Mary Queen of Heaven-St. Bernard Parishes

May 17, 2026

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Parish Clergy

REV. JOHN J. MADURI
Pastor

REV. PETER PENTON
Parochial Vicar

REV. MICHAEL G. TEDONE
Parochial Vicar

REV. THOMAS F. LEACH
In Residence (Mary Queen of Heaven)

REV. DOMINIC PEPRAH
In Residence (St. Bernard)

DEACON JEAN BAPTISTE BOURSIQUOT
Haitian Ministry

DEACON FRANK J. D'ACCORDO
Permanent Deacon

DEACON CHRISTOPHER A. WAGNER
Permanent Deacon

DEACON HERB CABRERA
Permanent Deacon

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

MASS TIME	LOCATION
Saturday, 5:00 pm	*St. Bernard of Clairvaux*
Sunday, 8:00 am	*Mary Queen of Heaven*
Sunday, 9:00 am	*St. Bernard of Clairvaux*
Sunday, 10:00 am	*Mary Queen of Heaven*
Sunday, 11:00 am	*St. Bernard of Clairvaux*
Sunday, 12:00 pm	*Mary Queen of Heaven*
Sunday, 5:30 pm (Life Teen)	*St. Bernard of Clairvaux*

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Mary Queen of Heaven	*St. Bernard of Clairvaux*
Monday - Friday: 8:00 am Saturday: 9:00 am HOLYDAYS Vigil: 7:30 pm Day: 8:00 am, 10:00 am	Monday - Friday: 8:30 am Saturday: 9:00 am HOLYDAYS 8:30 am, 7:00 pm

CONFESSIONS

Mary Queen of Heaven	*St. Bernard of Clairvaux*
Saturday: 11:00 am-11:30 am	Saturday: 4:15 pm-4:45 pm

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES WHILE IN CHURCH!

Introduction to the Liturgy of the Word
Seventh Sunday of Easter

Parish Staff

MRS. MELISSA WAGNER
Academy Principal

MRS. KRISTEN CALVERT-LAVELLE
Academy Assistant Principal

MRS. VERONICA OBDYKE GRADES K-5
MS. KATIE MOSSBARGER GRADES 6-8
Faith Formation Directors (St. Bernard)

SR. MARY JANE ROLSTON, OP
Faith Formation Director (Mary Queen of Heaven)

MS. RITA DAMATO
Director of Development (St. Bernard)

MR. ERNEST BUCKLEY
Director of Liturgy and Music (St. Bernard)

MR. ROBERT WESTON
Director of Music (Mary Queen of Heaven)

MRS. HELENE CIRRINCIONE
Youth Minister (St. Bernard)

MRS. SANDRA ARCATI
Office Manager (St. Bernard)

MRS. MARY-CASSANDRA-ODENAT
Parish Secretary (Mary Queen of Heaven)

MRS. ANGELA ZITO
Receptionist (St. Bernard)

MS. DIANNE MATTHEW
Receptionist (Mary Queen of Heaven)

Rectory Hours

Mary Queen of Heaven
1395 East 56th Street
Brooklyn, NY 11234

Monday, Tuesday: 9:00 am-12 Noon, 1:00 pm-4:00 pm
Wednesday-Friday: 9:00 am-12 Noon, 1:00 pm-8:00 pm
Saturday: 10:00 am-5:00 pm
Sunday: CLOSED

All are welcomed at Mary Queen of Heaven.
Meet us in church or watch us live at the 8:00 am Mass.
Website: *maryqueenofheaven-brooklyn.org*
Facebook: *Mary Queen of Heaven Church*
(Search @MQHRCCHURCH)
Phone: (718) 763-2330, Fax:718-763-6592
Email: *mqhchurch@aol.com*

HELP SUSTAIN OUR SPIRITUAL HOME

As our parish relies heavily on cash and envelope tithing, please help us sustain our spiritual home by enrolling in electronic giving.

Please scan the code to get started!

