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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: 8:00 A.M. & 5:30 P.M.
Sunday: 8:00, 10:00 AM & 12:00 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: 7:30-7:50 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.
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 1st

8:00 For the People of the Parish
 10:00 In Honor of St. Joseph
 12:00 Lidia Ventresca

Monday, May 2nd

7:00 Anne McLaughlin
 9:00 Vito Caputo

Tuesday, May 3rd

7:00 Josephine Calabro
 9:00 Fortunato & Matuszewski Families

Wednesday, 4th

7:00 David Michael Ferraro
 9:00 Kemil Villa

Thursday, May 5th

7:00 The Caracciolo Family
 9:00 Jane Matuszewski

Friday, May 6th

7:00 William Losurdo
 9:00 Purgatorial Society

Saturday, May 7th

8:00 Rozalia Matuszewski
 5:30 Arthur Galasso

Sunday, May 8th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
 10:00 Elizabeth Cordella
 12:00 Lottie Slomka

Michael Albano
 Louis Battaglia
 O. Beyrouti
 Debbie Bouroudis
 Sarah Brodine
 Cheryl Brown
 Nicholas Campanella
 Marylou Chiarello
 Marie Desiderio
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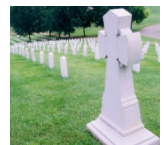
In the event of recovery or improvement, please contact the rectory. A persons name will be removed after several weeks unless notification to remain is received.

PRAYER OF THE WEEK Third Sunday of Easter

May your people exult for ever, O God, in renewed youthfulness of spirit, so that, rejoicing now in the restored glory of our adoption, we may look forward in confident hope to the rejoicing of the day of resurrection. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever

Rest In Peace

Joyce Semperi
 Marie Doran
 Noemi Noto



Purgatorial Society

Paul Johnson
 Jeffrey Mariano

Sunday Collection

Weekly Goal:

\$7,500

Amount Received:

\$2,946

Shortfall:

\$4,554

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

Thank you for supporting our Parish.

Msgr. Caserta

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.

**Parish Registration**

To our St. Bernadette Community, if you are not already an active and 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

Announced Mass Book

ST. Bernadette 2023 Mass Book will be open on Monday, May 23rd.

Hours are as follows:

Monday-Friday

9:00 am-11:30 am

and

1:00pm-3:30 pm

NO MASSES TAKEN OVER THE TELEPHONE



Please keep our Second Graders in your prayers as they prepare to receive the Sacrament of First Holy Communion on Saturday,

May 7th!

St. Bernadette Catholic Academy

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Brought before the Sanhedrin, the apostles give witness to Jesus Christ. (Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41).

Psalm — I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me (Psalm 30).

Second Reading — In his vision John sees all in heaven and on earth give honor and glory to the one on the throne and to the Lamb (Revelation 5:11-14).

Gospel — Jesus appears to the disciples by the sea of Tiberias (John 21:1-19 [1-14]).

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SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Third Sunday of Easter

Monday: St. Athanasius

Tuesday: Ss. Philip and James

Thursday: National Day of Prayer; Cinco de Mayo

Friday: First Friday

Saturday: First Saturday

GOD'S OVERFLOWING KINDNESS

The superabundance of God's kindness ties all of today's readings together. Especially when life overwhelms us, the Lord provides all we need, and then some. In the Acts of the Apostles, Peter takes the lead when facing the Sanhedrin. We might expect the man who denied Jesus to crumble under the imposing glare of the high priest. Instead, the Holy Spirit helps him testify to his faith in Jesus Christ. What Peter had lacked before, courage and conviction, God provides in abundance. Similarly, today's Gospel shows Jesus providing a surplus of fish for the disciples. They have no luck fishing until the Lord intercedes. Jesus supplies an almost ridiculous number of fish, and he cooks it for them, too. As our reading from Revelation affirms, the overflowing riches of God require constant praise. Countless creatures—"everything in the universe"—cry out to honor the Lord, forever and ever.

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St. Bernadette Catholic Academy
1313 83rd Street
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Attn: Mrs. Maria Cordi

*Be assured 100% of your gift will go to your alma mater!
As always, thank you for your unending support!!*



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JOHN 21:15

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