ST BERNADETTE'S RC CHURCH



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Sunday 26th November 2017
Christ the King

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

Exposition and Benediction
Friday following the 10 am Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday 10.30 – 11 am

JUSTICE AND PEACE COFFEE MORNING
The J&P Group will be providing the teas after the 9 am and 11 am Masses this morning.

CHRISTMAS FOODBANK COLLECTION
Our Christmas Food Bank collection will be the weekend of December 2nd/3rd. We have been asked for pasta sauce, cereals, UHT milk, tinned fish, fruit juice and any Christmas stuff. Thanks in advance for your wonderful generosity.
The Justice and Peace Team

CONFIRMATION COURSE 2018
Enrolment forms for next year's Course are now available at the back of the church for those in Year 10 and above. **The closing date is 15th December.**

SICK AND RETIRED PRIESTS COLLECTION
Thank you all very much for your very generous donations, which amounted to £652.70. If you would still like to make a donation there are still envelopes at the back of the church, or you can visit www.rcdow.org.uk/donations.

PARISH TEAM MEETING
Please see the minutes of the meeting on 15th October at the back of the church.

CONCERT IN READING
Rhys Concessao, a 14 year old pianist, and parishioner of St Bernadette's, will be performing with the Reading Symphony Orchestra this afternoon at 3.30 pm in the Great Hall, University of Reading, London Road. For more information, please see the poster at the back of the church or visit www.rso.org.uk. All welcome.

CERTIFICATE OF CATHOLIC PRACTICE
Fr Matthew will be signing the Certificate of Catholic Practice to support Nursery applications on Friday 8th December between 11.15 and 12.15pm in the church.

Closing dates for applications to St Bernadette's school for September: **Nursery: Friday 9th February 2018 and Primary Reception class: Monday 15th January 2018.** All queries should be made to the school office.

LOST KEY
Two keys and a tag, found in the car park about two weeks ago. If it may be yours, please contact the Parish Office.

"HOLLY BOUGH"
A few copies of this annual pre-Christmas magazine is on sale at the back of the church, priced £3.50.

WEEKLY COLLECTION Thank you for your Offering last week of £2,125.38.

CONCERT FOR LOURDES PILGRIMAGE
A Christmas Celebration to raise funds to help less-able pilgrims and their carers to participate in the pilgrimage and be provided with appropriate medical and volunteer support. Thursday 7th December at Our Lady of Victories, Kensington High Street, at 7 pm, in the presence of Cardinal Vincent Nichols. Poster at the back of the church.

ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS
Christmas (and Advent) items are now on sale at the Repository. Many thanks for supporting our shop!

HARROW COMMUNITY CENTRE for divorced and separated Catholics. The next meeting will be on Monday 4th December in the hall in St Bernard's Church, Northolt. (not far from Northolt Station.)

THE PASSAGE – THE BIG GIVE
If you donate online to The Passage between 12 noon on Tuesday 28th November and 12 noon on Tuesday 5th December the amount will be doubled. Gift Aid can also be included. For more information ring Andrew Hollingsworth 020 75921855, or email, andrew.h@passage.org.uk https://secure.thebiggive.org.uk/project/27756

CATHOLIC YOUTH COLLECTION
There will be a Diocesan Collection after all Masses today for the work of the Catholic Youth Service.

A CATHOLIC EDUCATION
Do you support Catholic schools and the right of Catholics to send their children to them? Then we need you to make your voice heard. The Government is making a critical decision on whether to overturn the admissions cap which prevents Catholic schools from allowing all Catholic pupils to attend. They have acknowledged that this policy discriminates against Catholics and promised to abandon it; now we need you to tell them not to u-turn on their promise to Catholics.
Visit http://catholicnews.org.uk/ or search for 'Catholic Education' to write to the Government and urge them to drop their policy which bans new Catholic schools.

Parish Priest: Fr Matthew Heslin **Deacon:** Rev. Reg Abrahams
Parish Secretary: Mrs Linda Broadbridge (email: lindab@rcdow.org.uk)
Office Hours: Monday & Friday 9 am – 3.30 pm, Wednesday 10 am – 2 pm.