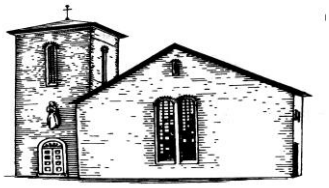
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Sunday 24th February 2019
Seventh Sunday of the Year

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

Exposition and Benediction

Friday	After the 10 am Mass 7.30 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday	10.30 – 11 am

JUSTICE AND PEACE NEWS

The next foodbank collection takes place this weekend. This month we have been asked for long life milk, instant mash, fruit juice, tinned meat and tinned fruit. Please check there is at least three months before the use by date. Thank you again.

The Justice and Peace Group.

JUSTICE AND PEACE COFFEE MORNING

The J&P Group are making the tea and coffee this morning. Please join them for a chat.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTAS

Please take your new rota from the letter rack in the church porch. Many thanks.

CARITAS EVENT: EMBRACED

For those interested in finding out how the Diocese works with those with learning disabilities, at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Hall, Bowes Road, N11 1AA (near Arnos Grove tube station) on Saturday 2nd March from 2 – 4.30 pm. Please see the poster for details or take one of the little red cards.

WHITE FATHERS MISSION APPEAL

We welcome Fr. John Gerrard to St Bernadette's this weekend, to make the Annual Diocesan Appeal for the White Fathers at all Masses this weekend. The Missionaries of Africa are an international team of priests, brothers and lay associates from Africa, Britain and many other countries. Through parish work and small Christian communities they work with the media, the judiciary, farmers, seminaries, educators and social welfare to support the Church in Africa. Please be as generous as you can. Thank you.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

"Come- Everything is Ready!"
This year the World Day of Prayer is prepared by the Women of Slovenia, and will be at Hillingdon Park Baptist Church, Hercies Road, at 2 pm on Friday 1st March. Now called World Day of Prayer not Women's World Day, so ALL are very welcome to this service and the refreshments afterwards.

FIRST COMMUNION COURSE

The next session takes place next Sunday, 3rd March, at 9.30 am in the Parish Hall. After the class the children will go into the church with their catechists to join their families for the 11 am Mass.

CONFIRMATION COURSE

The next session is on Saturday, 2nd March at 10 am, in the Parish Hall and will include Reconciliation in the church.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

There are a number of events provided by the Diocese for readers and Eucharistic Ministers. To find out more, please see the posters at the back of the church, email livingfaith@rcdow.org.uk or phone 020 7931 6078 for information and/or to register.

ROME SUMMIT

This week the Holy Father has had meetings in Rome with Church leaders regarding the situation around sexual abuse of minors.

Cardinal Vincent has asked us to pray for the success of the summit. We pray that through their wise deliberations, the Church leaders may deal, prayerfully and sensitively, with all victims of abuse and continue to put safeguarding measures in place. Above all we pray for the healing of all those who have suffered in any way.

SENIOR CITIZENS PARTY

The SVP are organizing a parishioners' Senior Citizen's Party on Sunday, 17th March. If you would like to attend please give your name to a member of the SVP after any mass this weekend. To avoid overcrowding in the hall we have a limited number of places so do get your name down quickly!

ST PATRICKS' DAY CARDS

Now available from the Paper shop at the back of the church.

CARDINAL'S MASS OF THANKSGIVING FOR THE SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Westminster Cathedral,
Saturday 8th June 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 2019. If you are celebrating an anniversary, please email the Parish Office, or Linda, with the following details: husband and wife's names, wedding date, full postal address and email (or telephone number, if no email). Thank you.

WEEKLY COLLECTION Thank you for your Offering last week of £2,220.70.

Parish Priest: Fr Matthew Heslin **Deacon:** Rev. Reg Abrahams
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Office Hours: Monday & Friday 9 am – 3.30 pm, Wednesday 10 am – 2 pm.