

The Shrine Church of Saint Bernadette

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“Come here in procession to praise God and sing,
To wash in these waters and drink at this spring.”

(From the Lourdes Hymn)

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- Religious Teachers of Saint Lucy Filippini
Convent: (718) 259-9844

Masses

- Sunday: 8a.m., 10a.m., and 12 Noon
- Monday through Friday: 7a.m. and 9a.m.
- Saturday: 8a.m., then Vigil for Sunday at 5:30p.m.
- Holy Days of Obligation (Except Sundays or Christmas):
7:30p.m. Vigil (on the evening before),
then on the Holy Day itself at 7a.m., 9a.m., and 10a.m.

Devotions

- Monday through Friday: Rosary follows the 9a.m. Mass
(On Monday, the Miraculous Medal Novena is prayed
before the Rosary).
- First Friday of the Month: Cenacle at 11a.m. (Includes
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction)
- Adoration (The Blessed Sacrament is exposed for
adoration on Thursday evenings from 6:30p.m. to 8:30p.m.)

Confessions

- Monday through Friday: 8:30a.m.-8:50a.m.
(Also 6:30a.m.-6:50a.m. on Friday)
- Saturday: 7:30-7:50a.m., 1:00-1:30p.m., 4:50-5:20p.m.
- Also by appointment at mutual convenience

Visits to the Sick

- If someone will be unable to leave home to go to Mass
for an extended period of time, please let us know so
that a Priest, Deacon, and/or minister may arrange to
visit with all appropriate Sacraments and blessings.

Baptisms. . . Weddings. . . House Blessings. . .

Becoming Catholic

- We invite you to e-mail, call, or come visit us as soon as
possible so that we can provide information that is
most relevant to you.
- Generally, infant Baptisms are scheduled for the third
Sunday of each month at 1:30p.m., and Weddings
require at least a six-month preparation process.

Saint Bernadette Catholic Academy

- 1313 83rd Street / (718) 236-1560
- Sister Joan DiRienzo, MPF (Principal)
- Sister Shirlee Tremont, MPF

Religious Education Office

- 1313 83rd Street / (718) 232-7733
- Sister Josephine Galasso, MPF (Director)

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We, the faith-filled community of Saint 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, March 31st

8:00 For the People of the Parish
 10:00 Luigi Brucculeri
 12:00 Mr. Michele Orsino

Monday, April 1st

7:00 Salvatore Peloro
 9:00 Easter Novena

Tuesday, April 2nd

7:00 Jane Matuszewski
 9:00 Easter Novena

Wednesday, April 3rd

7:00 Blessed Pope John Paul II
 9:00 Easter Novena

Thursday, April 4th

7:00 Dominick & Giuseppe Muriale
 9:00 Easter Novena

Friday, April 5th

7:00 Margaret Orr
 9:00 Easter Novena

Saturday, April 6th

8:00 Easter Novena
 5:30 Linda Goldberg

Sunday, April 7th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
 10:00 Peter Balzano
 12:00 Michelle Spinelli

REST IN PEACE

Marie Pagano

PRAY FOR

Tara Binet	Steve Katapodis
Serafino Bono	Vincent LaRussa
Debbie Bouroudis	Joan Macey
Sarah Brodine	Stephen March
Clark Burrell	Angelina McCarthy
Vita Coraci	Joseph McLaughlin
Christina Chiaino	Ann Mogavero
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Memorial Gifts for the Week of March 31, 2024

Memorial Gift of Bread

In Memory Of: Salvatore & Maria Zito

Requested by: Loving Zito Family

In Memory Of: Mary Campagna

Requested by: Margaret & Helen



Memorial Gift of Wine

In Memory Of: Salvatore & Carmela Barcia

Requested by: Loving Zito Family

In Memory Of: Mary Campagna

Requested by: Margaret & Helen



Memorial Gift of Sanctuary Lamp

In Memory Of: Mary Campagna

Requested by: Margaret & Helen



Memorial Gift of Altar Candle

In Memory Of: Santo Zito

Requested by: His Loving Family

In Memory Of: Ignazio Bongiovi

Requested by: Maria Zito & Marijean Sollecito

Memorial Gift of Flowers

In Memory Of: Kenneth Gundersen

Requested by: Maria & Phyllis Zito



The Altar Grotto Water flows this week for:

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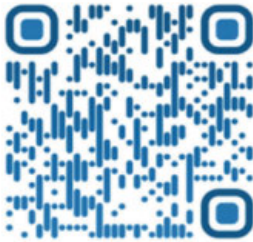
Weekend of March 23-24, 2024

Plate Offering: \$5,886

Online Giving: \$305

Total: \$6,191

A fast and convenient option exists to give to our Shrine Church online. Just scan the QR code below with your phone's camera -- or go to our parish's website at www.stbernadettebrooklyn.com and click "Give Online" -- and prayerfully consider selecting a "recurring" sacrificial offering. Benefits include fast emailed confirmation of your gifts, being able to choose the frequency (weekly, monthly, or other options) of your gifts and not needing to worry so much about loose cash or handwritten checks, or if you are away from the parish for a time. "One-time" offerings are also welcome. Above all, **thank you** for supporting our parish!



