

#### Welcome to Saint Bernadette's Church

### Mass Times and Intentions: 12th January 2020

#### First Week of Ordinary Time (A)

20p

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Parish Centre rooms to hire

If you would like to book the Parish Centre hall or one of the three

meeting rooms please

Email: stbernadettesparishcentre@gmail.com

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Registered No: 1134449

Co Registration No: 715164

Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup> January	6:00 pm	Vigil Mass of The Feast of the Baptism Of The Lord	Pro Populo
Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> January	11:00 am	The Feast of the Baptism Of The Lord	Eddie and Josie Pound RIP
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> January	9:30 am	Feria	Patrick Griffin RIP
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> January	-	No Mass	-
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> January	-	No Mass	-
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> January	9:00 am	Mass at Holy Souls	-
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> January	6:00 pm	Reception of Bernadette Douglass-Jacklin RIP	-
Thursday 16th January	7:00 pm	Reception of Ann Lyons RIP	-
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> January	10:00 am	Requiem Mass for Bernadette Douglass-Jacklin RIP	-
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> January	12:45 pm	Requiem Mass for Ann Lyons RIP	-
Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup> January	9:30 am	Mass at Holy Souls	-
Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup> January	6:00 pm	Vigil Mass of The Second Sunday of Ordinary Time	Pro Populo
Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> January	11:00 am	The Second Sunday of Ordinary Time	Mary Gillen RIP

Mass Time	<b>Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion</b>	Readers Rota
11 <sup>th</sup> : 6:00 pm Vigil Mass	P. Hayne, J. Lowden, R. Harmer	J. Myers, R. Harmer
12 <sup>th</sup> : 11:00 am Mass	A. Strong, C. Robertson, P. King	S. Hughes, A. Metcalfe
18 <sup>th</sup> : 6:00 pm Vigil Mass	J. Hilton, J. Myers, S. Calpin	E. Greene, C. Robertson
19 <sup>th</sup> : 11:00 am Mass	S. Dalton, H. Gill, K. Newman	J. Galpine, R. Galpine

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated each Saturday between 5:20 pm - 5:50 pm

**Eucharistic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:** Monday to Friday 9:00 am – 9:00 pm

If you or a member of your family is in hospital or in a residential care home, please let one of the priests know if you would like a visit or contact

St. Bernadette's Presbytery on 01724 844895

Last weekend's collections

Standing Orders £650 (weekly average) Loose plate £324.03

Envelopes £144.50

Our sincere thanks to all parishioners who continue to give so generously to the Parish.

Second Collection 18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup> January
This collection is for The Sick and Retired Priests Fund

Teas and Coffees are served in the Parish Centre after Sunday Mass.

Please do come along and get to know another parishioner!

## The Canon Comments 11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> January 2020

In this weekend's second reading St Peter was making this speech at the house of the Roman centurion, Cornelius. Peter himself was still reeling from the shock of being told that foods (like pork) which he had, as a faithful Jew, all his life, considered unclean were perfectly acceptable. Now he is about to welcome into the Church a non-Jew, a gentile! Before he could even finish his speech, the Holy Spirit came down on Cornelius and his household, just as the Spirit had come down on the disciples at Pentecost. All this is the consequence of the coming of the Spirit on Jesus at his baptism. This was when Jesus began his mission which is so strikingly described here as "the good news of peace". Religion, and even Christianity, has so often been the cause of strife and quarrelling, rivalry between different Christian churches, rivalry between Christians, Jews and Muslims. We can easily forget that the Spirit of Jesus is the Spirit of peace, openness, welcome. The Spirit of Jesus does not build barriers but dissolves them, does not inflict wounds but heals them, does not push people away but embraces them. Is this the community of Christ which we are trying to build up with those around us? (HW) Canon Geoffrey

#### Mass Changes Week Commencing 12th January

Canon Geoffrey will be on retreat from Monday to Thursday of this week. Please note the changes to Masses this week:

14th JanuaryHoly SoulsNo Mass15th JanuarySt Bernadette'sNo Mass17th JanuarySt Thomas'No Mass

## St Bernadette's Parish Pastoral Council Meeting Monday 20th January 7:00pm – 8:00pm

This meeting will be held in the Parish Centre

# Society for the Protection of Unborn Children (SPUC) Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> January 7:00pm – 8:45 pm Lincoln Branch Meeting

This meeting is being held at Our Lady of Lincoln Parish Centre, Laughton Way, Lincoln. All are welcome to attend. For more information please contact Julie Rogers on 07465 440 171.

