



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.



Sunday, February 11th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
 9:30 Jane Matuszewski
 11:00 Joseph Rubino
 12:30 Giovanni Oddo

Monday, February 12th

7:00 Marie Ferro
 9:00 John Micciolo

Tuesday, February 13th

7:00 Ralph Vollaro
 9:00 Viktor & Lina Derosi & Daughter Milena

Wednesday, February 14th

7:00 Clara Colaizzo
 9:00 Dr. Laurence de Fazio
 3:00 Prayer Service
 7:30 Prayer Service

Thursday, February 15th

7:00 Felicia Di Sanluciano
 9:00 Margaret Johnston

Friday, February 16th

7:00 Joseph Saliani
 9:00 Margaret Orr
 7:30 Stations of the Cross

Saturday, February 17th

7:00 John O'Dea
 9:00 Anthony & Augusta Caserta
 5:30 Domenico & Antoinetta Bottiglieri

Sunday, February 18th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
 9:30 Antonio & Adelina D'Angelo
 11:00 Giovanni & Laura Mezzacappa
 12:30 Peter Balzano

Purgatorial Society
 Howard Reynolds
 Giovanna Grella

PRAY FOR

Linda Anthony	Hillary Modlin
Patrick Barker	Baby Antonio Mogavero
Erlinda Borg	Robert Morrro
Debbie Bouroudis	Giuseppe Muriale
Esther Brock	Dominick Muriale
Sarah Brodine	Marianne D'Onofrio
Julia Bruzzese	Laurie Palazzo
Madeline Buonpane	John Quigg
Lisa Volpe Campisi	Patricia Registro
Mary Caso	Deacon Arnaldo Rodriguez
Nicky Castagna	Vincent Rossillo
Agatha Cilmi	Mark Sailor
Michelle Curreri	Maria Sanvenero
Philip DeFonte	Kurt Savallo
Joseph Francis Garbrielle	Adrienne Schiavone
Joanne Giovanni	Eric Spring
Joseph & Veronica Gorini	Geri Santapola
George Guida	Tommy
Alexandra Iallonardo	Lyn Vincenti
Gina Iallonardo	John Faro Vitale
Peter Iallonardo	
Diane Izzo	
Martin Johnson Jr.	
Edward Killian	
Janet Maffia	
Robert Mailloux	
Dr. John Mezzasalma	
Peyton-Tyler Miklas	

In the event of recovery or improvement, please contact the rectory. A persons name will be removed after several weeks unless notification to remain is received.

Memorial Gifts of the Week of February 11, 2018

Memorial Gift of Bread

In Memory of: Antonio Onorato
 Requested by: Maria Balzano



Memorial Gift of Wine

In Memory of: Antonio Onorato
 Requested by: Maria Balzano

REST IN PEACE

Joseph Ruggiero



REMINDER

THE RECTORY OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH, IN OBSERVANCE OF PRESIDENTS' DAY. THE OFFICE WILL REOPEN ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20TH. ALSO THE CHURCH WILL BE CLOSED AFTER THE 9:00 AM MASS ON MONDAY.

Sunday Collection

Weekly Goal:

\$7500

Amount Received:

\$4,628

Shortfall:

\$2,872

Such recurring deficits continue to be alarming. Please keep up with your weekly giving..

Thank you for supporting our Parish.

Msgr. Caserta



Wednesday, February 14th is Ash Wednesday. Ashes will be distributed after the 7:00 AM and 9:00 AM Masses, at a 3:00 PM service and 7:30 PM service.

Confession will be heard before the morning Masses, and after the 3:00 PM and 7:30 PM services.

Fast & Abstinence Regulations for Lent

Catholics from 18-59 years of age are bound by the laws of fast and abstinence. Fast Days (when one full meal and two small meals not equaling the main meal is allowed) are Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Days of Abstinence (when eating meat is not permitted) are Ash Wednesday, all the Fridays of Lent, and Good Friday.



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**



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

There will be Stations of the Cross this Friday and all the Fridays of Lent at 7:30 PM. We will have guest preachers for this devotion.

