

# 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**



### *The Angelus*

V. The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.

R. And she conceived of the Holy Spirit.

Hail Mary, full of grace,

The Lord is with Thee;

Blessed art thou among women,

And blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, Mother of God,

Pray for us sinners,

Now and at the hour of our death. Amen

V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord.

R. Be it done to me according to thy word.

Hail Mary. . .

V. And the Word was made flesh.

R. And dwelt among us.

Hail Mary. . .

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.

R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray: Pour forth, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy grace into our hearts, that we to whom the Incarnation of Christ Thy Son was made known by the message of an angel, may by His Passion and Cross be brought to the glory of His Resurrection. Through the same Christ Our Lord. Amen.

### **TIMES FOR CONFESSIONS**

Starting in October, we will be returning to the practice of offering Confessions half hour before each Sunday Mass. If you would like to avail yourself of the Sacrament, simply line up at the Confessional and Fr. will hear your Confession.



### **First Holy Communion 2023**

**The First Holy Communion Registration will be held on Tuesday, October 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm at the Church.**

Please bring the following:

1) The completed registration form with a copy of your child's baptismal certificate. If your child does not attend St. Bernard School, you may pick up the Registration Form from the Parish Office.

2) \$20.00 to cover cost of the book to be used at the Catechesis classes, which will be given to you at the registration meeting.

For those who do not attend St. Bernard's School (which would have gotten a form from the school by mid-September) **or** if your child is 7 or over and not baptized, but would like to receive the Sacrament of Confession and Holy Communion you must come to this meeting as well with the completed registration form.



### **ADORATION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT**

**This Friday, October 7<sup>th</sup>,  
is the first Friday of the month,  
Holy Rosary at 6:30 pm, Mass at 7:00 pm  
followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.  
Please join us in this evening of Prayer.**



**Celebrate Thanksgiving  
by helping in the fight  
against hunger.**

Please bring a non-perishable food item to Church.

These donation will then go to the **Good Shepherd Ministries on Thursday, October 13<sup>th</sup>**, Good Shepherd are most in need of tomato sauce, soups, canned vegetables & canned stews, beans, oil, tuna, peanut butter, jam, pancake mix, granola bars and cereals. Thank you for your support!!!

### *La raccolta di cibo*

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**Si prega di portare il cibo prima del Giovedì 13 Ottobre.**



**CONFIRMATION  
2023**

**There will be a pre-registration meeting for those wishing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on Tuesday, October 11<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 pm at the Church.**

Please bring the following:

1) The completed registration form with a copy of your child's baptismal certificate. If your child does not attend St. Bernard School, you may pick up the Registration Form from the Parish Office.

2) A fee that covers the cost of the book and materials to be used at the Catechesis classes. The book will be given to you at the registration meeting.

For those who do not go to St. Bernard's School (which would have gotten a form from the school by mid-September) but for whom this is your parish we are most happy to celebrate the sacraments with you.

If your child is 12 or over and not baptized, but would like to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, First Holy Communion and Confirmation you must attend this meeting. Similarly for those who are not baptized Catholic but would like to enter the Catholic Church and receive the Sacraments, please speak to Fr. Boniface about Baptism and First Holy Communion.

**Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation  
Fund Collection this weekend**

Catholics throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in the collection being held the weekend of October 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>, to support the Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund. The collection is a national grassroots effort to assist healing and reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples of This Land. The fund was the result of a \$30 million financial commitment made by the Canadian Bishops in September 2021.

Funds will support culture and language revitalization, education and community building, healing and reconciliation for communities and families and dialogue involving Indigenous elders, spiritual leaders and youth with a focus on Indigenous spirituality and culture.

This is an opportunity to follow the invitation of the Holy Father made earlier this year for each one of us to become engaged in the healing and reconciliation journey. For more information or to donate online, visit: [www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation](http://www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation). Thank you for your generosity.



**MASS INTENTIONS**

**SATURDAY OCT. 01<sup>st</sup> TO SUNDAY OCT. 09<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

- Sat 01<sup>st</sup> 5:00 pm
- Sun 02<sup>nd</sup> 9:00 am Adolfo, Amelia & Angelo Artuso  
Defunti Famiglia Artuso  
Mauro Ardizzi and Pia Ardizzi  
Francesco Conforti  
Adolorata & Nicolina Matricciano  
Giuseppe Dominicis  
Serafino & Maria Gentile  
Arsenio, Concetta and Maria Simone
- 10:30 am PRO POPOLO
- 12:00 pm
- Mon 03<sup>rd</sup> 6:30 pm Holy Rosary  
7:00 pm Francesco Pedace
- Tues 04<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am Filippo & Maria Tatangelo  
Sylvia & Albn Beklja
- Wed 05<sup>th</sup> 6:30 pm Holy Rosary  
7:00 pm William Cheekock
- Thur 06<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am Liberata & Beniamino Alonzi
- Fri 07<sup>th</sup> 10:30 am Alfeo Emilio Rossetti Memorial Mass  
6:30 pm Holy Rosary  
7:00 pm Vito Roberto Cannitelli  
Followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
- Sat 08<sup>th</sup> 5:00 pm
- Sun 09<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am Mauro Ardizzi and Pia Ardizzi  
Francesco Conforti  
Raimondo & Maria Castellucci  
Aldo Celebre
- 10:30 am Eleonora Tricarico
- 12:00 pm PRO POPOLO

**ROSARY COAST TO COAST**

**Looking for a way to celebrate Thanksgiving? This year, Rosary Coast to Coast will be held on Sunday, October 9<sup>th</sup>.** Pray the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy, the Holy Rosary and Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary! Gather the children of the world to pray together through the recitation of the rosary, ideally in the presence of the Eucharistic Jesus in our churches or pray at home with your families and prayer group!

Contact: Angie Carboni -- 416-871-3908

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Times: 4 pm Eastern Time; 3 pm Central Time;  
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5 pm Atlantic Time; 5:30 pm Newfoundland Time.



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