


Rotas commencing TODAY Sunday March 30th

Eucharistic Ministers 10am	Eucharistic Ministers 6pm	Readers 10am March	Readers 6pm March	Weekday readers This week	Eucharistic Ministers weekdays
Mary Black	Pearle Gorman	Dianne Donald	Carol Cooper	Liam McMahon	Christine Kelly
Stephen Bourke	Santosh Pinto	Trevor Richards	Caroline Fahey	Clare Clegg	Imelda Dean
Kathleen Clarke	Julia Traynor	Dominic Richmond	Clare Clegg	Counting Team	Church Cleaning
Imelda Dean	Little Church	Tea & Coffee		A Brown	Bridie Close
Margaret Mining		Dympna Dumbleton	10am Offertory	B Moorhouse	Barbara Philips
Christina White		M Seamark	Children	Julie Comerford	Kath Dinan
Olive Hogan		Clare Clegg		James Walsh	Bridie Burke

FAMILY FLOWERS: Thank you for the continued gifts of flowers for the Church. **New flower list** at the back of Church; In memory of Elizabeth McQuaid Thank you

Last week's Offerings to the Parish: Total £ 602 72. Thank you

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Items for the Bulletin can be left at the Presbytery or emailed to annieteresa@hotmail.com or to michaelkujacz@hotmail.com by Thursday 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).

ST. BERNARD'S PARISH NEWSLETTER

Fourth Sunday of Lent

Sunday 30th March 2014

Parish Priest Mgr. Michael J Kujacz:

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4th Lent MASS 7/ Creed 12 Apostles; Sunday P.164 Eucharistic Prayer 3 (p28)
Hymns 168, 585, 443, 131, 439

Prayer to the Mother of the Lord for all mothers



Mary, on this day when we honor all mothers, we turn to you. We thank the Lord whom you serve for the great gift of motherhood. Never has it been known that anyone who sought your intercession was left unaided by grace. Dear Mother, thank you for your "Yes" to the invitation of the angel which brought heaven to earth and changed human history. You opened yourself to God's word and the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us.

Dear mother, intercede for all of our mothers. Ask your Divine Son to give them the grace of

surrendered love so that they could join with you in giving their own "Fiat." May they find daily strength to say yes to the call to the sacrificial love- the very heart of the vocation of motherhood. May their love and witness be a source of great inspiration for all of us called to follow your Son.

On this Mothers day, Mother of the Word Incarnate, pray for us who have recourse to you, we make this prayer through Jesus your son who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever. Amen

We also take this opportunity to wish all the women of the Parish a very happy Lady Day, which not only honours all of you but also honours Our Lady of the Annunciation.

God Bless each and every one of you; and with a special remembrance of those who have gone home to God. mjk

Pope Francis Tweet; May we learn to say "thank you" to God and to one another. We teach children to do it, and then we forget to do it ourselves!

2014 Year of Our Parish

THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS (April)

Universal: Ecology and Justice. That governments may foster the protection of creation and the just distribution of natural resources.

For Evangelization: Hope for the Sick. That the Risen Lord may fill with hope the hearts of those who are being tested by pain and sickness.

+ Don't Forget 10 minute Stations of the Cross each week day after Mass +

Sunday Mother's Day "Laetare"	30 th March Short Stations	3 rd Sunday of Lent Of the Cross	10.00am 6.00pm after 10am Mass	Mass
Monday	31 st March	Mass of Lent	9-30am	Mass
Tuesday	1 st April	Mass of Lent	6-7pm 7pm	Exposition & Confessions Mass
Wednesday	2 nd April	Mass of Lent Lectio Divina	9-30am 7pm	Mass Parish Hall.
Thursday	3 rd April	Mass of Lent	9-30am	Mass
Friday <i>First Friday</i>	4 th April (St Isidore)	Mass of Lent (St. Mary's)	6-30am (12 Noon)	Mass Mass
Saturday	5 th April	Mass of Lent	11- 12noon 12 Noon	Exposition & Confessions Mass
Sunday	6 th April Stations	5 th Sunday of Lent Of the Cross	10.00am 6.00pm 4.00pm	Mass

