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Sunday 17th April 2016 Fourth Sunday of Easter

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

The first group of children will be receiving their First Communion at the 11 am Mass today. Please pray for them.

The second group are reminded that they have a rehearsal on Friday 22nd April at 5.30 pm.

We are looking for volunteers to help with ushering during the First Communion Masses at 11 am on 24th April and 1st May. If you would like to help, please leave your name at the repository or with any of the Knights of St Columba at the back of church.

THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE

Pope Francis has requested that all the Catholic churches in Europe should hold a second collection on behalf of the Catholic people of Ukraine. This will take place next Sunday, April 24th.

TEXT GIVING

The Diocese now have arranged a new option for donations to the Parish – by mobile phone. To donate £5 to our parish you would text "Parish HILLN" to 70800. Please take a yellow leaflet from the back of the church for more details.

ADMINISTRATION OFFICER - ST BERNADETTE'S SCHOOL

We are seeking an experienced, highly professional, well organised and friendly person to work as an Administration Officer in our busy school office. For further details please look at the vacancies section of the school website <u>www.stbernadetteschool.co.uk</u> or contact Suzanne Hynes, PA to the Headteacher on shynes@stbernadetteschool.co.uk

WEEKLY COLLECTION Thank you for your Offering last week of £1,701.56.

CONFIRMATION COURSE

There is a meeting for the parents on Wednesday 20th April at 7.30 pm in the Parish Hall.

PRIEST TRAINING FUND:

Today's second collection is for our Priest Training Fund. It is also Good Shepherd Sunday, the day when we pray for our priests, and future priests. The fund helps cover the costs of vocation promotion, forming seminarians, educating priests for special ministries and ongoing enrichment to strengthen priests. Your donation helps ensure the best programme possible for those who are willing to dedicate their lives to Christ and the Church. Please take a prayer card from the back of the church. Envelopes will be available throughout April, or you can donate online at www.rcdow.org.uk/donations.

MARY PULHAM RIP

The funeral service of the late Mary Pulham will take place on Wednesday 20th April at 11.30 am. Please note that there will be no 10 am Mass on that day.

MARGARET SOMMERVILLE RIP

The funeral service of the late Margaret Sommerville is on Monday 25th April at 10.30 am.

We extend our sympathies to both their families and friends. May they rest in peace.

SUMMER ACCOMMODATION IN LONDON

Allen Hall Seminary in Chelsea offer comfortable rooms in central London in July and August. Beautiful gardens and chapel. Rooms from £50 per night (including breakfast). Website : <u>www.allenhall.org.uk</u> Email : <u>allenhall@rcdow.org.uk</u> Telephone : 020 7349 5600 (option 0)

Parish Priest: Fr Matthew Heslin Parish Secretary: Mrs Linda Broadbridge (email: <u>lindab@rcdow.org.uk</u>) Office Hours: Monday & Friday 9 am – 3.30 pm, Wednesday 10 am – 2 pm.

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK Sunday Masses

Saturday	6 pm
Sunday	9 am, 11 am & 5.30 pm

Weekday Masses

Monday	10 am	
Tuesday	No Mass	
Wednesday: funeral service 11.30 am		
Thursday – Saturday	10 am	
Sacrament of Reconciliation		

Saturday 10.30 – 11 am

VOLUNTEERING FOR CAFOD

CAFOD is looking for volunteers who would like to take the CAFOD message into Catholic primary and secondary schools in this area. You will help to inspire young people to put their faith into action through assemblies and workshops. To find out more please call 0208-449-6970, or email westminster@cafod.org.uk

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Please collect your new rota from the letter rack at the back of the church today. Many thanks.

GIFT AID AND PLANNED GIVING

There are still some boxes of envelopes to be collected from the back of the church. If you have signed a Gift Aid form, we can only claim back the tax on your donations if these are made using the envelopes or by banker's order, so please collect your envelopes and use them from this week. Banker's order forms are available at the back of the church, if you would to prefer to use this method.

If you have any queries re Gift Aid or the planned giving envelopes, please contact me by email on

<u>sbh.giftaid@gmail.com</u> or leave a message with Linda & I will get back to you. Jasia Zimmermann Gift Aid Coordinator