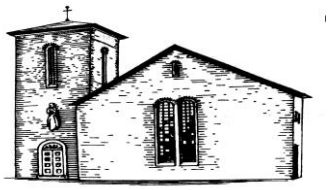
ST BERNADETTE'S RC CHURCH



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Sunday 3rd November 2024
Thirty First Sunday of the Year

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sunday 3rd November
Mick and Jean Quinn RIP **9am**
Donor's Intention
Mick Hunter RIP **11 am**
Donor's Intention

Monday 4th November 10 am
Mairin Simpson A
Tuesday 5th November No Mass
Wednesday 6th November 10 am
Maureen Mulvanny A
Thursday 7th November 10 am
Eduvijis Mendoza RIP
Donor's Intention
Friday 8th November 10 am
Caroline Grogan RIP
Donor's Intention
Saturday 9th November
Maureen Mulvanny A **6 pm**
Sunday 10th November
Martin O'Callaghan RIP **9am**
Donor's Intention
Greg Francis RIP **11 am**
Donor's Intention

Confessions
Saturday 10.30 – 11 am

CONFIRMATION 2025
Our Confirmation course begins for our young people on Wednesday, 6th November, at 7.30 pm in the Parish Hall. Please do not be late!

On Sunday 10th November they will be Enrolled into the programme at the 9 am Mass. Please pray for them as they begin this journey.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY
Thank you all very much for your generous donations last weekend. We raised £440.85.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
Please note that the Office will be closed from Monday 4th – Monday 11th November inclusive, reopening on Wednesday 13th November.

FOODBANK
Thank you for your Foodbank donations. We took a car boot full to the foodbank last week. Our big Christmas collection will be on the weekend of 23rd/24th November so that they have the donations in good time to distribute for Christmas. Don't worry if you give us donations later, we will do our best to deliver it as quickly as possible. Thank you.
The Justice and Peace Team

KEEP FIT
Keep Fit returns on Friday , 8th November, with Joe and Chair Exercises. All welcome!

CEMETERY BLESSING
Graves will be blessed at Cherry Lane Cemetery this afternoon at 3 pm. All welcome.

ASSISTED SUICIDE
Kim Leadbeater MP is introducing a bill to introduce assisted suicide, which will be voted on by MPs on the **29th November**. We know that assisted suicide laws in other jurisdictions have had devastating consequences for the poor, disabled and marginalised. This is the biggest threat to the vulnerable in a decade, and we need a huge effort to lobby MPs. Please contact your MP by visiting www.livesworthliving.org.uk or consider writing a letter to your MP.

SUNDAY COFFEE MORNING
Please join Francine and the team in the Hall after the 9 am or 11 am Mass this morning for a cup of tea and a chat. All welcome.

MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS
November is the month where we remember all those we have lost over the years. If you would like your loved ones to be remembered in our Book of the Dead, please take a sheet for their names, and an envelope for your offering. The Book will rest on the Sanctuary throughout November and will be brought into the church at the 6 pm Mass on All Souls Day.

CHRISTMAS AT THE PARISH SHOP
There will be Christmas cards and Advent Candles on sale in the shop from this weekend, and there are still some 2025 diaries and calendars. All profits from the shop go back to the parish.

NEW GOVERNORS AT ST BERNADETTE'S PRIMARY SCHOOL
If you are interested in becoming a Governor of St Bernadette's school, we invite you to join us at an information session on Thursday 7th November at 7 pm on Zoom.
If you are unable to be there on November 7th, please get in touch with Deb anyway and she can share the information with you. Don't assume that you wouldn't have anything to offer us, please come along and find out! Please email the current Chair of Governors Deb Long on **debalong@mac.com** and she will share a Zoom link for the meeting on the 7th November. Thank you.

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