat Jones and Josephine Smith

Sick; please commend to your prayers the sick and housebound of the Parish especially, Daniel, Martin, Sarah, Richard Kujacz, Debbie Griffin, Louis Kitt, John Thompson, Tony Moores, Pat Jones, Leanne Todd, Tony Masterson, Michael Doyle, Eileen McMahon, Bob Cook, Micky Duffy, Jacob Bannister, Eddie & Olive Hogan, Janet Roberts, Kathleen Curley, Simon Kelly, Fr. Michael Hoare, Mary & John Featherstone, John Doona, 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, 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 Tuesday 4th November in the House.

Prayer for Peace and the success of the Synod, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, in Church beginning this Monday evening at 7pm.

The Divine Mercy prayer Group are meeting together on Thursday's at 1-30pm in the Church; why not join them?



Our Lady's Lamp burns last week this week for the Griffin Family. Thank you. There is a list at the back of the Church if you would like to be involved on any particular week. Suggested offering £5

November is just around the corner, the Month of the Holy Souls, so we are putting out our Holy Souls envelopes at the back of Church for your lists and offerings. As per usual the box for your names will be on the Sanctuary during the whole of the month.



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 treats at 12-



30pm, lovely warm atmosphere: don't be shy come and join our regulars become one yourself! This event is for all our Parishioners and members of our local community why not pop in and show your support?

TODDLERS GROUP. The group has now re-opened. 9.30am --11.30am every Tuesday; Further enquiries to Anne 431 7212.

Our Monday Club, "young at heart" is open once more and always delighted to have new people from the Parish and our local community.

CHRISTMAS FAIR SATURDAY 29th NOVEMBER. CHRISTMAS DRAW TICKETS AVAILABLE AFTER SUNDAY MASS AT THE BACK OF CHURCH OR FROM THE PARISH HALL. DONT MISS THE OPPORTUNITY TO WIN ONE OF THE LOVELY PRIZES. £1.00 for a book of 5 tickets. Why not take some home and sell to family and friends? Thank you to all who donated tea cups and saucers we now have plenty.

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

Xaverian College will be having another Open Day for parents and students on Sunday 19th October from 10-30 till 2pm. The day is an opportunity to visit Xaverian campus and discuss courses and other matter with teaching staff and senior tutors. For further details ring 0161 249 2117.