

Last week's Offerings to the Parish: **Total £1100 43p Thank you**

**Baptism information:** See Baptism Team after Sunday Mass to register your child's details and begin the process. Further information contact Annie or Janice on: [baptismstbernards@gmail.com](mailto:baptismstbernards@gmail.com)

**Sacrament of Marriage:** 6 months' notice must be given, please see Father to make arrangements, please speak to Clergy **Marriage preparation course** is on the four Sundays in Feb. and in June at Our Lady's Moss Side: Book on line at [marriage.stjosephsmanchester.co.uk](http://marriage.stjosephsmanchester.co.uk): **Sacramental programme 2019/20**: Contact: Clare Clegg (07389 192655).

**The Divine Mercy prayer Group** meets on the Second and Fourth Wednesday of the month in the Church at 1pm. **\*\*\*Please note new days\*\*\***

**Legion of Mary:** Tuesday's after evening Mass in the Hall, new members welcome.

**Young At Heart** open Monday: we look forward to seeing you.

**Toddlers Group;** open Tuesday mornings; Further enquiries to Anne 431 7212

**Drop in** is open on Thursdays 10am till 2-30pm **ALL CLUBS AND GROUPS SUSPENDED**

**BURNAGE FOOD BANK;** 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. [www.burnagefoodbank.org.uk](http://www.burnagefoodbank.org.uk) or tel: 07936698546;

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**The final talk in this series will take place digitally on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> November on The God who speaks in the Gospel of John, by Fr. Michael Winstanley, SDB, Salesian priest and Scripture Scholar. He is based at the Salesian community in Bolton. The evening will begin at 7pm and will include time for questions. To book a place and be sent a Zoom link on the morning of the talk, please email [formation@dioceseofsalford.org.uk](mailto:formation@dioceseofsalford.org.uk) Family is Sacred' Zoom Course:**

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TEN BRIDESMAID LAMPS  
FIVE BRIDEGROOM FOOLISH  
SENSIBLE WEDDING OIL  
DOOR AWAKE HOUR



**MRI Hospital Chaplain + Christies number 0161 276 4247; Wythenshawe 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** please for inclusion the following Sunday: the Newsletter 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

## 32<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

### REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2020

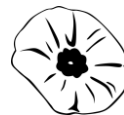
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STAY WITH US ON OUR JOURNEY



32<sup>ND</sup> Sunday in ordinary time Mass sheets

November: Month of the Holy Souls

*The bridegroom is here! Go out and meet him.*



" Watch early for wisdom" : wise words, and ones that the foolish bridesmaids of the Gospel should have taken to heart. This is the ultimate in ' putting off till tomorrow...' , since the reading is about the end of time, when the Son of Man will come again. Then there will be no tomorrow. If a thing is worth doing, it's worth doing today. Quite often we contemplate the end of time with anxiety and fear: this is not what God wants. Look at the Psalm, where we hear of desperate longing, a thirst for the Lord that cannot wait. We should not just wait for the Lord with patient endurance, but with impatient longing: what could we desire more than the coming of the Lord, the rising of the dead and an eternity of joy and glory? "

**UP TO DATE:** Well we find ourselves in Lock down once more, this time for a month at the moment. I am sorry that the safety measures put in place did not help us to remain open: I know this is very disappointing but if we have learned anything over these months it is patience. Here are our initial plans:

- \*Mass Broadcast on our usual Social Media sites at our regular times.
- \*Church will be open for private prayer, lighting candles, and exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 12 Noon until 1pm
- \*The Newsletter will continue to be published online and copies placed in the box in the outer Porch of the Church for you to take and share: Holy Souls envelopes can also be found There.
- \*Mass Sheets are available on the Website.
- \*Much appreciated Weekly envelopes can be dropped off during Church opening times or through the Presbytery door, thank you.
- \*Requiem are still allowed with no more than 30 people; Baptisms 6 people only.
- \*Any changes etc will be published on the Website or in next weeks' Newsletter.

Until we meet again, God Bless mjk

Keep up to date on the website with the Parish Pump and Sacristy Chatter.

**THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS** for November: We pray that by the virtue of baptism, the laity, especially women, may participate more in areas of responsibility in the Church.



**Pope Francis Tweet:** "Kindness frees us from the cruelty that at times infects human relationships, from the anxiety that prevents us from thinking of others, from the frantic flurry of activity that forgets that others also have a right to be happy."

This week we pray for the intentions of the parishioners of Our Lady and St. Joseph's parish, Heywood, and of Fr. Paul Daly and Fr. Bob Hayes. We pray for the parish primary schools and for Holy Family Roman Catholic and Church of England College. May the parish strive always to live by God's wisdom that does not grow dim.

This week's timetable

**\*\*Church open for private visits**

Remembrance Sunday (32 <sup>nd</sup> Week)	8 <sup>th</sup> November	Morning Mass Evening Mass	10am 6pm	Requiem
Monday	9 <sup>th</sup> November	Feast: Dedication of Lateran Basilica	9-30am 12-1pm	Mass Exposition**
Tuesday	10 <sup>th</sup> November	St Leo the Great	7pm 12-1pm	Mass Exposition**
Wednesday	11 <sup>th</sup> November	St Martin of Tours	9-30am 12-1pm	Mass Exposition**
Thursday	12 <sup>th</sup> November	St Josaphat	9-30am 12-1pm	Mass Exposition**
Friday	13 <sup>th</sup> November	Mass of the weekday	9-30am 12-1pm	Mass Exposition**
Saturday	14 <sup>th</sup> November	Mass of Our Lady	12 Noon	Mass
33 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time	15 <sup>th</sup> November	Morning Mass Evening Mass	10am 6pm	

Masses this week: Special Intentions, Holy Souls, Christine Kelly, Margaret Moran, Noreen Concannon, Breda Mary Gallagher, Peter Brendan Gallagher, Andrew John Gallagher, Ray Sweeney 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday, Kathleen Doyle, B Keaveney, Norma Muriel Breheny, Sarah Mitchell.



