



THE SHRINE CHURCH OF *St. Bernadette*

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Sr. Josephine Galasso, MPF -  
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*Looking for a Catholic community?  
St. Bernadette Church would like to welcome those who are searching for God  
and meaning in their lives.  
You are warmly invited to join us for worship in a faith-filled community.  
Our priests are available for individual consultation.  
Just call the rectory (718 - 837-3400)  
to schedule an appointment.*

**MASSES:**

Saturday: 7:00, 9:00 A.M. & 5:30 P.M.  
Sunday: 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 A.M. & 12:30 P.M.  
Daily: 7:00, 9:00 A.M.  
Eves of Holydays: 7:30 P.M.  
Holydays: 7:00, 9:00 & 10:00 A.M.

**CONFESSIONS:**

Monday to Friday: 6:30-6:50 A.M., 8:30-8:50 A.M.  
Saturday: 6:30-6:50 A.M., 8:30-8:50 A.M.,  
1:00 to 2:00 P.M., 4:30-5:20 P.M.

**DEVOTIONS:**

Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Mon. after the 9:00 A.M.  
Mass. Rosary - Mon.-Sat. after the 9:00A.M. Mass.

**MARRIAGES:**

Please call the Rectory Office at least 6 months in advance of the marriage date to make an appt. with a priest to discuss marriage plans. Please log on to [www.pre-cana.org](http://www.pre-cana.org) for complete information about marriage preparations in the Diocese.

**RECTORY OFFICE HOURS:**

Monday to Friday.  
9:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M. - 1:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M.  
6:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.  
Closed Saturday, Sunday, and Legal Holidays.  
Sick Calls Anytime.

**CATHOLIC CEMETERIES**

For information and availability options please call (718) 894-4888

**BAPTISMS:**

Baptisms are scheduled on the Third Sunday of the month at 2:00 P.M. A Preparation Session is required for parents to attend on the Preceding Wednesday at 7:00 P.M. Registration of Baptism is necessary prior to preparation and date of Baptism. A Birth Certificate is also needed at the time of registration. Parents are required to make appointment before both the preparation meeting and the date of Baptism.

**Parish Mission Statement**

We, the faith-filled community of St. Bernadette, under the guidance of our Blessed Mother, pass on our Catholic heritage to future generations by following Christ's example of caring for His people. We accomplish this through the loving actions of welcoming and serving one another's spiritual and social needs.



**Sunday, May 21st**

8:00 For the People of the Parish  
 9:30 Nicoletta Colasuonno  
 11:00 For The Blessed Mother  
 12:30 Vincent Tumminia

**Monday, May 22nd**

7:00 Mary Carabetta  
 9:00 Anna & Angelo Brullo

**Tuesday, May 23rd**

7:00 Louis Ferro  
 9:00 Michael Cilmi

**Wednesday, May 24th**

7:00 Umberto D'Agnese  
 9:00 Angela Piccini Canade  
 7:30 Joseph & Ann McLaughlin

**Thursday, May 25th**

7:00 Joseph Mazzella  
 9:00 Joseph Daniello Sr.  
 10:00 Giuseppe Tarantino

**Friday, May 26th**

7:00 Minnie Maglio  
 9:00 Vahey Family

**Saturday, May 27th**

7:00 Raymond W. Gregory  
 9:00 Padre Pio  
 5:30 John Milone Sr.

