


Last week's Offerings to the Parish: Total £600 38p Thank you

Apostleship of the sea £165, thank you

The Divine Mercy prayer Group meets on the First and Third Wednesday of the month in the Church at 1pm

TODDLERS GROUP. The group is open. 9.30am --11.30am every Tuesday; Further enquiries to Anne 431 7212.

Young at Heart, open every Monday 11-30pm:

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BURNAGE FOOD BANK provides emergency food for local people in crisis, whether on benefits or in work. For more information, take a leaflet from the porch, www.burnagefoodbank.org.uk or tel: 07936698546; opening times are: Tuesday 12.30pm-2.30pm St Nicholas Church Hall, Kingsway, Burnage M19 1PL and Friday 3pm-5pm St Bernard's Church Hall, Burnage Lane, M19 1DR. **THE FOODBANK IS SHORT OF LONG LIFE FRUIT JUICE, & TINNED FISH PLEASE.**



The Drop In: Thursdays after Mass in the parish hall open till 3pm, come and join us and be welcome. Homemade soup and bread and homemade treats at 12pm, lovely warm atmosphere: come and join us and be welcome.

Catholic Singles is an organisation which helps single Catholics of all ages (over 18 years) meet other single Catholics, either one to one or through social events. For further information visit www.catholicssingles.org.uk or tel. 0161 941 3498

Blackpool Charity Bike Ride: Francis McAndrew, 60 mile ride on Sun 8th July; Funds for Francis House Children's Hospice. To Sponsor: - Just Giving: online fundraising, Francis McAndrew. Website <http://www.justgiving.com>

Spanish Mass; To celebrate the Feast of St James on the 25th of July, 7.30pm in the St James' Church, Montserrat Rd, Johnson Fold, BL1 5TX. All are welcome! This will be an opportunity for all who speak Spanish as their first language and all who enjoy learning Spanish to celebrate Mass in Spanish. Food will be available after Mass.

PARISH SAVINGS CLUB FOR PILGRIMAGES AND OUTINGS OPENS THIS SUNDAY.

Please put items for the newsletter through the presbytery door for inclusion, or send via email to Fr. Michael

Hospital Chaplain + Christies number 0161 276 4247 Wythenshaw 0161 291 2297

ST. BERNARD'S PARISH NEWSLETTER
FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME
SUNDAY 15TH JULY 2018



Clergy: Mgr. Michael J Kujacz RD. Fr. John Coe

Address St. Bernard's R C Church, Burnage Lane,

Manchester M19 1DR Tel 0161 432 3628 *Month of the Precious Blood*

Website <http://stbernards-burnage.homeip.net>

STAY WITH US ON OUR JOURNEY

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MASS 7/ Creed 11;

Eucharistic Prayer 3(27)



Again it is prophecy that is our theme (see last week). Here, we concentrate on the sending of prophets, the entrusting of the mission to them, and most importantly the necessary qualifications to be a prophet. The only qualification necessary is an open ear, to hear the mandate from God. We see this in Amos, the simple shepherd, and in the Twelve, called by Jesus from their humble occupations, which no one would have thought qualified them to speak on 'religious' themes. As last week, the possibility of rejection and failure is quite explicitly treated - Jesus instructs the Apostles in what to do if they are ignored. When the Gospel simply states, "So they set off to preach repentance..." we

can imagine all that was in their minds and hearts as they did so. They had heard the call of Jesus, and allowed it into their hearts: this was all they needed to go out and speak his words.

This week in our diocesan cycle of prayer we pray for the parishes of St. Mary, the Hidden Gem, with Mgr Kay and Fr. Horne and St. Augustine's and St. Wilfred's primary school. We pray for the Jesuit community at the Holy Name, Manchester with the Manchester University Chaplaincy and for the Daughters of Charity. Let us pray also for the Chaplaincy to the Manchester Hospitals. May they be a beacon of hope to the communities they serve.

Fr Michael is going to Lourdes with the Diocese at the end of the month; there is a petition box with paper and pens in the Lady Chapel.

Pope Francis Tweet: Every kind of material or spiritual poverty, every form of discrimination against our brothers and sisters, comes from turning our backs on God and His love.

This week's timetable

Fifteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time	15 th July	Morning Mass Evening Mass	10am 6pm	
Monday	16 th July	Solemnity: Our Lady of Mount Carmel	9-30	Mass
Tuesday	17 th July	Mass of the day School Leavers Mass	6pm 7pm	Exposition Mass
Wednesday	18 th July	END OF TERM SCHOOL MASS	9-30am	Mass
Thursday	19 th July	Feast: St John Plessington	9-30am	Mass
Friday	20 th July	Mass of the day	9-30am	Mass
SATURDAY	21 ST JULY	NO SERVICES TODAY		ORDINATIONS AT THE CATHEDRAL
Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time	22 nd July	Morning Mass Evening Mass	10am 6pm	

ROTAS THIS SUNDAY, 15th July 2018

10am Trevor Richards, Audrey Stedford, Clare Clegg

6pm Caroline Fahy, Brenda O'Hara, John Press

Eucharistic Ministers 10am- Liam McMahon, Margaret Duffy, Clare Clegg,

Christine Kelly, Bernadette Kirstein, John McCormack, Geraldine Fury

6pm - Pearle Gorman, Santosh Pinto, Julia Traynor

Soft Church - Hilary & Tony Addyman

Offertory: Olive Hogan, Ann Masterson

Counting Team: A Brown, B Moorhouse, Ged Bostock, J Commerford

Tea & Coffee - Bridie Close, Bernadette Moorhouse, Clare Clegg

Weekday Reader this week - Tony Kirstein

Weekday Eucharistic Ministers: Comfort Mensah & Preetha Byju



Masses this week: Anthony Whittaker, Matt Barrens, Patrick Gilligan, Brian, Mathew & Bridget Whittaker, Jack Turner, Bridie McErlean, Dorothy Croke, Peggy Flaherty, Mitchell Family, Ernest Armstrong, Jim Smullen, Dennis Ward, Clare Dolan, Leo Conlon, Emily Kelly, Special Intentions.

