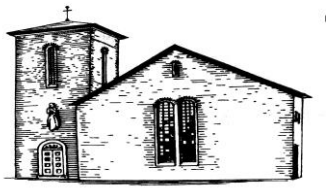
ST BERNADETTE'S RC CHURCH



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Sunday 23rd May 2021
Pentecost Sunday

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sunday 23rd May	
John Hickey RIP	**9 am**
Marie Heslin INTS	
Alfie Juchua RIP	**11 am**
Monday 24th May	**10 am**
Eileen Goughan RIP	
Donor's Intention	
Tuesday 25th May	**No Mass**
Wednesday 26th May	**10 am**
Bro. Camillus INTS	
Donor's Intention	
Thursday 27th May	**10 am**
Funeral: Felixberto Carlos RIP	
Friday 28th May	**10 am**
Fr Michael Johnson INTS	
Donor's Intention	
Saturday 29th May	**6 pm**
Margaret O'Brien RIP	
Donor's Intention	
Sunday 30th May	
John Crowley RIP	**9 am**
John Hickey RIP	**11 am**

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2022
If your child is in Year Three or above and will be 8 years old by 31st August 2022 they are invited to make their First Holy Communion next Spring.
If your child attends St Bernadette's school, please ask there for an application form, otherwise, please call Linda at the Parish Office.

PLEASE NOTE
If you wish to make enquiries about a baptism, wedding, funeral or anything else of a liturgical nature, you are asked to please contact Linda at the Parish Office in the first instance. Opening hours are Monday, Wednesday and Friday between 10 am – 2 pm. Outside these times please leave a phone message or send an email and Linda or Fr Matthew will get back to you as soon as they can. Thank you.

FELIXBERTO ELIAS CARLOS RIP
Felixberto's funeral will take place on Thursday 27th May at 10 am. We extend our sympathies to his family and friends. May he rest in peace.

FOODBANK COLLECTION
Our next food bank collection will be the weekend of the 29/30th of May. The food bank is still in desperate need of donations. Their new hub is a busy place with volunteers constantly packing and delivering food. Your donations are always gratefully received *Thank you. The Justice and Peace Team.*

ST BERNADETTE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL
Our Parish school, St Bernadette, has a few Reception places left for their September 2021 intake. Please take a look at the school website https://www.stbernadetteschool.co.uk/ and contact the admissions officer at admissions@stbernadetteschool.co.uk if you are interested in a place.

A LOG CABIN FOR OUR SCHOOL!
At St Bernadette School, we are fundraising for a log cabin. As a school, we lack space, and so we want to use the log cabin as a resource base that children can access during the school day, lunchtime and after school, and for us to use to support our families! Please visit our fundraising page if you would like to donate: https://www.gofundme.com/f/fundraising-for-our-log-cabin

BEAT THE WEATHER WITH THE UNIVERSE!
Come rain or shine the easiest and most pleasurable way to receive your weekly newspaper is through your letterbox. The Universe is such a good read, full of national and international news and opinion from a catholic perspective. Call Andrea or Michelle on 07375 397312 or 0161 820 5722 for help to set it up.

COMING BACK TO CHURCH
As we come out of lockdown, I know some of you are tentatively preparing to return to church. Let me assure you that we are doing all that we can to ensure that it remains a safe environment for us all. As the obligation to attend Mass on a Sunday is still in abeyance, some people might find it easier to attend a quieter, weekday Mass for the time being.

When you come into the church you will be met by a steward, who will take your name and a contact number, and show you where you can gel your hands. Then you will be directed to a seat, which has been marked to allow a one metre gap between you and anyone who is not in your "bubble".

All parishioners are expected to wear a face covering whilst they are in the church, unless they have a specific reason not to. You might have to explain this reason to the stewards. After Mass the cleaners move in and clean all the areas that have been used to make the church safe for the next Mass.

TRACK AND TRACE
You can give your details to the steward in the porch, use the NHS App on your smartphone or scan the QR code in the front porch.

HANDS, FACE SPACE!
Please stay at home if you are unwell.
Use track and trace.
Cover your mouth and nose.
Gel your hands.

THE PASSAGE AT FORTY
Cardinal Vincent Nichols, Patron of The Passage, will celebrate the 5.30 pm Mass at Westminster Cathedral on Tuesday 25th May to mark 40 years of service to homeless people. The Mass will be broadcast live online; the link is: https://www.westminstercathedral.org.uk/