

Last week's Offerings to the Parish: Total £635 58p Thank you

Flowers in memory of Mary Rowley, thank you

The Divine Mercy prayer Group on August holiday, back later

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

Young at Heart open every Monday 11-30pm: August Holidays

Drop in reopens 6th September

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.**

PILGRIM AND OUTING CORNER: **DAY TRIP TO YORK. **NOW FULL.**** MONIES TO BE PAID PLEASE. **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. **PARISH SAVINGS CLUB FOR PILGRIMAGES AND OUTINGS, PLEASE SPEAK TO ANN.**

Eucharistic Ministers and Readers: we need to recruit some more to help us with the Liturgy and taking Holy Communion to the sick, if you are interested please have a word with Fr. John.

When you come forward please do not bow to the Celebrant, you only do this if the Bishop is present, but rather bow to the altar, which is the correct thing to do. Only ministers who are part of our Parish and are registered may help out at our Masses. Members of the Diocesan Team will be visiting us in September to update our DBS certificates. Thank you mjk

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ST. BERNARD'S PARISH NEWSLETTER
NINETEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME
SUNDAY 12TH AUGUST 2018

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

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STAY WITH US ON OUR JOURNEY

19th Sunday p114

MASS 7/ Creed 11;

Eucharistic Prayer 2(24)



The bread that comes down from heaven is not just a bread which nourishes the body, but one which gives renewed life - be this in the form of energy and purpose (as we see in the story of Elijah) or in the form of a gift of eternal life. As Jesus continues his discourse on the Bread of Life, he faces the complaints and criticism of the crowd, who take a very short-sighted view of what he says, and affirms for them that true life, a life that will never end, is found in him, he is the one who has come from the Father, and so is the living bread which gives life. Jesus here makes an explicit link between "belief" and "eating the bread of life": the two lead to each other, and they both bring about that which man most desires - to live for ever. The Response to the Psalm

in many ways sums this up: 'Taste and see that the Lord is good.'

We pray for the people of the parish of Our Lady of the Assumption, Middleton, and Canon Mullins, and for the parish of St. Mary (Our Lady Assumed into Heaven), Langho, and St. Mary, Osbaldeston, with Fr. Heakin, together with their schools and the Sisters of Charity of St Paul and the Sisters of the Cross and Passion. May they follow the example of Our Blessed Lady, the first missionary disciple.

Pope Francis Tweet: When we place ourselves at the service of our most vulnerable brothers and sisters we experience the joy of unconditional love.

"If we really want to love, we must learn how to forgive." — St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

HAPPY HOLIDAYS, SAFE JOURNEY'S, PEACEFUL RETURNS.

This week's timetable

Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time	12 th August	Morning Mass Evening Mass	10am 6pm	
Monday	13 th August	Mass of the day	9-30	Mass
Tuesday	14 th August	St Maximilian Kolbe	6pm 7pm	Exposition Mass
Wednesday HOLY DAY	15 th August	THE ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY Reception	9-30am 12 Noon 7pm 8pm	Mass
Thursday	16 th August	Requiem: Cash Evelyn Lohan [St Stephen of Hungary]	10am***	Mass
Friday	17 th August	Mass of the day	9-30am	Mass
Saturday	18 th August	Mass of Our Lady	11am 12 Noon	Exposition & Confessions Mass
Twentieth Sunday of Ordinary Time	19 th August	Morning Mass Evening Mass	10am 6pm	

ROTAS THIS SUNDAY, 12th August 2018

10am Yvonne Tapodi, Tatenda Kachidza, Christine Robinson

6pm Carmel Sweeney, John Press, Shelagh Bridge.

Eucharistic Ministers 10am Tony Kirstein, Terry O'Neill, Barbara Philips, Ann Richards, Jacqueline Turner, Berni Roan, Christine Kelly

6pm - Preetha Byju, Kathy Petty, Comfort Mensah

Soft Church - Hilary & Tony Addyman

Offertory Lindley Family

Counting Team: Ged Allcock, Olive Hogan, Liam McMahon, Yvonne Tapodi

Tea & Coffee - M Allcock, E Bostock, Mary Saunders

Weekday Reader this week - Liam McMahon

Weekday Eucharistic Ministers: Binu Biju Clare Clegg



Masses this week: Mary Curley, Eileen McCormack, Afal & Moni, Molly Emson, Chris Moran, Mary Rowley.

