

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 13th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
9:30 Audrey Burger
11:00 Giovanni & Laura Mezzacappa
12:30 Stafana Oddo

Monday, May 14th

7:00 Michael Fortunato
9:00 Laurence deFazio

Tuesday, May 15th

7:00 Lina Rotundo
9:00 Anna & Angelo Brullo

Wednesday, May 16th

7:00 Teresa O'Neill
9:00 Giulia & Francesco Totino

Thursday, May 17th

7:00 Rosario & Salvatore Sferrazza
9:00 Special Intention for Lydia Fortunato

Friday, May 18th

7:00 Gloria Lindsay
9:00 Margaret Orr

Saturday, May 19th

7:00 John Junsch
9:00 Joseph & Steve Bencivenga
5:30 Madalena & Giuseppe Procaccio

Sunday, May 20th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
9:30 Joseph Ricco
11:00 Cesar Delgado
12:30 Ralph Stroffolino

Linda Anthony
Patrick Barker
Erlinda Borg
Debbie Bouroudis
Esther Brock
Sarah Brodine
Julia Bruzzese
Madeline Buonpane
Nicky Castagna
Agatha Cilmi
Michelle Curreri
Philip DeFonte
Cathy Deterro
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Eloisa Lyons
Janet Maffia
Robert Mailloux
Joseph McKie

Grace Milano
Hillary Modlin
Robert Morror
Marianne D'Onofrio
Philip De Fonte
Marilyn Guerra
John Quigg
Patricia Registro
Mark Sailor
Sophia Sakovsky
Geri Sanatapola
Maria Sanyenero
Adrienne Schiavone
Lottie Slomka
Eric Spring
Tommy
Lyn Vincenti
John Faro Vitale

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 for the Week of May 13, 2018

Memorial Gift of Bread

In Memory of: Mary Caso
Requested by: The Vurckio Family

In Memory of: Mary Caso
Requested by: Helen Barra

In Memory of: Doris Rassi
Requested by: Edward & Beverly Slomka



Memorial Gift of Wine

In Memory of: Mary Caso
Requested by: The Vurckio Family

In Memory of: Doris Rassi
Requested by: Edward & Beverly Slomka

Memorial Gift of Sanctuary Lamp

In Memory of: Giulia Muriale
Requested by: Her Grandchildren Janal & Giuseppe



Memorial Gift of Altar Candle

In Memory of: Gregory Deo
Requested by: Tina Miele

In Memory of: Mary Caso
Requested by: The Vurckio Family



Purgatorial Society

Raymond Quaetucci Alfosina Vaccamo
Paul Giannco Lupi Diez
Virgininia Babe Silvia Gesualdi
Domenic Mangini Mary Quattrocchi

Sunday Collection

Weekly Goal:
\$7500
Amount Received:
\$5,106
Shortfall:
\$2,324

Please keep up with your weekly giving. Thank you for supporting our Parish.

Msgr. Caserta

REMINDER

St. Bernadette 2019 Announced Mass Book will be opened on Monday, May 21st.

Hours are as follows:
Monday - Friday

9:00 am - 11:30 am
And
1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Msgr. Caserta , Fr. Kamil and staff would like to wish all our parishioners, families, and friends a Happy Mother's Day.



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 20th. The prayers will be prayed each Tuesday after the 9:00 A.M. Mass until the feast of St. Anthony on June 13th.

May Devotions

Each Wednesday in May at 7:30 pm 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.

Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Celebration

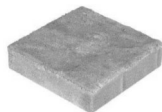
On June 9th, 2018 our Diocese will have the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Celebration at Immaculate Conception Center in Douglaston at 11:00 AM. Our bishop will celebrate the Mass at which couples celebrating their 25th, 50th and 75th anniversaries will receive a special blessing and scroll commemorating this joyful event. If you wish to participate, please call the rectory so we can reserve a place for you .

718-837-3400

SACRED HEART MEMORIAL GARDEN

As you know, construction for the Sacred Heart Memorial Garden is well underway. I am pleased to announce that we have more room for additional stones. Please reserve a stone to honor a loved one living or deceased. Please call or stop by the rectory and speak to Anna for more details (718-837-3400).

What a wonderful way to remember your loved ones for Mothers' Day & Fathers' Day.



SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: The Ascension of the Lord; Mother's Day; World Communications Day
- Monday: St. Matthias
- Tuesday: St. Isidore the Farmer
- Thursday: Julian Calendar Ascension
- Friday: St. John I
- Saturday: Armed Forces Day; Vigil of Pentecost; Shavuot (Jewish observance) begins at sunset

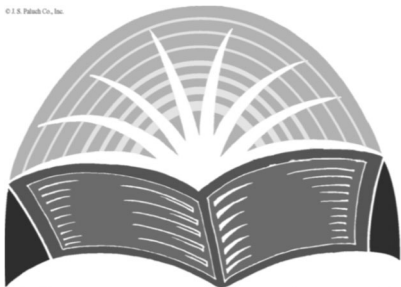
TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Jesus tells the disciples that they will be witnesses to the ends of the earth (Acts 1:1-11).
Psalm — God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord (Psalm 47).
Second Reading — God seated Jesus at his right hand in the heavens (Ephesians 1:17-23) or *Ephesians 4:1-13 [1-7, 11-13]*.
Gospel — The Lord Jesus was taken up into heaven. (Mark 16:15-20).

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Congratulations to the 80+1 Raffle Winners for the week of May 4th.

Week # 34
Adriana Florida
John Grandinetti



They went forth and preached everywhere

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



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St. Cecilia Society

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.



God Bless and Congratulations to.....

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| Mia Aellis | Philomena Gangi |
| Giuseppe Alamia | Reve Giroux |
| Nico Amendolara | Joseph Iannibelli |
| Giovanni Bagnato | Sophia Iocolano |
| Simona Bagnato | Madeline Lorina |
| Dahlia Barone | Nicolette Mattera |
| Jack Berberian | Michael Mazza |
| Sophia Berberian | Stella Messina |
| Johna Bonomolo | Joseph Pacelli |
| Antonio Caggiano | Adrianna Parisi |
| Joseph Cangelosi | Alessia Sale |
| Giuliana Carnazza | Salvatore Scalici |
| Ethan Carrique | Sofia Smollar |
| Sebastiano Cavallo | Mia Spadaro |
| Lucia Cinquini | Madison Spelman |
| Salvatore Coluccio | Jack Sullivan |
| Caroline Culleton | Ava Tabet |
| Alessandra Cumbo | Krista Tedone |
| Ryan Cunniffe | Marlena Torre |
| Gianna DeGuida | Bella Treacy |
| Frank DiSpirito | Christian Vangeli |
| Erin Dolan | Alexa Vasta |
| Joseph Fascianella | James Vega |
| Dean Ferraro | Solomia Vorobel |

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.

RUN4KIDS MARATHON

On Saturday, June 2, at 9:00 AM, DHAA - St. Bernadette Knights will host the RUN4KIDS kids' marathon.

Register on line at www.knightsaa.org

Questions call 917-675-1476

We are now on Facebook!

Please go to our Facebook page:

Shrine Church of St. Bernadette in Brooklyn, New York

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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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:
The Pilgrimage Office, and the Office of Family Life School of Evangelization

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

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