

# ST BERNADETTE'S RC CHURCH



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## Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2020 The Presentation of the Lord

### 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

### THE GOD WHO SPEAKS – Year of the Word 2020

This is a year of talks, events and initiatives to celebrate and share God's Word throughout the Catholic Church in England and Wales.

Please see details of current events in the Diocese on the notice board. You can also visit [godwhospeaks.uk](http://godwhospeaks.uk) for further information.

### ST MATTHEW'S GOSPEL

As St Matthew's Gospel is being used in our liturgy during the Year of the Word, we have a number of copies for sale at the back of the church priced £1 each.

### JOURNEYING WITH THE BIBLE

There will be regular talks at Vaughan House on aspects of the Bible. Please see the notice board for the timetable.

### CARDINAL'S MASS OF THANKSGIVING FOR THE SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY *Westminster Cathedral,* *Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> 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 2020. 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.

### FIRE WARDEN TRAINING

Under our Diocesan Health and Safety guidelines, a fire warden training session has been arranged by Precision for our Deanery. It will take place on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March at 7 pm at the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Hayes. If you would like to attend, please let Linda in the Parish Office know.

### BLESSING OF THE THROATS

Fr. Matthew will be blessing throats in honour of St Blaise on Monday morning during the 10 am Mass.

### RACIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY

There will be a collection next weekend after all Masses so that we may all work in harmony to appreciate each other's culture and background.

### HEALING MASS FOR OUR LADY OF LOURDES

At Our Lady of Lourdes and St Michael's church, Uxbridge, 12 noon on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> February. The Sacrament of the Sick will be administered during the Mass. Refreshments in the hall afterwards. A special invitation is extended to the sick/housebound, doctors, nurses, healthcare workers, carers and visitors.

### CAFOD INFORMATION AFTERNOON

On Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> February CAFOD will be hosting a supporter's information afternoon with a guest speaker, Christine Allen, who has first-hand experience of our work overseas. 2.30 – 4pm at CAFOD's Volunteer Centre, Church of Christ the King, 29 Bramley Road, N14 4HE. Bookings required and taken on 0208 449 6970 or e mail [westminster@cafod.org.uk](mailto:westminster@cafod.org.uk)

### DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

This will take place on 25<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> July. If you would like to go, please take a leaflet/application form from the back of the church, or call Elizabeth at the Pilgrimage office on 0207 798 9173 or [lourdes@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:lourdes@rcdow.org.uk), or [www.tangley-tours.com/westminster](http://www.tangley-tours.com/westminster). Prices vary according to accommodation and travel option chosen – please see the application form.

**WEEKLY COLLECTION** Thank you for your Offering last week of £2,071.93.

### CONFIRMATION COURSE 2020

The next Confirmation session for all our candidates is on Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> February, at 7.30 pm in the Parish Hall.

### PARISH COFFEE MORNING

Next Sunday, 9<sup>th</sup> February, after the 9 am and 11 am Masses. All welcome!

### FOODBANK NEWS

Thank you for your lovely gifts during this cold month. We sent 32 bags off to the Foodbank including seven kindly donated by our brothers and sisters at St Giles Church in Ickenham.

*The Justice and Peace Team*

### MEETING ROOM LEGO MODEL

As part of our fundraising for the new meeting room, we are building a lego model at the back of the church. Please come and buy a brick (or several) for £1 each

### FOSB QUIZ NIGHT

The Friends of St Bernadette's School are holding a quiz night on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February in the Parish Hall. Tickets are £10/person including a curry supper. Please see the notice board for more details.

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