


**Rotas commencing TODAY Sunday October 23<sup>rd</sup>**

<b>Eucharistic Ministers 10am</b>	<b>Eucharistic Ministers 6pm</b>	<b>Readers 10am October</b>	<b>Readers 6pm October</b>	<b>Weekday readers This week</b>	<b>Eucharistic Ministers weekdays</b>
Annie Doherty	Jed Froggatt	Christine Robinson	Carmel Sweeney	Liam McMahon	Tony Kirstein
Stephen Bourke	Rita Froggatt	Yvonne Tapodi	Carol Cooper		Berni Kirstein
Clare Clegg	Ann Kiernan	Tony Black	Caroline Fahey	<b>Counting Team</b>	
Imelda Dean		<b>Tea &amp; Coffee</b>		Christine Blackburn	Jane Kendrick
Christine Blackburn	<b>Little Church</b>	Angela Lord	<b>10am Offertory</b>	Margaret Cox	Margaret Arthurs
Tony Masterson	Holidays	Sandra McCormack	Breda & Hughie Gallagher	Michael Flatley	<b>Cleaning team</b>
Olive Hogan		Bernadette Moorhouse		Tess Kendrick	thank you

**FAMILY FLOWERS:** Thank you for the continued gifts of flowers for the Church, in memory of Tom Beirne thank you.

**Last week's Offerings to the Parish: Total £652 37p 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,** open every Monday 11-30pm

**Hospital Chaplain + Christies** number 0161 224 1895- Wythenshaw 0161 291 2297

**Items for the Bulletin** can be left at the Presbytery or emailed to [michaelkujacz@hotmail.com](mailto:michaelkujacz@hotmail.com) by **Wednesday evening** for inclusion Newsletter. **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

## 30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2016



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**YEAR OF MERCY**

STAY WITH US ON OUR JOURNEY

30<sup>th</sup> Sunday MASS 7/ Creed 12; Mass p 155: Eucharistic Prayer 2 (p24)



A few weeks ago (22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time) we had a Gospel about humility in social life, today we hear the Lord reiterating the message, but this time in reference to our prayer lives. The two Gospels are linked by the last words today, which also appear in the other story: "Everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted." This phrase is obviously a key part of our Lord's teaching! The sin of 'self-exaltation' consists in putting others in a lower place, as the Pharisee does to the tax collector. Perhaps the most telling phrase in today's Gospel is where Jesus refers to the Pharisee saying 'this prayer to himself,' rather than offering it to God! And since the Pharisee wasn't talking to God, how

could he expect to be heard?

**Review Sunday extra: continuing from last week;** Current lists for Eucharistic Ministers, Readers, Counters, Little Church are at the back of the Church today, please indicate that you are willing to continue for the next year or join.

### October Month of the Holy Rosary



Month of the Holy Rosary: keep praying try the Glorious mysteries for our daily dozen: one Our Father, ten Hail Mary's and one glory be, each day, Monday, The Resurrection, Tuesday, the Ascension, Wednesday, the descent of the Holy Spirit; Thursday, The Assumption; Friday, the coronation of Our Blessed Lady and the glory of all the Saints. Don't forget each day choose an intention it may be a family member, someone in need, for yourself, a special intention, whatever it is let your intentions be the encouragement you need to

make a start.

**Pope Francis Tweet:** The sick, the poor, as well as the unborn, are all made in the image of God and worthy of the highest respect.

## THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS (October)

**Universal:** Journalists: That journalists, in carrying out their work, may always be motivated by respect for truth and a strong sense of ethics. Evangelization: World Mission Day: That World Mission Day may renew within all Christian communities the joy of the Gospel and the responsibility to announce it.

30 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of ordinary Time	23 <sup>rd</sup> October	Morning Mass Evening Mass	10 am 6pm	Mass Mass
Monday	24 <sup>th</sup> October	St Anthony Mary Claret	9-30am	Mass
Tuesday	25 <sup>th</sup> October	Mass of the day	6pm 7pm	Exposition Mass
Wednesday	26 <sup>th</sup> October	Mass of the day	9-30am	Mass
Thursday	27 <sup>th</sup> October	Mass of the day	9-30am	Mass
Friday	28 <sup>th</sup> October	Feast: Ss Simon & Jude	9-30am	Mass
Saturday	29 <sup>th</sup> October	Mass of Our Lady	11am 12 noon	Exposition Confessions Mass
31 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of ordinary Time	30 <sup>th</sup> October	Morning Mass Evening Mass	10 am 6pm	Mass Mass

**Masses this week:** Tony Gavin, Jim Tynan, Michael Morgan, Maureen Sweeney, Tom Beirne, Bridie Marron, Karol Kwartnick, Francis Sierpinska, Noreen Higgins, special intention.

