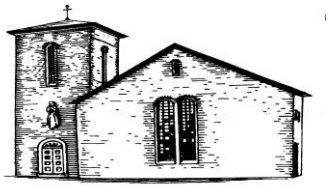
ST BERNADETTE'S RC CHURCH



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Sunday 15th September 2019
Twenty Fourth Sunday of the Year

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK & DURING AUGUST

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
We will again be collecting for the Hillingdon Foodbank on the weekend of the 21st/22nd September. As usual we need tins of meat and fish, pasta sauce, long life milk and fruit juice. We know you will be as generous as usual. Thank you. *The Justice and Peace team*

BENEDICTION
Every Friday after the 10 am Mass and again at 7.30 pm in the evening.

SUPPORT VICTIMS OF MODERN SLAVERY
A concert will take place at St Mary's Church, Cadogan St. on Wednesday 25th September at 6 pm. The Janus Ensemble, alongside soloists Ariana Kashefi (cello) and Oliver Wass (harp) will present an evening of classical music, in aid of Caritas Bakhita House & Saint John Of God Hospitaller Services. Tickets are available to purchase by searching for the event title on Eventbrite.

WEEKLY COLLECTION Thank you for your Offering last week of £1,867.25.

SVP COFFEE MORNING
The SVP invite all parishioners to join them in the Hall for a cup of tea or coffee after the 9 am and 11 am Masses this morning.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION COURSE
This year's course begins on Sunday 22nd September with the children meeting in the Parish Hall at 9.30 am. They will then be brought into the church to join their parents for the 11 am Mass.

DOUAY MARTYRS OPEN DAYS
Thursday, 26th September from 5 pm. Wednesday 25th and Tuesday 1st October from 8.45 am. Three opportunities to visit the school for those looking for places in Year 7 next September. Please see the poster at the back of the church.

PARISH INTERNATIONAL DAY
On Sunday 29th September we will celebrate our 'fourth' International Mass showing our love, as God's children and families of many Nations, by sharing our favourite national dish/something from our recipe book with each other, after the 11 am Mass; please free to dress as you feel.

HOME MISSION SUNDAY
The Home Mission Office is a national organisation that helps the local Church engage in the vital mission of Evangelisation. This weekend, they ask for our prayers and our financial support through the second collection. Our prayers help them to be attentive to the Holy Spirit who directs their work and our donations to the second collection will enable them to help the local Church share the joy of the Gospel throughout England and Wales. In short, the second collection helps them to help us. For more information about the Home Mission Office or to donate online please visit www.homemission.org.uk

KEEP FIT
Our friendly group sessions have resumed in the Parish Hall on Friday afternoons between 2.15 and 3.15 pm. There is a slight change to the programme this year, which will consists of Zumba and Chair Exercise on alternate weeks – this Friday it will be Zumba, so do please come along and find out what it's all about! New people are always welcome.

VOLUNTEERING IN THE COMMUNITY
Caritas Westminster are holding a "Getting Started" session for those who are new to volunteering, on Wednesday, 25th September, at Vaughan House, 6.30 – 8.30 pm. Please see the poster, or www.caritaswestminster.org.uk/events or contact Elke on 0207 798 9063/elkespringett@rcdow.org.uk.

2020 DIARIES
Catholic Diaries for next year are now available in the Repository for those of you who like to plan ahead!

CAFOD INFORMATION AFTERNOON
CAFOD will be hosting a supporter's information afternoon on Wednesday, 18th September, 2.30 – 4 pm, at CAFOD's Volunteer Centre, 1st Floor, Church of Christ the King, 29 Bramley Road, Oakwood, London, N14 4HE. Laura Ouseley, who has first- hand experience of our work overseas will be our Guest Speaker. Please book by calling 0208 449 6970 or e-mail westminster@cafod.org.uk

BERNADETTE MARSTON RIP
Sr. Maureen and Dr. Raja As'ad would like to thank all those who, in any way, offered their sympathy and prayers for the loss of Bernadette. Fr. Terrence from Mount St Bernard Abbey will celebrate Mass for your intentions. Thank you all so much.

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Office Hours: Monday & Friday 9 am – 3.30 pm, Wednesday 10 am – 2 pm.