

Last week's Offerings to the Parish: Total £1195.31p Thank you

The Divine Mercy prayer Group meets on the First and Third Wednesday of the month in the Church at 1pm

TODDLERS GROUP. The group is open. 9.30am --11.30am every Tuesday; Further enquiries to Anne 431 7212. The Group will re-open on Tuesday 17th April

Young at Heart, open every Monday 11-30pm: YOUNG AT HEART re-opens tomorrow

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Please put items for the newsletter through the presbytery door for inclusion, or send via email to Fr. Michael

BURNAGE FOOD BANK provides emergency food for local people in crisis, whether on benefits or in work. For more information, take a leaflet from the porch, www.burnagefoodbank.org.uk or tel: 07936698546; 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.

CARITAS: Could you sleep out for 1 night in solidarity with homeless people & join Bishop John & the team for the 4th annual **Cornerstone Big Sleep Out** on Friday April 27th. See the poster on the **CARITAS** notice board or visit the **Cornerstone** website for full details of how to register.



Walsingham 3/5 May: we still have 1 single room available £158 per person (contact Bernie or Tony Kirstein on 225 0227) the programme is available for collection this Sunday. We will depart after 9-30am Mass on the 3rd May.

Walsingham day Pilgrimage: Saturday 5th May; this coach is now full, would 5 pilgrims who have still to pay and confirm their booking please do so as soon as possible. The coach will depart from Church at 6am. Thank you.

Altar Servers Cake Sale on Sunday 22nd April, please can you help them by either baking or buying. Thank you.

Hospital Chaplain + Christies number 0161 276 4247 Wythenshaw 0161 291 2297

ST. BERNARD'S PARISH NEWSLETTER

SECOND SUNDAY EASTER

SUNDAY 8TH APRIL 2018



Clergy: Mgr. Michael J Kujacz RD. Fr. John Coe

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Website <http://stbernards-burnage.homeip.net>

STAY WITH US ON OUR JOURNEY

2nd Sunday of Easter P 255

MASS 7/ Creed 12;

Eucharistic Prayer 2(24)



Here are the steps of how to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet:

Step 1 - Using a regular set of Rosary beads, you begin at the cross by doing the sign of the cross.
(Optional Opening Prayer)

You expired, Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls, and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world. O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us.

(Repeat three times)

O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fountain of Mercy for us, I trust in You!

Step 2 - On the three beads of the rosary pray the Our Father, the Hail Mary and the Apostles Creed.

Step 3 - You begin each decade with the Our Father beads by praying this prayer:
Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.

Step 4 - Complete the decade on the 10 Hail Mary beads by praying this prayer:

For the sake of His Sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

Repeat Steps 3 and 4 for each decade on the rosary beads

Step 5 - Once you have prayed all 5 decades, you finish the Chaplet by praying the following prayer 3 times:

Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.
(Optional Closing Prayer)

Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion inexhaustible, look kindly upon us, and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments, we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence, submit ourselves to Your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself. Amen.

Pope Francis Tweet: Love is the only invincible weapon, because it has the power to disarm the forces of evil.

This week's timetable

2nd Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy Sunday	8 th April	Morning Mass Evening Mass Divine Mercy Devotions	10am 6pm 2-45pm	Confessions & Benediction
Monday	9 th April	Solemnity: The Annunciation	9-30am	Mass
Tuesday	10 th April	Easter weekday	6pm 7pm	Exposition Mass
Wednesday	11 th April	St Stanislaus	9-30am	Mass
Thursday	12 th April	Easter weekday	9-30am	Mass
Friday	13 th April	Requiem; Eileen Harkin	10am*	Mass
Saturday	14 th April	Easter weekday	11am 12 Noon	Exposition & Confessions Mass
3rd Sunday of Easter	15 th April	Morning Mass Evening Mass	10am 6pm	

ROTAS THIS SUNDAY, 8th April 2018

10am Clare Clegg, Christine Robinson, Audrey Stedford

6pm John Press, Stany Rodrigues, Caroline Fahy

Eucharistic Ministers 10am (5) Terry O'Neill, Denis Keyworth, Mollie Richards, Tony Kirstein Marie Fahey, Barbara Philips, Berni Roan

