

Rotas commencing TODAY Sunday October 30th

Eucharistic Ministers 10am	Eucharistic Ministers 6pm	Readers 10am October	Readers 6pm October	Weekday readers This week	Eucharistic Ministers weekdays
Marie Fahey	Teresa McHugh	Christine Robinson	Carmel Sweeney	Clare Clegg	Teresa McHugh
Bernard Grigaitis	Kathy Petty	Yvonne Tapodi	Carol Cooper		Liam McMahon
Tony Hennigan	Comfort Mensah	Tony Black	Caroline Fahey	Counting Team	
Pauline Hixon		Tea & Coffee		Bridie Close	Pat Kemp
Denis Keyworth	Little Church	M Allcock	10am Offertory	Brigid Flatley	
Liam McMahon	Holiday	E Bostock	Christopher, Stephen, & Maureen	Denis Keyworth	Cleaning team
William Onzivu		Mary Saunders		Angela Keyworth	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 £546 63p Thank you

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L	Y	H	X	E	H	M	A	S	K	X	E	C

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 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).

Jericho	Zacchaeus	collector
wealthy	crowd	stature
sycamore	house	quickly
grumble	sinner	possessions
poor	extorted	repay
salvation	descendant	descendant

Pope Francis asks: Let us pray for our brothers and sisters who encounter discrimination and pay a personal price for their fidelity to the Gospel.

ST. BERNARD'S PARISH NEWSLETTER

31ST SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Sunday 30th October 2016

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STAY WITH US ON OUR JOURNEY

31st Sunday MASS 7/ Creed 12; Mass p 157: Eucharistic Prayer 3 (p27)



The story of Zacchaeus which we hear today reminds us that the Lord is always on the lookout for us, sometimes in the most unusual places like a sycamore tree. It is incredible that despite the reputation of Zacchaeus, Jesus does not hesitate to go to his house to eat. While eating Zacchaeus literally turns his life around, and embraces the Lord through his new faith and love. Each week the Lord sits down with us at Mass, he loves to see us, and hear what is going on in our lives. He knows that we are not perfect and at times we get things wrong, but still he wants to sit with us and feed us with His body and Blood, so that we will have what is necessary for the week ahead. As we come towards the end of the Year of Mercy, it would be wonderful to think, that we have become closer to the Lord, that we trust him more,

and know that His mercy has no measure, but is constant and loving, generous and freely given. Astonishingly we can say that Jesus, the Lord, is a welcome guest at our table, just as we are to His.

We have received a kind invitation from **St. Margaret's** to join them this Thursday 3rd November for the Collation and Induction of their new Rector, **Revd Matthew Calladine**. The service begins at 7-30pm, and after there will be refreshments in the Parish Centre. We wish Matthew and his family well and welcome. Please keep his new ministry in your prayers.



Remembrance Sunday this year is on 13th November, and our local Royal British Legion will be parading here led by Manchester's longest established pipe band for 10am Mass, which will include the Act of Remembrance, last post and traditional hymns. It is a great honour for the Parish to be chosen for this event, and some of our School Children will be

helping us with the Liturgy on this poignant day. Please do make sure to get you poppies from the back of the Church.

Pope Francis Tweet; Love is a patient effort by persons who dedicate themselves to listening and drawing closer to others.

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.

31 st Sunday of ordinary Time	30 th October	Morning Mass Evening Mass	10 am 6pm	Mass Mass
Monday	31 st October	Mass of the day	9-30am	Mass
Tuesday <i>Holy Day of obligation</i>	1 st November	All Saints	9-30am 12 Noon 6pm 7pm	Mass (School) Mass Exposition Mass
Wednesday	2 nd November	All Souls Day	9-30am 7pm	Mass Mass
Thursday	3 rd November	St Martin de Porres	9-30am	Mass
Friday	4 th November	St Charles Borromeo	9-30am	Mass
Saturday	5 th November	Mass of Our Lady	11am 12 noon	Exposition Confessions Mass
32 nd Sunday of ordinary Time	6 th November	Morning Mass Evening Mass	10 am 6pm	Mass Mass

Masses this week: special intention, Brendan Byrne, Gail English, William & Ellen Copley, Maurice & Lill Hennessy, Packie Farnon, Thomas Green, Henry Dorrian, Kath Smith, Patricia Ann Pownall, Hughie Windsor, Jim Waterhouse and David Campbell.

Sick: please commend to your prayers the sick and housebound of the Parish especially, Aiden, M. Pedro, Joshua, Daniel, Kath, Chris Meecham, Henry Dorrian, 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.

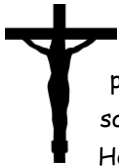
Sacrament of Marriage: 6 months' notice must be given, if you are planning a wedding for next year please see Fr. Michael.

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



Our Lady's Lamp burns for the McCabe Family, 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.

Union of Catholic Mothers and Women's Confraternity; Fr John is going to host a meeting in the Parish Hall on Monday 7th 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.



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.



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 3rd November 2016: theme: Can we trust the Bible and Christian tradition? Refreshments will be served, All adults welcome, with or without faith commitment

CARITAS: The "Talk English" Project is looking for volunteers to provide conversational & basic English classes to refugees & migrants. Interested? Could you do this? then see the posters in the porch for full details.

CHRISTMAS FAIR SATURDAY 26th NOVEMBER



Bottle Sunday TODAY..... ONLY 4 weeks to go

Thank you to all who have donated bottles for the fair.
The box will remain at the back of church for another week.

Gift Sunday - 14th November

Face Painter - we now have one face painter but ideally need another - can you help? If so, please call Bernadette 442 5965

Raffle tickets - still available before and after Sunday masses and from the back of church throughout the week. Lots of books have been distributed - please start to return the counterfoils and monies. Thank you to all who have already done so.

We will be contacting the people who have put their names on the helpers list in the next few days.

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 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 16th -23rd February staying in Bethlehem, Galilee and Jerusalem: flying from Manchester. Please contact Ann Tipper if you are interested.