**Sunday, May 28th**

8:00 For the People of the Parish  
 9:30 Peter Balzano  
 11:00 Ralph Stroffolino  
 12:30 Anthony Ricigilano

**Purgatorial Society**

Raffaele Mariani  
 Helen Campagna  
 Domenica Muia  
 Daniel Donahue  
 Frances Lauto  
 Lorenzo Zefferino

**PRAY FOR**

Patrick Barker	Gina Iallonardo
Phyllis Bartoli	Peter Iallonardo
Rachel Biancardi	A. Jencsik
Erlinda Borg	Fonder Kramer
Kenneth Borg	Jennette Kruszka
Debbie Bouroudis	Peter Liuzzio
Esther Brock	Janet Maffia
Sarah Brodine	Christopher Mailloux
Julia Bruzzese	Dr. John Mezzasalma
Lisa Volpe Campisi	Hillary Modlin
Mary Caso	David Paplanus
Nicky Castagna	Patricia Registro
Agatha Cilmi	Vincent Rossillo
Michelle Curreri	Sue Rukinik
Philip DeFonte	Mark Sailor
JoAnn Duczelli	Adrienne Schiavone
Patricia Fried	George Schwerdtman
Joseph Francis Gabriele	George Skelly
Catherine Gavign	Eric Spring
Mary Ellen Giordano	Geri Santapola
Joseph & Veronica Gorini	Lyn Vincenti
George Guida	John Faro Vitale
Alexandra Iallonardo	

**Memorial Gifts for the Week of May 21, 2017**

**Memorial Gift of Bread**

In Memory of: Connie DeLucie  
 Requested by: Salon Gio



**Memorial Gift of Wine**

In Memory of: Carmela DeLucie  
 Requested by: Amanda Terrone

In Memory of: Connie DeLucie  
 Requested by: Salon Gio

**Memorial Gift of Altar Candle**

In Memory of: Danyelle Paradiso  
 Requested by: Mr. & Mrs. Frank Pampalone



In Memory of: Mamie D'Agostino  
 Requested by: Beloved Daughter Florence

**REST IN PEACE**

Dominick Pagano

**Sunday Collection**

Weekly Goal:  
\$7,500  
Amount Received:  
\$5,959  
Shortfall:  
\$1,541

**Thirteen Tuesdays in Honor of St. Anthony**

Our parish will once again observe the traditional devotion of the Thirteen Tuesdays in honor of St. Anthony of Padua. The devotion begins on Tuesday, March 14th. The prayers will be prayed each Tuesday after the 9:00 A.M. Mass until the feast of St. Anthony on June 13th.

**REMINDER**

St. Bernadette 2018 Announced Mass Book is now open. Hours are as follows:  
Monday - Friday  
9:00 am - 11:30 am  
and  
1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

**Ascension Thursday**

**Thursday, May 25th, is Ascension Thursday** and a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses for the Holy Day will be: **The Vigil Mass is Wednesday, May 24th at 7:30 pm, and Thursday, May 25th at 7:00 am, 9:00 am and 10:00 am.**



**May Devotions**

Each Wednesday in May at 7:30 our parish will honor our **Blessed Mother** in the month dedicated to her. We will pray the Rosary and Litany of the Blessed Mother, have a brief homily and conclude with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Please come to honor our Lady to whom our parish belongs in a special way because of Mary's appearances to St. Bernadette at Lourdes.



**REMINDER**

**IN OBSERVANCE OF MEMORIAL DAY, THE RECTORY OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, MAY 29TH. THE OFFICE WILL REOPEN ON TUESDAY, MAY 30TH. THE CHURCH WILL CLOSE AFTER THE 9:00 AM MASS ON MONDAY, MAY 29TH.**



Religious Education News: registration for first graders and new students is Tuesday, May 23, 2017 at 7:30 to 8:30 PM. Please come to the Religious Education Office in St. Bernadette School, 1313 - 83rd Street. Needed for new registration: baptismal certificate, proof of family residency and a letter of transfer if the student is coming from another program. The fee is \$200.00, check or money order, no cash. Thank you

Congratulations to the 80+1 Raffle Winners for May 12, 2017. There's still time to purchase your tickets 12+ 1 chances to win are left. Your ticket will be re-entered after each drawing!! See flyers in back of church for more information!!

Week 35 Winners are:

- # 155: Fabrizio Morreale: \$150.00
- # 14: Karen Gibilaro: \$150.00

STILL TIME TO PURCHASE TICKETS!!