In your prayers please remember Marcella McNevin, Paddy Griffin, Jackie Turner, Bessie Procter, Kathryn, Betty Foster, Fr Kevin Gradwell, Maggie Doyle, Sr Pat Carney, Elsie Taylor, Terry Sweeney, Nancy Nicholls, Patrick Gilligan, Lyndsey Kelly-Smith, John Kujacz, Joe Cunningham, Isla Forrest, Cam Lusco, Nathan Greenwood, Toby Cross, Tess Kendrick, Breda Gallagher, Ted Cross, Margaret Bayhi, Christopher Hyde-Smith, Betty Serridge, Mary & John Phillips, Celia Deignan, Mary Bancroft, Mary Boylan, Lawrence Hennigan, Canon Kevin Kenny, Norah Gibbons, Kathleen Connolly, Clare Hare, Michael Carney, Pat Preston, Stefan Lachkovic, Mary Grobicki, Breda Gallagher, Evelyn Lohan, Ann Lawless, Oriel Kerr, Maureen Walkin, Bernie Quezana, Keith Nunnerley, Martin Noone, Bill Lisgo, Lee Hegarty, Richard O'Connor, Michael Griffin, Steven Moorhouse, Clare Bainbridge, Patrick Clarke, Norah Gibbons, Louis Kitt, Pat Hallows, Anna Lawless, Eddie McDonald, Jack & Ann MacCarron.

+ I offer our prayers and sympathy to the family and friends of Anthony Allcock who has died aged 87, may he rest in peace. +

THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS for July: That priests who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and their friendship with their brother priests..

BAPTISM INFORMATION: See Father or Baptism Team after Sunday Mass to register your child's details and begin the process. Further information see the Parish website: <https://stbernards-burnage.homeip.net/notices/baptism.html>

Sacrament of Marriage: 6 months' notice must be given, please see Father to make arrangements, please speak to Clergy. #Sacrament of Confirmation: for 2019 please contact Clare Clegg [clareclegg2@gmail.com] for preparation and information. #

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME 2018/19 "Have you a child currently in Y2 (or above) hoping to make his/her First Holy Communion at St Bernard's in Summer 2019? Sacramental Preparation is important: participating families will be expected to come to all meetings and be regularly attending Sunday Mass.. Further information from Clare Clegg: 07389 192655."

*******IS IT YOU?** We need a volunteer(s) to run the Parish Gift Aid Scheme; no experience is needed just a willing heart; please contact Fr Michael.*****



Our Lady's Lamp for Dean Family: the Sacred Heart Lamp burns for Mary Delia Darcy There is a list at the at the back of Church: suggested donation £5. Thank you



GARDEN PARTY - A BIG THANK YOU to everyone who helped in any way to make the Garden Party last Sunday a success. A special thank you to all who supplied and prepared the food - it was very popular and we look forward to having similar events in the future.

Thanks also to all who attended; we hoped you had an enjoyable time. We raised £415 which has gone towards the new church heating fund which as you will be able to see from the box at the back of church now exceeds £30,000 a superb effort by all concerned. In the next few weeks the new radiators will begin to be installed, more about this and the funds we need to raise next week.

PILGRIM AND OUTING CORNER; DAY TRIP TO YORK, Friday 31st*** August 2018 including a visit to St. Margaret Clitherows' Home on The Shambles; Coach leaving St. Bernard's Church at 8am, pickup at St. Mary's Car Park at 8.15am, arriving back at 5.30pm. Cost £15. Anyone interested please contact Ann Tipper on 442 5259. **NORTHERN SHRINES OF FRANCE PILGRIMAGE 2019** from Sunday 26th May to Friday 31st May 2019 Cost: £499 per person, single room extra £145. Travel Insurance £47 p.p. Visiting Rue de Bac (Miraculous Medal), Lisieux (Home of St. Teresa, Little Flower. Travel by luxury air conditioned coach, 2 nights B & B in Paris area, 3 nights' dinner, bed & breakfast, Hotel Kyriad, Lisieux. Deposit £100 by 21st September 2018. Contact Ann Tipper on 442 5259 to secure a place. Places limited to 35.

Retreat for Parish Hope in the Future Teams: **Saturday 22nd September 2018**

10:00am - 3:15pm, St Bede's College, Manchester, M16 8HX Keynote Speaker - Fr Chris Gorton Small Groups on a range of Prayer & Spirituality Holy Hour led by Bishop John

Register by email: hope@dioceseofsalford.org.uk

In 2019 there will be a Youth Pilgrimage to Rome in February. The pilgrimage will be led by Bishop John and will run from 16th February until 23rd February. The pilgrimage is available for over 18s. The cost of the pilgrimage is £690 and this includes flights, full board accommodation and insurance. For more information please phone Tracey Ward on 0161 817 2222 or email tracey.ward@dioceseofsalford.org.uk