

ST BERNADETTE'S RC CHURCH



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Sunday 11th July 2021 Fifteenth Sunday of the Year

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sunday 11th July

Laura Paynter RIP **9 am**

Anna Maria Kearns RIP **11 am**

Monday 12th July **10 am**

Chris & George Bateman INTS

Donor's Intention

Tuesday 13th July **No Mass**

Wednesday 14th July

Funeral Service: Sylvia Dry **11 am**

Thursday 15th July **10 am**

Matt & Detta Martin INTS

Donor's Intention

Friday 16th July **10 am**

Tom Moroney RIP

Donor's Intention

Saturday 17th July **6 pm**

Bill Mulvaney RIP

Sunday 18th July

Veronica Lennon RIP **9 am**

Anne Costley RIP **11 am**

PARISH OFFICE THIS WEEK

Please note that the Office will be closed all this week, reopening on Monday 19th. If necessary, you can send emails to hillingdon@rcdow.org.uk, they will be reviewed regularly.

PETER'S PENCE

Many thanks for your kind donations last weekend – we collected £172.12 for the Holy Father's personal charities.

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.

All application forms must be returned to Linda by Friday 23rd July.

FIRST COMMUNION CATECHISTS

We are now looking for catechists to help deliver the First Holy Communion programme for the next year. Under Diocesan regulations, anyone who works with children or vulnerable adults must undertake a Disclosure and Barring check before starting to work. This means we need to have our catechists in place as soon as possible.

Please note also that we must have a ratio of 1 adult to every 6 children, which means we potentially need at least 12 offers of help (if our numbers are the same as usual). If we don't have enough adults we will have to refuse admission to the course. Please think about this and volunteer to support your child's year group!

For more information please call Roz Wilkinson on 07967 503366 or email: rrw1962@virginmedia.com

HANDS * FACE * SPACE!

As we move towards the lifting of covid restrictions, you are reminded that there are still some things you need to know when coming to Mass.

- * Please be ready to clean your hands with the gel provided – or use your own.
- * Please give the steward your name and a contact number for Track and Trace – unless you are using one of the methods below.
- * Wear a face covering, unless you are exempt.
- * Please sit, socially distanced, on the green ticks on the pews.
- * Please stay at home if you feel unwell at all!

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.

APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA

Today is Sea Sunday, when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Next Sunday we will have a collection for Stella Maris (AotS), the Catholic Church's official maritime welfare agency, which supports seafarers both practically and spiritually. To find out more about the work of the charity please visit www.stellamaris.org.uk/SeaSunday, where you can also make an online donation if you wish. There are Gift Aid envelopes at the back of the church if you can offer this on your donation.

ST BERNADETTE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

If you are interested in a Reception place at our school for September 2021, please take a look at the school website <https://www.stbernadetteschool.co.uk/> and/or contact the admissions officer at admissions@stbernadetteschool.co.uk

FOODBANK NEWS

We cannot thank you enough. We took 20 bags of food to the food bank today. They were delighted. We will have further collections the weekend of 31st July/1st August, and 28th/29th August. Hunger does not go away for the holidays! Watch this space for further messages and Thank you all again.

The Justice and Peace Team

HILLINGDON HOSPITAL PLANS

You can now get a first view of the plans for the new Hillingdon Hospital via this online exhibition:

<https://thehillingdonhospitalr.live-website.com/>. Please view to find out about public consultations that are taking place in July. With artists' impressions and plans of the proposed new building as well as information on how it will improve services, the exhibition sets out the vision for a new, modern, 21st-century hospital.

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