St. Bernard of Clairvaux
2055 East 69th Street
Brooklyn, NY 11234

Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m.-7:00p.m.
Saturday & Sunday 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
NATIONAL HOLIDAYS - RECTORY CLOSED

You can access our weekly bulletins at our website!
SAINTBERNARDBROOKLYN.COM
718.763.5533
FIND US ON FACEBOOK & INSTAGRAM
Saint Bernard R.C. Parish - Brooklyn, NY

Stewardship Thought

"I am praying for them…"

JOHN 17:9

Prayer is the foundation of our Faith and the foundation of Stewardship. Prayer is always the first best option in any situation - not just our last resort. Pray for friends and family, and especially for those that don't treat you very well. Pray to give praise, to thank, and to ask God for help. Pray to see what God wants you to do with the gifts He has given you. Teach others how to pray. It has been said that teaching someone how to pray is the best gift you can give someone.

THEY DEVOTED THEMSELVES WITH ONE ACCORD

In His public ministry our Lord prayed that "they may all be one." It is an interesting prayer since we would think that after acknowledging Jesus as Lord and Savior that this alone would unite all believers. Unfortunately, it was not to be the case. Even in the early years of the Church there were those who caused division because they refused to accept the Apostolic teachings of the Eleven and their immediate successors. Centuries later the same, and even greater, divisions would occur. While there are certainly historic reasons for these divisions, in the end they usually come down to one thing – pride and ego: "I know better than you" or "My way is truer than yours." Division occurs when we refuse to accept the truth of a thing. We hear today some use the expression, "my truth." In fact, it makes no sense. Truth is based on facts and reality not one's personal preferences. We can say "my opinion" or "my perspective," but that is all. Multiple truths lead to disunity and even horror, for Adolph Hitler's truth was that the Jewish people were not worthy of life. Hundreds of millions of people have been killed because some had the "truth" of socialism, communism, and Marxism. To live "with one accord" means that we must search for "the truth." This is difficult because our fallen human nature wants things our own way and as a result our egos get in the way. Notice in these words from today's readings from the Acts of the Apostles the particular word "devoted." To be devoted is to be dedicated, even zealous for something, loyal and loving towards someone or something. It is not a passing idea or feeling but a profound commitment. The reason why the early Christians spoken of in the Acts of the Apostles had such unity was due to their deep dedication to its application in their own lives and in the life and community of the Church. In the Gospel reading from St. John our Lord speaks of Himself as being glorified in us. His glory is found in the community of believers who together go forth and proclaim the Good News of our salvation, the "joy of the Gospel," the hope of the world in Christ. Divisions within the Church has caused immense damage to this proclamation and thereby the greater glorification of Christ in the world. As Christian believers we are called to have the same profound commitment to unity within the Church. Divisions also occur in numerous situations and relationships. Invariably, it usually comes down to the same thing we see in the Church: pride. We demand things our way, refuse to recognize that life is not stagnant but ever-changing, that people are imperfect, that things cannot always be as we want them to be, that we need to have humility and grace to compromise on non-essentials and to enter into reconciliation with others where needed. This requires both human maturity and a lived faith that seeks the truth and only the truth. We will soon celebrate the great feast of Pentecost. The Lord promised that He would send to us the Holy Spirit who would guide the Church into the fulness of truth. As we approach this feast, we would all do well to seek the guidance of the Holy Spirit, asking the Spirit with an honest and sincere heart, to lead us into the way of all truth so that as families, friends, neighbors, co-workers, and fellow parishioners, we too can devote ourselves with one accord to the cause of prayer, unity, harmony, peace, and true justice.

Fr. John Maduri

St. Bernard Monthly 50/50 Raffle

Contribution is $25 and the proceeds will be used for the ongoing renovation and rebuilding of the parish facilities. Winner takes home half the amount collected for the given month.

Simply drop your entry at the rectory or in the weekly collection basket. The next winner will be picked on June 2nd, 2026

This Month's Winner of $237.50 is Amy Ferraro

MARY QUEEN OF HEAVEN ANOINTING OF THE SICK MASS

Saturday, May 30th at the 9:00 am Mass there will be an anointing of the sick Mass. Anointing of the sick is not "Last Rites." It is for the healing power of Jesus to come upon anyone who is seriously ill, being treated for cancer or leukemia, an older person, an ongoing condition like sickle cell or asthma, mental illness like depression or even before an operation. Please join us!

