

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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- Rev. Jeremy A. L. Canna (Pastor)
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- Deacon Frank DeMichele
- Ortenzia (Anna) Muriale (Administrative Assistant)
- Alex Violette (Director of Music)
- 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 only)
- 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, August 4th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
10:00 Rozalia & Tomasz Matuszewski
12:00 Maria Maiorano

Monday, August 5th

7:00 Joseph Gallo
9:00 Ida Trantino

Tuesday, August 6th

7:00 Joseph Beddingfield
9:00 Salvatore Peloro

Wednesday, August 7th

7:00 Fortunato & Matuszewski Families
9:00 Mario Trantino

Thursday, August 8th

7:00 Patricia M. Brennan
9:00 Carmela Addoniso

Friday, August 9th

7:00 Peter Balzano
9:00 Domenico & Isabella Grieco

Saturday, August 10th

8:00 Ferdinando Pizzuto
5:30 Margaret Orr

Sunday, August 11th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
10:00 Peter Balzano
12:00 Luigi Brucculeri

PRAY FOR

Anna	Stephen March
Serafino Bono	Angelina McCarthy
Debbie Bouroudis	Ann Mogavero
Sarah Brodine	Roger Ohara
Clark Burrell	Doroter Pennetti
Tara Carusso	Anthony Piano
Vita Coraci	Christian Reyes
Christina Chiaino	Frankie Ruggiera
Marylou Chiarello	Joseph Rutyna
John Curry	Pauline Sciarrino
Gloria DeStefano	Linda Swalling
Albert Destefano	Anthony Tama
George Guida	Faith Wobbe
Eleanor Iavorne	Nicodemo Zavaglia
Steve Katapodis	
Joan Macey	

What a wonderful way to remember and honor our loved ones, living or deceased, with our weekly Memorial Gifts.



The Altar Grotto Water flows this week for:

Sunday Collection

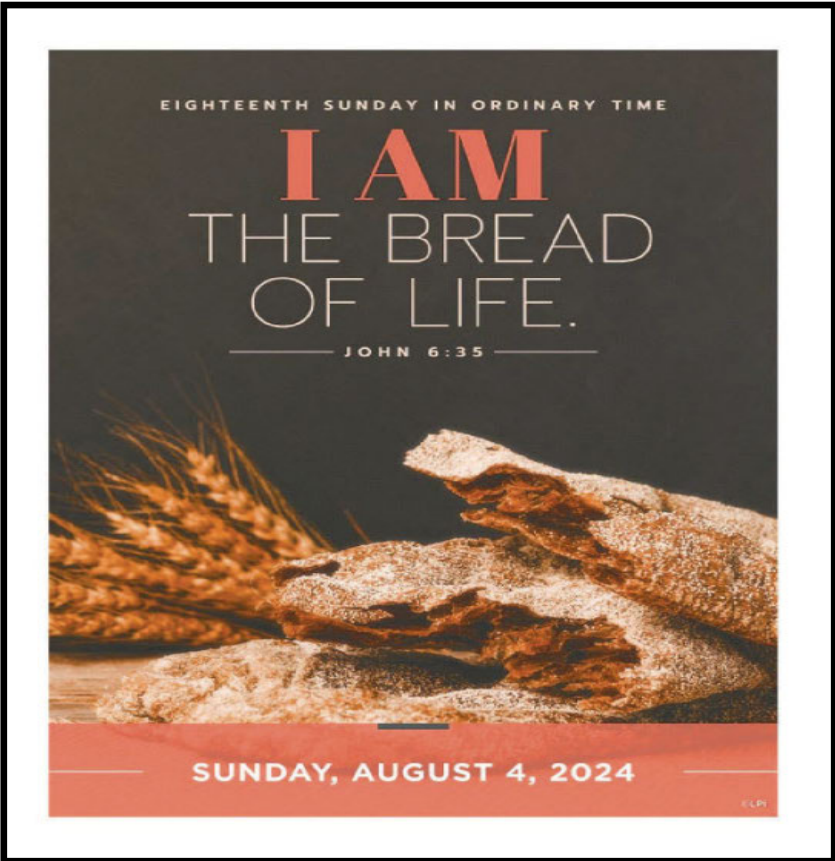
Weekend of July 27-28, 2024

Plate Offering: \$3,627

Online Giving: \$295

Total: \$3,922

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!



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.



HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Grotto Restoration Work Progress Status As Of (7-26-24)

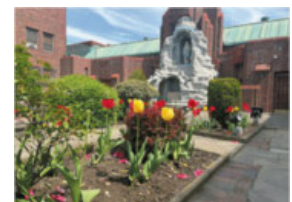
Blessed Mother has returned "home" after being restored and has been reinstalled in her proper place in the Grotto.

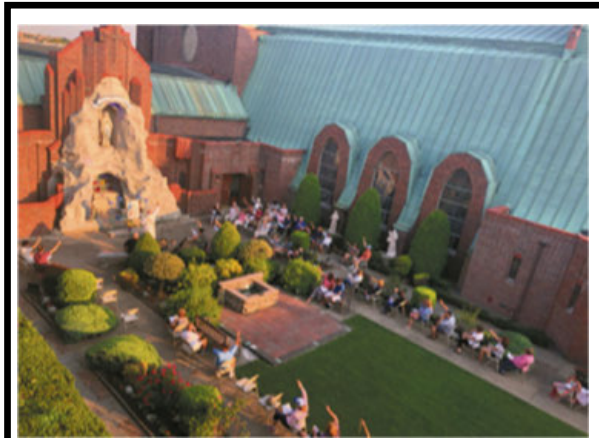
Added blue grotto lights and are positioning them for maximum effect.