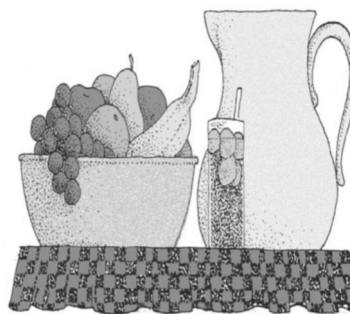


Parish Registration

To our St. Bernadette Community, if you are not already a registered parishioner, please stop by the rectory office and speak to Anna to register. If you are not registered, or not using your weekly envelopes, we can not issue any letters of recommendations, or sponsorship certificate, etc.

Thank you,

Msgr. Caserta



Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 11, 2018

Whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God.

— 1 Corinthians 10:31

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Congratulations to the 80+1 Raffle Winners for February 2nd. There's still time to purchase your tickets 38+ 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 21 Winners are:

Josephine Volpe: \$150.00

Sandy Frangoules: \$150.00

STILL TIME TO PURCHASE TICKETS!!

Next drawing is Friday, February 9th.

St. Bernadette Church is pleased to announce the establishment of the St. Cecilia Society. Named after the patron saint of church music, the society's aim is to help with the cost of guest musicians and soloists for special occasions like Christmas, Holy Week, and other solemn ceremonies. A gift to the society will be acknowledged in the bulletin and may be made for the living or the deceased. As costs for special musicians continue to rise, your gift will keep beautiful music part of our worship here at St. Bernadette. As always your generosity will be greatly appreciated and your loved ones will be remembered in the prayers of the parish. To make a donation to the society please call or visit the rectory during usual business hours.



SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Marriage Day; World Day of the Sick
 Monday: Lincoln's Birthday
 Tuesday: Mardi Gras; Shrove Tuesday
 Wednesday: Ash Wednesday; Valentine's Day; Fast and Abstinence
 Friday: Abstinence; Chinese New Year 4716
 Saturday: The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The leper will dwell apart, making an abode outside the camp (Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46).

Psalm — I turn to you, Lord, in time of trouble, and you fill me with the joy of salvation (Psalm 32).

Second Reading — Do everything for the glory of God (1 Corinthians 10:31 — 11:1).

Gospel — The leprosy left him immediately, and he was made clean (Mark 1:40-45).

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ST. BERNADETTE HOLY NAME SOCIETY: COME AND JOIN US

All men who are interested please contact Anna in the rectory at 718-837-3400, Monday—Friday between 9:00 - 12:00 and 1:00 - 4:00. This society will be one that is both Fraternal and Spiritual. We will aim to both raise funds for our church as well as have a good time doing it.

GIVE GOD THE GLORY

A curious feature of the first half of Mark's Gospel is the pattern of Jesus working a miracle, then telling the recipient of the miracle to keep still about it. Many theories have been offered: Mark is setting the stage for the great "secret" revealed when Peter will proclaim Jesus the Messiah at Caesarea Philippi; more skeptical commentators offer that Jesus, fully aware of human nature, knew that the way to spread the news was to tell people to keep it secret. The insight into this secret-keeping that serves us well, however, is that Jesus was initiating his public ministry according to the pattern that Paul describes. He was doing it for the glory of God—not for his own benefit, but for that of all. Paul would later write in Philippians that Jesus "humbled" himself to become like us. And we see this humility at work in today's healing of the leper. Jesus is trying to reveal the presence of God's reign among the people, not so that he himself might receive the glory, but so that God would be glorified through him. Imitating this pattern, which Paul encourages the Jewish and Greek Christian factions in Corinth to do, still serves us well today.

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A Lenten Retreat: The Journey/ My Encounter With The Community Of Jesus Tuesdays, February 13, 20, 27, March 6, 13, 20, @ 1:00 PM. St. Ephrem's Spirituality Center, 935 Bay Ridge Parkway, Brooklyn, NY, 718-921-9518, \$5.00 per person or Free Will.

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.



Diocesan Pilgrimage to Ireland
 And attendance at the 9th World Meeting of Families

August 19 - 27, 2018

Sponsored by:
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Bishop Massa
 Spiritual Director
 And
 Mass with our Holy Father
 Pope Francis

For a Brochure call
 Peters Way Travel
 516-605-1551

Join us on a
 Diocesan Lenten Pilgrimage
 To
 Our Lady of Guadalupe, Mexico

Father Jorge Ortiz
 Spiritual Director

March 2-8, 2018

For a Brochure Contact
 Regina Tours
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1-800-Catholic x 208
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Please go to our Facebook page:

**Shrine Church of St. Bernadette
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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

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