



THE SHRINE CHURCH OF *St. Bernadette*

8201 - 13th Avenue

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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, September 29th**

8:00 For the People of the Parish  
 9:30 Maria & Giuseppe De Dona  
 11:00 Mary & Frank Rubino  
 12:30 Gino Bello

**Monday, September 30th**

7:00 Madeline & Joseph De Michele Jr.  
 9:00 Anastasia Bello

**Tuesday, October 1st**

7:00 Glen Caccamo  
 9:00 John Mazzella

**Wednesday, October 2nd**

7:00 Mr. & Mrs. F. Lubisco  
 9:00 Denis J. McHugh III

**Thursday, October 3rd**

7:00 Marie & Louis Ferro  
 9:00 Rachel Trapani

**Friday, October 4th**

7:00 Betty Spinner  
 9:00 Purgatorial Society

**Saturday, October 5th**

7:00 Domenico Gaudiuso  
 9:00 Fortunato & Matuszewski Families  
 5:30 Armando Pariante

**Sunday, October 6th**

8:00 For the People of the Parish  
 9:30 Michael Petrelli  
 11:00 Giuseppe Pastore  
 12:30 Margaret & Arthur Bitetti

**Purgatorial Society**

Carmelo Linea  
 Susan Rubino  
 Santina Sciabico  
 Michelle Brady

**PRAY FOR**

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

**Memorial Gifts For The Week Of September 29, 2019**

**Memorial Gift of Bread**

In Memory of: Gesualda & Frank Giampiccolo  
 Requested by: Loving Daughters

In Memory of: Tommaso Chieco  
 Requested by: Kamisher & Greenberg



**Memorial Gift of Wine**

In Memory of: Ann Romano  
 Requested by: Mr. & Mrs. M. Anello

In Memory of: Gesualda & Frank Giampiccolo  
 Requested by: Loving Daughters

**Memorial Gift of Flowers**

In Memory of: Camille Lorina  
 Requested by: The Fascianella Family



In Memory of: Ann Romano  
 Requested by: The Fascianella Family

**Memorial Gift of Altar Candle**

In Memory of: Tommaso Chieco  
 Requested by: Kamisher & Greenberg



**Sunday Collection**

Weekly Goal:  
\$7,500  
Amount Received:  
\$4,308  
Shortfall:  
\$3,192

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

**October Devotions**

Our Parish will have October Devotions each Tuesday of the month at 7:30 PM. Please plan to attend this traditional way of honoring Our Lady during the month of the Rosary.

Tuesday, October 1st  
Tuesday, October 8th  
Tuesday, October 15th  
Tuesday, October 22nd  
Tuesday, October 29th



**First Friday October 4, 2019**

**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.

**From the Pastor**

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Sincerest and most prayerful thanks are extended to the 154 persons who responded to our Summer Supplement Collection. The total given was \$15,147.00. This is a significant effort toward the elimination of our \$25,000 deficit. If anyone would still like to contribute, your donation is still most welcome.. Simply put your name and envelope number on a plain white envelope and drop it in the collection basket on any Sunday or mail it to or drop it off at the rectory. Your generosity is greatly appreciated and I know God will bless you and your loved ones for it.

Msgr. Caserta



On Friday, October 25, 2019 at 4:00 PM 38 students will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. We ask for your prayers as they continue to grow in their faith journey. We welcome the confirming Bishop Most Reverend Octavio Cisneros to our Parish. Our students will have a retreat day in preparation for on Tuesday, October 15, 2019 from 3:30 to 8:30 PM. Your prayer are greatly appreciated!

*God Bless and Thank You!*

**SAVE THE DATE**

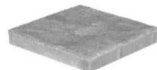
**ST. BERNADETTE'S ANNUAL RESTAURANT SHOWCASE DINNER WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2019 AT 7:30 PM. TICKETS GOING FAST, STOP BY THE RECTORY TO RESERVE YOUR SEATS. COME AND JOIN US FOR AN EVENING FULL OF GREAT FOOD AND FUN!**



**SACRED HEART MEMORIAL GARDEN**

**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.**



**St. Bernadette Church 80 + 1 Raffle Club**

Congratulations to the 80+1 Raffle Winners for September 20th , There's still time to purchase your tickets 78+ 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 1 Winners are:

Bill & Suzanne Benvenuto: \$150.00  
Agatha Weiner: \$150.00

**STILL TIME TO PURCHASE TICKETS!!**

Next drawing is Friday, September 29th.



The Blessing of the Animals will be held on Saturday, October 5th, after the 9:00 A.M. Mass in the Grotto.

**Annual Senior Sisters Sale to Benefit Religious Teachers Filippini**

**Villa Walsh, 455 Western Ave, Morristown, NJ 07960  
Sunday, November 3, 2019 12:00 Noon-5:00 PM**

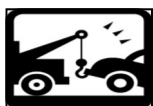
Villa Walsh will host their annual Christmas Bazaar on November 3rd, featuring unique gifts, crafts, plus a 50/50, Money Raffle, Baked goods, and much, much more. There's also a Food Court for refreshments while you shop. Come and enjoy their **pizza frittas** made right on the premises, as well as luncheon packages of homemade Italian sandwiches and desserts. You won't be able to resist their home baked cakes, pies, cookies, and Italian **pizzelles** along with their **traditional pangiallo**. Please come and show your support for the Senior Sisters. They gave their lives in service of others, now it's time to care for them.

God Bless you!

**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.



**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

**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.

**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)**



**Called by Name**

A Convocation  
For  
All Lay Ministers of St. Bernadette Parish

**Robert Choiniere, DMin - Facilitator**

**Tuesday, October 22, 2019**  
Shared Meal at 5:30 PM  
Presentation begins at 6:30 PM

**St. Patrick Church Auditorium**  
**97th Street and 4th Avenue**  
Parking Lot on 97th Street

If you are interested to attend please leave a phone message at 718-232-7733 Religious Education Office. There is no fee. Dateline is Wednesday, October 16th.

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

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

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Peters Way Tours  
516-605-1551 x 17  
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Diocesan Pilgrimage  
52nd International  
Eucharistic Congress,  
Budapest  
Visit to:  
Vienna and Prague

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September 13-21, 2010  
Bishop James Massa  
Spiritual Director

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Regina Tours  
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