In your prayers please remember Teresa Barrett, Marcella McNevin, Oliver Luke, Jackie Turner, Kathryn, Fr Eugene Nee, Margaret Duffy, Mary McLoughlin, Fr Brendan Curley, Canon Peter McKie, Betty Foster, Mary Mulvihill, Fr Kevin Gradwell, Canon Paul Mitcherson, Maggie Doyle, Jim Windsor, Sr Pat Carney, Elsie Taylor, Terry Sweeney, Anna Lawless, Sarah Sacarello, Nancy Nicholls, Patrick Gilligan, John Kujacz, Joe Cunningham, Cam Lusco, Nathan Greenwood, Toby Cross, Tess Kendrick, Breda Gallagher, Ted Cross, Margaret Bayhi, Paddy Griffin, Christopher Hyde-Smith, Betty Serridge, Mary & John Phillips, Celia Deignan, Mary Bancroft, Mary Boylan, Lawrence Hennigan, Norah Gibbons, Kathleen Connolly, Clare Hare, Michael Carney, Pat Preston, Stefan Lachkovic, Mary Grobicki, Ann Lawless, Oriel Kerr, Maureen Walkin, Bernie Quezena, Keith Nunnerley, Martin Noone, Bill Lisgo, Lee Hegarty, Richard O'Connor, Michael Griffin, Steven Moorhouse, Clare

Bainbridge, Patrick Clarke, Norah Gibbons, Pat Hallows, Anna Lawless, Eddie McDonald, Jack & Ann MacCarron.



Official Family Prayer of the World Meeting of Families

August 21-25, Ireland

*God, our Father, We are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son, One family, in the Spirit of your love. Bless us with the joy of love. Make us patient and kind, gentle and generous, welcoming to those in need. Help us to live your forgiveness and peace. Protect all families with your loving care, especially those for whom we now pray: [We pause and remember family members and others by name]. Increase our faith, strengthen our hope, Keep us safe in your love, make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share. This we ask, through Christ our Lord, **Amen** Mary, mother and guide, pray for us. Saint Joseph, father and protector, pray for us. Saints Joachim and Anne, pray for us. Saints Louis and Zélie Martin, pray for us.*

THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS for August: That that any far-reaching decisions of economists and politicians may protect the family as one of the treasures of humanity.

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."

Our Lady's Lamp for John & Kathleen Lawrence & Teresa Barret: the Sacred Heart Lamp burns for Mary Rowley. There is a list at the at the back of Church: suggested donation £5. Thank you



DROP IN SPECIAL THIS THURSDAY 16th AUGUST - we will open between 11.00am to 3.00pm. A sandwich lunch and a sweet together with hot and cold drinks will be available. Come along and have an enjoyable time with your friends. We will re-open as scheduled on Thursday 6th September

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

Annual Rosary & Hymns Platt Fields, (Grangethorpe Rd, entrance) on Sat 8th Sept at 3.00pm Ice Cream free. Contact Sarah Mitchell 01614310410. (If wet-event in marquee).

CARITAS: The Bumper Summer Edition of The Beacon has now arrived. Please take a copy to read, share & pass on or see online at <http://eepurl.com/dv87ol>. There's news of the Lalley Centre Foodbank, of Refugee Days Out in the Ribble Valley & St. Bernard's School gets a mention too!

CAFOD: see the latest newsletter from Sebeya, our Ethiopian project. See the pictures of the new reservoirs which have made a profound difference. It used to take up to 4 hours to collect water, now it's 20 minute so flourishing crops have replaced subsistence rations & life is much improved. From the 61 households of Sebeya THANK YOU, THANK YOU for your help.