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS MARY QUEEN OF HEAVEN

SATURDAY, MAY 16, 2026
Easter Weekday
Readings: Acts 18:23-28, Jn 16:23b-28

9:00 am Healing For John Paul & Andrew by Stephanie Puleo

SUNDAY, MAY 17, 2026
SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
World Day of Social Communications
Readings: Acts 1:12-14, 1 Pt 4:13-16, Jn 17:1-11a

8:00 am MQH Pantry Benefactors by MQH Food Pantry

10:00am Mr. & Mrs. Bastien by Marie Frederic

12:00 pm Hyacinth Hinds & Marion McLeod by Dr. Audrey Welch

MONDAY, MAY 18, 2026
Easter Weekday
Feast of St. John I, Pope & Martyr
Readings: Acts 19:1-8, Jn 16:29-33

8:00am People of the Parish

TUESDAY, MAY 19, 2026
Easter Weekday
Readings: Acts 20:17-27, Jn 17:1-11a

8:00am Elizabeth Quamino by Debbie Thomas & Family

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 2026
Easter Weekday
Feast of St. Bernadine of Siena, Priest
Readings: Acts 20:28-38, Jn 17:11b-19

8:00am Georgianna Freese & Connie Dodd by Frank Freese

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 2026
Easter Weekday
Feast of St. Christopher Magallanes, Priest, & Companions, Martyrs
Readings: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11, Jn 17:20-26

8:00am Alice Freese by Frank Freese

FRIDAY, MAY 22, 2026
Easter Weekday
Feast of St. Rita of Cascia, Religious
Readings: Acts 25:13b-21, Jn 21:15-19

8:00am Eileen Matthew by Her children Birthday Remembrance

SATURDAY, MAY 23, 2026
Easter Weekday
Readings: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31, Jn 21:20-25

9:00am Special Intention

SUNDAY, MAY 24, 2026
PENTECOST SUNDAY
Readings: Acts 2:1-11, 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13, Jn 20:19-23

8:00 am Special Intention

10:00am Lillian O'Donnell by Anthony & Lillian 3rd Anniversary in Heaven

12:00 pm Augustine Wang by Claire Deng
Prinston Matador & Esther Matador by Gladys Cenatus
In Thanksgiving for Marie Frederic by Marie Frederic

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS ST. BERNARD

SATURDAY, MAY 16, 2026

9:00am Rosemarie & Robert Rokose by Gina Rokose

5:00pm Mr. & Mrs. S. Stacey Love Carol & Peter

SUNDAY, MAY 17, 2026

9:00am Salvatore Burriesci by Phyllis & Michael Sorrentino
Remy Grossi by Phyllis & Michael Sorrentino

11:00am Giuseppe Bavaro by his Sons
Rosa Filippazzo by Terry & Thomas Sorrentino
Clara Henglein by Mr. & Mrs. John DiBlasi

5:30pm Madeline Poggioli by Your Loving Family

MONDAY, MAY 18, 2026

8:30am Happy Birthday Xavier Riggio Love Grandma & Grandpa DeMarinis (Living)

People of the Parish

TUESDAY, MAY 19, 2026

8:30am Eddie Wagner Birthday in Heaven Loving Memory his Uncle Chris & Aunt Melissa
Carmine & Remy Grossi by Teresa & Thomas Sorrentino

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 2026

8:30am Domenick Puleo by Stephanie & Children
Isabel M. Cawthon by The Puleo Family
In Thanksgiving for Mrs. Wagner & Mrs. Calvert by Veronica Obdyke

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 2026

8:30am Gloria Cerchione by Lynn Cirillo & Family

FRIDAY, MAY 22, 2026

8:30am Dominick Votto by Fran & Ed McCarthy

SATURDAY, MAY 23, 2026

9:00am Isabel M. Cawthon by Edward Houston

5:00pm Mary & Fred LaChance by Mary Cooper
Maryann Esposito by The Young Family
Henry Sroga by Thomas Langella

SUNDAY, MAY 24, 2026

9:00am Sister Corde Somma 3rd Anniversary in Heaven
Loving Memory Chris, Melissa & Family

11:00am Michael & Theresa Cetta by Roseann & Anthony Cetta

5:30pm Tom, Gary & Ben Locicero Rest in Peace Love Your Family

REST IN PEACE

to all of the deceased members of the parish and our relatives and friends including
Angela Pollio

Mary Queen of Heaven Memorials

Altar Bread:

In Loving Memory of Hyacinth Hinds & Marion McLeod
Donated by Dr. Audrey Welch

Altar Wine:

