

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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Sick-Call Emergencies Anytime: Call (718) 837-3400.

- Rev. Jeremy Canna (Pastor)
- Rev. Juan Luxama (Parochial Vicar)
- Deacon Frank DeMichele
- Ortenzia (Anna) Muriale (Administrative Assistant)
- Joseph J. Bartolozzi, PhD (Director of Music)

Masses

- Saturday Vigil Mass (fulfills Sunday obligation): 5:30p.m.
- Sunday: 8:30a.m. and 11:30a.m.
- Monday through Saturday: 8a.m.
- Holy Days of Obligation: Times specified at least two weeks in advance in the body of the bulletin

Devotions

- Monday through Friday: Rosary follows the 8a.m. Mass (On Monday, the Miraculous Medal Novena is prayed before the Rosary. On the Thirteen Tuesdays prior to Saint Anthony's Feast Day, the Saint Anthony Novena is prayed before the Rosary.)
- First Friday of the Month: Cenacle at 12 Noon (Includes Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction)
- Adoration (The Blessed Sacrament is exposed for Adoration in the Church on Thursday evenings from 6:30p.m. until 8:30p.m. Stay for as short or as long as you like).

Confessions

- Monday through Saturday: 7:30a.m.-7:50a.m. (Also on Saturday: 1:00-1:30p.m. and 4:50-5:20p.m.)
- You can also schedule an appointment with a priest for other times, and this option is especially encouraged if you are seeking extensive advice from a Priest.

Visits to the Sick and Homebound

- 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 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 1p.m., and Weddings require at least a six-month preparation process.

Saint Bernadette Catholic Academy

- 1313 83rd Street / (718) 236-1560 / www.stbernbk.org
- Jeanne Shannon (Principal)

Religious Education Office

- 1313 83rd Street / (718) 232-7733
- Maria Cordi (Coordinator)

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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 10th

8:30 For the People of the Parish
 11:30 Luigi Brucculeri
 Salvatore Strazzullo
 Carole Donnelly
 Robert Werner

Monday, August 11th

8:00 Peter Balzano

Tuesday, August 12th

8:00 Mario Longo

Wednesday, August 13th

8:00 Mirko Ciccarelli

Thursday, August 14th

8:00 Frank Rubino
 7:00 Vigil Mass

Friday, August 15th

8:00 In Honor of the Blessed Mother
 12:00 Dominick Cangiano

Saturday, August 16th

8:00 Rocco Cordi
 5:30 Maria Maiorano
 Santo Zito
 Rhonda Pitone
 Tony Pitone

Sunday, August 17th

8:30 For the People of the Parish
 11:30 Deacon Anthony Martucci
 Lottie Slomka

PRAY FOR

Anna
 Serafino Bono
 Debbie Bouroudis
 Sarah Brodine
 Clark Burrell
 Lenny Caglianone
 Cecile
 Matthew Cerulli
 Vita Coraci
 Christina Chiaino
 Marylou Chiarello
 Gloria DeStefano
 Mike Golini
 George Guida
 Ann Mogavero
 James Murphy
 Kevin Murphy

Roger Ohara
 Anthony Piano
 Joseph Rutyna
 Patrina Seminara
 Linda Swalling
 Anthony Tama
 Thespina
 Faith Wobbe
 Nicodemo Zavaglia

In the event of recovery or improvement, please contact the rectory. A persons name will be removed after several weeks unless notification to remain is received.

REMINDER

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



The Altar Grotto Water flows this week for:

WHAT A WONDERFUL WAY TO HONOR AND REMEMBER OUR LOVED ONES.

Sunday Collection

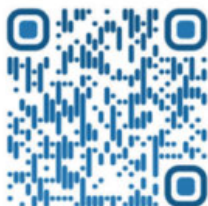
Weekend of August 2-August 3, 2025

Plate Offering: \$3,856

Online Giving: \$781

Total: \$4,637

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!



ANY MONEY - AND ANY IDENTITY - IS A TARGET

Even if you think you are “not particularly rich” or “just a normal person...”

If you have any money at all, scammers want it.

If you receive a communication that just doesn't make sense, comes out of nowhere, threatens you, makes you feel nervous (or even overjoyed by telling you that you are a “winner”) or wants you to release information or funds in an odd way...

Stop. Take a deep breath. Consider the possibility of a scam.

Use corporations' official publicly available contact information for guidance.

NO QUIET ADORATION ON AUGUST 14TH

Due to scheduling conflicts, we regret that our regular Thursday Quiet Adoration will be **canceled on August 14th**. We apologize for any inconvenience. All are encouraged to consider spending time with our Lord in the stillness of the Blessed Sacrament on other Thursday evenings here or wherever and whenever Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is offered.

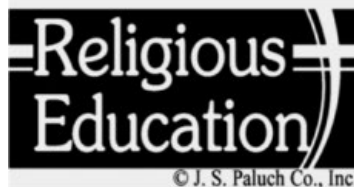
Rectory Office Closed?

If able, please use the drop-off box to the left of the rectory door of 13th Avenue. We check this box regularly each day.



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).



Registration for Religious Education Classes for Grades 1-6 will take place on Tuesday, July 29th and Tuesday, August 26th from 10:00 AM until 12:00 PM. We will need a copy of your child's baptismal certificate as well as a check/money order for \$225 (for the year) made out to The Shrine Church of St. Bernadette in order to register. Please come to 1313 83rd Street (main doors of the school building). Our classes are held on Wednesdays from 3:30 to 5:00 PM. For more information, please email us at:

religiousedstbernadette@gmail.com

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.



