



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, October 27th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
9:30 Evelyn & Francis Giaquinto
11:00 Peter Balzano
12:30 Lina De Dona

Monday, October 28th

7:00 George & Marie Robbins
9:00 In Thanksgiving to St. Jude

Tuesday, October 29th

7:00 Joseph Verponi
9:00 Thomas Cassese

Wednesday, October 30th

7:00 Rosemary & Jerome Rubino (Anni)
9:00 Edith Corarro

Thursday, October 31st

7:00 Nicodemo Cordi
9:00 Mary Melisi
7:30 Vigil Mass

Friday, November 1st

7:00 Vespoli & Vilella Families
9:00 Purgatorial Society
10:00 In Thanksgiving to all the Saints

Saturday, November 2nd

7:00 All Souls
9:00 All Souls
5:30 Margaret De Angeles (Good Health)

Sunday, November 3rd

8:00 For the People of the Parish
9:30 Hilda Piccini
11:00 Francesco Pastore
12:30 Gino Bello

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

Memorial Gifts For The Week Of October 27, 2019

Memorial Gift of Bread

In Memory of: Francesco Prestia
Requested by: His Loving Wife



Memorial Gift of Wine

In Memory of: Francesco Prestia
Requested by: His Loving Wife

In Memory of: Fred Assenza
Requested by: Catherine Vento & Amelia Montana

Memorial Gift of Flowers

In Memory of: Ann Romano
Requested by: Nancy Valvano



Memorial Gift of Altar Candle

In Memory of: Giovanna D'Orazio
Requested by: Maria Balzano



Purgatorial Society

Rosalia Caruso
Jean Squaciafico
Eileen Berry
Grace Rucci
Norma Lynch

Sunday Collection

Weekly Goal:
\$7,500
Amount Received:
\$4,271
Shortfall:
\$3,229

Such recurring deficits continue to be alarming. Think of making a small sacrifice each week - a latte, bringing lunch instead of eating out, half a pack of cigarettes a week (better for your health), or any other money saving gesture - and putting that savings into your weekend envelope. It might seem trivial, but every little effort mounts up. It also is a good means to practice some simple penance and self-denial. God will definitely bless you for it. Please keep up with your weekly giving. Thank you for supporting our Parish

Msgr. Caserta

Forty Hours Devotion

We will have **Forty Hours Devotion** beginning Sunday, October 27th, and continues until the Solemn Closing on Tuesday evening.

Volunteers are needed to spend a half hour in Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

Please sign up for a time on the sheet in the back of Church.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST, IS A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION.

THERE WILL BE NO ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD

Today's readings invite us into prayer, into relationship with God. Because relationships feel more natural when we know one another well, Sirach encourages us to know God better. In his wisdom, Sirach tells us what God is like: fair, open-minded, compassionate, and attentive. "The Lord will not delay," he says. Knowing that God's help comes right on time, whenever we need it, calms our hearts and helps us trust the Lord. In his second Letter to Timothy, Saint Paul demonstrates his own trust in God. Despite the grueling struggles Saint Paul has faced because of his Christian faith, he praises the Lord for rescuing him time and again. Today's Gospel draws us close to Jesus too, revealing his special love for the poor and humble. As Jesus tells his parable about the prayer habits of a Pharisee and a tax collector, our hearts long to become as gentle as Christ's.

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SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Priesthood Sunday
- Monday: Ss. Simon and Jude
- Thursday: Halloween
- Friday: All Saints; First Friday
- Saturday: The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls Day); First Saturday

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The Lord is not deaf to the wail of the orphan, nor to the widow when she pours out her complaint (Sirach 35:12-14, 16-18).

Psalm — The Lord hears the cry of the poor (Psalm 34).

Second Reading — The Lord will rescue me from every threat (2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18).

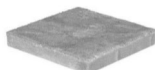
Gospel — All who exalt themselves will be humbled; all who humble themselves will be exalted (Luke 18:9-14).

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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 October 18th. There's still time to purchase your tickets 70+ 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 5 Winners are:

- Ciaccia: \$150.00
- Sanducci: \$150.00

STILL TIME TO PURCHASE TICKETS!!

Next drawing is Friday, October 25th.

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!

MONDAY NIGHTS

A social opportunity for the men of the parish to enjoy each other's company, watch some seasonal sports, and enjoy some snacks. A \$25 donation is asked and the men of the parish (18+) are cordially invited. All proceeds go to the support of the parish.

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**



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

 May 12-21, 2020
 Bishop Octavio Cisneros
 Spiritual Director
 Rev. Frank Schwarz,
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 For a Brochure Call
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Diocesan Pilgrimage
 52nd International
 Eucharistic Congress,
 Budapest
 Visit to:
 Vienna and Prague

 September 13-21, 2010
 Bishop James Massa
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