ST BERNADETTE'S RC CHURCH



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Sunday 11th February 2018
Sixth 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
Ash Wednesday	10 am & 7 pm
Thursday – Saturday	10 am

Stations of the Cross

Friday	after the 10 am Mass
	7.30 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday	10.30 – 11 am

CHURCH CLEANING
Thank you all very much to the volunteers who helped with the church cleaning. It was nice to see the children joining in with plenty of energy and enthusiasm!!

BARRY WHELAN RIP
The funeral is on Wednesday 21st February at 10 am. We send our sympathy to his family and friends. May he rest in peace.

PARISH COFFEE MORNING
The Parish Team are behind the Urns for the coffees and teas this weekend after the 9 am and 11 am masses. You will be most welcome to join them! Next week the SVP will be doing the honours.

PARISH WEBSITE
We have an online presence at www.rcdow.org.uk/hillingdon.

SENIOR CITIZENS PARTY
The SVP are organizing a parishioners' Senior Citizen's Party on Sunday, 25th February. If you would like to attend please give your name to a member of the SVP after the 9 or 11 am Mass at the back of the church this Sunday. To avoid overcrowding in the hall we have a limited number of places.

SPECIAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY?
The Cardinal's Mass of Thanksgiving for the Sacrament of Matrimony takes place at Westminster Cathedral on Saturday 19th May at 3 pm.
The Cardinal will be inviting all couples in the Diocese who are celebrating their 5th 10th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th and 60th (and every year over 60) wedding anniversary of Catholic marriage in 2018. If you are celebrating please give the following details to the Parish Office: husband and wife's names, wedding date, full postal address and email (or telephone number, if no email).

HELPING AT LOURDES?
25th May – 1st June 2018.
Become a carer for a week at Lourdes, travelling with the Society of Our Lady of Lourdes, based at Botwell Church. This year the cost is £580 with rebates available for helpers. Further details from: http://www.soll-lourdes.com/ email enquiries@soll-lourdes.com or call Liam, our parishioner, who is happy to share his experience of the Pilgrimage on 07859 049568.

LENT 2018

Lent is our opportunity to deepen the meaning and value of our Christian lives. We are encouraged to rediscover the mercy of God so that we may become more merciful to our brothers and sisters.

During Lent we are asked to make a particular effort with prayer, fasting and almsgiving as part of our journey of renewal as Christians.

ASH WEDNESDAY
14th February is Ash Wednesday and ashes will be distributed at Mass at 10 am and 7 pm.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS
There will be Stations on Fridays during Lent after the 10 am Mass and again in the evening at 7.30 pm. The evening session will be led by the Knights of St Columba.

LENTEN TALKS
Fr. Matthew and Deacon Reg will be giving Talks in the Parish Hall on Monday evenings during Lent starting on Monday 19th February at 7 pm. These talks will be on the Holy Eucharist and theology in relation to our lives as a complement to the upcoming Eucharistic Congress in Liverpool in September. All welcome!

ALTAR LINEN/READERS ROTA
If you have not yet been able to collect your rotas, please do so from the letter rack as soon as you can. Thank you.

WEEKLY COLLECTION Thank you for your Offering last week of £2.491.09.

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.