ST BERNADETTE'S RC CHURCH



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Sunday 24th November 2019 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 7.30 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 10.30 – 11 am

COFFEE MORNING

Please join the Justice and Peace group this morning after the 9 am and 11 am Masses for your weekly catch up over a lovely cup of tea.

J&P FOODBANK NEWS

The Christmas Food Bank Collection will be the weekend of 7/8th December. We know you will help us provide some Christmas Cheer for people struggling to feed themselves and their families. *Thanks, The Justice and Peace Team*

DOUAY MARTYRS SCHOOL Vacancy – Science Technician

Wednesday – Friday 8.30 – 4 pm, to start as soon as possible. Salary scale 3, permanent contract.

The Douay Martyrs Catholic Secondary School wishes to appoint a Science Technician to join our successful Science department. You would be responsible for preparing equipment for lessons and experiments, ensuring all chemicals and apparatus are stored correctly and adhering to COSHH standards. To apply or for more information, please

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Or visit www.tes.com

WEEKLY COLLECTION Thank you for your Offering last week of £2,286.53.

VINNIE PACKS

Each year the SVP distributes over 10,000 "Vinnie Packs" to the homeless. They cost £3.50 each to assemble (warm socks, hats, gloves and toothpaste and brush etc), and our profits next weekend will go towards the costs. If you can't get to our coffee morning but would like to donate, cheques made out to SVP may be sent to Vinnie Packs, PO Box 72264, London SW1P 9EZ.

CHRISTMAS AT THE REPOSITORY

Please visit the shop at the back of the church for a full range of Christmas and Advent items, including cards, crib scenes, tree decorations and candles.

BERNIE HENEGHAN RIP

The funeral will be at 10 am on Thursday, 28th November. We extend our sympathy to her family and friends – may she rest in peace.

CELEBRATION OF VESPERS

As part of the launch of the **Year of the Word** a special Vespers will be celebrated at Westminster Cathedral on Sunday 1st December at 3.30 pm with Bishop Paul McAleenan. All are most welcome.

PLANNED GIVING - THANK YOU

Once again, thank you all very much for returning your Pledge Cards. Standing Order and Gift Aid forms are available at the back of the church. If you requested a box of envelopes please have a word with Reg after Mass and he will get it for you.

CONFIRMATION COURSE 2020

If you are in Year 10 and above, and would like to take part in next year's Confirmation course, application forms are available at the back of the church. Please note that all forms must be returned to the Parish Office by Friday, December 13th.

CERTIFICATE OF CATHOLIC PRACTICE FOR PRIMARY SCHOOLS

Fr. Matthew is unable to sign these forms on the dates previously announced. It has been decided that parents can leave their forms, *with details already completed*, at the Parish Office, either during opening times, or by posting through the letter box beside the glass door. They will be ready for collection from Friday 29th November during Parish Office opening hours. Thank you.

CHRISTMAS CRAFT SESSION

Come and join us on Sunday 15th December between 2-4 pm in the Parish Hall for an environmentally friendly Craft afternoon! Learn how to recycle/repurpose items to decorate your home for Christmas, while enjoying a drink and a mince pie (or two).

A great parent & child event - suitable for adults and accompanied older children (6+). All materials provided, but please bring your own scissors. Cost £5 on the door - all proceeds going towards our new Community Meeting Room.

DIOCESAN VACANCIES

Vacancies at Westminster and in parishes around the Diocese can be viewed on the Diocesan website. Please visit https://jobs.rcdow.org.uk/ for details.

DOW FORMATION PROGRAMME 'LEARN FROM ME'

If you are interested in gaining a qualification from the Maryvale Institute in catechesis or liturgical ministries, there are leaflets, and a poster, about courses at the back of the church. There is also an Information Evening at Vaughan House on Thursday 23rd January at 7.30 pm, which you would be welcome to attend to find out more.

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.