

ST BERNADETTE'S RC CHURCH



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Sunday 21st January 2024 Third Sunday of the Year

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sunday 21st January

John D Flynn RIP 9 am

Anne Lynch RIP 11 am

Monday 22nd January 10 am

Paddy Martin RIP

Donor's Intention

Tuesday 23rd January No Mass

Wednesday 24th January 10 am

Funeral Service:

Keith Joseph Justice RIP

Thursday 25th January 10 am

Maureen Mulvanny RIP

Donor's Intention

Friday 26th January 10 am

Maureen Mulvanny RIP

Donor's Intention

Saturday 27th January 6 pm

Winifred Rooney RIP

Donor's Intention

Sunday 28th January

Michael Moore RIP 9 am

Mario Checon A 11 am

Confessions

Saturday 10.30 – 11 am

SVP COFFEE MORNING

Please join our lovely SVP team in the Hall this morning after the 9 am and 11 am Masses for a cup of tea or coffee. If you know anyone who is housebound or lonely and would like a regular visit from the SVP, for help with shopping or just a chat and an hour's company, please come along and talk with one of the SVP members.

MASS OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES

On Saturday 10th February at 2.30pm the Cardinal will celebrate the annual Mass of Our Lady of Lourdes in the Cathedral which will include anointing of the sick. If you would like to go, please let the Parish Office know **BY THIS FRIDAY, 26th JANUARY** (preferably via email), and we will organize your tickets through Eventbrite. Please state which category you belong in when you contact us.

1. Wheelchair users who require anointing.
2. Walking sick who require anointing.
3. Those assisting the sick, who **do not** require anointing.

JUSTICE AND PEACE

The next Justice and Peace coffee morning and foodbank collection will be next Sunday, 28th January. After the 9 o'clock mass there will also be a **short session to familiarise people with defibrillators** - this might enable you to save a life. It will be delivered by a qualified trainer. We hope lots of you from both masses will come. This should be very interesting session.

KEITH JOSEPH JUSTICE RIP

There will be a funeral service for Keith on Wednesday, 24th January, at 10 am. There will be no Mass that day. We send our sympathies to his family. May he rest in peace.

OUR PARISH, OUR NEEDS, OUR RESPONSIBILITY

PLANNED GIVING APPEAL

'As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied Grace' - 1 Peter 4:10

This weekend we launch our Stewardship renewal. Over the coming weeks we ask **all** parishioners to **prayerfully** reflect on their commitment to our parish. As a parish and as individuals, we have been blessed with many, varied gifts. Biblical Stewardship calls us to share our gifts of time, talent and financial blessings with our parish community and our world. These gifts come from God, so let us strive to return a sacrificial, not token, portion to Him.

Today, please take an appeal newsletter. We shall be hearing more about stewardship and the needs of our parish over the coming weeks. Please give prayerful consideration to this appeal.

ANNUAL MASS FOR MATRIMONY

This will take place on Saturday 25th May for couples celebrating significant wedding anniversaries. Details to follow.

CONFIRMATION COURSE

The next session of the Confirmation Course will take place on Saturday 27th January, starting at 10 am. The session will include an opportunity for Reconciliation.

COLLECTION FOR THE HOLY LAND

Thank you all very much for your very generous donations for the people of the Holy Land last weekend. We raised £489.66.

KEEP FIT

Our Keep Fit group meets every Friday at 2.30 pm in the Parish Hall, and finish with tea, biscuits and a chat! New members welcome.

Parish Priest: Fr Matthew Heslin

Parish Secretary: Mrs Linda Broadbridge (email: lindab@rcdow.org.uk)