Next drawing is Friday, May 19th.

On **Sunday, June 4, 2017**, the Parish Advocates for People with Disabilities of Brooklyn West (Deaneries 3, 4, 8, 9) in coordination with Catholic Charities will sponsor a **Mass of Inclusion for Persons with Disabilities**. It will be celebrated at the regularly scheduled **10:15 a.m.** Mass in the Lower Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Basilica (OLPH) in Sunset Park. A reception and **Resource Fair** will immediately follow the Mass.

**Give the Gift of Education- Be an angel to a student!** As an angel, you enable a student who is at risk financially, to remain in his or her Catholic school. 100% of your contribution is directed to the tuition, with the parents or guardians contributing their part. Your tax-deductible contributions can be made in honor or in memory of someone you hold dear, while assisting a child who might not otherwise be able to afford the benefit that a catholic school education offers. For further information please contact St. Bernadette School Principal, Sr. Joan @ 718-236-1560 or Futures in education Foundation @ [www.futuresineducation.org](http://www.futuresineducation.org)



**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

- Sunday: Sixth Sunday of Easter
- Monday: St. Rita of Cascia; Victoria Day (Canada)
- Thursday: The Ascension of the Lord
- Friday: St. Philip Neri
- Saturday: St. Augustine of Canterbury

**PEOPLE OF HOPE**

Throughout this Easter season the readings have drawn us into the experience of the early church. We have tasted the excitement and zeal of the first Christians. Now, with them, we listen to the words of Saint Peter, who reminds us that when people notice that we are people of hope, we should be ready to explain why. This challenges us. Do others even notice that we are people of hope? In a world often marked by cynicism and hopelessness, do we stand out as people who offer hope and reassurance to others? In today's Gospel Jesus promises that when he leaves the earth he will not leave us orphaned. Today he promises to send his Advocate, the Spirit of truth who will be with us always. Let us acknowledge the presence of the Holy Spirit and ask the Spirit to make us people of hope.  
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**REGISTRATION FOR 2017-18 IS NOW OPEN AT ST. BERNADETTE CATHOLIC ACADEMY**  
To learn about the benefits of a Catholic education, please contact Principal, Sr. Joan DiRienzo at 718.236.1560

**Don't miss out on valuable scholarship opportunities!**

Families who received scholarships last year should apply again by March 31  
The deadline for first-time scholarship applicants is April 21

[www.futuresineducation.org](http://www.futuresineducation.org)

**We're saving a seat for you!**

1313 83rd Street Brooklyn, NY 11228 [www.stbernadetteschool.org](http://www.stbernadetteschool.org)

**The St. Bernadette Home Academy Association** invites the Men of our St. Bernadette community to our annual **Gentlemen's Cigar Night** on **Monday, May 22, 2017** at Gargiulo's Restaurant. Join us for a fantastic dinner including an open bar, appetizers, entrée and dessert.

A portion of the proceeds raised will be contributed to the Gentlemen's Cigar Night Scholarship which will be awarded to two 8th grade students at the 2017 graduation ceremony.

A flyer with additional information can be found in the back of Church.

If you have any questions, please contact us at [sbshsa@stbernadetteschool.org](mailto:sbshsa@stbernadetteschool.org)

Thank you for your support!

**We are now on Facebook!**

Please go to our Facebook page:  
**Shrine Church of St. Bernadette in Brooklyn, NY**

and

"Like" us to see photos of our beautiful Church, Daily Mass Readings, Parish Church and General announcements, and interesting articles and News posts for Roman Catholics

**Society of St. Vincent de Paul Gives Back**

St. Bernadette can share in the profits. For each car, truck or van, running or not, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will give back to our church **\$50/\$100 per vehicle**. Maybe you don't have a vehicle, but a family member, friend or neighbor has an old or neglected vehicle in their driveway that they would like to dispose of. Call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul @ 718-491-2525

Thank You for your participation.



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