ST BERNADETTE'S RC CHURCH



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Sunday 30th July 2017
Seventeenth Sunday of the Year

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 – Saturday	10 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday	10.30 – 11 am

SACRED HEART MISSION APPEAL
Thank you all very much for your generosity last weekend, which amounted to £350. There is a letter of thanks from Brother Roger on the notice board at the back of the church.

JOINT SUMMER FETE
Thank you, once again, to everyone who came to the Fete in glorious weather, and donated, served, cooked or simply purchased! The total amount raised was £5,400, of which half - £2,700 – will come to the Parish. Well done everyone!

PHOTOGRAPHS
If you purchased photos for First Communion or Confirmation they are now available. Please visit the Parish Office during opening hours to collect, or call to arrange a suitable time for collection.

CONGRATULATIONS!
Warm congratulations to Katherine Rogan on the occasion of her marriage to Jack Smith last Friday. Katherine has been a teacher in our school for a number of years and now leaves us to take up a new appointment in September. We wish her well!

WEEKLY COLLECTION Thank you for your Offering last week of £2,305.98.

WELCOME FR DANIEL RUBIO
Fr. Daniel Rubio, currently studying at the Mexican College in Rome, will be with us during August whilst Fr. Matthew goes on his summer break. Please make him feel right at home during his time with us.

HAPPY SUMMER HOLIDAYS!
Please note there will be no newsletter for the four Sundays of August, so happy holidays until we meet again in September!

DEMOLITION OF THE SCOUT HUT
The Scout hut located at the rear of the Church was originally constructed through voluntary labour by the parishioners of St. Bernadette's and was much loved and utilised by a thriving Scout Group for many years. Sadly it is now in a dilapidated state and needs to be taken down and removed for safety reasons. Under current regulations planning permission is required for this purpose.
The Parish however, is concerned that when demolished any established permitted building rights may expire and in order to protect these rights will at the same time request planning permission for a new smaller building at the back of the church, such as a coffee type lounge /recreation space for the sole use of the parish, which could be constructed in the future.
Details of the planning application can be viewed on the Hillingdon Borough website.

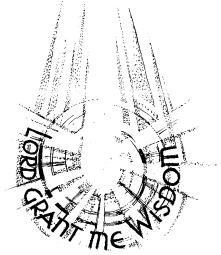
U-CAN-ASK ANGELS
A local charity, which helps children with communication disorders, has a vacancy for a Saturday Club Assistant Playworker. For details please email ucanaskangels@gmail.com or call Samantha Holden on 07826 567034.

GROWING IN FAITH
The latest report from the Diocese, concerning our donations to the Growing in Faith campaign, is on the notice board at the back of the church for your perusal.

JUSTICE AND PEACE FOODBANK NEWS
A big thank you again – six big bags off to the food bank today. Families often find it difficult to feed their children in the long holidays as there are no free school meals. We will have a collection at the end of August. Look out for a poster.
Thanks again,
The Justice and Peace Group

SUMMER ACCOMMODATION IN LONDON
Allen Hall Seminary in Chelsea offers comfortable rooms in central London for July and August at £50/night including breakfast. For details, please call:
Website: www.allenhall.org.uk
Email: allenhall@rcdow.org.uk
Telephone: 020 7349 5600 (option 0)

REQUEST FOR WHITE PLASTIC ROSARIES
The Catenian Rosary Group have requested help in their mission to provide white plastic rosaries to prisons where there is an urgent need. The prisoners/detainees include in their prayers all those who enable them to have a rosary. They must be plastic only to comply with security regulations. Please send them to Michael Blackburn, 164, Green Park Road, Halifax, HX3 0SP; Tel: 01422 352559; email: michael@jjbr.co.uk



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