

**Rotas commencing TODAY Sunday November 15th**

<b>Eucharistic Ministers 10am</b>	<b>Eucharistic Ministers 6pm</b>	<b>Readers 10am November</b>	<b>Readers 6pm November</b>	<b>Weekday readers This week</b>	<b>Eucharistic Ministers weekdays</b>
Marie Fahey	Pearle Gorman	Pat Jones	Sarah Hicklin	Clare Clegg	Teresa McHugh
Bernard Grigaitis	Santosh Pinto	James Walsh	Caroline Fahy	Bridie Close	Liam McMahon
Tony Hennigan	Julia Traynor	Dominic Richmond	Irene Edwards	<b>Counting Team</b>	
Pauline Hixon		<b>Tea &amp; Coffee</b>		<i>Christine Blackburn</i>	<i>Jane Kendrick</i>
Denis Keyworth	<b>Little Church</b>	Dympna Dumpleton	<b>10am Offertory</b>	<i>Margaret Cox</i>	<i>Margaret Arthurs</i>
Liam McMahon	Mary & Sandra	Clare Clegg	Fury Family	<i>Michael Flatley</i>	<b>Cleaning team</b>
William Onzivu				<i>Tess Kendrick</i>	Thank you

**FAMILY FLOWERS:** Thank you for the continued gifts of flowers for the Church.

**Flower list** is at the back of Church: Our happy couple, Chris & Laura thank you.

**Last week's Offerings** to the Parish: Total £686 94p Thank you

**Thank you for donations to the church of £90 in memory of Les Moore**

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**The Divine Mercy prayer Group** will now meet on the First Thursday of the month at 1-30pm in the Church; why not join them?

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

**Our Monday Club,** "young at heart" is open and always delighted to have new people from the Parish and our local community.

**Irish Dancing lessons,** held every Wednesday Evening in Burnage Community Centre at 6-30pm, Girls and boys over 4 years of age, most welcome. Enquires to John Morgan on 07900002105

**Items for the Bulletin** can be left at the Presbytery or emailed to [michaelkujacz@hotmail.com](mailto: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

## 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary time

### Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2015



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**MONTH OF THE  
HOLY SOULS**

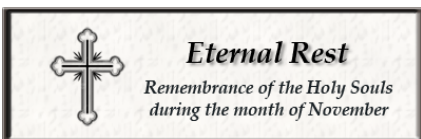
**"STAY WITH US, LORD, ON OUR JOURNEY."**

33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday MASS 7/ Creed 12; Mass p157 Eucharistic Prayer 2 (p24)



As always at this time of year, we begin to contemplate the end of the world - a theme that carries us over next Sunday's feast (Christ the King) and so into Advent. Such a contemplation is not gloomy or morbid: throughout the ages (and especially in the early days) Christians have been utterly positive about the coming end of all things, because we know what will happen, and in fact we earnestly desire it to come: the phrase that gives this away is in the Gospel: ☐ Then ☐ he will send his angels to gather his chosen from the four winds. ☐ This gathering of God's children together will be a truly wonderful event, when we will all be completely enfolded in that love of God that we talk so much about.

New ministry list will be ready for the first Sunday of Advent, following people's suggestions each team will know what weekend or week they are due for service, I hope this will be of help to you; it is important to let us know if you are not able to serve on your day or find a substitute. Would you be willing to join our **family teams** for the offertory procession at 10am Mass? If so would you let Father or Bernard know in the next few weeks, it would mean perhaps doing it once every 10 weeks: New list also at the back of the Church to sign up. Thanks



**November remembrance** envelopes available at the back of Church for your list and donations for Mass offerings: remember that during November all the names submitted are prayed for and commended in daily Mass.

**Francis tweet:** As Christians, we are called to imitate the Good Shepherd and to help families experiencing difficulties.

## THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS (November)

**Universal:** Dialogue: That we may be open to personal encounter and dialogue with all, even those whose convictions differ from our own. **Evangelization:** Pastors: That Pastors of the Church, with profound love for their flocks, may accompany them and enliven them. **Mission.**

32 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday Children's Presentation 1	15 <sup>th</sup> November	Mass Evening mass	10am 6pm	Mass Mass
Monday	16 <sup>th</sup> November	St Margaret of Scotland	9-30am	Mass
Tuesday	17 <sup>th</sup> November	St Elizabeth of Hungary	6pm 7pm	Exposition Mass
Wednesday	18 <sup>th</sup> November	Mass of the day	9-30am	Mass
Thursday	19 <sup>th</sup> November	Mass of the day	9-30am	Mass
Friday	20 <sup>th</sup> November	Mass for deceased parents	9-30 am	Mass
Saturday Presentation of Our Blessed Lady	21 <sup>st</sup> November	Exposition & Confessions Our Lady	11am 12 noon	Mass
<b>CHRIST THE KING</b> Children's Presentation 2	22 <sup>nd</sup> November	Mass Evening Mass	10am 6pm	Mass Mass

### **This Sunday retiring collection for the Retired Clergy Fund**

**Masses this week:** Joseph Leslie Moore, Mrs. Pat Jones, Mary O'Donnell, John Hodgkins, Gerald Fowler, Kitty Devine, Eugene & Julia Sullivan, Sean Fahey, John McNevin, Bernadette Maloney.

**Sick;** please commend to your prayers the sick and housebound of the Parish especially, M. Pedro, Joshua, Daniel, Mary Dunne, Eduardo Starkey, Sean Collins, Ann Donnelly, Dougie Donohue, Eddie Hogan, Sheila MacCrimmon, Eileen McMahon, Eddie Hogan, Sr. Amadeus Bulger, John Kujacz, Mary Grobicki, Eugene Davis, Joan Kennedy, Mary Featherstone, Patricia Rundle, Lucy Murphy, Craig Greenwood, Louis Kitt, Angela Hussey, Kathleen Connolly, Fr. Michael Hoare, Yvonne Peace, Imelda Parkinson, Melito Dufficey, Esther Mate, Maureen Relihan, Sheila O'Donnell, Amelia Sacarello, Harry Hallows, Gillian Hale, Agnes Halligan, Steven Moorhouse, Pat Jones, Mary Gallagher, Mary Edwards, Samantha Mulligan, Pat Preston, Debbie Griffin, 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, Kath Rafter, Margaret Keable, Constance Murphy, Maria Baker, Betty Foster, Dorothy Hampsey, Martin & Michael Rock, Louis Kerr, Delia Connelly and Colin Pearson.

**The Sacrament of Baptism:** Pick up yours packs after Mass and return them to the presbytery: our next Baptism meeting Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December at the House at 7-30pm.



**Our Lady's Lamp burns this week in memory of Denis O'Donnell**, 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

**Deanery Mass for deceased Clergy this Tuesday at 10-30 am at St. Kentigern's.**



**CHRISTMAS FAIR SATURDAY 28th NOVEMBER.**

Doors open 12.30 pm we are nearly there.

Thank you to everyone who donated bottles and gifts. The box will remain at the back of church for other donations.

If you are baking cakes please bring along to the school hall from 5pm Friday 27th or Saturday before 12noon.

Can you Face Paint ? - we are looking for one more person. If you can help please telephone Bernadette 442 5965 and leave your details.

All stall holders please arrive on the day no later than 10.30am.

Finally we need more helpers to transport goods from the Parish Hall to the School Hall on Friday 27th from 4pm. Many hands make light work and they will also save lots of time. Please help even if it's an hour you can spare.

**Christmas Cards and Calendars** on sale in the Parish Hall after both 10am & 6pm for the next few Sundays, why not pop in?

'Once a man was asked, 'what did you gain by regularly praying to God?'The man replied, 'nothing... but let me tell you what I lost: Anger, ego, greed, depression, insecurity, and fear of death.'Sometimes, the answer to our prayers is not gaining but losing; which ultimately is the gain.'

**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?

**Christmas Meal** on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> December at 7pm in the Parish Hall. Look at the menu and make your choice £6-50p

**HOSPITAL:** Either as a patient or relative, to see the Catholic Chaplain you have to let the ward sister know, but if you are in MRI, St Mary's, Children's, Eye Hospital, Trafford or Christies, give Fr David or Canon David a ring on 0161 276 4247(office) or 0161 224 1895 (home) you can always leave a message, make sure you give the name of the ward and bed number if known. Please keep them and their work in your prayers.