In Loving Memory of Hyacinth Hinds & Marion McLeod
Donated by Dr. Audrey Welch

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Scott Allen
Stephanie Allen
Justin Andrickson
Jourdanna Barton
Jim Bellard
Doug Bontempo
Margaret Bracco
Arline Brack
Mitzi Brown
Morelda Brown
Michael C.
Thomas Caliendo
Carmine Carriero, Jr.
Concetta Carriero
Domenic Carriero
Rodolfo Chaos
Nick Codella
Daniel Commisso
Janet Commisso
Monica Crodette
Irma Cruz
Francine Danza
Joe DeAmbrosia
Maureen DeMarinis
Baby Demi
Rocco Gabriel DiMaggio
Donna Donzella
James Donzella
Rose Esposito
John Fahey
Teresa Fornaro
Jonathan Gan
Carole Gibbons
Tina Giberti
Mark Gottlieb
Robin Gottlieb
John Gullo
Baby Girl Heffner
Penelope Heffner
Ryan Hoefel
Sr. Joan Holmberg
June Honovich
Edward Houston
Micha Edmond Jordan
Jennifer Karayeanes
Ann Klauss
Richard Kompa
Michelle Leighty
Greyson Livia
Cheryl Lupo
Kenny M
Joseph Martino
Rogettio Matos, Jr.
Kendall Matthew
Alicia Maxwell
Richard Maxwell
Eddie Boy McCarthy
Christine McCartney
Kelsey McCartney
Margaret Moffat
Tannya Ortiz
Angela Pollio
William Prussing
Corinne Ramaglia
Maria Rosa
Gasper Sacco
Robert Sansone
Joanne Sarnicola
Stephanie Sheetz
Shawn Anthony Smith
Phil Spezio
Gene Stark
Maureen Stewart
Grant Storey
Cigdem Tanriverdi
Sally Tartaro
Liam Wattley
Mary Francis Whalen

St. Bernard Memorials

Altar Bread:

In Loving Memory of Isabel Cawthon
Donated by Ellie & Nick Graziano

Altar Wine:

In Loving Memory of Isabel Cawthon
Donated by Ellie & Nick Graziano

Church Bells:

In Loving Memory of Altenor & Francois Families
Donated by Marie Altenor Francois

Altar Flowers:

In Loving Memory of Our Parents Anna & Mary
Love Rose & Joe Esposito

To add a name to the sick list,
you must call into the Rectory Offices
on Mondays only, before 3:00 pm.
The name will appear
on the list for 4 weeks.

MASS INTENTIONS, MEMORIAL MASSES & ALTAR GIFTS

Please stop by the Rectory Office during office hours to schedule your Mass Intentions, Memorial Masses & Altar Gifts. Also remember our Saints' Shrines and Votive Candle Offerings in church.

BAPTISM BBQ

There will be a BBQ for any families who have had their child Baptized in the past year at Mary Queen of Heaven or St. Bernard's. The BBQ will be on Wednesday, June 10th at 6:00pm in the Parish Garden next to St. Bernard's Rectory.

GIFT SHOPS
will be open every Sunday after all Masses.

St. Bernard's second collection is a Parish Collection for Landscaping.
Thank you always for your generosity! It is greatly appreciated!

St. Bernard Fresh Floral Crown for The Blessed Mother for the week of May 17-May 23 was donated
In Memory of

Amanda Gentile

by Your New York Family

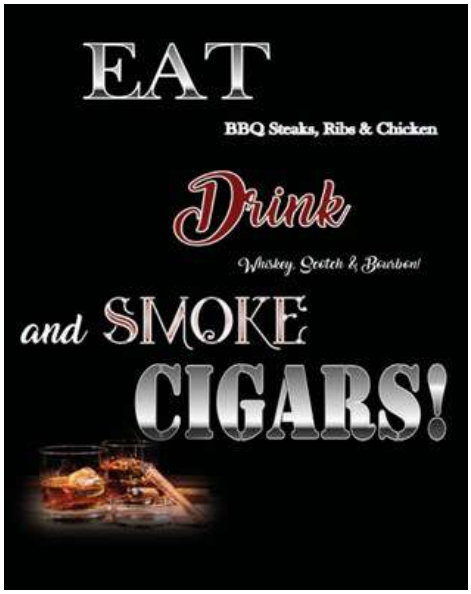
St. Bernard Paschal Candle Flowers for the week of May 17-May 23 was donated
In Memory of

Isabel Cawthon

by Your St. Bernard Friends

Save The Date!

