

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 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 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

Catholic Cemeteries and Funeral Services 416-733-8544



WELCOMING MR. GABRIEL NAKONECHNY NEW SEMINARIAN IN OUR PARISH

My name is Gabriel Nakonechny. I'm a seminarian studying for the Archdiocese of Toronto. I'm 29 years old, born and raised in the Dufferin and Bloor area of the city to a Ukrainian dad and Mexican mom, so I'm definitely at home in Toronto and its very diverse culture. Growing up I played lots of sports, enjoyed camping with my family and liked reading fantasy novels and playing video games. I majored in International Relations at the University of Toronto, but also took several courses in Church History, Philosophy and Theology. Although I grew up in a Protestant household, in time and by God's grace I came to realize the truth of Catholicism and was received into the Catholic Church in 2021. It was then that I soon sensed a call to discern a vocation to the priesthood. I'm now in my fourth year of formation at St. Augustine's Seminary and am very excited to be spending a full year at St. Bernard's for my internship growing in my knowledge, service and love of God among the people of this community.



To the attention of all Ushers USHERS MEETING

We will have a meeting on Wednesday, October 28th at 7:45 pm in the Church. This meeting will give us an opportunity to discuss any ideas that you may have to make our Ministry more fruitful.

I hope all of you can make it.

Weekly Collection

Last week, our collection was \$3,817.45

It takes \$5,000.00 to cover weekly expenses.

Thank you to those who continue to support us.

Your charity means a lot!



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2027

**First Holy Communion Registration will be held on
Tuesday, October 6th, at 7:00 pm in the Church.**

Please bring the following:

- 1) The completed registration form with a copy of your child's baptismal certificate.
- 2) \$40.00 to cover cost of the books to be used at the Catechesis classes. The books will be given to you at the registration meeting.

For those who do not attend St. Bernard's School or if your child is 7 years old or over and not baptized, but would like to receive the Sacrament of Confession and Holy Communion, please come to the office and pick up a registration form. You must come to this meeting as well, with the completed registration form.



CONFIRMATION 2027

**Confirmation Registration will be held on
Tuesday, October 13th, at 7:00 pm in the Church.**

Please bring the following:

- 1) The completed registration form with a copy of your child's baptismal certificate.
- 2) A fee of \$50.00 to cover the cost of materials to be used at the Catechesis classes. Information will be given to you at the registration meeting.

For those who do not attend St. Bernard's School but belong to our parish we are most happy to celebrate the sacrament with you. Please come and pick up a registration form in the office.

If your child is 12 years old or over and not baptized, but would like to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, First Holy Communion and Confirmation you must attend this meeting.



**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

The weekend of October 10 – 11.

The St. Vincent de Paul truck
will be in the church parking lot,

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.



Novena to St. Michael

As the Arcangel St. Michael is the Patron of our Archdiocese, Cardinal Leo has invited all parishes to have a Novena to St. Michael before His Feast Day on the 29th, where we will ask St. Michael for his protection and intercession.

A Novena is a devotion in which we say the same prayer for 9 days. As such, we will begin our Novena as a parish on September 21st at the 7:00 pm Mass and will continue at each of the Masses until we celebrate the Feast of St. Michael and the Archangels on September 29. We encourage you to participate by coming to the masses this week for the Novena or if you are unable to join us for all the weekday masses you may pray the novena at home.



Celebrating Thanksgiving by helping in the fight against hunger

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!

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ShareLife 50th Anniversary Open House at St. Augustine's Seminary on October 3rd!

ShareLife's 50th anniversary celebration continues!
Join us on Saturday, October 3, at St. Augustine's Seminary. Doors will be open from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Tour the beautiful and historic seminary, meet representatives from ShareLife-funded agencies and see how your kindness helps our brothers and sisters in need.

This event is free! To help us prepare for your visit, please register by Friday, September 25. Registration link can be found in sharelife.org/50.

For any inquiries, please contact us at SLEvent@archtoronto.org.



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, September 26th to Sunday, October 04th

Sat 26 th	5:00 pm	St. Michael Novena following the Mass Catherine Mac Intyre Teresa Le Thi Diep Giovanni Monte Elide Buset Giuseppina Iannuzzo Sebastian Iannuzzo
Sun 27 th	9:00 am	Iolanda Florio Mauro Ardizzi Pia Ardizzi Angelo Moscone Francesco Conforti Angelantonio & Pietrangelo Matricciano
	10:30 am	St. Michael Novena following the Mass Vinko Jelenic Violette Dilao and Orlando Dilao Cresencia Dilao Manuel Daria & Emperatriz Bagaso
	12:00 pm	PRO POPOLO St. Michael Novena following the Mass
Mon 28 th	6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Holy Rosary St. Michael Novena following the Mass
Tues 29 th	12:00 pm 7:00 pm	St. Michael Novena following the Mass Mass in Honour of St. Michael St. Michael Novena following the Mass
Wed 30 th	6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Holy Rosary
Thurs 01 st	12:00 pm	
Fri 02 nd	6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Holy Rosary First Friday Adoration Rosalia Catalano
Sat 03 th	5:00 pm	Catherine Mac Intyre Teresa Le Thi Diep Luigi, Angelina, Rosina & Francesco Sottile Melina & Ferdinando Marchese
Sun 04 th	9:00 am	Iolanda Florio Mauro Ardizzi and Pia Ardizzi Angelo Moscone Mario Peccia Francesco De Marco & Fiore Molinaro Addolorata & Nicola Matricciano
	10:30 am	PRO POPOLO
	12:00 pm	Marek Kaczor Maria Jelenic

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