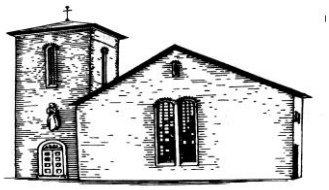
ST BERNADETTE'S RC CHURCH



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Sunday 5th January 2025
The Epiphany of the Lord

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sunday 5th January	
John Riley RIP	**9 am**
Donor's Intention	
Maurice Foley RIP	**11 am**
Donor's Intention	
Monday 6th January	**10 am**
Siobhan Heslin RIP	
Donor's Intention	
Tuesday 7th January	**No Mass**
Wednesday 8th January	**10 am**
Jack and Chrissie Doran RIP	
Thursday 9th January	**10 am**
Paul Carey RIP	
Donor's Intention	
Friday 10th January	**10 am**
Margaret Newton INTS	
Donor's Intention	
Saturday 11th January	
Tina Galvin RIP	**6 pm**
Donor's Intention	
Sunday 12th January	
Sr Teresa Minoque RIP	**9 am**
Donor's Intention	
Aiden Gill RIP	**11 am**
Donor's Intention	
Confessions	
Saturday	10.30 – 11 am

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION COURSE
The next sesson takes place next Sunday morning, 12th January in the Parish Hall. It will start at 9.30 am. Afterwards the children will be taken into the church for the 11 am Mass, at which they will join their families.

CONFIRMATION COURSE 2025
The next session for all candidates is on Wednesday 15th January at 7.30 pm in the Parish Hall.

2025 JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE
Pope Francis has declared that the year 2025 will be a Holy Year of Jubilee for the Catholic Church – an event that takes place once every 25 years.

In the Gospel of Luke, Jesus makes clear his own mission is to bring Jubilee. In the synagogue at Nazareth he reads from the scroll of the prophet Isaiah, proclaiming the year of the Lord's favour.

The theme for the 2025 Jubilee is "Pilgrims of Hope", an invitation to showcase the hope of our Christian faith to people right across the world at a time when there is so much suffering from the impact of war, poverty, climate change, and the lasting effects of the COVID pandemic. The Pilgrims of Hope Jubilee presents each one of us with an opportunity to reignite the flame of our faith in our own hearts and to share the light of that faith with those in darkness. We are also invited to rediscover a spirituality of God's creation in which we understand ourselves as "pilgrims of the earth" rather than masters of the world.

A BIG THANK YOU…
Fr. Matthew would like to sincerely thank all those who offered prayers and good wishes for Christmas. Also, those who sent card and gifts. Thank you all very much!

He would like to take this opportunity to wish each and every one of you a Very Happy and Healthy New Year!



CATHOLIC CHILDREN SOCIETY
Our collection at the Crib this year is for the Catholic Children Society, who work with families in London who are in need. Thank you for your donations – if you would like to know more about the work the CCS do please visit www.cathchild.org.uk/crib

WELCOME TO THE SPRING TERM!
The children of our school will be at the 10 am Mass on Friday 10th January as they begin the new term. Please join them!

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