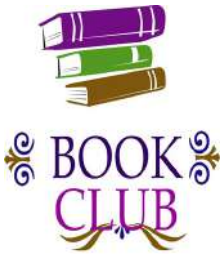
St Bernard's Parish & Knights of Columbus
Will Host the Annual



Thursday, June 4th, 2026
6:30 P.M.
Hudson River Yacht Club
For More Information & Early Registration Call
917-698-5506

Sr. Ave Clark Presentation

On Saturday, May 23rd following the 9:00am Mass at St. Bernard, there will be a presentation by Sr. Ave Clark on Mary's Magnificat. Please join us!



MARY QUEEN OF HEAVEN BOOK CLUB

will meet in the Parish Center,
Wednesday, May 20
at 7:00 pm for a discussion of
Mona's Eyes
by Thomas Schlesser

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

"Give glory to your son so that your son may glorify you...? If you think God may be offering you the grace of glorifying Him and His people as a priest or in the consecrated life, contact the Vocation Office at 718-827-2454 or email: vocations@diobrook.org.

PENTECOST MASS

Pentecost marks the Holy Spirit coming upon the Disciples. They understood & were able to speak different languages.
At the 12:00pm Mass at Mary Queen of Heaven on Sunday, May 24th.
Some readings, petitions & songs will be in different languages.
(English, Creole, Tagalog, Spanish)

RCIA/OCIA REUNION

There will be a RCIA/OCIA reunion for anyone who went through the process on Sunday, June 14th following the 11:00am Mass at St. Bernard Church.
Please join us!

to our students who received
First Holy Communion on Saturday, May 9th

Emily Alvarez
Rosa Amato
Lyeisha Archange
Vera Arias
Caiden Armstrong
Salvatore Asaro
Annunziata Aspiotis
Vanessa Blake
Grayson Brown
Kaelyn Carrieri
Celine Celestin
K'Bella Charles
Massimo Coluccio
Giovanna Cook
Leah Dede
Aniello DiMeglio
Penelope Felix
Matthew Gillespie
Nicolas Holley
Aliyah Hutchinson
Dylan Jean-Marie
Dean Kulman
Alyssa Lanza
Harley Lopez
Antonio Lorusso
Geno Maldonado
Noah Manoo
Clara Marcel
Isabella Marescot
Angelo Markarian
Lisanny Sanchez Melo
Noelani Delarosa Mendez
Isabella Miller
William Morris
Rylie Murray
Lia Nadel
Vladmir Obas
Esmeralda Picazo
Olivaves
Olivia Orenstein
Emily Paloka
Ryan Paloka
Luciana Patrylo
Steeve Petithomme
Lia Pezzuto
Ava Pezzuto
Joseph Puleo
Isabella Rivera
Elimer Rodriguez
Gaelle Audrey Rosemond
Julissa Sanchez
Kervens Semexant
Kyerha Semexant
Ethan Soto
Valeris Soto
Cayden Sylvester
Kairo Sylvester
Nicholas Tammaro
Alejandro Teles
Veronica Vulpis

St. Bernard Weekly Mass Attendance
Weekend of May 9th & May 10th, 2026

Saturday, May 9th 5:00pm-140
Sunday, May 10th 9:00am-141
Sunday, May 10th 11:00am-327
Sunday, May 10th 5:00pm- 15
Total-623

Corpus Christi Procession

On Saturday, June 6th, at 3:00pm we will meet at Mary Queen of Heaven and process to St. Bernard's for a joint Mass at 5:00pm.
Give honor to Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament by coming!

Bergen Beach Sports & Recreation Camp

at St. Bernard Catholic Academy
Open House/ Registration in Lobby of Academy Building
Saturday, June 13, 2026
11:00a.m. - 2:00p.m.
Runs from June 29th-August 7th, 2026
Boys and Girls Ages 4 to 15
Certified adult staff in all groups
Groups are separated by age.
All staff are CPR, first aid & virtus trained
Licensed by Department of Health
ALL SPORTS-ARTS & CRAFTS-MUSIC & DANCE-WATER PLAY-GAMES AND MANY OTHER FUN FILLED ACTIVITIES!
ON-SITE INDOOR & OUTDOOR PLAY LOCAL TRIPS
EXTENDED DAY & TRANSPORTATION
For more information, please contact Rosemarie Stern, Camp Manager at 917-442-4967
Register Now! Space is Limited!
www.gravesendsportcamp.com

MARY QUEEN OF HEAVEN TEEN CLUB

All teens are invited to join the Teen Club Friday evenings 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm in the Parish Center Basement Meeting Room.
Please bring a friend.
Contact Sr. Mary Jane for more information.

