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**Welcome to
Saint Bernadette's Church**

Mass Times and Intentions: 10th November 2019

THIRTY-SECOND WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME (C)

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Parish Centre rooms to hire
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Co Registration No: 715164

Saturday 9 th November	6:00 pm	Vigil of the Thirty-Second Sunday of Ordinary Time	Pro Populo
Sunday 10 th November	11:00 am	Thirty-Second Sunday of Ordinary Time	November Dead List
Monday 11 th November	9:30 am	Saint Martin of Tours	Justice and Peace
Monday 11 th November	4:00 pm	Reception of Mary McElhinney RIP	-
Tuesday 12 th November	9:00 am	Mass at Holy Souls	-
Tuesday 12 th November	11:00 am	Requiem Mass for Mary McElhinney RIP	-
Wednesday 13 th November	11:00 am	Requiem Mass for Bridget Moorhouse RIP	-
Thursday 14 th November	9:00 am	Mass at Holy Souls	-
Friday 15 th November	9:30 am	Feria	Fr Seamus Noctor RIP
Saturday 16 th November	9:30 am	Mass at Holy Souls	-
Saturday 16 th November	6:00 pm	Vigil of the Thirty-Third Sunday of Ordinary Time	November Dead List
Sunday 17 th November	11:00 am	Thirty-Third Sunday of Ordinary Time	Pro Populo
Sunday 17 th November	12:30 pm	Baptism of Arya Louise McLaughlin	-

Mass Time	Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Readers Rota
9 th : 6.00 pm Vigil Mass	J. Hilton, J. Myers, S. Calpin	E. Greene, M. Sutherland
10 th : 11.00 am Mass	A. Strong, C. Robertson, P. King	S. Hughes, J. Richmond
16 th : 6.00 pm Vigil Mass	P. Hayne, J. Lowden, R. Harmer	C. Robertson, L. Robertson
17 th : 11.00 am Mass	S. Dalton, H. Gill, K. Newman	I. Norman, N. Lynch

The Blessed Sacrament Chapel is open from Monday to Friday 9.00am – 9.00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated on Saturdays: 5:20pm - 5:50pm

Teas and Coffees are served in the Parish Centre after Sunday Mass. Please do come along and get to know another parishioner!

If you or a member of your family is in hospital or in a residential care home, please let one of the priests know or contact St. Bernadette's Presbytery on 01724 844895

Last weekend's collections
Standing Orders £650 (weekly average)
Loose plate £227.69
Envelopes £160

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting - Tuesday 19th November at 7pm in the Parish Centre.

**The Canon Comments
9th/10th November 2019**

This weekend's Gospel reminds us clearly that God is the God of the living and not the dead.

This weekend in this country and in other countries throughout the world we mark Remembrance Weekend and the words that spring immediately to my mind are those which are recited at every Remembrance Day Service and at every Cenotaph:

*They shall not grow old, as they that are left grow old;
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun and in the morning,
We will remember them.*

These words remind us of the necessity for us to remember those, military and civilian, who have given their lives for the sake of others. Each time we celebrate mass we remember also the One who gave His life that we may have eternal life. This weekend as we remember those who have died, let us also remember why Our Lord died and may this inspire us to work continually for Peace, Justice and Harmony in our Communities.

Canon Geoffrey

November Mass of Remembrance

During November we particularly remember those members of our families, our friends and former parishioners who have died. **On Friday 15th November at 6.30pm** there will be a mass at Holy Souls to remember those who have died this past year in our four parishes, and for those who still feel the loss of a beloved one no matter how long ago it has been since they died. Should you wish a name or names mentioned at this Mass, please email Holy Souls' Parish, holysouls@btinternet.com or hand their name/s to either Canon Geoffrey or Fr Liam.

Blessing of Graves on Sunday 17th November at 3.00pm

Canon Geoffrey and Fr Liam will visit Woodlands Cemetery and Brumby Cemetery for prayers and blessing of graves. All are most welcome.

