



CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST BERNADETTE

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Seeking to revel in the Father's love; to proclaim Jesus as Lord; and to be alive in the Holy Spirit

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SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 11th FEBRUARY 2018

5.45pm Mass

Sunday 11th February – SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10.30am Mass *Josephine and Donald Begent RIP*

Monday 12th February – Weekday in Ordinary Time

NO MASS

Tuesday 13th February – Weekday in Ordinary Time

9.30am Mass

Wednesday 14th February – ASH WEDNESDAY

Day of Fast and Abstinence

9.30am Mass *Gordon Frederick Street RIP*

10.00am Coffee Morning

7.00pm Mass

Thursday 15th February – Thursday after Ash Wednesday

9.30am Mass

Friday 16th February – Friday after Ash Wednesday

9.30 Mass

Saturday 17th February – Saturday after Ash Wednesday

11.00 Rite of Election at Clifton Cathedral

5.45pm Mass *John and Winifred Tobin RIP*

THE FUTURE
FULL OF HOPE
CLIFTON DIOCESE
MISSION



*Sacrament of
Reconciliation
Sat 5pm – 5.30pm
or on request*

THANK YOU: To all who supported the Indian meal and Auction of Promises last week. Over £2500 was raised. Thank you also to the Keralite community for their generosity in providing the food and hospitality.

CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY: Friday 23 February. Envelopes and prayer cards in the Narthex.

BUILDING PROJECT SECOND COLLECTION: Next weekend there will be a second collection for the building project. This is one of the special monthly collections during this jubilee year. Please use the envelopes if you're going to Gift Aid. Gift Aid gives us an extra 25% to whatever amount you donate.

LENT 2018:

ASH WEDNESDAY: This Wednesday is 'Ash Wednesday' the beginning of Lent. There are two Masses on Ash Wednesday. This is an important way to mark the start of this penitential season. Lent is all about us preparing to recommit to our baptismal promises at Easter.

RITE OF ELECTION: Mark Sadd, who is married to Caroline, and is father of Harry and Emily is being prepared for baptism at Easter. Please keep him in your prayers as he goes to the cathedral this weekend for the 'Rite of Election'. This is where all those from the diocese, who will become members of the Church at Easter, are greeted by the bishop and sign the Book of the Elect.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for an hour before every weekday Mass in Lent. Please avail of this opportunity to draw close to the Lord in the special season.

LENT COURSE: We will run a 5 session DVD course during Lent on Tuesday evenings from 7pm to 8pm. Entitled, "Let it Be Done Unto Me According to Your Word", the course will explore the role of Mary within the Church. With lots of input from inspiring experts and a book to accompany the course. The course will start on Tuesday 20th February and take place in the parish centre. Following the DVD there will be a time for quiet reflection and prayer, such as Adoration or Rosary.

GOLDEN JUBILEE:

SPRING FAYRE AND GRAND DRAW: 17th March in the Parish Centre. **This is the biggest event in our calendar.** The **bottle stall** needs any kind of bottle, especially wine and spirits. The **gifts stall** needs those unused and surplus Christmas gifts that you want to let go of. **Toys and games** in good condition are needed. Unwanted **chocolates**, now that slimming has started, are most welcome. **Cakes and home-made goods**, either on the day before or on the day. Plants and cuttings for the **plant stall** and jams, pickles and chutneys for the **preserve stall**. You can use the box in the Narthex for your donations to the Fayre. **THE MAJOR SOURCE OF INCOME FOR THE FAYRE IS THE GRAND DRAW.** There are 13,000 tickets printed – 2,600 books at £1 a book with five books in an envelope. **Please take away as many as you can to buy or to pass on to sell.** All you need to do is return the counterfoils and money in the envelope (sealed) to the presbytery or the offertory basket by 10th March.

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION: £191.00 (Gift Aid) + £308.87 (Cash) + £197 (S/O) + £94.60 (Average Tax back) = £791.47 Thank you.