

Last week's Offerings to the Parish: Total £565 40p Thank you
Kerala Special collection £500, thank you

The Divine Mercy prayer Group back later

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:


Drop in reopens this Thursday 6th September

BURNAGE FOOD BANK 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; 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.

Caritas Fostering has an urgent need for foster carers of varying backgrounds to meet the differing needs of children who need to be cared for. Call 0161 817 2250 for more information about how you could become a Foster Carer.

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

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ST. BERNARD'S PARISH NEWSLETTER

TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER 2018

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

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STAY WITH US ON OUR JOURNEY

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MASS 7/ Creed 11;

Eucharistic Prayer 3(27)



We now return to Saint Mark, for the rest of the year. The Gospel brings out one of the central problems of all religion: the way in which peripheral laws and customs gradually take over the more fundamental commandments, and the way in which "externalism" and a concern with superficialities gradually suffocates a true "internal" faith which is lived out. Here we see the angry Jesus: he calls them "hypocrites", as he condemns their "worthless worship". He teaches a central truth: it is what comes from

within that determines whether we are clean or unclean, good or evil. The commandments of God, which Moses puts before the people with such great pride, become the source of justice when they are given a place in the heart. When other rules and regulations about how to wash and what to eat displace them, then they are stifled and justice is practised no longer.

This week our Diocese prays for the parishes of SS Aidan and Oswald, Royton, with Fr Doyle, and Our Lady of Dolours, Kersal, with Fr. Coyne and the Servite Friars. We pray for their parish schools, for the Faithful Companions of Jesus and for the Sisters and residents at Nazareth House. Let us pray that we will always live in the presence of the Lord.

As we prepare for next weekend's National Eucharistic Congress, let us pray that the Church in our land will always see the Eucharist as the Source and Summit of our life and mission.

Pope Francis Tweet: Is there anything precious that endures at all? Even love itself? Love is God's dream for us and for the whole human family. Please, never forget this!

This week's timetable

Twenty second Sunday of Ordinary Time	2 nd September	Morning Mass Evening Mass	10am 6pm	Mass
Monday	3 rd September	Feast; St Gregory the Great	9-30am	Mass
Tuesday	4 th September	St Cuthbert	6pm 7pm	Exposition Mass
Wednesday	5 th September	Mass of the day	9-30am	Mass
Thursday	6 th September	Mass of the day	9-30	Mass
FIRST FRIDAY	7 th September	Mass of the day	9-30am	Mass
Saturday	8 th September	Feast; Birthday of Our Blessed Lady	11am 12 Noon	Exposition & Confessions Mass
Twenty third Sunday of Ordinary Time	9 th September	Morning Mass Evening Mass	10am 6pm	

ROTAS THIS SUNDAY, 2nd September 2018

10am: Sonal Mendonca, Christine Kelly, Diane Donald

6pm: Janice Banks, Irene Edwards, By Ju Joseph

Eucharistic Ministers 10 am Geraldine Fury, Stephen Bourke, Clare Clegg, Imelda Dean, Christine Blackburn, Tony Masterson, Olive Hogan

6pm - Binu Biju, Fiona McGarvey, Teresa McHugh

Soft Church - Hilary & Tony Addyman

Offertory: Margaret Moran, Helen Clarke

Counting Team: Helen Clarke, Margaret Moran, Pauline Hixon, Dymphna Dumpleton

Tea & Coffee - C Fahey, M Fahey, Rose Duffy

Weekday Reader this week - Bridie Close

Weekday Eucharistic Ministers: Maureen Nash, Teresa McHugh



Masses this week: Evelyn Lohan, Bridget Cawley, Cissie Corrigan, Damion Hegarty, Mary Callaghan, Sean Woods, Sean O'Rourke, Brenda Woods, Darren Watson.

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, Brenda Woods, 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.

THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS for September: That young people in Africa may have access to education and work in their own countries.

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."

ADOREMUS NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

This event arranged by the Bishops Conference of England and Wales takes place in Liverpool on Friday 7th, Saturday 8th September with Mass celebrated by Cardinal Nicols at the Metropolitan Cathedral on Sunday, 9th. Following Mass an outdoor Blessed Sacrament will take place around the streets near the Cathedral. Delegates from St Bernard's will be attending. Please keep all in your prayers for a successful event recognizing Jesus as the Bread of Life.

Adoremus prayer: O God, who in this wonderful sacrament have left us a memorial of your Passion, grant us, we pray, so to revere the sacred mysteries of your Body and Blood that we may always experience in ourselves the fruits of your redemption, who lives and reign with God the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Our Lady's Lamp for Bove Family: the Sacred Heart Lamp burns for Brigid & Thomas Joyce. There is a list at the back of Church: suggested donation £5. Thank you

Opening Times for clubs and groups :-

Young at Heart - Monday 3rd Sept from 12.00noon

Toddlers - Tuesday 4th Sept from 9.30am

Drop In - Thursday 6th Sept from 10.00am

Dates for your diary: - Quiz Night -. Friday 12th Oct. Christmas Fair - Saturday 1st Dec

Little Sisters of the Poor will be with us on Sunday 9th Sept to sell their raffle tickets.

Please support this worthy cause as it is always appreciated

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

JOY: THE SURPRISE OF THE GOSPEL, Cathedral of St John, Chapel Street, Salford, M3 5LE
Saturday 6th October 2018. Joy: the Surprise of the Gospel is a Scripture Festival. The day is designed to offer a taste of scripture to a wide range of people across the North of England. As well as keynote speakers who will bring insights into how the scriptures offer us joy and hope, there will be a variety of workshops for people to explore the Bible in different ways. There will not just be an opportunity for bible study but also to respond to the text in words, art and prayer. £5 registration fee Book Online at: <http://www.scripturefestival.org/>