Thank you to all who came along on Tuesday evening for the mass with Bishop Patrick, presentation to Fr Neil and the presentation of the Diocesan Medal to Jeff Garrity, from St Norbert's, for the work he undertook painting the Sanctuary of Holy Souls'. It was good to see representation from all four parishes. Sincere thanks to all from Holy Souls who have worked so hard over the past weeks to ensure that the Church and grounds were at their best, also those who contributed in any way to the liturgy and the splendid reception afterwards! **Canon Geoffrey**

Thursday 21st November at St Barnabas Cathedral

Join the Rosminian family, in Celebrating the life and ministry of Ather Luigi Gentili, a Rosminian Priest who missioned throughout England, Ireland & Wales. Refreshments on arrival and Solemn Mass at 1:00pm with Bishop Patrick McKinney & Bishop John Arnold, the Rosminian Brethren, Sister and the Ascribed.

A New Theory of Evolution: What Would Aquinas Say?

Annual talk by Clare Merry with Q & A session and slide show on plants and animals to illustrate the theory. Entrance fee £2, tea, coffee and cake in the break. No need to book, just turn up on **Wednesday 20th November 2019 at 7.30 pm, St Mary's Catholic Church parish centre, Bridge Gate / Darley Lane, Derby DE1 3AU.** Please come along and support this once-a-year event, a chance to discuss science and faith.

November 200 Club Draw

1 st prize £50	Ticket No: 25	N. Haith
2 nd prize £25	Ticket No: 40	L. Wade

Please pray for the sick and housebound in our parish.

Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of Mary McElhinney RIP. Mary's mortal remains will be received into St. Bernadette's Church at 4:00pm on Monday 11th November followed by a Requiem Mass at 11:00am on Tuesday 12th November. Please also remember Bridget Moorhouse RIP. A Requiem Mass for Bridget will be celebrated at St Bernadette's on Wednesday 13th November at 11:00am. May they rest in peace.

Please pray for our deceased family and friends, particularly those who have died recently and those whose anniversary occurs at this time. May they rest in peace.

Second Collection Weekend's Masses (16th/17th November)

This collection is for the Church Flowers Fund

Saint Vincent de Paul (SVP) Lunch Group (St Bernadette's)

The SVP Conference would like to have a monthly social event for elderly, housebound and socially isolated parishioners. It is proposed that the first event will take place in the Parish Centre on **Tuesday 26th November from 12:30pm – 2:30pm.** Numbers initially will be limited to 20 – 25 places. The format will consist of a light lunch of soup, sandwiches, tea and cake with the opportunity to chat to other parishioners, have a game of bingo, cards and other board games. We will try to organise transport for those whose family members are unable to bring them. There will be a small charge of £2 per person to cover costs. If you know of anyone who may be interested in attending please give details to Jim Hilton (Tel: 01724 639370) or Eddie Wade (01724 338119).

Scunthorpe Foodbank

The foodbank has asked for help with festive supplies and have expressed their gratitude for this parish's ongoing support. Please see the poster in the porch regarding their specific requests.

Society for the Protection of Unborn Children (SPUC)

Lincoln Branch AGM:

7pm - 8.45pm on Tuesday 19th November 2019 at

Our Lady of Lincoln Parish Centre, Laughton Way, Lincoln, LN2 2HE. This will include a special screening of the new pro-life film "Strings Attached", about how abortion is being imposed on developing countries via the foreign aid programmes of western governments. Find out more at www.stringsattachedfilm.com

Volunteers Required for Church Cleaning Rota

If you would like to join our good band of cleaners please contact Norma Riley (Tel: 07508016776). We would like to have sufficient volunteers so that each couple only cleans the Church three times a year

Will legacy

Should you wish to remember your Parish in your will, please use the following wording: *"I GIVE free of tax the sum To NOTTINGHAM ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESAN TRUSTEES (Charity Number 1134449) of Willson House, 25 Derby Road, Nottingham NG1 5AW generally without imposing any binding trust or legal obligation but with the wish that it be used for (insert name of Parish) AND I DECLARE that the receipt of the Financial Secretary or other proper officer for the time being of the said charity shall be a sufficient discharge to my Trustees."*

Annual Children's Christmas Party 2019 Sunday December 1st

2pm- 5pm St Bernadette's Parish Centre: Open to children up to 11 years old and they must be accompanied by an adult on the day. Entry by ticket only £4 per child. Tickets will be on sale in the Church Porch after weekend masses until the 24th November.