



# **St. Bernadette's Church**

## **Parish Notices – 18th. Sunday of the Year (B)**

### **Sunday 5th. August 2018**

**Thank you for last Sunday's Parish Collection which amounted to £1,397.**

**Prize winners in the Parish Draw this week are: Maura Presley & Valerie O'Brien. Each receives £50.**

#### **Our Faithful Departed**

**Please pray for the repose of the soul of Kevin Lamph R.I.P., the brother of a Parishioner, who died recently.**

#### **Anniversaries**

**Richard Gillis, Frank Cassidy, James Steele, Peggy Browne, Ellen Polley, Eileen Bailie, Malachy O'Kane, Eithne McEvoy, Sean Loughran, John Murray, Sean Scollon, Gerard McGrath, Agnes Forde, Thomas McElwee, Liam Lee, John Armstrong, Katherine Hutchinson, Bridie Burns, Elizabeth McNeill, Michael Lally, Myra Treanor, Liam MacSorley.**

#### **Relics Of St. Thérèse And Her Parents**

**As part of the celebrations for the World Meeting of Families 2018, the Relics of Saint Thérèse of Lisieux and her parents, Ss. Louis and Zélie Martin, will visit the Cathedral on Monday 13<sup>th</sup>. August from 11a.m. until Tuesday morning at 8a.m. Among the programme of events, the Bishop will celebrate Mass at 7.30p.m. and at 9p.m. Sister Elaine Kelly, from the Sisters of Adoration, will reflect on how her family life influenced her vocation.. There will be Night Prayer at 10p.m. Confessions will be available (except during Mass) from 6p.m. until the Cathedral closes at 11p.m.**

#### **The Challenge Of Pope Francis To The Church In Ireland**

**A talk by John Allen Jr. Will take place in St. Brigid's Parish Centre, Derryvolgie Avenue on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup>. August at 7.30p.m. John is the editor of Crux, specializing in coverage of the Vatican and the Catholic Church, and the author of nine books on the Vatican and Catholic affairs. He is also a popular speaker on Catholicism both in the United States and internationally. In 2014 John was the Keynote Speaker at the inaugural Faith and Life Convention. Everyone welcome!**

#### **St. Bernadette's Church Restoration Programme**

**The final phase of the restoration works will commence soon. The interior lights will be replaced and additional exterior lighting will be installed. The church will remain open for daily Mass but access after Mass times will have to be restricted for health & safety reasons while the work is underway. The work will take approximately four weeks to complete .**