ST BERNADETTE'S RC CHURCH



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Sunday 7th January 2024 The Epiphany of the Lord

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sunday 7th January

Corey Family RIP 9 am
Trevor Rozario RIP 11 am
Monday 8th January 10 am

John and Chrissie Doran RIP

Tuesday 9th January No Mass Wednesday 10th January 10 am

Dan Commane RIP Donor's Intention

Thursday 11th January 10 am

John Roarty RIP Donor's Intention

Friday 12th January 10 am

Karen Edwards RIP Donor's Intention

Saturday 13th January 6 pm

Michael Tobin Donor's Intention

Sunday 14th January

Stephen Gavigan RIP 9 am Mary Mulloy & family INTS 11 am

Confessions

Saturday 10.30 – 11 am

PAT CONROY RIP

Pat's funeral will take place at Breakspear Crematorium on Friday 12th January at 11.30 am. We extend our sympathy to her family and friends. May she rest in peace.

THE CHURCH FLOWER GROUP

will be meeting again on Saturday 13th January from 10 am - 12 in the church. If you would like to join us, please come along. No experience is necessary. We will be tidying away the Christmas arrangements and planning our sessions for 2024. It's a small friendly group and all are welcome to join.

CONFIRMATION COURSE

The 9 am Mass this morning is the Mass of Enrolment for this year's Confirmation candidates, as they start their preparations to be confirmed in May. Please pray for them.

FIRST COMMUNION COURSE

The children meet next Sunday, 14th January, for a 9.30 am start, in the Parish Hall. After the session they will be taken into the church to attend the 11 am Mass with their families.

COLLECTION FOR THE HOLY LAND

The Latin Patriarch of Jerusalem, Cardinal Pizzaballa, has written to the Cardinal about the people of the Holy Land, who are losing income and, in many cases, their livelihoods at this time.

The Cardinal has therefore asked us to hold a special collection for relief for those suffering from the conflict, which will take place next weekend, 13th/14th January. Thank you all very much.

KEEP FIT

Our Keep Fit group restarts on Friday, 12th January, with Zumba, for all those who were a bit too merry over the Christmas holidays – and for everyone else too!
They meet at 2.30 pm in the Parish Hall, and finish with tea, biscuits

and a chat!

CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

As every year, our collection at the Crib will be sent to the Catholic Children's Society, who work with families in London who are in crisis. You can donate at our Crib, or via the CCS website:

www.cathchild.org.uk/crib. There are a few gift aid envelopes for anyone who would like to add 25% of tax money to their donation. Thank you all very much.

FR MATTHEW WRITES...

To thank all of you for the many kind cards, gifts, good wishes and prayers over the Christmas season.

I would like to thank all of you who helped with the Christmas preparations, not least Francine and her wonderful team for the beautiful flowers. Also the young people who decorated the tree, and to Tim and Jasia for their work on the outside crib.

I hope you all had a lovely Christmas with your families and friends, and I take the opportunity to wish each and every one of you a

VERY HAPPY, HEATLHY AND PROSPERSOUS NEW YEAR



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