The first 100 plaques were picked up from the engraver and will be mounted in Lighted display case soon.

Plaque purchase forms are available in the back of the Church and in the Rectory.

Thank you and we appreciate your help!





Come pray in our grotto! Conveniently located alongside the church, it is normally open during all scheduled Masses and Confessions, and most week-days 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.



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**



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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New Registration for Religious Education classes 2024-25 will take place on Wednesday, August 14th from 5:00-6:30 PM. Needed is a copy of the child's Baptismal Certificate. The fee per family is \$225.00, checks or money orders are made payable to The Shrine Church of St. Bernadette. Please come to 1313 83rd Street to register. Classes are held on Wednesdays from 3:30-5:00 PM. We look forward to meeting with you and preparing you for a good academic year of Religious instruction!

A HOUSE OF PRAYER

"My house will be called a house of prayer" (Isaiah 56:7) Before and after Masses and services during your visit to church, if you notice that someone -- anyone -- is trying to pray, you must immediately move all unnecessary conversation either outside or at least as far away as possible from the person (s) praying.



Join us as we pray a rosary
Outdoors in the grotto

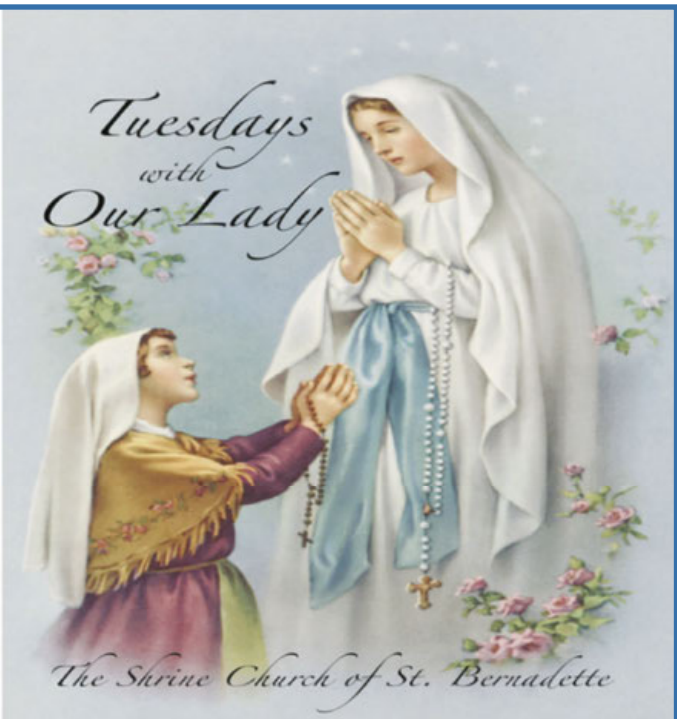
(In the case of inclement weather: in the church)

Every Tuesday at 7pm

July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
August 6, 13, 20, 27

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Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

"I will now rain down bread from heaven for you. Each day the people are to go out and gather their daily portion." (Ex 16:4)

Psalm:

The Lord gave them bread from heaven. (Ps 78)

Second Reading:

Be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and put on the new self, created in God's way in righteousness and holiness of truth. (Eph 4:23-24)

Gospel:

"I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst." (Jn 6:35)

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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Jesus reminds his followers: "Do not work for food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life." We are so often distracted by the world before us, by the here and now. Let us not forget what is eternal. We were made for what is eternal.

Observances for the week of August 4, 2024

Sunday: 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major
Tuesday: The Transfiguration of the Lord
Wednesday: St. Sharbel Makhoul, Priest
Thursday: St. James, Apostle
Friday: St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin & Martyr
Saturday: St. Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr
Next Sunday: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Saint of the week

St. Martin de Porres (1579- 1639) is the first Black saint of the Americas. He had a great love of the Eucharist and was known for caring equally for all regardless of race or status. He founded an orphanage and school and even cared for the mice and rats at his monastery.

Prayer of Hunger

Dear Jesus,
You are the one who fed the hungry. But your work doesn't only exist on the pages of an old book. You're working now. Work in us, to bring food to those in need. Work in us, to satisfy the places we most need you. Amen.

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Reasons to be a Registered Parishioner at our Shrine Church

- 7) You help the parish staff to know more about the people of our community and to minister to them more effectively.
- 6) You facilitate the process for obtaining documentation if you are asked to be a sponsor or godparent.
- 5) Envelopes are mailed to your residence to make it as convenient as possible to make your regular offerings. (You decide the amount of each offering - there is no minimum. Simply use the envelopes to automatically remain registered.)
- 4) A statement of your annual contributions can be prepared for you, for tax purposes.
- 3) Some parish happenings or moments of outreach are only for members of our registered families.
- 2) It only takes a few minutes to fill out the registration card, at the Parish Office.
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