Ensuring A Safe Environment for All

The Diocese of Brooklyn has reached an agreement with the New York State Attorney General to enhance child safety measures. This agreement requires updated training for all clergy, employees, and volunteers who work with children. The new training is designed to provide valuable information to help adults ensure the safety of children and adults during interactions.

If you are working with children in any capacity, please log in to your account at Virtus.org and complete any of the outstanding training items. If you have any questions, please contact 718-965-7300 X6076.

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, Jeanne Shannon @ 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.



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Friday, (August 15th) is the Assumption of Our Lady and a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be on Thursday evening (August 14th - Vigil Mass) at 7:00 PM, and on August 15th at 8:00 AM, 12:00 PM. There will be NO MASS on the evening of the Holy Day.



“CABRINI CORNER”

The website at Saint Frances Cabrini: <https://stfrancescabrini-brooklyn.org/>
The Rectory phone number of Saint Frances Cabrini: 718-236-9165

MASSES AT CABRINI

Saturday Vigil for Sunday: 4:00 PM In English
Sunday: 9:30 AM (Family Mass), 12:30 PM (Spanish)
Monday to Friday: 9:00 AM



MISSION APPEAL

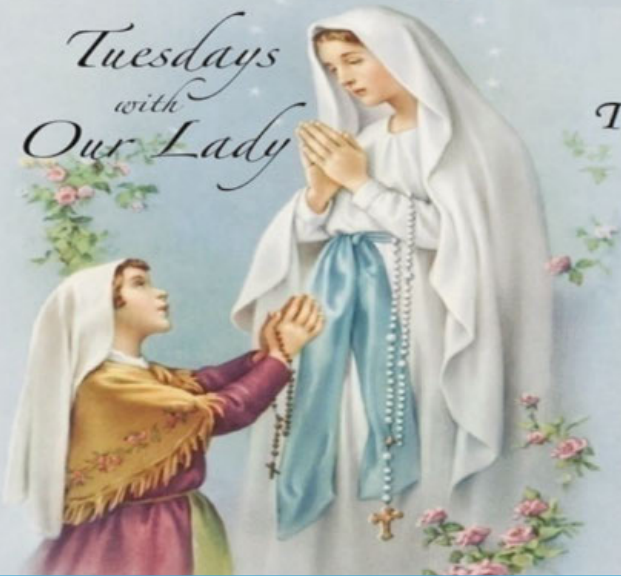
APPRECIATION

The Marian Sisters of Eucharistic Love in Ghana sends their heartfelt gratitude and sincere appreciation to the Pastor and the Parish Family of the Shrine Church St. Bernadette for the warm reception you gave our representative when he visited your parish for the mission appeal at the weekend of July 12th & 13th. We are grateful for your generous donations totaling \$1,345.00 to support our mission of seeing Christ in the abandoned children we serve. Please keep the sisters and their apostolate in your thoughts and prayers. Be assured that the sisters will remember you and your loved ones in our prayers.

For more information on the work of the sisters go to: www.SisterStansChildren.org

"Bring to me my children that I may gather them and lead them to my son."

*Tuesdays
with
Our Lady*



The Shrine Church of St. Bernadette
- Invites you to pray -
The Rosary with Our Lady in the Grotto

*Every Tuesday in July and August
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In Memory of Deacon Anthony Martucci

7:00pm - 7:45pm

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Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

The night of the passover was known beforehand to our fathers, that, with sure knowledge of the oaths in which they put their faith, they might have courage. (Wis 18:6-7)

Psalm:

Blessed be the people the Lord has chosen to be his own. (Ps 33)

Second Reading:

Faith is the realization of what is hoped for and evidence of things not seen. (Heb 11:1)

Gospel:

Much will be required of the person entrusted with much, and still more will be demanded of the person entrusted with more." (Lk 12:48)

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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

We are the servants and God is our master. He has told us His will, and given us all that we need to carry out His directions. Do we have the courage to act as our master desires? Do we have what it takes to be stewards of God's grace?

Observances for the week of August 10, 2025

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



Devotions, Explained!

Catholics who move to a new place of residence often wish to have their dwelling blessed, to call the favor and help of God upon all those who live in the house and all those who will enter it. The Roman Ritual provides two formats for such blessings.

Prayer for Generosity

God who has gifted me every good thing,
Help me to remember what truly matters.
To treasure love above all else,
and to serve readily.
Amen.

Stop Physician-Assisted Suicide in New York

New York is on the brink of legalizing physician-assisted suicide. Bill A136 has already passed the Senate and Assembly. **The only thing standing in its way is Governor Hochul's veto – and she needs to hear from you.**

This bill would allow doctors to prescribe lethal medication with the sole purpose of ending a patient's life. It puts the most vulnerable among us – the elderly, people with disabilities, and those facing emotional or financial despair – at even greater risk. **Suicide is not healthcare.**

We must speak out to protect the dignity of every human life. Assisted suicide is a dangerous and deadly path – one we must not go down.

Take Action!



Contact the Governor's office now to oppose this deadly practice! Visit bit.ly/veto-pas or use the QR code.



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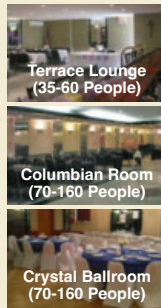
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