



## THE SHRINE CHURCH OF *St. Bernadette*

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718-232-7733  
1313 - 83rd Street  
Sr. Josephine Galasso, MPF -  
Director of Religious Education

*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](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.  
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, October 2nd**

8:00 For the People of the Parish  
 10:00 Maria Gambino  
 12:00 JoAnne Giunto

**Monday, October 3rd**

7:00 Denis J. McHugh III  
 9:00 In Honor of the Guardian Angels

**Tuesday, October 4th**

7:00 George Abolon  
 9:00 In Honor of St. Francis of Assisi

**Wednesday, October 5th**

7:00 Pumpkin Cashman  
 9:00 Rachel Trapani

**Thursday, October 6th**

7:00 Marcos Villa  
 9:00 In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Mother

**Friday, October 7th**

7:00 Thomas Parrella  
 9:00 Purgatorial Society

**Saturday, October 8th**

8:00 Santo Zito  
 5:30 Kin Sang Lew

**Sunday, October 9th**

8:00 For the People of the Parish  
 10:00 Roberta Meringolo  
 12:00 Luigi Brucculeri

**Purgatorial Society**

Carlo Bucich  
 Veronica Hernandez  
 Vaninga Guerra  
 Peter Derek Rosen  
 Larry McElroy  
 Paula R. Intranuovo

**PRAY FOR**

Michael Albano  
 Anna  
 George Anthony Jr.  
 Louis Battaglia  
 Debbie Bouroudis  
 Sarah Brodine  
 Cheryl Brown  
 Nicholas Campanella  
 Christina Chiaino  
 Marylou Chiarello  
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 Ann Mogavero  
 Nicola Muriale  
 Bernadette O'Neill  
 Anthony Pelle  
 Jon Raugalas

Susan Albi Russo  
 Mark Sailor  
 Elizabeth Soto  
 Nicky Taverniti  
 Sally Testa  
 Joseph Trovato  
 Weick Family  
 Marco Wilen  
 Elaine W.

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 October 2, 2022**

**Memorial Gift of Bread**

In Memory of: Joseph Ferrari  
 Requested by: The Murphy Family



**Memorial Gift of Wine**

In Memory of: Evelyn Rice  
 Requested by: Ron Rice

**Rest in Peace**

Jennie Argentino



**Sunday Collection**

Weekly Goal:  
\$7,500  
Amount Received:  
\$3,456  
Shortfall:  
\$4,044

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

Thank you for supporting our Parish.

Msgr. Caserta

**October Devotions**

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

**REMINDER**

**In Observance of Columbus Day the rectory will be closed on Monday, October 10th. The rectory will reopen on Tuesday, October 11th.**

**The Church will close after the last morning Mass on Monday, October 10th.**



**Twenty-seventh Sunday  
in Ordinary Time  
October 2, 2022**

Come, let us bow down in worship;  
let us kneel before the LORD  
who made us.

— *Psalm 95:6*

**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

**St. Bernadette Catholic Academy**

The mission of St. Bernadette Catholic Academy is to educate the whole child, fostering and stimulating in students an awareness of their Baptismal gift of Faith, recognition of their own God-given talents, and to empower students to mature into successful Catholic Christian adult citizens.



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**TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading** — In spite of violence, destruction, and ruin, the just person, because of faith, will live (Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4).

**Psalm** — If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 95).

**Second Reading** — Bear hardship with the strength that comes from God (2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14).

**Gospel** — Lord, increase our faith! (Luke 17:5-10).

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**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

- Sunday: Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time; Respect Life Sunday
- Tuesday: St. Francis of Assisi; Yom Kippur (Jewish Day of Atonement) begins at sunset
- Wednesday: St. Faustina Kowalska; Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos
- Thursday: St. Bruno; Blessed Marie-Rose Durocher
- Friday: Our Lady of the Rosary; First Friday
- Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary



Come join our Monday Night men's football evenings. There will be good food, the game and an opportunity for men's fellowship. The gatherings will take place in the cafeteria. Please enter by the side entrance on 82nd Street.



The Blessing of the Animals will be held on Tuesday, October 4th, after the 9:00 A.M. Mass in the Grotto.



**RADIO BINGO NIGHT**

St. Bernadette will be hosting their 2nd Radio Bingo Night on Saturday, November 5, 2022. Come join us for a night of fun, games, and dancing! For more details about the event, please contact Dina Amatore, 917-842-2078 or Maria Aulisa, 917-748-3143 with any questions. Also see back of the Church for flyers regarding this great and fun event!!!

**Save the Date**

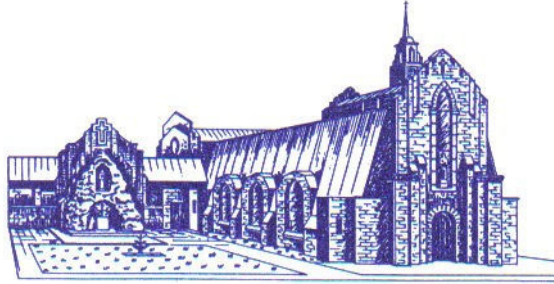
On October 23, St. Bernadette Church is sponsoring a Blood Drive with the NY Blood Center. The drive will take place in the cafeteria from 8:30 am until 2:30pm. Blood donations are at an all-time low and are desperately needed to help save lives! Please make an appointment ASAP. To make an appointment visit [nybloodcenter.org](http://nybloodcenter.org). Thank you for your continued support of our annual blood drive. If you have any questions please email, Natalie Burke at [nfascianella@gmail.com](mailto:nfascianella@gmail.com)

**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.

**Shrine Church of St. Bernadette**

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**Two - \$150.00 drawings each week for 40 weeks  
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**Raffles can be purchased through the Rectory,  
School Office or CCD Office  
For information call the Rectory - 718-837-3400**

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# Registration for Altar Servers



If you are interested in helping the St. Bernadette community by becoming an altar server, please complete this form.

**You must be a student in grades 6-8.**

Return the form to your homeroom teacher in an envelope addressed to: Paula Ingrassia-Lasky, altar server registration.

**There will be a meeting right after school for new altar servers on Friday, Sept. 30, at 3 p.m. in the church.**

Student name: \_\_\_\_\_

Current grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/guardian name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

*I give permission for my child to be an altar server.*

\_\_\_\_\_ (signature)

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mass times are Saturday at 5:30 p.m., and Sunday at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., and 12 p.m. Please rank your choice of mass by writing 1 next to your first choice, 2 next to your second choice, 3 next to your third choice, and 4 next to your fourth choice. Every effort will be made to schedule you for your first or second choice.

\_\_\_ Saturday at 5:30 p.m.

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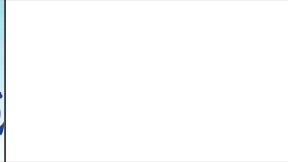
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