**PLEASE WEAR A MASK AT CHURCH unless you are excused. Thanks**

In your prayers please remember: Christine Kelly, Hilary, Margret, Oliver, Patricia Divine, Vincent Gibson, Pdraig Kavanagh, Piers Henderson, Trevor Teale, Michael Maguire, Carol Archer, Michael Griffin, James Hegerty, Clare McHugh, Canon Michael Moore, Sarah Mitchell, Paddy Colbert, Gerard Cain, James Barrens, Michaela Rabbitt, Mary Callaghan, B Keaveney, Teresa Barrett, Antony & Christopher Mullen, Carol Archer, Ann McKenna, Barbara Hegarty, Barry Keaveney, Katherine Mahon, Mary Wheatley, Steven Moorhouse, Tess Kenrick, Pat Preston, Mary Boylan, Val Begley, Kevin Malpas, Sr Ann McCabe, James Barren, Celia & Alf Meschi, Cam Lusco, Maureen Nash, Breda Gallagher, Margaret Bayhi, Paul Cannon, Pat Lawrence, Angela & Dennis Keyworth, Clare Bainbridge, Members of the Marist Community in Rome, Denis Joyce, Canon Frank Deeney, Mobishir Rawthore, Nancy Maguire, Kath Welch, Ann & David, Mary O'Neill, Fr Francis Austin, Sarah Byrns, Kitty

Kinsella, Bill O'Hara, Katie Richards, Marian Parker, David Goddard, Ian Lomas, Arianna, Oliver Agnew, Pat Lawrence, Pat Scott, Lisa McElwaine, Fr Leo Heakin, William Harkin, Paddy Lyons, Lyndsey Kelly, John Phillips, Stefan Lachkovic, Karen & Billy Hennessy, Debbie Roberts, Dillon Ward, Brian Waugh, Ellen Leach, Michael Turner, Chris Forbes, Yas Poptani, Sr Pat Carney, Dorothy Harold, Christine, Marcella McNevin, Ged MacCarron, Pat Hallows, John Griffin, Fr Chris Lough, Jane Riley, Jacky Watts, Margaret Hills, Sheila Walsh, John Kirwin, Christopher Burke, Ann O'Connor, MJK, Doreen French, Anne Hutton, Sandra Lannatta, Kevin Hempzell, George Hegarty, Margaret & Dave Watkins, Sue Atherton, Lizzie Frost, Breda Orr, Orla McManus, Betty Ann Jones, Kathleen Curley, Anthony Mullen, Marion Moran, Ronald Bradshaw, Ann & John MacCarron, Anthony Gallagher, Fr Vincent Cavey, Mary Winterbourne, Mary Mulvihill, Phyllis Dowd, Celia Deignan, Eileen Kenny, Mary Jordan, Michael Carney, Maureen Walkin, Bernie Quezena, Lee Hegarty, Richard O'Connor, Patrick Clarke, Anna Lawless, Eddie McDonald.

**Our Lady's Lamp** for Margaret Moran & the **Sacred Heart Lamp** for Margaret Moran: let us know if you would like an entry making on the list: suggested donation £5. Thank you



Please arrange your Baptisms by Annie or Janice using the Parish website on: **baptismstbernards@gmail.com** please be aware that some social distancing rules will apply and limited numbers.

+ November is the Month of the Holy Souls; please don't forget your family lists: envelopes in the outer Church Porch; Our Beloved Dead especially remembered at each November Mass + Why not visit our Remembrance Corner in the Garden and place your poppy? "We will remember them"

**CAFOD:** A big Thank You from Simon (that's Simon Holleron who used to teach at St. Bernard's School) & Steve of Cafod Salford to the incredibly generous parishioners of St. Bernard's for the £590 given at Harvest Fast time to help our brothers & sisters around the world. It really is most appreciated. God Bless you all.

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**2020 CHRISTMAS SPECIAL:** Our third draw takes place after this morning's Mass. The fourth draw takes place on Sunday 22nd November with the main draw on Sunday 6th December All winners will be notified.



Good luck to you all and many thanks for your support. All winners will be notified. There will be further draws every fortnight leading to our main draw on Sunday 6th December. All enquiries please call Barry or Bernadette on 07780 956066. Thank you for your support.

**Protest buffer zone decision:** Manchester City Council has introduced a Public Space Protection Order, also known as a buffer zone, around the Marie Stopes abortion clinic in Fallowfield. This means that pro-life people cannot pray outside the clinic and offer help to women who are under pressure and who may not want to go ahead with an abortion. Please send a postcard to Sir Richard Leese, the Leader of Manchester City Council, protesting this decision. The little girl featured on the postcard is an actual child rescued by pro-lifers outside an abortion clinic in London when they gave help to her mother enabling her to continue with her pregnancy. We believe that every postcard can help make a difference. You can order them at [www.spuc.org.uk/Manchesterpostcard](http://www.spuc.org.uk/Manchesterpostcard)