

# ST BERNARD'S PARISH BULLETIN

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## FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

6<sup>th</sup> February 2011

Today Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am & 6.00pm	Mass
Monday 7 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Eucharistic Service
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup>	6.00pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
	7.00pm	Mass
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Mass
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Mass
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Mass
Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup>	11.00am - 12 Noon	Sacrament of Reconciliation and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
	12 Noon	Mass

## GOSPEL REFLECTION

In today's Gospel Jesus uses "salt and light," to describe his disciples. They are valuable because they serve so many purposes and make such an obvious difference in the world. In the dark, frozen days before Christmas, didn't we appreciate salt and light?! Through God's power, disciples are to bring out and witness to the good in the world and show in their good deeds, the light of God's presence.

Fr. Steven

## TODAY

**CAFOD:** The CAFOD box is out today in support of our Connect2Ethiopia project. Many thanks for your generosity which makes such a huge difference to the villagers of Biera.

**CARITAS Salford:** A letter from the Bishop is to be read at all Masses today about the re-organisation of the Catholic Rescue Society and Catholic Welfare Services into a new Diocesan charity, CARITAS Salford. A retiring collection will be taken as requested.

## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

**YOUNG AT HEART** - Parish Hall Mondays 1.00-3.00pm.

**LEGION OF MARY** - Parish Hall Tuesdays 7.45pm.

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**DIVINE MERCY MEETINGS** - Sacristy Thursday 7.30pm.

A Saturday out **TOURING THE SHOPPING MILLS OF OSTWALDTWISTLE AND BOTANY BAY ON SATURDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**, 8.30am start. £10 per person. List open at the back of church.

Come along to our **ST PATRICK'S SOCIAL EVENING - FRIDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> MARCH** 7.00pm - 9.30pm, £3.50 per person now or £4.50 on the night. Music, Food, Dancing. Limited tickets (50). Contact Pat Jones or Bridie Close.

Coming soon **RACE NIGHT FRIDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> MARCH** for Parish funds.

**HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE 2011** – Led by Fr Steven. An opportunity to walk in the footsteps of the Lord and his disciples. 8 days by air from Manchester 1st - 8th September. For further information contact Ann Tipper on 442 5259.

## OTHER NOTICES

**JIMMY WALSH RIP** - Requiem Mass for Jimmy will be celebrated at The Little Sisters of the Poor, St. Joseph's Home, Plymouth Grove on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> February at 11.00am.



Thanks for a donation £30 and £20 towards the redecoration of the Church.

**BAPTISM** - Please make initial enquiry to Fr. Steven following any Sunday Mass.

Ministry of the Word: Mass Readers for February			
	1	2	Prayers
10.00am	Trevor Richards	Audrey King	George Hughes
6.00pm	Janice Banks	Joan Kane	John Press

If you are unavailable please contact Tony Black 445 1788.

PARISH MINISTRIES GROUPS						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). Items for the Bulletin can be left at the Presbytery or email <a href="mailto:anniteresa@hotmail.com">anniteresa@hotmail.com</a> by Thursday midday for inclusion the following Sunday
		Offertory	Eucharistic Ministers Sunday morning	Counting	Tea and Coffee	
This week	06/02/11	8	6	4	4	
Next week	13/02/11	9	1	5	5	
		Eucharistic Ministers Sunday evening	Eucharistic Ministers weekdays	Cleaning	Eucharistic Ministers Tuesday evening	
This week	06/02/11	3a	2	1	2	
Next week	13/02/11	1a	3	2	3	