



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, September 1st

8:00 For the People of the Parish
9:30 Philip & Rose Greco
11:00 Renzo & Gina Fantasia
12:30 Lisa Volpe Campisi

Monday, September 2nd

7:00 Cynthia Chiariello
9:00 Mario & Giuseppa Brullo

Tuesday, September 3rd

7:00 Sebastiano & Marianna Papaleo
9:00 Jane Matuszewski

Wednesday, September 4th

7:00 Virginia & Dominick Ferraro
9:00 Fortunato & Matuszewski Families

Thursday, September 5th

7:00 Josephine Innamorato
9:00 Raffaele & Filomena Tarulli

Friday, September 6th

7:00 Richard Juliano
9:00 Purgatorial Society

Saturday, September 7th

7:00 Cynthia Chiariello
9:00 Cologero & Rosaria Sferrazza
5:30 Joseph & Virginia Termini

Sunday, September 8th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
9:30 Agnes Zaza
11:00 Joseph & Ann McLaughlin
12:30 Ida Michaiski

Mark Advocate	Ariana Lore
Linda Anthony	Eloisa Lyons
Debbie Bouroudis	Camille Lorina
Esther Brock	Janet Maffia
Sarah Brodine	Joseph McKie
Cheryl Brown	Carl McLaughlin
Julia Bruzzese	Darlene Morales
Nicky Castagna	Robert Morror
Agatha Cilmi	Debbie Neuer
Cathy Deterro	John Quigg
Brain Dowling	Patricia Registro
Deborah Irene Ferrin	Maria Rossillo
Ariana Freeman	Susan Albi Russo
Joseph Francis Garbriale	Mark Sailor
Joseph & Veronica Gorini	Sophia Sakovsky
Baby Brenden Gregory	Geri Sanatapola
Margherita Guarino	Ralph Sangiorgio
Marilyn Guerra	Maria Sanyenero
George Guida	Jennie Saurino
Gene Horton	Marci Schackner
Peter Iallonardo	Eric Spring
Alexandra Iallonardo	Linda Swalling
Eleanor Iaverone	Tommy
Martin Johnson Jr.	Jeniffer Torre
Janette Joseph	Roseanna Ursino
Marie & Michael LaGallo	Lyn Vincenti
Carmine Leone	Weick Family

Memorial Gifts For The Week Of September 1, 2019

Memorial Gift of Bread

In Memory of: Richard Spencer
Requested by: Patricia Spencer



In Memory of: Tommaso Chieco
Requested by: Martha & Richard Gosh

Memorial Gift of Wine

In Memory of: Tommaso Chieco
Requested by: Martha & Richard Gosh

Memorial Gift of Flower

In Memory of: Tommaso Chieco
Requested by: Celia & Charles Esposito



Memorial Gift of Altar Candle

In Memory of: Tommaso Chieco
Requested by: Celia & Charles Esposito



Purgatorial Society

Arthur Reynolds
Colomba Capotorto
Rosie Diele
Nicholas Focillo

REST IN PEACE

Mary T. Buonocore

Sunday Collection

Weekly Goal:
\$7,500
Amount Received:
\$4,047
Shortfall:
\$3,453

Parishioners are reminded of the importance of keeping up the weekly envelope donation even while traveling during the summer months. Please consider sending envelopes ahead of time while you are away. This will help us with maintaining a more regular cash flow without which we simply cannot pay our bills during the summer. This is a serious difficulty for which we need your generous help. May God bless you and your loved ones as you enjoy vacation time.

Msgr. Caserta

**From the
Pastor**

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Summer Supplement Collection

The short falls in the collections for July and August to date have amounted to \$25, 328.00 — \$13, 150.00 for July and \$12,172.00 for August.

I would be most irresponsible as your pastor if I did not try to recoup as much of this shortfall as possible. Without being melodramatic, I simply cannot pay our bills.

So, as in the past, on the weekend of September 14-15 we will have a special summer supplement collection. Special envelopes will be distributed on the weekend of September 7-8 at all masses. Parishioners who have missed Sunday collections over the past months are asked to make up their donations on the weekend of September 14-15. I ask also that even those who have not missed collections consider making a very generous supplemental donations in this collection.

This deficit is very serious and we must work together to offset it before the other financial responsibilities of the year begin. I am most grateful for your generous response and I know that God will bless your generosity to the parish.

First Friday September 6th

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.



Religion Classes for 2019-2020 will begin on Wednesday, September 25th from 3:30 to 4:50 P.M. Registration for new students is Thursday, September 5th, at 7:00 P.M. followed by an all Parents Meeting in the Cafeteria on 82nd street at 7:30 P.M.

God Bless You!

REMINDER

IN OBSERVANCE OF LABOR DAY THE RECTORY WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2ND. THE RECTORY WILL REOPEN ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3RD.

THE CHURCH WILL BE CLOSED AFTER THE 9:00 A.M. MASS ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2ND.

St. Bernadette 2020 Announced Mass Book is open.

Hours are as follows:

Monday - Friday
9:00 AM - 11:30 AM, 1:00 PM - 3:30 PM and
6:00 PM-8:00 PM

NO MASSES TAKEN OVER THE TELEPHONE

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time;
World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation
Monday: Labor Day
Tuesday: St. Gregory the Great
Friday: First Friday
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday

MONDAY NIGHTS

Our Monday Nights Social will resume on Monday, September 9th. Hope to see all of you there.

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. Come and join our St. Bernadette community. We will aim to both raise funds for our church as well as have a good time doing it.

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, we can not issue any letters of recommendations, or sponsorship certificate, etc.

Thank you.
Msgr. Caserta

Diocesan Pilgrimage
Oberammergau
The Passion Play
Visit to: Wurzburg,
Rothenburg, Rebenburg
Passau, Salzburg & Munich

May 12-21, 2020
Bishop Octavio Cisneros
Spiritual Director
Rev. Frank Schwarz,
Chaplain

For a Brochure Call
Peters Way Tours
516-605-1551 x 17
kaitlin@petersway.com

Diocesan Pilgrimage
52nd International
Eucharistic Congress,
Budapest
Visit to:
Vienna and Prague

September 13-21, 2010
Bishop James Massa
Spiritual Director

For a Brochure call
Regina Tours
1-800 Catholic © x250
avillegas@groupist.com

ST. BERNADETTE CATHOLIC ACADEMY

GETTING READY FOR OUR NEW SCHOOL YEAR!

St Bernadette Catholic Academy is getting ready for another terrific school year and we are excited to welcome everyone back!

When's the BIG DAY? Our first day of school will be on Wednesday, September 4 with a 12:30 p.m. dismissal. September 5 and 6 are full days of school. Remember that our school hours are now 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on full days! We ask God's blessings on this new school year as we celebrate our Opening Mass on September 6 at the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

If you're looking for the "Best Investment in Your Child's Future" and your child is entering Pre K 3 through Grade 8, call our school at (718) 236-1560 or visit stbernbk.org for more information

St. Bernadette Girl Scout Program

Is looking for leaders AND scouts to join their program. Registration will be held Friday, Sept. 13th from 7-8:30pm in the St. Bernadette Cafeteria. Training will be provided for leaders. Meetings are held in the St. Bernadette Cafeteria twice a month on Friday evenings from September through June. If you are interested in becoming a leader or have any questions regarding our program, please contact Dina Amatore at joedee.bosco@verizon.net or 917-842-2078.



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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