

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.

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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. Jose Johnny, Associate Pastor/Chaplain to Sacred Heart Kerala Community
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

PARISH LENTEN RETREATS

Have you ever wondered, why we stand and sit during Mass. Why, does Fr. add a bit of water to the wine and do the colours at Mass mean anything?

The Mass is our primary act of worship to God and the Eucharist is the source and summit of our spiritual life. It has a fascinating theology and history that helps to bring what we do alive and brings us closer to God.

Join Fr. Boniface on Tuesday, March 14 to Thursday, March 16 at 7:00 pm

to discover this deeper meaning of the Mass.

Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday.

ITALIAN LENTEN RETREAT

We invite you to join Rev. Francesco Armenti for 2 days of retreat as we prepare to celebrate the beauty of Easter.

On Friday, March 10th, at 6:30 pm,

Stations of the Cross & Mass will be celebrated in Italian and English and Rev. Francesco will preach the retreat in Italian.

Then on Saturday, March 11th, at 11:00 am,

there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at the conclusion of the retreat.

Vi invitiamo ad unirvi al ritiro quaresimale con la presenza di Don Francesco Armenti direttamente dall'Italia per 2 giorni.

Prepariamoci a celebrare la bellezza della Pasqua...

Venerdì 10 marzo, alle 18:30,

con la Via Crucis e la Messa in italiano e inglese...

Don Francesco predicherà il ritiro in italiano...

Sabato 11 marzo, alle ore 11, ci sarà l'esposizione del Santissimo Sacramento e la conclusione del ritiro.

St. Vincent De Paul

Bundle Up Weekend

SPRING CLEANING – YEAR ROUND

Bring your gently used clothing and household items to share with others

the weekend of March 11 - 12.

The St. Vincent de Paul truck will be in the church parking lot, so please share what you can with those less fortunate. We will donate or sell these donations to support our outreach efforts.

Thank you for your continued support.



*Family Day, Monday, Feb. 20
Please note that there is no evening Mass. Morning Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 am the Parish Office will be closed.*



The St. Bernard Knights of Columbus invite the St. Bernard community to a Pancake Dinner in the Hall (pancakes, eggs and sausages)

on Tuesday, February 21st, at 6:30 pm

Tickets are on sale after every Mass, \$10.00 per adult and \$5.00 per child



ASH WEDNESDAY

February 22nd

8 am Mass Italian – 7:00 pm Mass in English

MERCOLEDI DELLE CENERI

22 Febbraio

**Messa in Italiano alle ore 8 am
in Inglese alle ore 19.**



STATIONS OF THE CROSS DURING LENT

Every Friday from

February 24th to March 31st at 6:30 pm in English

Followed immediately by Mass

VIA CRUCIS

Durante la quaresima ci sarà il pio esercizio della Via Crucis ogni venerdì alle ore 6:30 pm

Canadian Bishops Release Pastoral Letters to Advance the Healing Journey with Indigenous Peoples of this land

On February 8, 2023, the Bishops of Canada released a series of pastoral letters to advance the journey of healing, reconciliation and hope with Indigenous Peoples of this land. Individual letters have been prepared for First Nations, Inuit and Métis communities. In addition, the bishops have released a letter to Catholics throughout the country.

Copies of the letters can be accessed by visiting: www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation

Catholics throughout the archdiocese are invited to reflect, learn and join in efforts to nurture and deepen our relationship with Indigenous Peoples. We pray that the letters may serve as an additional tool to guide the journey of healing, reconciliation and hope.



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, FEB. 18th TO SUNDAY, FEB. 26th, 2023

- Sat 18th 9:00 am Domenico Lavecchia Memorial
 5:00 pm Rosa Morrone
 Francesco Patitucci
 Maria & Joseph
- Sun 19th 9:00 am Mauro Ardizzi
 Pia Ardizzi
 Maria Teresa Sanzo
 Louis Kopac
 Michele & Annina Risi
 Melina Chimienti
 Antonio Simone
 10:30 am PRO POPOLO
 12:00 pm Faustino, Juliana & Antonio Mercado
- Mon 20th **FAMILY DAY**
 9:00 am Sr. Elisa Tuppin
- Tues 21st **SHROVE TUESDAY**
 8:00 am Natalina Lena
- Wed 22nd **ASH WEDNESDAY**
 8:00 am Italian Mass
 7:00 pm English Mass
- Thurs 23rd 8:00 am
- Fri 24th 6:30 pm Stations of the Cross
 7:00 pm
- Sat 25th 5:00 pm Fernando Beltrano
 Rosa Morrone
 Francesco Patitucci & Family Patitucci
 Maria Girimonte-Bruno
- Sun 26th 9:00 am Giovanni Monte
 Francesco Conforti
 Mauro Ardizzi
 Pia Ardizzi
 Bambina & Enrico Falasca
 10:30 am Jose Nieto
 12:00 pm PRO POPOLO



New Liturgical Practise for Lent

To keep the solemnity of Lent this year, we will pray the Nicene Creed instead of the Apostles Creed during the Mass. In doing so we will be in union with our brothers and sisters throughout the world and even in own Parish, who normally pray the Nicene Creed. "This is the Creed we pray at the Italian and Malayaam Masses every Sunday." You can find the Nicene Creed in your missalettes, in the inside front cover of the "Gather Hymnals" or printed below:

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven of earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, The Only Begotten Son of God, Born of the Father before all ages.

God from God, Light from Light, True God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; Through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

*All bow at the following words up to and including:
 and became man.*

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

2023



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE/TRIDUO SACRO

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HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 6

Mass of the Lord's Supper

7:00 pm Mass in English

Reposition of the Blessed

Sacrament until 12:00 am

No Mass at 8:00 am

GIOVEDI SANTO, 6 APRILE

Messa nella Cena del Signore,

7:00 pm Santa Messa – Inglese

Reposizione del Santissimo

Sacramento dopo la Messa

La messa delle ore 8 del mattina non ci sarà

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 7

Celebration of the Lord's Passion

11:00 am Solemn Liturgy in Italian

3:00 pm Solemn Liturgy in English

6:00 pm Solemn Stations of the Cross

8:00 pm Malayalam Mass

VENERDI SANTO, 7 APRIL

Celebrazione della Passione del Signore

11:00 am Solenne Liturgia in Italiano

3:00 pm Solenne Liturgia in Inglese

6:00 pm Via Crucis

HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 8

8:00 pm Mass of the Easter Vigil English

SABATO SANTO, 8 APRIL

8:00 pm Veglia Pasquale - Inglese

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 9

9:00 am Mass - Italian

10:30 am Mass - English

12:00 pm Mass - English

3:45 pm Mass - Malayalam

DOMENICA DI RISURREZIONE, 9 APRILE

9:00 am Messa - Italiano

10:30 am Messa - Inglese

12:00 pm Messa - Inglese

EASTER MONDAY, APRIL 10

9:00 am Mass - English

LUNEDI, 10 APRILE

9:00 am Messa - Inglese

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA:

Starting on Good Friday to Saturday, April 15, the Divine Mercy Novena will be as follows:

Good Friday, after the 3:00 pm Service, Holy Saturday at 7:00 pm, Easter Sunday after the 12:00 pm Mass. During the week after each daily Mass. Sunday, April 16 at 3:00 pm, conclusion of the Novena and Devotion to the Divine Mercy.

**Parish Office will be closed
Good Friday and Easter Monday**

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