6pm - Fiona McGarvey Teresa McHugh Comfort Mensah

Soft Church - Hilary & Tony Addyman

Offertory Olive Hogan, Ann Masterson

Counting Team - Ged Allcock, Olive Hogan, Liam McMahon, Yvonne Tapodi

Tea & Coffee - C Fahey, M Fahey, Rose Duffy

Weekday Reader this week - Tony Kirstein

Weekday Eucharistic Ministers: Comfort Mensah, Preetha Byju



Masses this week: Joan Cross, Harry Hallows, Albert Bayhi, Mitchell Family, Richard Kujacz, Eileen Harkin, Betty Smith, Fahy Family Intentions, Thomas Lyons, Winnie & Joe Outram, Conor's Intentions, Hughie & Breda Gallagher's Intentions.

Sick: please remember the sick and housebound of the parish and elsewhere: Marcella McNevin, Kathryn, Cam Lusco, Margaret Bayhi, Nathan, Fr Kevin Gradwell, Nancy

Nicholls, Lyndsey Kelly-Smith, Kath Thompson, Isla Forrest, Tess Kendrick, Ted Cross, Christopher Hyde-Smith, Betty Serridge, Mary & John Phillips, Celia Deignan, Nancy Maguire, Mary Bancroft, Mary Boylan, Lawrence Hennigan, Canon Kevin Kenny, Fr David Foster, Norah Gibbons, Kathleen Connolly, Clare Hare, Pat Preston, Paula, Stefan Lachkovic, Mary Grobicki, Breda Gallagher, Evelyn Lohan, Ann Lawless, Oriel Kerr, Keith Nunnerley, Bill Lisgo, Lee Hegarty, Richard O'Connor, Steven Moorhouse, Clare Bainbridge, Patrick Clarke, John Kujacz, Norah Gibbons, Louis Kitt, Pat Hallows, Paddy Murray, Anna Lawless, Eddie McDonald, Jack & Ann MacCarron,.

+ Sad to report that Joan Cross has died, I offer our prayers and sympathy to Ted and all the family. May she rest in peace+

THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS for April: That economists may have the courage to reject any economy of exclusion and know how to open new paths.



TODAY 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.

Baptism: [anniteresa@hotmail.com] don't forget to pop in to see Father after Sunday Mass to begin the process. **Sacrament of Marriage:** 6 months' notice must be given, please see Father to make arrangements. **#Sacrament of Confirmation:** if any adult 16+ has not received the Sacrament of Confirmation please contact Clare Clegg [clareclegg2@gmail.com] for preparation and information.#



Our Lady's Lamp for David Lawrence & the Sacred Heart Lamp burns for Joe & Dan Lawrence, thank you. There is a list at the at the back of Church: suggested donation £5.

CHURCH HEATING FUND: Easter Draw; thank you for your support £789 was raised for the new heating fund. The main Hamper winner was Shelagh Bridge, Hair voucher John Yates, Wheildons Butcher voucher Mary Seamark, plus lots of other winners. List is at the back of Church and in the Parish Hall.

QUIZ NIGHT THIS FRIDAY 13th APRIL PARISH HALL.

Doors will open at 7.00pm and the quiz will start at 7.30pm prompt. All team places have been taken and payments are now due. Please see Barry or Bernadette in the Parish Hall after this morning's Mass. **DATE FOR YOUR DIARY - AFTERNOON TEA & PLANT SALE PARISH HALL _ FURTHER INFORMATION TO FOLLOW>PLEASE NOTE :-** all proceeds from our events are to go towards the church central heating fund.



The Drop In: Thursdays after Mass in the parish hall open till 3pm, come and join us and be welcome. Homemade soup and bread and homemade treats at 12pm, lovely warm atmosphere: come and join us and be welcome.

The Fahy family thanks everyone for their kindness, prayers and cards during their recent loss of Eamon: Holy Mass will be offered for all your intentions. Thank you