+ I offer our prayers and sympathy to the family of Michael Hession who has died suddenly almost a year after his wife Josie died. May he rest in the peace of the Lord. +

Masses received this week: Special Intentions, Pacie Farnan, Brigid Kedian, Charles Naughton, Mary Moss, Paul Smith, Jim Barrans, Albert Webster, Nina Gibbins, Bridie Marron, Annie Mitton, Winnie Outram, Mary Duffy, Bert Kelly, Jackie McCusker, The Farrell Family, Maureen & Kevin Mitchell, Margaret & John Walsh, Annie Healey, Julia Cullen, Bernadette & Barry Moorhouse, Joseph Cahill, Louis Kerr.

Sick; please commend to your prayers the sick and housebound of the Parish especially, Maximus John Paul Payne(baby), Daniel, Martin, Sarah, Fr. Pat Early, Audrey Doona, Mary Duffy, Michael Doyle, Jacob Bannister, Janet Roberts, Simon Kelly, John Doona, Margaret Keable, John Cross, Cissie Corrigan, Ruth Sivori, Pat Preston, Clare Bainbridge, Malcolm Scott, Sheila MacCrimmon, Carolyn Smith, Louis Sivori, Pat Reid, Simon McDermott, Julie Ann Keeney, Stephen Gatley, Kath Rafter, Bernadette

Maloney, Margaret Keable, Dena O'Meara, Mary Callaghan, Constance Murphy, Maria Baker, Annie Clarke, John Barnes, Denny McGuigan, Albert Webster Honor Squires, Maureen Nash, Betty Foster, Steven Moorhouse, Alan O'Donnell, Dorothy Hampsey, Louis Kerr, Annie Clark, Jean Owen, Mary Whieldon, Delia Connelly and Colin Pearson.

The Sacrament of Baptism: Pick up yours forms after Mass and return them at our next Baptism meeting on Tuesday April 1st at 7-30pm in the Presbytery. Next Baptisms Easter Time.



Our Lady's Lamp burns this week Nora Breslin in memory of Angela. 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

NEW PLAN GIVING ENVELOPES; these are now ready for collection from the back of Church, I am very grateful to all who use them as a weekly reminder about supporting the Church, and allowing us also to claim gift aid. It would be wonderful if more of you took the opportunity to use them and in using them gave a minimum gift to the Church of say £2. If you can please consider joining the scheme, remember what you give allows us to make a claim from Government and does not cost you anything. Thank you mjck

Our Lenten alms box is in the Sanctuary, proceeds of our Lenten alms will be sent to Katie Richard's project in Peru, so not only will we be helping the poor, but channeling it through one of our own! **Today's Monthly Parish Charity collection will be for the Katie Project.** Thank you

Missio (Red boxes). Collector's books are now ready for picking up in the Parish Hall. Thank you for your support.

CAFOD: Many thanks for your tremendous generosity towards our brothers & sisters in need. The **Lent Fast** collection raised **£629** for **Sierra Leone** & the Tombola, Soup & Bric-a-brac raised **£320** for our **Connect2Ethiopia** project. Well done & thank you to all who helped in each & every way.

TODDLER GROUP. We now have places available at the Toddler Group Tuesday 9.30am - 11.30am. Bring your child/ children along have some adult company while your child makes new friends. Only £1-50 each session per family. Tel Bernadette 442 5965 for more information.

The Divine Mercy Prayer group Winter Timetable, meet on Thursday's at 1-30pm, In the Sacristy. New members most welcome.

DROP IN THURSDAY after Mass in the Parish Hall, Good conversation, games, newspapers, constant tea and coffee, and toast. Homemade soup and bread at 12-30pm, heating and warm atmosphere, films; till 2-30pm. Young, middle, not so old, and golden oldies most welcome.



Let people know and come along yourselves. Thank you to our great



team of dedicated helpers