

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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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.



PRAY FOR

Sunday, August 11th

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

Monday, August 12th

7:00 Lorraine Ciraulo
 9:00 Salvatore Sena

Tuesday, August 13th

7:00 Vincenzo Bonello
 9:00 Ferdinando Pizzuto

Wednesday, August 14th

7:00 Dominick Cangiano
 9:00 Tommaso Chieco
 7:30 Vigil Mass

Thursday, August 15th

7:00 Helen & John Garbarino
 9:00 Special Intention To The Blessed Mother
 10:00 James & Agatha Cirigliano

Friday, August 16th

7:00 Giuseppe Spadaro
 9:00 Rocco Cordi

Saturday, August 17th

8:00 John Quattrocchi
 5:30 Iris Moran

Sunday, August 18th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
 10:00 Luigi & Lucrezia DiGiacomo
 12:00 Elvira & Giovanni Novellino

Anna
 Serafino Bono
 Debbie Bouroudis
 Sarah Brodine
 Clark Burrell
 Lenny Caglianone
 Tara Carusso
 Vita Coraci
 Christina Chiaino
 Marylou Chiarello
 John Curry
 Gloria DeStefano
 Albert Destefano
 George Guida
 Eleanor Iavorne
 Steve Katapodis

Joan Macey
 Stephen March
 Angelina McCarthy
 Ann Mogavero
 Roger Ohara
 Doroter Pennetti
 Anthony Piano
 Christian Reyes
 Frankie Ruggiera
 Joseph Rutyna
 Pauline Sciarrino
 Linda Swalling
 Anthony Tama
 Faith Wobbe
 Nicodemo Zavaglia

Memorial Gifts for the Week of August 11, 2024

Memorial Gift of Bread:

Trust. Surrender. Receive. Believe
Loving Parishioner

Memorial Gift of Wine:

Trust. Surrender. Receive. Believe
Loving Parishioner



Rest In Peace

Deacon Anthony Martucci
 Donato D'Agostino



The Altar Grotto Water flows this week for:

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

Sunday Collection

Weekend of August 3-4, 2024

Plate Offering: \$4,560

Online Giving: \$1,205

Total: \$5,765

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!



REMINDER

IN OBSERVANCE OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, THE RECTORY OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 15TH. THE RECTORY OFFICE WILL REOPEN ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 16TH.



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.



From a statement issued by the Vatican Press Office, dated August 3, 2024

"The Holy See was saddened by certain scenes during the opening ceremony of the Paris Olympic Games and can only join the voices that have been raised in recent days to deplore the offence caused to many Christians and believers of other religions.

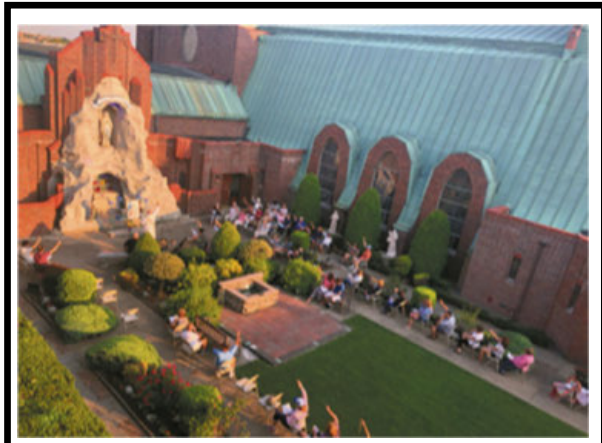
At a prestigious event where the whole world comes together to share common values, there should be no allusions ridiculing the religious convictions of many people.

The freedom of expression, which is clearly not called into question here, is limited by respect for others."

FAITHFUL CITIZENSHIP

What is the political responsibility of Catholics? How do Catholics properly exercise their rights and duties as participants in our democracy?

Visit www.faithfulcitizenship.org to learn more about applying Catholic teaching to major issues, challenges for citizens, and similar concerns!



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:

He got up, ate, and drank;
then strengthened by that food,
he walked forty days and forty nights to the
mountain of God, Horeb. (1 Kgs 19:8)

Psalm:

Taste and see the goodness of the Lord. (Ps 34)

Second Reading:

So be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love,
as Christ loved us. (Eph 5:1-2)

Gospel:

"I am the living bread that came down from heaven:
whoever eats this bread will live forever;
and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life
of the world." (Jn 6:51)

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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Jesus tells us that he is the living bread that came down from heaven. His actions, his example, his teachings — they are not just words on a page, stories from a moth-eaten history book. They are life. They are food for our journey, and they are forever.

Observances for the week of August 11, 2024

- Sunday:** 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious
Tuesday: Sts. Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs
Wednesday: St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr
Thursday: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Friday: St. Stephen of Hungary
Next Sunday: 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Saint of the week

Servant of God Darwin Ramos, a poor Filipino boy, died from muscular dystrophy at the age of 17. Never brought low by the disease, he spoke of his illness as his "mission for Jesus." Many were blessed by his smile and compassionate friendship. He was known as the Master of Joy.

Prayer for Memory

Dear Lord,
Don't let me forget the ways You've fought for me throughout history. You have been in my life in endless ways and words. May these memories comfort and encourage me now and always. 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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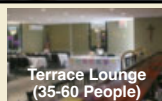
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