



THE SHRINE CHURCH OF *St. Bernadette*

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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 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.



PRAY FOR

Sunday, May 28th

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

Monday, May 29th

7:00 In Thanksgiving to Mother Mary
 9:00 Domenico Chieco

Tuesday, May 30th

7:00 Luigi & Elizabeth DeMichele & Family
 9:00 Michael Lomangino

Wednesday, May 31st

7:00 Diana Werth
 9:00 Rocco & Teresa Coluccio

Thursday, June 1st

7:00 John Colaizzo
 9:00 Vito & Caterina Ingravallo

Friday, June 2nd

7:00 Frank Insano
 9:00 Purgatorial Society

Saturday, June 3rd

7:00 Dr. Cynthia Mozlin
 9:00 Joseph Crisevione
 5:30 Anthony, Florence, Frankie Orlando

Sunday, June 4th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
 9:30 Donna Catanzaro
 11:00 Al Giordano
 12:30 Gene Rowdis

Patrick Barker
 Phyllis Bartoli
 Rachel Biancardi
 Erlinda Borg
 Kenneth Borg
 Debbie Bouroudis
 Esther Brock
 Sarah Brodine
 Julia Bruzzese
 Lisa Volpe Campisi
 Mary Caso
 Nicky Castagna
 Agatha Cilmi
 Michelle Curreri
 Philip DeFonte
 JoAnn Duczelli
 Patricia Fried
 Joseph Francis Gabriele
 Catherine Gavign
 Mary Ellen Giordano
 Joseph & Veronica Gorini
 George Guida
 Alexandra Iallonardo

Gina Iallonardo
 Peter Iallonardo
 A. Jencsik
 Fonder Kramer
 Jennette Kruszka
 Peter Liuzzio
 Janet Maffia
 Christopher Mailloux
 Dr. John Mezzasalma
 Hillary Modlin
 Marisne D'Onofrio
 David Paplanus
 Patricia Registro
 Vincent Rossillo
 Sue Rukinik
 Mark Sailor
 Adrienne Schiavone
 George Schwerdtman
 George Skelly
 Eric Spring
 Geri Santapola
 Lyn Vincenti
 John Faro Vitale

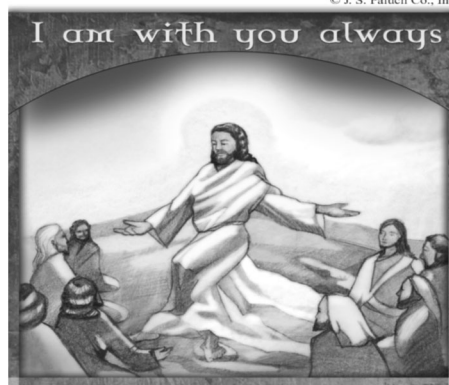
Memorial Gifts for the Week of May 28, 2017

Memorial Gift of Wine



In Memory of: Anna Barone
 Requested by: Luigia Gulotta & Family & DiVirgilio

In Memory of: Frank Butera
 Requested by: Donna Murphy & Family



The Ascension of the Lord May 28, 2017

He was lifted up,
 and a cloud took him from their sight.

— Acts 1:9

Purgatorial Society

Giuseppina Curcuone
 Louise Matera
 Arthur Venezia
 Mary P. McNulty
 Mary Delli Santi
 Frank Russo

Sunday Collection
 Weekly Goal:
 \$7,500
 Amount Received:
 \$3,267
 Shortfall:
 \$4,233

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

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.



First Friday June 2nd
First Friday - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place after the last Mass. **Immaculate Heart of Mary Cenacle of the Marian movement of Priests.** There will be one hour of prayer, a rosary, song, readings, and quiet time from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm. Chaplet of Mercy to follow.

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.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: The Ascension of the Lord;
 World Communications Day

Monday: Memorial Day

Tuesday: Shavuot ("Weeks"), the Jewish festival of the giving of the Law, begins at sunset

Wednesday: The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Thursday: St. Justin

Friday: Ss. Marcellinus and Peter; First Friday

Saturday: St. Charles Lwanga and Companions; First Saturday

Congratulations to the 80+1 Raffle Winners for May 19, 2017. There's still time to purchase your tickets 10+ 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 36 Winners are:

115: Debra D'Amante: \$150.00
 # 96: Lucille Carestia: \$150.00

STILL TIME TO PURCHASE TICKETS!!

Next drawing is Friday, May 26th.

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**



SHARE THE HOPE

The readings for today's celebration of the Ascension of the Lord once again remind us that as Christians we are people of hope. In the second reading Saint Paul eloquently exhorts the Ephesians to enlighten their hearts so that they will know the hope and glory that come from being people who place their trust in the Lord Jesus. In the story of the Ascension, recounted in the first reading, the Lord Jesus assures the disciples that the Holy Spirit's power will come upon them. Finally, in the Gospel, the Lord lets the disciples know that their mission is to spread the hope of the gospel to all the nations. This wonderful feast keeps our eyes focused on the hope in which we were grounded on the day of our baptism.

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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

We're saving a seat for you!

1313 83rd Street Brooklyn, NY 11228 www.stbernadetteschool.org

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.



Rosary for Life Day Retreat

Saturday, June 17, 2017 at 8:30 am to 4:00 pm
Rosary for Life Day Retreat with Fr. George Sears at Resurrection Church 2331 Gerritsen Ave, Brooklyn, NY (wheelchair accessible).
 Fee \$30.00
 Contact Rectory (718) 743-7234

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