

# 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

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.*

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

The CWL is delighted to invite our newest members and their families to our annual Reception of New Members on Wednesday, April 29<sup>th</sup> at the 7:00 pm Mass. Please join us as these women witness their commitment to the League and our patroness, Our Lady of Good Counsel. Following the service, light refreshments will be served in the Gold Room for new members and their loved ones.

We look forward to celebrating with you!

**The CWL invites everyone to their Annual 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,

**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.**



**ADORATION  
of the  
BLESSED  
SACRAMENT**

**This Friday, May 1<sup>st</sup>,  
is the first Friday of the month.  
Adoration will follow the 7:00 pm Mass.  
Please join us in this evening of Prayer.**



**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)

**Help Not Harm:  
Take Action to Support Bill C-218  
Write your Member of Parliament Today!  
Visit [HelpNotHarmCanada.ca](http://HelpNotHarmCanada.ca)**

You're invited to visit [HelpNotHarmCanada.ca](http://HelpNotHarmCanada.ca) where you can e-mail your Member of Parliament (MP), asking for their support of **Bill C-218 (The Right to Recover Act)**, which would amend the Criminal Code to prevent Medical Assistance in Dying (MAiD) from being provided when mental illness is the sole underlying condition. Without this change, MAiD will be available for those suffering from mental illness alone beginning in March 2027. We are called to offer care, hope, and protection — not death — to those who are suffering and most vulnerable. Visit [HelpNotHarmCanada.ca](http://HelpNotHarmCanada.ca) today and ask your MP to support Bill C-218.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup> to Sunday, May 03<sup>rd</sup>**

Sat 25 <sup>th</sup>	10:00 am	Onofrio Papasodaro (1 mth) Mem. Mass
	5:00 pm	Catherine Mac Intyre Teresa Le Thi Diep Sotero Pantig & Antonina Pantig Rosario Pantig Velardo
Sun 26 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am	Angelo Moscone Iolanda Florio Mauro Ardizzi and Pia Ardizzi Giovanni Monte Nino & Rosa Sciavilla
	10:30 am	Anna & Bruno Mezzatesta Rosa Zito and Giuseppe Iuzzolino Lou Skubic
	12:00 pm	<b>1<sup>ST</sup> HOLY COMMUNION PRO POPOLO</b>
	2:00 pm	Spanish Mass
Mon 27 <sup>th</sup>	6:30 pm	Holy Rosary
	7:00 pm	Prudencia Madera
Tues 28 <sup>th</sup>	12:00 pm	
	7:00 pm	Confirmation Rehearsal
Wed 29 <sup>th</sup>	9:15 am	St. Bernard School Mass
	6:30 pm	Holy Rosary
	7:00 pm	Happy 90 <sup>th</sup> Birthday Alice Corazza Pasquale Di Capo and Giuseppa Vasco CWL Inauguration of new members
Thurs 30 <sup>th</sup>	12:00 pm	Angelo Moscone Camillo & Michelina Moscone
Fri 01 <sup>st</sup>	6:30 pm	Holy Rosary
	7:00 pm	First Friday Adoration following the Mass
Sat 02 <sup>nd</sup>	11:00 am	CONFIRMATION
	1:00 pm	CONFIRMATION
	5:00 pm	Catherine Mac Intyre Teresa Le Thi Diep Michele Romano
Sun 03 <sup>rd</sup>	9:00 am	In Onore della Madonna Addolorata Angelo Moscone Maddalena & Francesco Eramo Iolanda Florio Mauro Ardizzi and Pia Ardizzi Mario Peccia Francesco De Marco & Fiore Molinaro Beniamino & Liberata Alonzi
	10:30 am	PRO POPOLO
	12:00 pm	Edward, David & Liantina Cardoso

**Weekly Collection**

**Last week, our collection was \$4,769.15  
It takes \$5,000.00 to cover weekly expenses.  
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