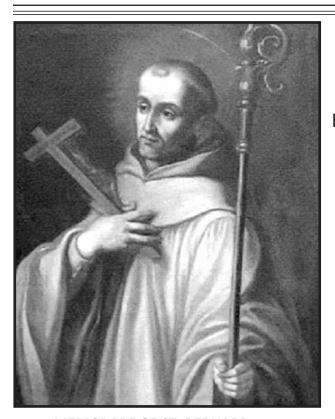
# St. Bernard de Clairvaux Church



#### **MEMORARE OF ST. BERNARD**

Remember, O Most Gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession, was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of Virgins, my Mother; to thee do I come; before thee do I stand sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but, in thy mercy, hear and answer me. Amen.

## **Schools:**

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Sunday Masses:		
Saturday	5:00 pm	English
Sunday	9:00 am	Italian
	10:30 am	English
	12:00 pm	English
	3:00 pm	Malayalam Community

Confessions: ½ hour before each Sunday Mass or by appointment

#### **Daily Masses in English:**

Monday & Friday at 7:00 pm Wednesday at 7:00 pm with Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help with Rosary at 6:30 pm Saturday at 9:00 am

#### **Daily Masses in Italian:**

Tuesday & Thursday at 8:00 am

#### **Pastoral Team:**

Fr. Boniface Perri, Pastor Fr. Francesco Pica, In Residence Gina Orofino, Parish Secretary Brenda Carvalho, Bookkeeper

#### **Office Hours:**

Monday to Friday: 8:30 am - 12:30 pm 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Saturday: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

**Baptisms:** Parents seeking to have their child baptized must call the Parish Office to request a "Baptism Request Form". Baptism certificate for Catholic parents and Confirmation certificates for the Godparents is necessary. When documentation is complete call the Parish Office to set up an appointment with the Pastor. Upon approval from the Pastor, a Baptism date will be given.

**Marriages:** Couples must contact the parish office at least one year in advance. No date may be set before meeting with the priest. A marriage course is a pre-requisite.

#### **Parish Groups:**

Over 50 Club Knights of Columbus St. Bernard Catholic Women's League Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

#### **Parish Activities:**

First Friday Adoration
Visitation of the Homebound
PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE FOR MORE DETAILS



# ADORATION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT

This Friday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, is the first Friday of the month, as such we will have the Stations of the Cross beginning at 6:30 pm followed by Mass at 7:00 pm and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Please join us in this evening of Prayer.



Starting Monday, March 7th and continuing Monday's and Wednesday's throughout Lent, we will be praying the Rosary starting at 6:30 pm.

Please come and join us.



ATTENTION: ALL LECTORS & MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

We need all our Ministers help during the Easter Triduum, especially HOLY THURSDAY, GOOD FRIDAY & EASTER VIGIL.

If you can help, please come into the Sacristy to sign up for these Masses.

Thank you in advance for your co-operation and all that you do for our parish throughout the year.



# This weekend is ShareLife Sunday

"Vulnerable members of our community are relying on you and me to ensure ongoing access to the care they so desperately need. This is why it's crucial we meet our parish campaign goal of \$ 13.8 million. Our goal can be met, but only if we each do our part." — Cardinal Thomas Collins Please give generously on ShareLife Sunday during the special collection or at sharelife.org.

## HUMANITARIAN RELIEF FOR THE WAR IN UKRAINE

Ukraine has been plunged into war after the Russian military invaded the country, resulting in widespread violence and a looming humanitarian crisis. In response to the request of parishioners, the Archdiocese of Toronto has launched a humanitarian relief effort to help the Ukrainian people at this time.

Hundreds of thousands of Ukrainian civilians have already fled their homes and are trying to find shelter in neighbouring countries. The United Nations estimates that there could eventually be up to five million Ukrainian refugees, depending on how the war transpires.

A donation to help Ukrainians who are suffering due to this war would be a most appreciated gift.

Your donation will help Ukrainians who are beset by violence in Eastern Europe and it will help some of them find a new home in Canada.

# Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:

- Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website: www.archtoronto.org
- By phone through the Development Office @ 416-934-3411
- Through the parish, make cheques payable to: Name of Parish – Ukrainian Humanitarian Relief

Please continue to pray for the Ukrainian people and all those who suffer under the human tragedy of war.

## SYNODALITY, THE POPE WANTS TO HEAR FROM YOU

Pope Francis has launched the Synod on Synodality: a two-year global process of listening to the faithful that will help the Church reflect on how we can do God's will in the world today. The comments of the faithful will ultimately be discussed at a meeting of the bishops in the Vatican in 2023. To learn more about the Synod on Synodality and to share your thoughts, please visit: www.archtoronto.org/synodality.

#### **GETTING BACK TO NORMAL**

As we begin to return to the normal practise of our Liturgical life, we can begin to invite more people to Minister at the Altar, so that our presence may give glory to God and be of service to our fellow parishioners.

If you have been a Lector, Minister of Communion, Usher or Altar Server in the past and would like to return to the Ministry or if there is a Ministry that you would like to get involved in, please talk to Fr. Boniface at the back of the Church or contact him at the Parish Office.

#### <u>UPDATED CONTACT INFORMATION</u>

On occasion, we still would like to send you some useful or important information on what's going on in our Parish. We can only do this if we have a way to reach you. Please make sure that you are registered with us or if you are registered, please make sure we have your updated address and telephone number.

We will talk to you soon!

## **Weekly Collection**

Last week our collection was \$3,427.90
It takes 5,000.00 to cover weekly expenses.
Thank you to those who supported us during this very difficult time. Your charity means a lot!



#### MASS INTENTIONS SAT MARCH 26<sup>th</sup> to SAT APRIL 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022

Sat 26<sup>th</sup> 5:00 pm Giovanni Monte Catherine MacIntyre Annunziata Romano Defunti Fam. Cellucci & Cugini

Sun 27<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am Mauro Ardizzi and Pia Ardizzi

Francesco Conforti Luciano Russo

Carmela & Severino Carpella

Francesco Petrasso

Giuseppe & Lucia Castellucci Serafino & Maria Gentile

Sergio Gentile 1 Yr Death Anniversary

Enzo & Giorgia Simone

Jitendra Singh Adolfo Molella

10:30 am Lucia Vu

Joseph Bui and Paolo Bui

Angela Muscat

12:00 pm PRO POPOLO

Mon 28<sup>th</sup> 7:00 pm Luciano Russo 1 Yr Memorial Mass

Tue 29<sup>nd</sup> 8:00 am

10:00 am St Bernard School Lent Mass Gr. 5-6

Wed 30<sup>th</sup> 7:00 pm Our Lady of Perpetual Help Mass Victor Artuso 2 Yr Memorial Mass

Thu 31<sup>st</sup> 8:00 am

Fri 1<sup>st</sup> 6:30 pm Stations of the Cross

7:00 pm **First Friday Mass** followed by

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Sat 2<sup>nd</sup> 11:00 am Francesco Augursa Memorial Mass

1:30 pm Luigi Tricarico Memorial Mass

3:00 pm Michele Romano Memorial Mass

5:00 pm Catherine MacIntyre

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