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: | | |
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| 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 English/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



We will be having a Memorial Mass on Tuesday, November 18th at 7:00 pm.

Everyone is invited to remember their loved ones. You will receive a candle as you enter the church, which will be lit for your loved ones during the Mass.

Red Wednesday for Persecuted Christians on November 19, during the 7:00 pm Mass.

Martedi, 18 Novembre alle 7:00 pm Sara' celebrata una messa per ricordare Tutti I nostri cari defunti.

Vi sara' data una candela all'entrata della chiesa e sara' accesa per ricordare la persona a voi cara.



IMPORTANT NOTICE -ALL SOULS ENVELOPES

For the sake of greater security we are going to continue to ask that you write all the names of your deceased in the

Book of Remembrance

as you leave your envelopes.

Envelopes will be removed regularly and stored safely in the office.

Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

Sunday Missalettes are still available

for the New Liturgical year at a cost of \$5.00 each.

These will be available from the parish office during office hours or after all Masses from the ushers.

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul St. Bernard Conference are looking for New Members

Would you like to serve Christ through our neighbors who are in need? Do you want to help and make a difference in people's lives? If this is something you would like to do, Come join us and volunteer. Let's put our faith into action. Our neighbors in need deserve all the help we can provide.

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul needs you. Please contact our Parish office at 416-241-6738.



Pasta Bingo Night is back in our Parish

Dinner and Bingo, on Saturday, November 22nd,
6:30 pm, in our Parish Hall.
\$15.00 for dinner and a bingo card.
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Hosted by the Knights of Columbus of St. Bernard Parish.
This will be a fun Saturday night for our community.
Tickets are available from the Knights after all Masses.



PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA and shopping in Buffalo -- Saturday, November 29th \$55.00 per person

For details, call Giovanna at 416-244-0321 or the parish office at 416-241-6738.

Pellegrinaggio al Santuario della Madonna di Fatima Shopping a Buffalo - Sabato, 29 Novembre Per informazioni chiamate Giovanna 416-244-0321 Ufficio parrocchiale 416-241-6738

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On Tuesday, October 28, **Hurricane Melissa** made landfall in Jamaica as a Category 5 storm, causing severe damage to both Jamaica and Haiti. It was the third strongest hurricane ever recorded in the Atlantic Ocean.

Philippine President Ferdinand Marcos Jr. declared a state of emergency on Thursday, November 6 in the aftermath of **Typhoon Kalmaegi**, which left more than 100 people dead and hundreds still unaccounted for.

For those interested in supporting humanitarian relief efforts to help those in need, please note the following:

The Archdiocese of Toronto will accept donations and channel funds through our Catholic partners in the Caribbean and Asia to support relief efforts underway in both regions.

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, making cheques payable to:

Name of Parish – Hurricane Melissa or

Name of Parish - Typhoon Kalmaegi

Please continue to pray for all those affected by these natural disasters. Thank you for your continued co-operation.



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, November 15th to Sunday, November 23rd

Sat 15th 10:30 am Domenico Mammone Memorial Mass 5:00 pm Catherine Mac Intyre Deceased Cellucci Family

Theresa Le Thi Diep Adalgisa Biancolin

Sun 16th 9:00 am Raimondo & Maria Castellucci

Iolanda Florio

Mauro Ardizzi and Pia Ardizzi

Nelson Andrey Rozo

10:30 am PRO POPOLO

12:00 pm Adelia Barazza

Teodora & Apolonio Ortega

Mon 17th 6:30 pm Holy Rosary

7:00 pm Orlando Adizas

Segundina Nuesca

Tues 18th 8:00 am Antonio Oliveira

7:00 pm Annual Memorial Mass

Wed 19th 6:30 pm Holy Rosary

7:00 pm Persecuted Christians throughout the world

Rosina Caira De Rango

Thurs 20^{th} 8:00 am

7:00 pm Giuseppe Colonna Memorial Mass

Fri 21st 6:30 pm Holy Rosary

7:00 pm Beniamino De Rango

Jorge Sarmiento

Sat 22nd 5:00 pm Catherine Mac Intyre

Elide Buset

Theresa Le Thi Diep

Sun 23rd 9:00 am Michele & Anna Risi

Francesco Conforti

Iolanda Florio

Mauro Ardizzi and Pia Ardizzi

Salvatore Barbara & Giuseppina Bartucci

Bruno & Giuseppina Renda

Amelia Filice (2 year death anniversary)

10:30 am Salvatore Pelaia &

Deceased Mezzatesta Family

Nicolino Scutella Ezio Fellin

12:00 pm PRO POPOLO

2:00 pm Spanish Mass

Weekly Collection

Last week, our collection was \$4,286.75 It takes 5,000.00 to cover weekly expenses. Thank you to those who continue to support us. A Word of Warning

We were recently made aware by the Toronto Police Community Officer for our area that there has been a rise in distraction thefts. A distraction theft is when an individual approaches you to give you an item or shake your hand, as they do, they will then remove jewelry or try to pick pocket you. These individuals do not enter the Church but wait outside. So, be aware of any stranger approaching you to give you something or who wants to talk to you, these people seem to be targeting young people and the elderly. We want to assure you that St. Bernard's is not being singled out but that such thefts are increasing in Toronto and they are targeting places where people congregate. Please be aware that the Toronto Police Services are investigating and trying to stop these people. It is still safe to come to Mass but as always it is important that we show prudence and caution in public places. The Toronto Police Services have provided pamphlets for your information.



ANNUAL CHRISTMAS POTLUCK

Our Christmas Potluck last year was a great success.
It is always wonderful to see our Parish come together.
Since this event has now become an annual tradition here at
St. Bernard, we are happy to announce that this
year's Potluck will be held on

Saturday, December 6th, after the 5:00 pm Mass.

To help us get into the Christmas spirit we will have Christmas Carols with coffee and hot chocolate.

What we would ask is for people to bring in a dish from your own culture that reminds you of Christmas.

Trying these dishes allows us to grow closer as a parish family as we share food from the same table and of course we always look forward to some Christmas baking. It would be helpful for us to know what you intend to bring. Please fill in the form at the bottom and put it into the green

box at the back of the Church.

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| TELEPHONE NO.: |
| PLANNING TO BRING: |
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