Thank you for your support of Mary Queen of Heaven Parish.
MASS ATTENDANCE 5/10/2026:

8:00am-117
10:00am-210
12:00pm-185
Total-512

Website-25 Facebook-148

Perform a Random Act of Kindness

Help me to live your goodness and kindness each day. Remind me that my actions express who I am even more than my words. May I love as You love. Let me be good to those who wish me harm, forgive those who need forgiveness, and reach out in kindness to all I meet so they can experience the conditional love of God.

St. Bernard Faith Formation News

School of Religion Registration 2026/2027 Kindergarten through 8th Grade
Early Bird registration has begun and will continue until Wednesday, June, 24th.
All fees for 2025-2026 must be paid to re-register.
Early bird fee will be for all who **register in full** by June 24th.
We want to ensure that we have the materials we need for next year and to avoid delivery delays and costly fees. Please come to the rectory. Please share this information with anyone you know who is interested in our Faith Formation program.
Early Bird tuition for 2026/2027 term is $225 for 1 child, $275 for 2 children, and $325 for 3 or more children living in the same household
IF PAID IN FULL ON OR BEFORE Wednesday, JUNE 24th.
AFTER WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24TH $275 for 1 child, $325 for 2 children,
and $375 for 3 or more children living in the same household. **No exceptions.**
*New students registering will need a copy of their birth and baptismal certificates
We accept Cash, Check, Credit Card, Venmo & Zelle

Mary Queen of Heaven Faith Formation News

The Religious Ed. 2026-2027 School Year
Classes are held 8:30 am in the Parish Center downstairs meeting room (entry from 57th Street gate). Students and Parents/Guardians attend the 10:00 am Mass.
Registration forms are available at the Rectory Office. Please contact Sr. Mary Jane (718-763-2590) for more information. Student's baptism certificate is required. The fee is $150.00 for each student. (Discount for additional students in the same family.)

For the Military

If you would like to add a loved one that is in active duty in the military, please call the rectory with their name and branch of service and we will add them to a list of military members to pray for. Thank you. Almighty & eternal God, protect these men & women as they discharge their duties. Protect them with the shield of your strength and keep them safe from all evil and harm. May the power of your love enable them to return home in safety, that with all who love them, they may ever praise you for your loving care.
We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen.
Shane Cawthon (Army)
Frank Gargano (Army)
Michael Gargano Jr. (Navy)
Marcello Gargano (Army)
Sophia Kelly (Navy)
Andrew-Jude Lao (SPC 2 Space Force)
Joseph Milone (Marines)
Ryan Moravcik (Army-Cavalry Scout)
Liam O'Connell (Navy)
Jacob Stapleton (Navy)

ELECTRONICS RAFFLE

Drop by the MQH-St. Bernard Rectory Offices, during office hours, to purchase raffles for a chance to win an assortment of in-demand electronic prizes.
Prizes, courtesy of DeSales Media and The Tablet include:

3 tickets for $20.00

- Apple Airpods Max USB-C (Blue)
- Ray-Ban Meta Glasses Wayfarer (Gen 2) Polar Gradient Graphite Lenses, Large

3 tickets for $10.00

- Apple Airpods Gen 4
- Bose Soundlink Flex 2
- Apple AirTag 4 Pack & Mophie Power Station Wireless Mini 5K Slim Stand

The Knights of Columbus council #14269 completed its annual donation to St Bernard Church & Academy on Sunday September 21st. The annual donation totaled $26,500.00.
DOING GOOD WHILE HAVING FUN!
ARE YOU A KNIGHT WHY NOT?
USE THE QR CODE TO JOIN US!

ST BERNARD HOLY FAMILY SOCIETY

"The Holy Family is the beginning of countless other holy families."
-Pope John Paul II

"As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord."
— Joshua 24:15

Join the St. Bernard Holy Family Society

All St. Bernard & Mary Queen of Heaven Families are invited to take part in this beautiful parish tradition, honoring and strengthening family life through faith, prayer, and service.

