



THE SHRINE CHURCH OF *St. Bernadette*

8201 - 13th Avenue

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Sr. Josephine Galasso, MPF -
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*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.



Sunday, February 21st

8:00 For the People of the Parish
9:30 Peter Balzano
11:00 Clara Colaizzo
12:30 Ralph Stroffolino



Monday, February 22nd

7:00 Anton Gregoric
9:00 Louise Tassone

Tuesday, February 23rd

7:00 Stanley Slomka
9:00 Thomas Costanza

Wednesday, February 24th

7:00 Johanna Gannon
9:00 Msgr. Caserta 37th Anni.

Thursday, February 25th

7:00 Minnie Maglio
9:00 Maria and Felice Procaccio

Friday, February 26th

7:00 Vincent, Florence & Daryn Nangano
9:00 Antonio Piccini
7:30 Stations of the Cross

Saturday, February 27th

7:00 Cesar Bastianelli
9:00 Carmelo Picone
5:30 Angela and Antonio Amendolina

Sunday, February 28th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
9:30 Rose Marie Fruhman & Mary Frisch Fruhman
11:00 Benjamin Ferris
12:30 Annunzita Palumbo

PRAY FOR

Erlinda Borg	Eloisa Lyons
Lisa Volpe Campisi	Tom Lyons
Mary Caso	Milagros Medina
Grace Cerzo	Robert Mailloux
Agatha Cilmi	Chloe Melina
Felipa Olga Crespo	Gina Federico-Palmieri
Rita Di Schiavi	David Paplanus
Joseph Francis Gabriele	Vincent Rossillo
Loretta Graffeo	Adrienne Schiavone
Fran Grasso	Beverly Slomka
Carmencita Jose	Christopher Smith
Fonder Kramer	Justine Strano
Jennette Kruszka	John Faro Vitale
Rose Lentini	
Peter Liuzzio	
Patrick Kiernan	
Camille Lorina	
Eleanor Lubin	

Memorial Gifts for the Week of February 21, 2016

Memorial Gift of Bread

In Memory of: Florence Angotti
Requested by: Marie Robbins



In Memory of: Salvatore Basile
Requested by: The Fasicanella Family

Memorial Gift of Wine

In Memory of: Florence Angotti
Requested by: Marie Robbins

In Memory of: Salvatore Basile
Requested by: Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Cardinale

LET NOTHING DISTURB YOU

Let nothing disturb you,
Nothing frighten you.
All things are passing.
God never changes.
Patient endurance attains all things.
Whoever possesses God lacks nothing,
God alone is sufficient.
—St. Teresa of Avila

Purgatorial Society

Frederick DeMarco
Nando Zerl
Rosemary Oliva
Thomas Tinacci

Rest In Peace

Rosemary Oliva
Mario Ardizzone



Sunday Collection

Weekly Goal:
\$7,500
Amount Received:
\$ 3,214
Shortfall:
\$4,286

Master, it is good that we are here



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

*Each Friday evening (including Good Friday) at 7:30 PM with a short reflection
*Guest preachers will include Priests and deacons of the diocese.

THURSDAY HOLY HOUR

On each of the six Thursdays of Lent we will have a Holy Hour of Eucharist Adoration from 7:30 - 8:30 PM. We will have some guest preachers and the theme of the Holy Hours will be The Seven Last Words of Christ.

***Holy hours will be as follows:**

February 18th
February 25th
March 3rd
March 10th
March 17th

St. Bernadette Flower Club is now accepting donations for the Easter decoration of our church. The offering is **\$25.00 per plant** and may be purchase at the Rectory during the usual office hours. We will publish a list of donors in our parish bulletin, and you will be remembered in the Masses and prayers of the parish during the Easter Season. In this time of rising costs, the parish counts, even more, on your generosity for a beautifully decorated church.



Fast & Abstinence Regulations for Lent

Catholics from 18-59 years of age are bound by the laws of fast and abstinence. Fast Days (when one full meal and two small meals not equaling the main meal is allowed) are Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Days of Abstinence (when eating meat is not permitted) are Ash Wednesday, all the Fridays of Lent, and Good Friday.



“WELCOME WEDNESDAYS”



ON EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM

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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Second Sunday of Lent

February 21, 2016

The LORD is my light and my salvation;
whom should I fear?

— *Psalm 27:1*



Save the Date!

St. Bernadette Alumni Reunion Gala

Saturday September 17, 2016

*All graduating classes
are invited to come & celebrate a memorable evening
together!*

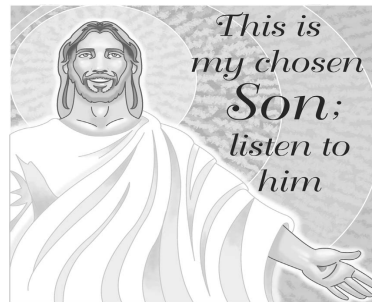
**Where: Rex Manor Caterers
Time: 7:00pm
Details: Invitations to follow**

WE ARE TO BE TRANSFORMED

Today's showing forth of God's glory is filled with a light that astonishes and reveals. Jesus transfigured on Mount Tabor energizes even the sleepy apostles, who see but cannot get hold of it. They can be forgiven for not apprehending the full meaning of this extraordinary vision of a transfigured Jesus with Elijah and Moses. The whole of the Law and prophets is summed up here on this mountain.

The transfiguration on Mount Tabor is handed over to us this Sunday. As Paul reminds us, it is we who are to be transformed. The light and life of the Resurrection are set forth here so we do not lose heart and fall entirely asleep. This Sunday looks to Easter. It looks to transformation. It asks us to lift up our heads and acknowledge the risen Lord as our light and our salvation.

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**A Diocesan Pilgrimage
With
Bishop DiMarzio**

**The Holy Doors of
Rome, Assisi and the Holy Land
In the
Jubilee Year of Mercy**

**Italy Portion
September 15 - 23, 2016**

**Optional Holy Land Extension
September 23 - 29, 2016**

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

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 at (718) 491-2525**. Thank You for your participation.



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