ST BERNADETTE'S RC CHURCH



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Sunday 12th November 2023
Thirty Second Sunday of the Year

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sunday 12th November
Geraldine Flynn RIP **9 am**
Mick and Jean Quinn RIP **11 am**
Monday 13th November 10 am
Holy Souls
Tuesday 14th November No Mass
Wednesday 15th November
Russell Little RIP **10 am**
Donor's Intention
Thursday 16th November 10 am
Elizabeth O'Shea RIP
Donor's Intention
Friday 17th November 10 am
Lyons Family INTS
Donor's Intention
Saturday 18th November
Michael Canavan RIP **6 pm**
Donor's Intention
Sunday 19th November
Cathy Burton INTS **9 am**
Donor's Intention
Thomas Lennon RIP **11 am**

Confessions
Saturdays between 10.30 – 11 am

CONFIRMATION 2024 FORMS
Please take a form from the church if your child would like to be Confirmed next year. Please note they should be in Year 10 or above. **The closing date is 17th November.**

PRIMARY SCHOOL CERTIFICATE OF CATHOLIC PRACTICE
If you are looking for place for your child at a Catholic Primary school next September, please bring your Certificate of Catholic Practice to Fr Matthew to be signed. He will be in the Sacristy (in the church) between 11 am – 12 noon on Thursday, 16th and Friday 17th November.

SICK AND RETIRED PRIESTS
The Annual Diocesan Collection for our Sick and Retired Priests will take place next weekend at all Masses. Last year we provided care to **82** retired priests, at a cost of **£850,000**. The number of our priests over the age of 65 is steadily increasing, and caring for our brother priests in their senior years, or at a time of illness, is a fundamental part of the mission of our diocese. Whilst we work with the NHS and local authorities to ensure funding gaps are met, we still rely heavily on the generosity of parishioners who contribute to this worthy fund each year.
Many of our priests continue to serve long into their late seventies and eighties in our parishes and schools, hospices, and hospitals, and make themselves available, at times of crisis and need.
If you can, please take a donation envelope, and return it next weekend, using the Gift Aid section if you are a taxpayer.
Finally, if you feel you would like to give to the SRP fund on a more regular basis, please do consider joining our Patron's Programme. Please pick up a leaflet at the back of the church. Thank you.

CHRISTMAS CARDS & OTHER ITEMS
You can now find Christmas cards, calendars and Advent candles in our shop at the back of the church, as well as 2024 Catholic diaries.

PINNER NEW CEMETERY
A short liturgy followed by the blessing of individual graves will take place at Pinner New Cemetery at 2pm on Saturday 18th November.

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY
This weekend we remember the fallen in all recent wars. We salute the sacrifice of those who gave their lives for our freedom. May they all rest in peace.

JUSTICE & PEACE COFFEE MORNING
Our next coffee morning and collection will be on Sunday November 26th. This will be our big Christmas collection as we want to get supplies to the food bank in good time for Christmas. Thank you,
The Justice and Peace Team

MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS
November is the month when we remember all those we have lost over the years. Please remember the Holy Souls in your prayers.

DEACON REG
Reg and Bella will attend the 11 am Mass next Sunday, and join us afterwards for refreshments in the Hall so that we can say a proper goodbye to them!

FHC RECONCILIATON MEETING
The meeting for parents about the Sacrament of Reconciliation is on Thursday, 16th November, at 7.30 pm in the Parish Hall.
The children will be making their **First Reconciliation** on Saturday 18th November, between 9.30 and 11 am, in the church.

DAVID LLOYD COMPUTER SUPPORT
David is offering his expertise to parishioners who need help with their computer systems, including home security cameras. Call him on 07958 557703. No job too small!

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