

# 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:

St. Bernard Elementary School: 416-393-5261  
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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 English:

Tuesday & Thursday at 12:00 pm

### 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

**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](http://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](http://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**

Catholic Cemeteries and Funeral Services 416-733-8544



**“A DAY WITH MARY”**

On Saturday, May 30<sup>th</sup>, 2026, the second annual “A Day with Mary” will be taking place at Villanova College located at 2480 15th Sideroad in King City.

We will gather from all corners of the Archdiocese to participate in Mass, pray the Rosary and grow deeper in our devotion to Our Lady through a keynote address by Dr. Josephine Lombardi for the adults and children’s catechesis for the kids. There will be music, food and fellowship and we hope that you will consider joining His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo and so many others who love the Blessed Mother. “A Day With Mary” will be held rain or shine, please plan according to the weather.

In case of severe rain or thundershowers, the event will move inside the school.

We will be taking a school bus up, the price is \$25.00.

To register call the parish office or Giovanna at 416-244-0321,

Please let us know as soon as possible so that we can register with the Archdiocese.



With great joy and gratitude, we celebrate the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Priestly Ordination of our Pastor, Fr. Boniface Perri.

As a parish community, we warmly invite you to join us for a Thanksgiving Mass on Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2026, at 5:00 pm, (the actual anniversary is May 12) as we thank the Lord for the gift of his priesthood and pray for God’s continued blessings upon his ministry.

Let us come together in Thanksgiving and Prayer. All are welcome.



***Congratulations***

*To all the children receiving the Sacrament of First Holy Communion, today.*

*May God continue to bless you as you draw closer to his sacred presence.*

*Lord, our God, may you fill these children with your Spirit so that the things of your kingdom are reflected in their faces. Guide them by your Word and Spirit, we pray for the children, their parents and guests for a beautiful celebration.*

**Important Notice - Change in Mass Time**

As times and practises have changed, we have discovered that the Tuesday and Thursday Italian morning Mass is no longer of service to most members of our Parish. In the hope of trying to be of service to as many people as we can and in recognition that we still need a few evenings for other Masses and parish events.

**Please be advised:**

**That there will no longer be an Italian Mass at 8:00 am, Tuesday & Thursday but rather we will have an English Mass at 12 noon.**



**The Catholic Women’s League of St. Bernard**

invites everyone to the CWL Bake Sale on Sunday, May 03<sup>rd</sup>, after the 9:00 am, 10:30 am & 12 pm Masses in the Church Hall.

There will be baked goods for sale and free coffee/tea.

In order for us to have a successful event, we humbly request donations of baked items. For more information email [cwlstbernard@gmail.com](mailto:cwlstbernard@gmail.com) Thank you,



**Society of  
Saint Vincent de Paul**

**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 May 9 – 10**. 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 these items to support our outreach efforts. Thank you for your continued support.

***St. Vincent de Paul Society***

***Mary Grove Camp and Camp Ozanam Registration***

**Saturday, June 6<sup>th</sup> - from 12:00 pm to 4:00 pm**

**St. Bernard parish Office**

Bring your child's health card.

Fully subsidized 8 days' camp adventure in Georgian Bay,

Mary Grove Camp for girls ages 5 – 13) or (Camp Ozanam for boys ages 7 – 12)



**Through ShareLife,  
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**T**ARA'S childhood was anything but safe. Conflict and fear filled her days, and as she grew older, home became unbearable. She waited, hoping things would change, but she had to leave once she became a teenager. Because of your warm heart, Tara found safety at Covenant House Toronto, a Catholic Charities agency you support through ShareLife. After a short stay in the crisis shelter, she moved into the Rights of Passage (ROP) program, determined to rebuild her life.

You gave Tara the strength to take charge of her future—adding her name to waitlists for affordable housing and taking steps to stand on her own. In the meantime, she balanced multiple part-time jobs while staying in school, saving every dollar she could. With your caring support, she connected with a counsellor to begin working through the challenges that had forced her to leave home. Today, she's living independently and building the future she once thought was out of reach.

**ShareLife Sunday special collections are taking place next weekend on April 26. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate).**



**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Saturday, April 18<sup>th</sup> to Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup>**

Sat 18 <sup>th</sup>	5:00 pm	Catherine Mac Intyre Teresa Le Thi Diep Tleopilde Guevarra Flora Cabrera
Sun 19 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am	Angelo Moscone Iolanda Florio Mauro Ardizzi and Pia Ardizzi Joe Di Geso Giuseppe Sanzo Luisa Pallozzi and Francesco Tantalo Pierina Brunatti
	10:30 am	PRO POPOLO
	12:00 pm	<b>1<sup>ST</sup> HOLY COMMUNION</b> Soul of Florante Biton Soul of Giuseppe Chiarelli
Mon 20 <sup>th</sup>	6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Holy Rosary Marino Vanin
Tues 21 <sup>st</sup>	12:00 pm 7:00 pm	Terri Cardozo Confirmation Class
Wed 22 <sup>nd</sup>	6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Holy Rosary Maria Biton
Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup>	12:00 pm 7:00 pm	Wilma Yray Dora Cortese (1 month) Memorial Mass
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup>	6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Holy Rosary
Sat 25 <sup>th</sup>	10:00 am 5:00 pm	Onofrio Papasodaro (1 mth) Mem. Mass Catherine Mac Intyre Teresa Le Thi Diep Sotero Pantig Rosario Pantig Velardo Antonina Pantig
Sun 26 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm 2:00 pm	Angelo Moscone Iolanda Florio Mauro Ardizzi and Pia Ardizzi Giovanni Monte Anna & Bruno Mezzatesta Rosa Zito Giuseppe Iuzzolino PRO POPOLO Spanish Mass

**Weekly Collection**

**Last week, our collection was \$5,132.70  
It takes \$5,000.00 to cover weekly expenses.  
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