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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.



Sunday, January 29th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
 10:00 Tina Roca
 12:00 The Lavoro Family

Monday, January 30th

7:00 Special Intention Michael Albano
 9:00 Angela Sanluciano

Tuesday, January 31st

7:00 Special Intention Michael Albano
 9:00 Camille & Vincent Russo

Wednesday, February 1st

7:00 Mary G. King
 9:00 William LaDone

Thursday, February 2nd

7:00 In Thanksgiving to Jesus, Joseph, & Mary
 9:00 John DeAngelo

Friday, February 3rd

7:00 Rozalia & Tomasz Matuszewski
 9:00 Purgatorial Society

Saturday, February 4th

8:00 In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Mother
 5:30 The Carraturo Family

Sunday, February 5th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
 10:00 Lottie Slomka
 12:00 Maria Arnone

Purgatorial Society

John Secreti
 Aji Das
 Susan D'Agrosa
 Ed Garza
 Antonio DiSanluciano
 Frank D'Amico Sr.

PRAY FOR

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| Michael Albano | Ann Mogavero |
| Debbie Bouroudis | Nicola Muriale |
| Sarah Brodine | Bernadette O'Neill |
| Cheryl Brown | Anthony Pelle |
| Nicholas Campanella | Jon Raugalas |
| Christina Chiaino | Maria Rossillo |
| Marylou Chiarello | Susan Albi Russo |
| Marie Desiderio | Mark Sailor |
| Brian Dowling | Sallyann Santiago |
| Josephine Giagnorio | Pauline Sciarrino |
| Mike Golini | Elizabeth Soto |
| George Guida | Joseph Trovato |
| Marco Jamie Jardina | Weick Family |
| Steve Katapodis | Marco Wilen |
| Carmela Maggi | Elaine W. |
| Stephen March | |
| Joseph McKie | |

Memorial Gift for the Week of January 29, 2023

Memorial Gift of Bread

Special Intention for: Michael Albano
 Requested by: His Loving Sister Pat

Memorial Gift of Wine

Special Intention for: Michael Albano
 Requested by: His Loving Sister Pat



CATHOLIC PRAYER CORNER

God Be in My Head

God be in my head, and in my understanding;
 God be in my eyes, and in my looking;
 God be in my mouth, and in my speaking;
 God be in my heart, and in my thinking;
 God be at my end, and at my departing.

—Attributed to *Old Sarum Primer*

Sunday Collection

Weekly Goal:
\$7,500
Amount Received:
\$3,153
Shortfall:
\$4,347

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

Thank you for supporting our Parish.

Msgr. Caserta

THE PEOPLE OF GOD’S KINGDOM

In our Gospel reading from Matthew, we hear the Beatitudes, the stirring opening to the Sermon on the Mount. Jesus is proclaiming the coming of the kingdom of God, and begins by considering what kind of people will enter and participate in this kingdom. They are the poor in spirit, the meek, the clean of heart, the peacemakers. We hear both Zephaniah and Paul echo this, as God specifically chooses the weak and the lowly to be God’s agents in ushering in the reign of God. By living with humility and integrity, their hearts are open to being transformed by the grace of God. We too are called to live in this way. Jesus invites us to be people with open hearts, to receive God’s blessing. And working through us, God may bless all of creation.

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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

The Blessing of the Throats will be on Friday, February 3rd, after the 7:00 AM and 9:00 AM Masses.



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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SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catholic Schools Week

Tuesday: St. John Bosco

Thursday: The Presentation of the Lord; World Day for Consecrated Life; Groundhog Day

Friday: St. Blase; St. Ansgar; First Friday; Blessing of throats

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — You humble of the land, seek justice and humility, and the Lord will be your protection (Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13).

Psalm — The Lord blesses the humble and gives them the heavenly kingdom (Psalm 146).

Second Reading — God chose the weak of the world, those who count for nothing, so that whoever boasts should boast in the Lord (1 Corinthians 1:26-31).

Gospel — Jesus taught from the mountain: Blessed are the poor in spirit (Matthew 5:1-12a).



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.

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.



*Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes
165 Anniversary Commemoration Weekend*

*February 9th, 10th, 11th, & 12th 2023
Shrine Church of Saint Bernadette
8201 13th Avenue. - Brooklyn New York*

Join us as we commemorate the events of February 1858

On Thursday evening February 9th at 7pm we pray Our Lady's Rosary during exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and benediction.

On Friday evening February 10th at 7pm Stations of the Cross according to Saint Bernadette.

On the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes February 11th the 8am Mass is a Mass of healing and anointing.

All weekend masses will include the opportunity for blessings with the relic of our patron Saint Bernadette, a rock from the grotto, as well as obtaining a vial of water from Lourdes.

Sponsored by Holy Name Society of the Shrine Church of St. Bernadette

ST. BERNADETTE CATHOLIC C ACADEMY- OPEN HOUSE



OPEN HOUSE TOURS 2023:

Sunday January 29 (11:00a.m.-1:00p.m.)

Tuesday January 31 (9:15-11:15a.m. & 1:00-2:30p.m.)

Thursday February 2 (5:00-7:00p.m.)



Registration By Appointment Only:

**Tuesday February 7 &
Thursday February 9, 2023**

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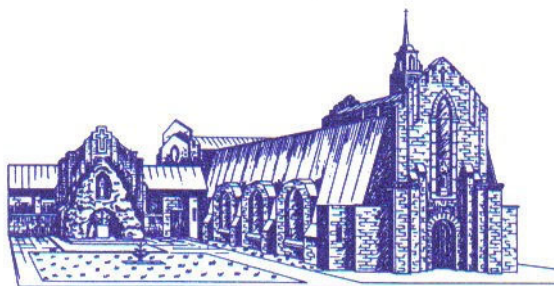
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For information call the Rectory - 718-837-3400**

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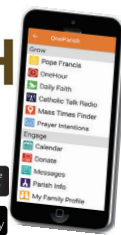
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