



THE SHRINE CHURCH OF *St. Bernadette*

8201 - 13th Avenue

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Brooklyn, N.Y. 11228

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Rev. Stephen Giulietti, Parochial Vicar
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Deacon Frank De Michele
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Religious Teachers of St. Lucy Filippini

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Sr. Shirlee Tremont, MPF
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1313 - 83rd Street
Sr. Josephine Galasso, MPF -
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

Sunday, May 1st

8:00 For the People of the Parish
 9:30 Renzo and Gina Fantasia
 11:00 Anne McLaughlin
 12:30 Patty and Allison Hawthorne

Monday, May 2nd

7:00 Ann and Harry Yost
 9:00 Swan Family

Tuesday, May 3rd

7:00 Joseph Ferro
 9:00 Anthony Scotto

Wednesday, May 4th

7:00 Mary Carbone
 9:00 Louise and Sebastiano Giaquinto
 7:30 Vigil Mass for The Ascension of The Lord

Thursday, May 5th

7:00 Marin Gergoric and Family
 9:00 Sid and Mary Elmo
 10:00 Moringiello and Imbriale Families

Friday, May 6th

7:00 Irene Michelakis
 9:00 Purgatorial Society

Saturday, May 8th

7:00 Margaret Bitetti
 9:00 Gino Bello
 5:30 The Dec'd Members of the Vittorioso Family

Sunday, May 8th

8:00 For the People of the Parish
 9:30 Raffaele and Rosa Ventresca
 11:00 Helen and Bill Fitzgerald
 12:30 Mother's Day Novena

Daniella Albano	Peter Liuzzio
Claire Borrelo	Frank Lonano
Lisa Volpe Campisi	Eloisa Lyons
Mary Caso	Tom Lyons
Grace Cerzo	Janet Maffia
Agatha Cilmi	Robert Mailloux
Felipa Olga Crespo	Mario Manieri
Rita Di Schiavi	Chris O'Mara
Patricia Fried	Chole Melina
Joseph Francis Garbrielle	David Paplanus
Catherine Gavign	Vincent Rossillo
Fran Grasso	Adrienne Schiavone
A. Jencsik	Eric Spring
Fonder Kramer	Justine Strano
Jennette Kruszka	John Faro Vitale
Olivia LaSpina	

Memorial Gifts for the Week of May1, 2016

Memorial Gift of Bread

In Memory of: Francesco Prestia
 Requested by: His Wife Maryann & Kids



In Memory of: Eva Nevins
 Requested by: St. Bernadette Parish

Memorial Gift of Wine

In Memory of: Francesco Prestia
 Requested by: His Wife Maryann & Kids

Memorial Gift of Sanctuary Lamp

In Memory of: Carol Galati
 Requested by: John and Monica Burgio



Rest In Peace

Joseph Rotondo
 Diana Leonardi



Purgatorial Society

Robert Donofrio
 Karen Dutkowsky
 Theresa Fellito
 Maria Gallo
 Valentina Russo
 Salvatore Capezza

Sunday Collection

Weekly Goal:
\$7,500
Amount Received:
\$4,048
Shortfall:
\$3,752

First Friday May 6th

First Friday - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place after the last Mass. **Immaculate Heart of Mary Cenacle of the Marian movement of Priests.** There will be one hour of prayer, a rosary, song, readings and quiet time from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm. Chaplet of Mercy to follow.

Thursday, May 5th, is Ascension Thursday and a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses for the Holy Day will be: **The Vigil Mass is Wednesday, May 4th at 7:30 pm, and Thursday, May 5th at 7:00 am, 9:00 am and 10:00 am.**



REMINDER

St. Bernadette 2017 Announced Mass Book will open on Monday, May 16th. Hours are as follows:
Monday - Friday
9:00 am - 11:30 am
and
1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Our parish will observe the traditional thirteen Tuesdays in honor of the feast of St. Anthony on June 13th. The prayers will be said every Tuesday after the 9:00 AM Mass.

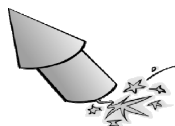


We are excited for our fifty five second graders who will receive their First Holy Communion on Saturday, May 7, 2016 at 11:00 AM. God continues blessing us as we prepare them and pray that their love for Jesus grows each day. Thank you for remembering them and their families in prayer.



May Devotions

Each Tuesday in May at 7:30 our parish will honor our **Blessed Mother** in the month dedicated to her. We will pray the Rosary and Litany of the Blessed Mother, have a brief homily and conclude with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Please come to honor our Lady to whom our parish belongs in a special way because of Mary's appearances to St. Bernadette at Lourdes.



Sincerest thanks are extended to all who have contributed to the Diocesan Generations of Faith campaign. Last Sunday over \$150,000 was pledged in the in-pew commitment. This was a major accomplishment and has taken us over our goal. Your generosity is deeply appreciated. If anyone still wishes to contribute, kindly contact the rectory. During the coming weeks a more detailed report will follow. Until then, thanks again to all.





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 Alumni Reunion Gala
All Graduating Classes



Are invited to come & celebrate a memorable evening together!

Saturday September 17, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.
Dinner, Open Bar & DJ Entertainment
\$95 Per Person
Rex Manor Catering Hall
1100 60th Street
Brooklyn, NY 11228

If you are interested in attending, please complete a reunion invitation located by the entrance of the Church
For more information, please contact:
Maria Tumminia Ljubich '81
At our school office (718) 236-1560
Or email: stbernadettealum@gmail.com

WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

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



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Catholic Elementary School
Pre-K 3 year through Grade 8
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Email: stbernadette83@yahoo.com/www.stbernadetteschool.org
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NCLB National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence

Moms & Tots Open House:
When: Monday May 2 & May 9, 2016
Time: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.



Program includes:
Choice of one:

- Session I: 8:45 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.
- Session II: 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
- Session III: 12:15 p.m. to 1:45 p.m.
- (Each class is held on Mondays & Fridays that school is in session)*
- Free play with educational toys
- Music
- Story Time
- Arts & Crafts
- Exercise
- Fine and gross motor development activities
- Age appropriate prayer experiences

Requirements:

For Moms (Dads or guardians) and their children
Children must be two years old by December 31, 2016



"Welcome Wednesdays"
(All Wednesdays that school is in session)
Guided Tours & Registration Information Available
Please call for an appointment
Limited seats are currently available for:
Pre-K 3 & Kindergarten



If you are a singer and would like to give praise to God in song, consider joining Our Music Ministry Group. We sing at **ONE** Mass each month on **Saturday Evening at 5:30 pm** with a **rehearsal at 4:30 pm BEFOREHAND.**

PLEASE JOIN US.

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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SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: