ST BERNADETTE'S RC CHURCH



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Sunday 14th April 2024 Third Sunday of Easter

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK Sunday 14th April Gerard McDermott RIP 9 am Donor's Intention Michael King RIP 11 am Donor's Intention Monday 15th April 10 am Mary Newton RIP Donor's Intention Tuesday 16th April No Mass Wednesday 17th April 10 am Keith Justice RIP Donor's Intention Thursday 18th April 10 am Josephine Mary Spinks RIP Donor's Intention Friday 19th April 10 am Sr Agnus Hunt RIP Donor's Intention Saturday 20th April Maureen Mulvanny RIP 6 pm Donor's Intention Sunday 21st April Isabella Ball RIP 9 am Donor's Intention Josie Delaney RIP 11 am Donor's Intention Confessions Saturday 10.30 – 11 am

JOINT SCHOOL & PARISH SUMMER FETE

Save the date! Saturday, 6th July! More details to follow in the coming weeks but we hope you will come along on the day to enjoy all the Fun of the Fete!

In the meantime, if you would like to donate a prize for the Grand Draw, offer to help on the day, or with organizing the event, please contact Francine on 07899 895606.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Our first group will receive their First Communion next Saturday, 20th April at 11 am. Please remember to attend the rehearsal on Friday, 19th April at 5.30 pm in the church.

ST BERNADETTE'S SCHOOL MASS

We welcome the children of our School, who will join us for Mass on Friday, 19th April, at 10 am.

JUSTICE AND PEACE NEWS

We have distributed the money collected at the coffee mornings in the following way: £100 each to Survive Miva, Friends of the Holy Land , The Passage, Christian Blind Mission and Water Survival Box . Thank you for your wonderful generosity. The Justice and Peace team

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

There are still some envelopes for 2024/25 at the back of the church this weekend – they are in alphabetical order. Please take yours as soon as you can. Anyone who requested a box in the recent campaign should also find it here now. Thank you all very much.

IF YOU HAVE SIGNED A GIFT AID FORM..

We will soon be putting in a Gift Aid claim asking HMRC to give us the tax that you have paid on your donations. So if you have stopped paying tax, please let us know so that we don't claim it, and if you have moved since you signed your Gift Aid form, please let us have your new address. Thank you.

BETHANY MASS

Our Mass, this year, is on Thursday, 16th May, at 7 pm. We remember all those who have died in our Parish over the last year. You are all very welcome to join us to remember your own loved ones both in prayer and the opportunity to light a candle in their memory. May they all rest in peace, Amen.

SVP COFFEE MORNING

Please join the team in the Hall after Mass next Sunday, 21st April.

PRIEST TRAINING FUND

Next Sunday is Good Shepherd Sunday, the day we pray for priests and for vocations to the priesthood. The annual collection for the Priest Training Fund will take place next weekend. This fund pays for the priestly formation of men for the Catholic priesthood. There are currently 49 men studying at Allen Hall Seminary, 13 of whom are from our own Diocese. We also have one seminarian in Valladolid and one at the Beda, presently on pastoral placement in Ruislip. There are also two on a propaedeutic year at Redemptoris Mater. Last year three deacons were ordained for Westminster Diocese.

Donation envelopes are available in the back of the church. Please take one home, read the information, and bring it back next weekend with your donation. Please continue to pray for vocations and for our priests. You can use the QR code to make your donation online or visit www.rcdow.org.uk/donations. Thank you for your generosity.