St Bernadette's RC Church, Bispham

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6th/**7**th March 2021

We meet in the name of the risen lesus to celebrate his presence, draw on his power, and learn from him how we can serve him more effectively in our world.

First Reading Acts 3:13-15. 17-19 Peter explains to the crowds in Jerusalem that the death and resurrection of Jesus were foretold in the scriptures.

Second Reading 1 John 2:1-5 The apostle John reassures us that our sins can be forgiven, and encourages us to keep God's commandments.

Gospel Luke 24:35-48 In this resurrection appearance of Jesus the disciples are given new hope and new understanding, and they are promised new power.



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5pm	Public Mass	People of the Parish	
Sun. 7 th			
10am	Public Mass	Peter Brennan	
12 noon	Private prayer and exposition.		
Mon. 8 th			
9am	Mass	John and Josie Connolly	
Tues. 9 th			
l 2noon	Public Mass	Seamus Ward	
Wed. 10 th			
9 am	Mass	Ann Winter (Birthday Remembrance)	
Thurs. II th			
l 2noon	Public Mass	Alex Blyth	
Fri. 12 th	No Mass Today		
11:15am	Carleton Service and Burial for Philip Flint		
7pm	Stations of the Cross Live Streamed		

The Fourth Sunday of Lent

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Sat 13 th		
5pm	Public Mass	Charlie Nash
Sun. 14 th		
10am	Public Mass	George Clarkson
12 noon	Private prayer and exposition.	

We ask your prayers for all those who have died recently, especially Shirley Cranfield, Lorraine Quirk and Philip Flint and all those whose anniversary of death occur about this time especially, Kathleen Smith, Bernadette Renehan, Patricaia Lavelle, Paul Snape, Denis Burke, Cynthia Walsh, Anthony McEvilly, Alex Blyth, Hilda tucker, Josephine Corr, Francis Travis, Brian Narey and Mary Kerr and for those in need of our prayers: those in hospital, the hospice, our priests at St. Winefride's, and Michael Barnes, Meg Brett, Catherine Broughton, Joseph Curran, Maria Curran, Joan Farnen, Michael Garrity, Tricia and Les Gibbie, Roland Hamer, Ken Hargreaves, Stephen Haydon, Paul Huson, Mo Long, Ethel Marshall, Gloria Morris, Sheila Stewart, Bob Taylor, and Ann Walker

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Third Sunday of Lent

St. Bernadette's is NOT CLOSED

we are just going to have to do things differently for a while. **** ****

Exposition and Private Prayer Sunday 12noon-1pm. *****

Services of Stations of the Cross From St. Bernadette's are now available on our YouTube Channel

This Friday 12th at 7pm Live Streamed Stations of the Cross

on the YouTube Channel

Mass will be streamed live on Saturday at 5pm and Sunday at 10am. and then available for the week. If you wish to watch 'live' please tune in five minutes beforehand.

Please join us in prayer on the St. Bernadette's Bispham Channel on the YouTube. Search 'YouTube St. Bernadette's Bispham' **** -

Public Easter Services

Palm Sunday: Saturday 5pm Palm Sunday: Sunday 10am Tuesday mass at 12noon as usual, no need to book Maundy Thursday: Mass of the Lord's Supper 7pm Good Friday: Stations of the Cross 10am Good Friday: Service of the Lord's Passion 3pm Holy Saturday: Easter Vigil 5pm Easter Sunday: Morning Mass 10am

You will need to book in for any service. Please do so in Church or phone or email stating how many people are in your bubble.

Mass Intentions can still be left at the presbytery and these intentions can continue to be said. Everyone is dispensed from the Obligation of Sunday and Holyday mass for the time being. Please consider praying the mass at home with me at these times.

Food Sunday will continue, and likely to be more necessary than ever. Food can be brought to the Church Porch (which will be checked regularly) or the presbytery at any time.

Hospital On-Call Chaplains: Although hospital visiting is now severely restricted we are still operating a 24/7 on-call R.C. Chaplain's rota in Victoria Hospital. The active priests are on the rota. If you need a priest in an emergency please ring the ward and ask them to call the on-call duty R.C. chaplain.

Weekly Offerings. Given the financial ramifications of these times the diocese is asking our parishioners to consider and arrange keeping-up their weekly offertory donation, either by setting up a standing-order, or by putting your weekly donation into a marked envelope and posting it through the presbytery letter box or by bringing the total amount to church after the situation is resolved. You could also alternatively send us what you would normally put in the collection via bank transfer. Email us to take up this option.

Newsletters will continue to be printed every week, and emailed to everyone on the list, and copies left in the Church porch. Please take copies of the newsletter or print them out to give to people you know without email, as well as other prayer sheets and cards etc. that I will leave at the back of Church and send by email. The Church Porch will generally be open from 10am to 1pm. observe social distancing, and only have one person in the porch at each time. <u>Book Exchange</u> available in the Church Porch. Please help your self.