#### St. Vincent de Paul Lunch Tuesday 21st January 12:30 – 2:30pm St Bernadette's Parish Centre

If you would like to attend this soup and sandwich lunch for housebound and elderly pensioners please contact Eddie Wade (01724 338119) or Jim Hilton (01724 639370). The lunch costs £2.00. If you know anyone who would like to attend please feel free to give them these details.

A sincere thank you to everyone for your very generous contributions for the Christmas Appeal for the Women's Refuge and the Food Bank. Your help was very much appreciated.

#### 200 Club Subscriptions for 2020 / 2021

If you wish to take part in the 2020/2021 **200 Club** entry forms are available in the Church Narthex. The yearly entry fee is £15.

There will be a monthly draw on the first Sunday of each month between March 2020 and February 2021 for a first prize of £50 and a second prize of £25.

There is also a Bonus Christmas Draw of £100.

Please pray for the sick and housebound in our parish.

Please pray for Bernadette Douglass-Jacklin RIP. Bernadette's mortal remains will be received into St Bernadette's Church at 6:00pm on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> January followed by a Requiem Mass at 10:00am on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January.

Please pray for Ann Lyons RIP who has died. Ann's mortal remains will be received into St Bernadette's Church at 7:00pm on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> January followed by a Requiem Mass on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January at 12:45pm.

Our thoughts and prayers are with the families and friends of Bernadette and Ann at this sad time.

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.

# Lectio Divina Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> January: Holy Souls Church Hall at 5:30 pm

Deacon Sebastian invites you to this monthly meeting, the purpose of which is establishing a relationship with the true living Jesus Christ. We will learn to pray using the Holy Bible and our own words and our lives. There will be time for group discussion and individual prayer in presence of Jesus in the Holy Sacrament. It would be very helpful if you could you bring your own Holy Bible. If you would like to stop, calm down and hear His Word . . . you will be most welcome!

#### St Bernadette's First Holy Communion Programme

Children who are undertaking this First Holy Communion programme must attend the weekly sessions commencing at St Bernadette's Church on:

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> January 3:30pm – 4:30pm Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 3:30pm – 4:30pm Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> January 3:30pm – 4:30pm Please meet Miss Clark and Father Liam in the Church.

From Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> February the weekly sessions will then be held at St Bernadette's Academy.

#### Level 2 Food Safety in Catering Certificate 9:30 – 12:00 pm Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> February 2020 Ongo, Cole Street, Scunthorpe

In order to comply with food hygiene regulations volunteers who help prepare, handle or cook food in the Parish Centre kitchen/premises which is being served at parish events now require a current certificate in Food Safety.

Sue Blackburn has liaised with Ongo for volunteers to attend this Level 2 course. You will need to enrol in advance of the course at the Ongo Office on Cole Street. Enrolment is held each Wednesday morning from 9:30am to 12:00pm. The course is free but if you have enrolled **you must attend.** If you are interested please contact Sue Blackburn on 01724 331994 or email

<u>sue.blackburn5@gmail.com</u> by Friday 24<sup>th</sup> January

#### **Bridie Moorhouse RIP**

Bridie's sister and family wish to thank Fr Liam for the lovely and caring Requiem Mass for Bridie. They also wish to thank David Heighton for the lovely eulogy and everyone who sent condolences, Mass cards and sympathy cards. The family will request a Mass for everyone's intentions.

### 200 Club

January Prize Draw

1st prize: £50 L. Hunling Ticket No: 73 2nd prize: £25 K. O'Boyle Ticket No: 60