EASTER MASS SCHEDULE

HOLY SATURDAY - March 30, 2024
(NO MORNING MASS)

8:00 PM: Easter Vigil (For the People of the Parish)

EASTER SUNDAY - March 31, 2024
8:00 AM, 10:00 AM and 12:00 PM
(NO EVENING MASS)



Annual Catholic Appeal 2024

Saint Bernadette's Goal: **\$49,348**

We have received 78 pledges (as of 3/25/2024) totaling **\$39,464** (79% of the goal).

What a great start!

To donate, visit www.AnnualCatholicAppeal.org or text DONATE to 917-336-1255.

Whether online or by mail, be sure that you are giving in the name of Saint Bernadette's and helping us toward our goal by noting our parish code -- 1027 -- as you formalize your donation.

Where does the money go? Learn about youth ministry, school chaplaincies, Catholic Charities, vocations to the Priesthood, and more around the Diocese of Brooklyn at: www.CFBQ.org/ACAVideo

Money over the goal is returned to the parish. Last month, we received over \$5,000 back for going above and beyond our goal for the 2023 Appeal. Thank you!

PLEASE PRAY

As we celebrate the joy of the Lord's Resurrection, we request that you keep in your prayers our longtime music minister, Joseph McLaughlin, who at the time of this printing continues to be severely ill. We also request that you pray for Sister Joan, longtime Principal of our school, as she concludes her time as Principal this summer and that the Search Committee may enable the hiring of a new Principal to keep our school as strong and as reputable as it has always been!

80 + 1 RAFFLE WINNERS

Congratulation

Week #27- March 22, 2024

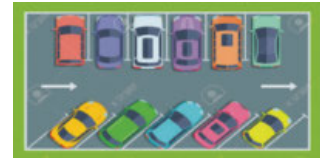
Ava Demonte
Jerry & Nancy Pavone



Come pray in our grotto!
 Conveniently located alongside the church, it is normally open during all scheduled Masses and Confessions, and most weekdays until 4 p.m. (We regret that it may need to be closed from time to time due to severe weather or other irregular circumstances).

PARKING FOR MASS?

Schoolyard parking is available for Saturday evening and Sunday Masses only. Please take the time to come to a complete stop before the sidewalk and check carefully for pedestrians and other hazards, especially when exiting. Remember to proceed to your vehicle promptly after the Mass that you attend as the driveway gate must be kept closed at most times for the safety and security of our parish and school.



REMINDER

THE RECTORY OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, APRIL 1ST. THE RECTORY WILL REOPEN ON TUESDAY, APRIL 2ND.

The St. Bernadette Catholic Academy

The St. Bernadette Home Academy Association's Super \$10,000 Raffle is back and better than ever!! Along with the top prize, we continue to have two additional prizes and the cost of the raffle remains at \$50.00!!

1st Prize \$10,000

2nd Prize \$2,000

3rd Prize \$1,000

The winning tickets will be drawn at our annual Ladies' Night Out Fundraiser on Thursday, April 18, 2024. The winner need not be present. If you are interested in purchasing a raffle, please contact the H.A.A. Corresponding Secretary, Mary Kresse (646-541-1473). Raffles will be sold outside of church on the following dates: March 2/3, March 9/10, March 16/17, March 23/24, April 6/7 and April 13/14., before and after the 5:30 Mass on Saturday evening and all Masses on Sunday. All raffles must be paid by cash or check made payable to St. Bernadette Catholic Academy. All funds benefit St. Bernadette Catholic Academy. Thank you for your support and good luck to all!!!



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Friday, April 12th
7:00 PM

- * **Lourdes Water**
- * **The Grotto Rock**
- * **Eucharistic Blessing**
- * **Candlelight Rosary**

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LOVE MEANS MORE

Do you often struggle to understand or articulate the beauty of the Church's vision for family when encountering common contemporary clichés such as "love is love" and "love is all you need?" Do you suspect that at times the word "love" is being used too ambiguously? Check out lovemeansmore.org -- a new and engaging website in development that explores "love" in all of its complexity as Catholics see it, and the various implications of true love for our lives.

"TRUST NOT IN PRINCES"

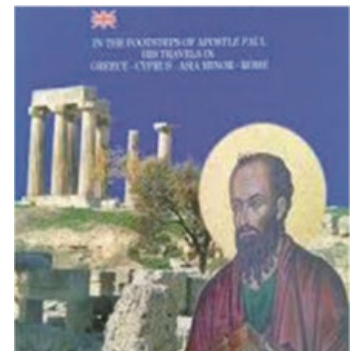
We welcome Father Boniface Endorf, OP, Pastor of the Church of Saint Joseph on Sixth Ave in Manhattan to present: "Trust not in Princes: Hope and Despair in American Politics" on Thursday, April 25th at 7 P.M.

Father Boniface is a Dominican friar who has an STL from the Pontifical Faculty of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC, and a JD from NYU School of Law.

The presentation will take place in Church in the midst of our regular Thursday evening Adoration.

PILGRIMAGE: FOOTSTEPS OF SAINT PAUL

Many may know that Father Jeremy was originally scheduled to go on Pilgrimage to the Holy Land with Deacon Greg Kandra this Spring. Instead, the Pilgrimage will be "In the Footsteps of Saint Paul" in Greece! The dates are coming up fast: May 19-29. If you are able to travel (including travel aboard a cruise ship for three days) and considering coming along, please call Father Jeremy, or stop by the office when it is open to pick up a brochure with more information.



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