


Rotas commencing TODAY Sunday April 3rd

Eucharistic Ministers 10am	Eucharistic Ministers 6pm	Readers 10am April	Readers 6pm April	Weekday readers This week	Eucharistic Ministers weekdays
Marie Fahey	Kathy Petty	Christine Robinson	Janice Banks	Tony Kirstein	Maureen Nash
Bernard Grigaitis	Teresa McHugh	Liam McMahon	Stany Rodrigues		Maura Barrens
Tony Hennigan	Comfort Mensah	Clare Clegg	By Ju Joseph	Counting Team	
Pauline Hixon		Tea & Coffee		Ged Allcock	
Denis Keyworth	Little Church	M Allcock	10am Offertory	Olive Hogan	
Liam McMahon	Ann & Angela	E Bostock	Bridie Close & Kathleen Dinan	Liam McMahon	Cleaning team
William Onzivu		Mary Saunders		Yvonne Tapodi	Thank you

FAMILY FLOWERS: Thank you for the continued gifts of flowers for the Church. **Flower list** is at the back of Church:

Last week's Offerings to the Parish: Total £1076 24p Thank you

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The Divine Mercy prayer Group meets on the First and Third Wednesday of the month in the Church at 1pm; why not join them?

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

Young at Heart, Mondays in the Parish Hall

Items for the Bulletin can be left at the **Presbytery** or emailed to michaelkujacz@hotmail.com by **Wednesday evening** 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

2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Sunday 3rd April 2016

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"STAY WITH US, LORD, ON OUR JOURNEY." YEAR OF MERCY



2nd Sunday Easter MASS 7/ Creed 12; Mass p 262 Eucharistic Prayer 2 (p24)

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY



This week the Gospel is chosen because it relates what happened today eight days after Easter, Jesus comes again to his disciples. The story of Thomas's doubt and faith leads us to think about our doubts and faith but always in the context of being part of the family of the Church. Remember last week, and the baptisms you may have witnessed, or the renewal of your own baptismal promises: this is the faith of the

Church, the faith in which we are baptised.

THIS WEDNESDAY: 7pm in the Parish Hall, second part of our Parish reflection on the Bishop's proposals on the reordering of the Parishes. A great turn out last time, can we do better this time please?

Thank you to everyone who helped with or came along to the Holy Week Liturgies. Thank you to all who helped prepare the Church for the different celebrations, I am sure you will agree with me they did a brilliant job. Special thanks to our Altar Servers who came in great numbers, and were a wonderful help.

Pope Francis Tweet: Jesus shows us the real face of God, for whom power does not mean destruction but love, and for whom justice is not vengeance but mercy.

THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS (April)

Universal: Small Farmers: that Small Farmers may receive a just reward for their precious work.

Evangelization: African Christians: that Christians in Africa may give witness to love and faith in Jesus Christ amid political-religious conflicts.

2 nd Sunday Of Easter Divine Mercy Sunday	3 rd April	Morning Mass Evening Mass Divine Mercy Devotions	10am 6pm 2-45pm	Mass
Monday	4 th April	Solemnity The Annunciation	9-30am	Mass
Tuesday (St Vincent Ferrer)	5 th April	Easter weekday	6pm 7pm	Exposition Mass
Wednesday	6 th April	Easter Weekday Parish Meeting	9-30am 7pm	Mass
Thursday	7 th April	St. John Baptiste de la Salle	9-30am	Mass
Friday	8 th April	Easter Weekday	9-30am	Mass
Saturday	9 th April	Easter Saturday	11am 12 Noon	Exposition & Confessions Mass
3 rd Sunday Of Easter	10 th April	Morning Mass Evening Mass	10am 6pm	Mass Mass

Masses this week: Eileen McMahon, Thomas Lyons, Maureen McNevin, Margaret & John Walsh, William Albert Butler (sick newly born).

Sick: please commend to your prayers the sick and housebound of the Parish especially, M. Pedro, Joshua, Daniel, Canon Kevin O'Connor, William Albert Butler (sick newly born). Paddy Hegarty, June McGowan, Bridie Heneghan, Patrick Tynan, Fr. Terence Schofield, Eamon Fahey, Ged Moran, Kathleen McCormack, Sr. Amadeus Bulger, Mary Dunne, Pat Preston, Johnny Kenny, Dawn Evans, Sean Collins, Ann Donnelly, Dougie Donohue, Margaret Barlow, Josephine Gilligan, Angela Close, Eileen McHale, Paul Byrne, Miriam Neary, Eddie Hogan, John Kujacz, Mary Grobicki, Eugene Davis, Tommy Bowan, Patricia Rundle, Lucy Murphy, Craig Greenwood, Louis Kitt, Kathleen Connolly, Fr. Michael Hoare, Yvonne Peace, Imelda Parkinson, Melito Dufficey, Jeff Callaghan, Fr William Fallon, Amelia Sacarello, Harry Hallows, Agnes Halligan, Steven Moorhouse, Pat Jones, Mary Gallagher, Mary Edwards, Samantha Mulligan, Thomas McLoughlin, Mags Chadwick, Betty Wilson, Eileen McCormack, Brenda Gleeson, Elle-Rose Blackhall,

Caoimhe Grealish, Mary Barrens, Michael Doyle, Bob Cook, Micky Duffy, Jacob Bannister, Aoife McLaughlin, Janet Roberts, Kathleen Curley, Clare Bainbridge, Carolyn Smith, Pat Reid, Simon McDermott, Julie Ann Keeney, Stephen Gatley, Margaret Keable, Constance Murphy, Maria Baker, Betty Foster, Martin & Michael Rock, Delia Connelly and Colin Pearson.

THIS Sunday is Divine Mercy Sunday, our devotions begin at 2-45 pm, and there will be an opportunity for Confession during our celebrations. Do come and join in this wonderful devotion.

Sacrament of Marriage: if you are due to be married this year can you please make an appointment to see Fr. Michael.

The Sacrament of Baptism: our next Baptism meeting Tuesday 3rd May in the House at 7-30pm. Parents please note that it is important to book your dates on the night of the meeting you attend and confirm them then: parents will be expected to be regularly at Mass on Sunday's.



Our Lady's Lamp burns for Callaghan & Hegarty Families thank you. There is a new list at the back of the Church if you would like to be involved on any particular week. Suggested offering £5

CASH IN THE BUCKET

Back by popular demand today we are starting sales of our Cash In The Bucket Draw. Tickets are £1.00 each and there will be 3 cash prizes to be won. You can buy as many tickets as you like - the more you buy, the better chance you have of winning.

All proceeds are to towards our church funds

Quiz Night Friday 6th May Parish Hall 7.30pm

Again by popular demand Quiz Night. Why not enter a team, a maximum of 6 per team entry cost £2 per person? Places go very quickly so if interested please contact Bernadette on 442 5965 or call into the Parish Hall after Sunday morning mass. Always Enjoyable evening with light refreshments available.

The Year of Mercy Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham will take place on Saturday 7th May led by Bishop Arnold. The cost of the day is £22- payment confirms your booking.

YEAR OF MERCY: short pilgrimage to Holy Island + Durham on Saturday 9th July, staying overnight in the Holiday Inn B/B cost £85, please contact Ann Tipper if interested.

Rome Pilgrimage: Boarding Passes now ready for collection

DROP IN THURSDAY after Mass in the Parish Hall open till 3pm, Good conversation, games, newspapers, constant tea and coffee, and toast. Homemade soup and bread and homemade & treats at 12-30pm, lovely warm atmosphere: don't be shy come and join our regulars become one yourself! This event is for all our Parishioners and members of our local community why not pop in and show your support?