ST BERNADETTE'S RC CHURCH



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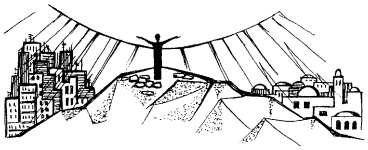
Sunday 9th March 2025
First Sunday of Lent



MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sunday 9th March
Gret Quirk INTS **9 am**
Donor's Intention
Paul Carey RIP **11 am**
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Monday 10th March **10 am**
Sr Graca Silva INTS
Donor's Intention
Tuesday 11th March **No Mass**
Wednesday 12th March **10 am**
Sr Patricia Bowley INTS
Donor's Intention
Thursday 13th March **10 am**
Sr Constance O'Sullivan RIP
Donor's Intention
Friday 14th March **10 am**
Jim Keane RIP
Donor's Intention
Saturday 15th March
Edward King A **6 pm**
Sunday 16th March
Cecil Adrian Greene RIP **9 am**
Donor's Intention
John & Jenny Lawrence RIP **11 am**
Donor's Intention

Confessions
Saturday 10.30 – 11 am

COFFEE MORNING
Francine and the team will be in the Hall this morning, after Mass. Please join them for a warming cup of tea or coffee and a chat.

CAFOD'S BIG LENT WALK
You are invited to join CAFOD's Big Lent Walk and journey together with Catholics in England, Wales and Scotland as Pilgrims of Hope in this Jubilee Year. For details please visit: https://walk.cafod.org.uk/

COVID REFLECTION DAY
In 2020 the world was hit with a pandemic. Covid-19 was upon us. The country came to a standstill and many souls were lost – mothers, fathers, sisters, brothers, husbands and wives.
People were not able to be with their loved ones when they needed them most. But the world pulled through. Covid-19 is still with us and many still have after-effects from it.
Those who were affected by it have decided to wear a symbol for love for the lost. The symbol is a yellow heart. With the strength of the Lord we were able to get through it. If you see someone wearing or displaying a yellow heart they have lost someone. **9th March** has been recognised as a day of reflection for the ones lost to Covid-19 as they come up to the fifth anniversary of the first wave. Please remember them in your prayers.

CAFOD LENTEN FAMILY FAST DAY
Friday 14th March
Please donate to our Family Fast Day collection, next weekend, (15th/16th March) to be a pilgrim of hope with CAFOD this Jubilee Year. Please use the CAFOD envelopes if you are able to offer Gift Aid. You can also donate online at Cafod.org.uk/envelope, or call 0303 303 3030. Thank you.

JUBILEE FOR THE SICK
There will be Holy Mass with Anointing of the Sick on Saturday 22nd March, at 10 am, at St Gregory the Great, South Ruislip. Please see the poster at the back of the church.

LENTEN PRAYER
Almighty and everliving God,
You invite us deeper into your world, your people, your Lent. Give us hearts hungry to serve you and those who need what we have to give at this special time.
AMEN

STATIONS OF THE CROSS
There will be Stations every Friday morning during Lent, after the 10 am Mass.

JUBILEE INDULGENCE
The Holy Father has declared that the gift of the Indulgence is a way of discovering the unlimited nature of God's mercy.
A guide to obtaining the Jubilee Indulgence is available on the Diocesan website at https://rcdow.org.uk/jubilee-2025/. This allows the faithful in the Diocese of Westminster to obtain this plenary indulgence, without the need to travel to Rome or other pilgrimage centres around the world

Designated churches included St Gregory the Great, South Ruislip a well as Westminster Cathedral. Other churches are listed online.

NURSERY PLACES AT ST BERNADETTE'S
There are places for the September 2025 intake available. If your child **will be 3 years old before 1st September 2025**, we are holding open afternoons on Thursday 20th and Wednesday 26th March from 3.20 – 4 pm. Please contact the school on 01895 232298 or email admissions@stbernadetteschool.co.uk for further information.

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