



THE SHRINE CHURCH OF *St. Bernadette*

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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: 7:00, 9:00 A.M. & 5:30 P.M.
Sunday: 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 A.M. & 12:30 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: 6:30-6:50 A.M., 8:30-8:50 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.
6:00 P.M. to 9:00 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.



PRAY FOR

Erlinda Borg
 Gloria Calicchia
 Lisa Volpe Campisi
 Mary Caso
 Grace Cerzo
 Agatha Cilmi
 Felipa Olga Crespo
 Colargo DiMaggio
 Rita Di Schiavi
 Fran Grasso
 Carmencita Jose
 Jennette Kruszka
 Rose Lentini
 Peter Liuzzio

Camille Lorina
 Eleanor Lubin
 Tom Lyons
 Milagros Medina
 Robert Mailloux
 Chloe Melina
 Rosemary Oliva
 Gina Federico-Palmieri
 David Paplanus
 Vincent Rossillo
 Adrienne Schiavone
 Beverly Slomka
 Christopher Smith
 John Faro Vitale

Sunday, January 10th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
 9:30 Charles Cross
 11:00 Gino Bello
 12:30 Ralph Stroffolino

Monday, January 11th

7:00 Paul Maruffi Sr.
 9:00 Elvira and Salvatore Scotto

Tuesday, January 12th

7:00 Pietro Setaro
 9:00 Marie Sangiorgio

Wednesday, January 13th

7:00 Carmella Daniello
 9:00 Jenna Maria Daniels

Thursday, January 14th

7:00 Joseph DeMichele
 9:00 Anthony Vittorioso

Friday, January 15th

7:00 Dr. Laurence deFazio
 9:00 Rose Maffia

Saturday, January 16th

7:00 Mildred and John Pucella
 9:00 Carmelo Dato
 5:30 Salvatore Grasso

Sunday, January 17th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
 9:30 Dorothy Frawley
 11:00 Frances and Joseph DeMartini
 12:30 Evelyn and Francis Giaquinto

Purgatorial Society

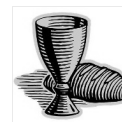
Florence Angotti	Frank Delise
Salvatore Basile	Domenica Sapienza
Juliette Maloof	Joseph Riddle
Olindo Berardinelli	Giuseppe Musso
Anthony Ricigliano	
John Mendolia	
Dorothy Grant	

Memorial Gifts for the Week of January 10, 2016

Memorial Gift of Bread

Special Intention

Requested by: Elizabeth Reph



In Memory of: Marinda & Richard Mattie
 Requested by: Loving Sister Phyllis Gangi

Memorial Gift of Wine

Special Intention

Requested by: Elizabeth Raph

In Memory of: Marinda & Richard Mattie
 Requested by: Loving Sister Phyllis Gangi

Memorial Gift of Altar Candle

In Memory of: Florence Angotti
 Requested by: Nancy Valvano

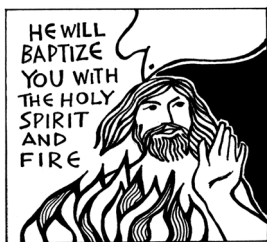
Rest In Peace

Florence Angotti



Sunday Collection

Weekly Goal:
\$7,500
Amount Received:
\$8,142
Shortfall:
\$



MANIFESTING THE SPIRIT

The Christmas season closes this Sunday with the Baptism of the Lord. This feast is a sister to last week’s feast of the Epiphany. Each of them celebrates an “epiphany,” or a manifestation of the Spirit of God in Jesus—first in his birth, and now at his baptism.

The divine Spirit is manifested in all of the scriptures for this feast. Psalm 104 highlights the Spirit of God creating and renewing the earth, while the reading from Isaiah describes God restoring Israel. In Luke’s account of the baptism of the Lord the Holy Spirit descends upon Jesus. And the letter to Titus reminds us that the Holy Spirit was “richly poured out” on us also, through the “bath of rebirth” (Titus 3:5, 6).
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TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — Isaiah speaks of the Servant whom the Lord upholds; he shall bring forth justice to the nations (Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7) *or* *Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11.*

Psalm — The Lord will bless his people with peace (Psalm 29) *or* *Psalm 104.*

Second Reading — Jesus was anointed by God with the Holy Spirit; he went out healing and doing good (Acts 10:34-38) *or* *Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7.*

Gospel — A voice comes from heaven proclaiming Jesus as the beloved Son, with whom God is well pleased (Luke 3:15-16, 21-22).

The English translation of the Psalm Responses from the *Lectionary for Mass* © 1969, 1981, 1997, International Commission on English in the Liturgy Corporation

TURNING THE TIDE

When everything goes against you, till it seems as though you could not hold on a minute longer, never give up then, for that is just the place and time that the tide will turn.

—Harriet Beecher Stowe



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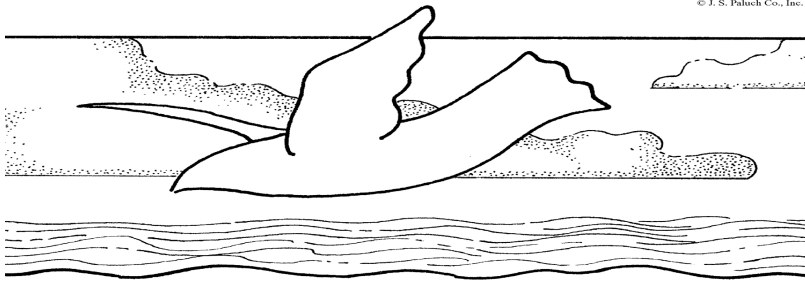
“WELCOME WEDNESDAYS”

Beginning Wednesday, December 9
9:15 – 11:15 a.m. (All Wednesdays that school is in session)
Guided Tours and Registration Information Available
Please call for an appointment ~ 718-236-1560



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The Baptism of the Lord

January 10, 2016

He saved us through the bath of rebirth
and renewal by the Holy Spirit.

— Titus 3:5

On **February 21st**, 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 2:30 pm**. To make a tentative appointment please call the rectory Monday through Friday, between 9:00 am. to 4:00 pm, and 6:00 pm to 8:30 pm.

HELP SAVE A LIFE!!!!!!



ST. BERNADETTE'S CHRISTMAS FLOWER CLUB

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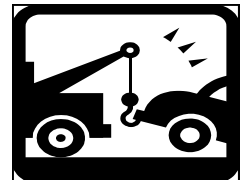
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St. Bernadette can share in the profits. For each car, truck or van, running or not, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will give back to our church **\$50/\$100 per vehicle**. Maybe you don't have a vehicle, but a family member, friend or neighbor has an old or neglected vehicle in their driveway that they would like to dispose of. Call the Society of **St. Vincent de Paul** at (718) 491-2525. Thank You for your participation.



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With
Bishop DiMarzio**

**The Holy Doors of
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In the
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September 15 - 23, 2016**

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September 23 - 29, 2016**

**For a Brochure call Susan
1-800-842-4842**

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Eucharistic Congress
Cebu, Philippines**

**January 22-February 1, 2016
Bishop Nicholas DiMarzio
&
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