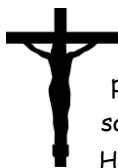
**Sick:** please commend to your prayers the sick and housebound of the Parish especially, Aiden, M. Pedro, Joshua, Daniel, Kath, Chris Meecham, Pat Egan, Mary Boylan, Eddie Hogan, Ged Moran, Steven Moorhouse, Jack Kyriacou, Bessie Proctor, Thomas Kelly, Breda Gallagher, Christine Kelly, Ann Masterson, Fr. Peter Coyle, James Robinson, Patricia Rundle, Mary O'Neill, Canon Kevin O'Connor, Caroline Lister, Brenda Gleeson, June McGowan, Mgr. Ron Hishon, Maura Kavanagh, Bridie Heneghan, Patrick Tynan, Eamon Fahey, Mary Dunne, Pat Preston, Paula, David Boylan, Johnny Kenny, Ann Donnelly, Dougie Donohue, Margaret Barlow, Eileen McHale, John Kujacz, Mary Grobicki, Louis Kitt, Kathleen Connolly, Fr. Michael Hoare, Yvonne Peace, Imelda Parkinson, Fr William Fallon, Amelia Sacarello, Harry Hallows, Agnes Halligan, Canon Jack Rigby, Betty Wilson, Elle-Rose Blackhall, Bob Cook, Micky Duffy, Joe Parlon, Aoife McLaughlin, Janet Roberts, Kathleen Curley, Clare Bainbridge, Anna Lawless, Rachel Atkinson, Anthony Coombes, Pat Reid, Constance Murphy, Betty Foster, Martin & Michael Rock, Delia Connelly and Colin Pearson.

**Sacrament of Marriage:** 6 months' notice must be given, if you are planning a wedding for next year please see Fr. Michael.

**The Sacrament of Baptism:** next meeting Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November in the Presbytery at 7-30pm



**Our Lady's Lamp** burns in memory of **Tom Beirne**, 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.



**MONTH OF NOVEMBER:** Envelopes are at the back of church for you to place your remembrance names and offerings for November, when completed please put them through the Presbytery door. As usual the names will be placed in the sanctuary and each day of November, Mass is said for your loved ones and all the Holy Souls.

**Church heating:** we have tried to get the heating on in Church this week, but of course something has gone wrong with the system, and we have had to order a new part, so all being well we should be up and running this week sometime, thanks for your patience.



**Your opportunity to explore life and faith through film and relaxed discussion** Evenings: 7.15 pm - 8.45 pm: St Bernard's Parish Hall, THIS Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2016: theme: Why do we need the Church?

Refreshments will be served, All adults welcome, with or without faith commitment

**CAFOD: Thank You** for your generosity on **Harvest Fast Day**. Our parish raised **£600** so **Nicanora & Bolivian** farmers will receive tools, seeds & training to grow **enough food** for their families. **Please** continue to **pray** for the **gifts of God's good earth to be shared by all people**.

**Union of Catholic Mothers and Women's Confraternity;** Fr John is going to host a meeting in the Parish Hall on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November at 7pm, for any ladies who may be interested in helping set up a branch in our Parish. The Salford Diocesan President, Mrs Maureen Woodward will be our guest speaker. Please do come along, don't be shy.

### **CHRISTMAS FAIR SATURDAY 26th NOVEMBER**



Planning is now well under way and thank you to those who have attended the meetings.

We will be in contact with those who have offered to help but we are in need of more people who can spend no more than an hour on the Friday prior to the day of the fair from 4.00pm to help move goods and tables from the Parish Hall to the School Hall.

**Reminders - Bottle Sunday 30th Oct, Gift Sunday 13th Nov**

**CAN YOU HELP? - FACE PAINTERS URGENTLY REQUIRED**

contact Bernadette 442 4965

If you have any unwanted handbags or items of jewellery would you please bring to church next week and leave in the box provided - many thanks.

**BURNAGE FOODBANK** provides emergency food for local people in crisis, whether on benefits or in work. For more information, take a leaflet from the porch, see [www.burnagefoodbank.org.uk](http://www.burnagefoodbank.org.uk) or tel: 07936698546.

**DROP IN OPEN THIS THURSDAY; COME ONE, COME ALL, AND WELCOME! Make sure you book your place for the Christmas dinner.**

**Parish Pilgrimage to the Holy Land** next year, staying in Bethlehem, Galilee and Jerusalem: flying from Manchester. Please contact Ann Tipper if you are interested. Places available.