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
2nd and 4th Sunday of the month Spanish Mass at 2:00 pm		
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

Daily Masses in Italian:

Tuesday & Thursday at 8:00 am

Pastoral Team:

Fr. Boniface Perri, Pastor

Fr. Jose Johny, 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

Sacraments: Please contact the office for the reception of the Sacraments.

Please Note: Couples must contact the office 1 year in advance to prepare for the Sacrament of Marriage.

Formed: Join formed.org for free, to view inspirational and informative Catholic content. If you are new to Formed, we recommend this week on Formed at watch.formed.org/this-week-on-formed.

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



ST. BERNARD FEAST 2025

Our St. Bernard Feast Day was a great success!

Many people came out and a good time was had by all, especially the kids who enjoyed the games and everyone who became a kid at heart when the ice cream truck arrived.

We ended up raising \$2,050.00

which will go towards our new sound system.

A very special and heartfelt thank you to all those who helped organize and volunteered, we could not have done it without you.

Thank you again!

Also, a special thank you to the sponsors and all who donated the food and raffle prizes.

We'll see you at the next feast!



The St. Bernard community welcomes these new members during the month of July & August:

Elijah Rollins Cube Austria
Alexander Gabriel Choitramani
Skyler Snow Kamboj
Azekiel Sahun Kumar
Lina Marjorie Luna Ramirez
Noah Melenciano
Andrei Ramirez Salcido
Dean Simone Idulog Saluta
Psalm Simone Idulog Saluta
Clifford Tabbuan Supnet
Maximus Titus Theriau
Mya Patricia Tull



Cara Memoría dí

Cesare Botter Daniel Filipe Neves Barbosa Ida Carniel



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2026

First Holy Communion Registration will be held on Tuesday, October 14th, at 7:00 pm in the Church.



CONFIRMATION 2026

Confirmation Registration will be held on Tuesday, October 7th, at 7:00 pm in the Church.



Altar Servers needed

We need your help to make the weekend Masses as Solemn and beautiful as can be as a fitting worship to God. To help in this we are looking for Altar Servers.

To be an server you must have received your First Holy Communion and be of serious disposition, there is no maximum age. If you are interested please see Fr. Boniface or call the parish office.



Community Safety Meeting
On Monday, September 15th,
from 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm
St. Bernard Hall, 1795 Lawrence Avenue West.
The safety of our community is a priority
for everyone.

Please join Councillor Frances Nunziata
Chief of Police Myron Demkiw,
along with members of the
Toronto Police Service – 12 Division,
for an important conversation about community
safety. This is an opportunity to share your
concerns, ask questions and work together to help
keep our neighbourhood safe.



2025 Food Security Grants

As food insecurity worsens across the Archdiocese of Toronto, our Catholic community is responding with its largest-ever contribution to fight hunger.

ShareLife, Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Toronto, and two generous anonymous donors, have pledged a combined \$800,000 in Food Security Grants for 2025 —

building on previous commitments of \$500,000 in 2023 and \$750,000 in 2024.

Frank Cardinal Leo spoke about the call to compassion and action: "We cannot turn away from the suffering around us, especially when so many struggle just to eat. Our Catholic family is called not only to witness God's love but to live it boldly: feed the hungry, restore dignity and stand shoulder to shoulder with those in need. As Scripture reminds us in Isaiah 58:10, 'If you offer your food to the hungry and satisfy the needs of the afflicted, then your light shall rise in the darkness.' Together, through these grants and our generous hearts, we bring hope where despair threatens to take hold."

If you would also like to assist in this regard, you may donate through sharelife.org/donate or by using a ShareLife envelope at the parish.

Thank you for living the Gospel.



Celebrate Thanksgiving by helping in the fight against hunger

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Please bring a non-perishable food item to Church. These donations will then go to the **Good Shepherd Ministries**. The Good Shepherd Ministries is most in need of: Tuna & Canned Meat, Coffee & Tea Bags, Soups & Stews, Condiments, Jams, Canned Beans, Canned Tomatoes, Canned Vegetables, Pasta Sauce, Sugar, Salt, Pepper and Spices, Salad Dressing, Cooking Oil, Pancake Mix, Bagged Rice, Juice Boxes, Granola Bars and Packaged Snacks. Thank you for your support!

La raccolta di cibo

Se prega di portare soltanto cibo non deteriorabile Se prega di aiutare Good Shepherd Ministries. Cosa impossibile senza la nostra co-operazione.



MASS INTENTIONS Saturday, September 13th to Sunday, September 21st

Sat 13th 5:00 pm Catherine Mac Intyre

Teresa Le Thi Diep Martino Nguyen Tuyen

Sun 14th 9:00 am Raimondo & Maria Castellucci

Mauro Ardizzi Pia Ardizzi Iolanda Florio Luigi Lamanna

10:30 am PRO POPOLO

12:00 pm Happy Birthday Ferdinand Mark Alcantara

Antonio Rui Pereira

Maria Verruma (2 year death anniversary)

Giovanni Cimetta

2:00 pm Spanish Mass

Mon 15th 6:30 pm Holy Rosary

7:00 pm In Honour of St. Joseph

Tues 16th 8:00 am

Wed 17th 6:30 pm Holy Rosary

7:00 pm All Souls in Purgatory

Thurs 18th 8:00 am

Fri 19th 6:30 pm Holy Rosary

7:00 pm All Souls in Purgatory

Sat 20th 5:00 pm Catherine Mac Intyre

Elide Buset

Teresa Le Thi Diep

Sun 21st 9:00 am Teresa & Mauro Antonacci

Mauro Ardizzi Pia Ardizzi Iolanda Florio

10:30 am Caterina & Nicola De Marco

Rogelio Filiano Vinko Jelenic

12:00 pm PRO POPOLO

Weekly Collection

Last week, our collection was \$4,158.65
It takes 5,000.00 to cover weekly expenses.
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