As a Holy Family Society Member, Your Family Agrees To:

- Attend **Mass regularly**
- **Display a picture of the Holy Family** in your home
- **Pray the Rosary together** as a family at least once a month
- **Perform one act of charity each year** to help those in need

Each week, one family will take home the **Holy Family Statue** to pray with and keep in a special place of honor.

"THE FAMILY THAT PRAYS TOGETHER STAYS TOGETHER"

Families may **sign up for one week** by completing the form below, indicating two preferred weeks (In case your first choice is already taken).

For more information or to sign up, please contact:
Fr. Mike or **Mrs. Veronica Obdyke**
vobdyke.stbernard.faithformation@gmail.com
718-763-5533

ST. BERNARD HOLY FAMILY PILGRIM STATUE

Family Name: _____

Address: _____

Contact Number: _____

Email: _____

Choose a week that is special for you or your family—a birthday, anniversary, memorial, or simply a week you'd like to dedicate to prayer. *My family is interested in having the Holy Family Statue for the following week:*

Choice #1: _____ Choice #2: _____

Mary Queen of Heaven

RECTORY OFFICE: 718-763-2330 **FAX**:718-763-6592
EMAIL: maryqueenofheaven-brooklyn.org

Recurring Events/Meetings at a Glance

Adult Choir
Rehearsal, Sunday, 10:30 am, Parish Center

Charismatic Prayer Group
Every Friday, 7:00 pm in the Parish Center

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
First Fridays after the 8:00 am Mass until 10:30 am, Church.

Haitian Choir
Rehearsals, Saturday before 1st Sunday Mass, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm, Parish Center

Holy Name Society
Mondays after the 2nd Sunday, 7:30 pm, Parish Center.

La Legion de Marie
First and Third Saturday of each month, 1:00 pm in the Parish Center. Fourth Saturday of each month, 3:00 pm-5:00 pm Committee Members in the Parish Center.

Rosary Society
First Sunday of each month, 1:00 pm-3:00 pm, Parish Center.

Seniors
Wednesdays, 12:00 pm-3:00 pm, Parish Center

St. Martha's Guild
3rd Monday of each month, 7:15 pm, Parish Center

Wednesday Prayer Group
Immediately after the 8:00 am weekday Mass, One Hour, Parish Center

Youth Ministry
Fridays, 7:00 pm-8:30 pm, Parish Center

St. Bernard

RECTORY OFFICE: 718-763-5533 **FAX**:718-763-0224
EMAIL: sbchurchbrooklyn@aol.com
ACADEMY OFFICE: 718-241-6040
SCHOOL OF RELIGION: 718-763-5533

Gift Shop Hours
Weekdays 8:30 a.m.-9:00 a.m.
Saturday 9:00 a.m.-9:30 a.m., Sunday 8:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Devotions
MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA
MONDAYS
Novena after the 8:30 a.m. Mass
ROSARY
Monday - Friday after 8:30 a.m. Mass
Saturday after 9:00 a.m. Mass
FIRST FRIDAYS
Exposition: 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. in Chapel

Baptisms
Scheduled for the fourth Sunday of each month at 12:30 p.m. Parents are required to schedule an appointment with a Priest or Deacon at least six weeks prior to Baptism.

Marriages
Arrangements must be made with a Priest or Deacon at least 6 months before the wedding.
Pre-Cana information can be found at **www.pre-cana.org.**

Sick Calls
Please call the Rectory to arrange a Communion call to the sick or elderly, or a pastoral visit to a hospitalized loved one.

Vocations
Anyone seeking information regarding the Priesthood, Permanent Deaconate, Religious Life or to serve in our Parish as a Lay Minister should speak to Fr. Maduri, Fr. Mike, Dcn. Frank, Dcn. Chris or Dcn. Herb.

Parish Membership
All new families are welcome to the Parish and encouraged to become actively involved in parish societies and activities. New parishioners should register at the Rectory as soon as possible. Parishioners are asked to use the weekly envelopes in making their contributions.

Catholics Come Home
Please feel free to invite those who have been away from our parish to attend Mass with you. If there is anyone you know of that is upset with the church and feels that my speaking to them would be of help, please let me know so that I may speak with them. Fr. Maduri.

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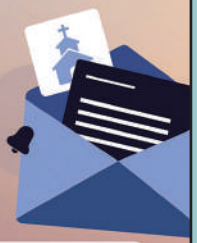

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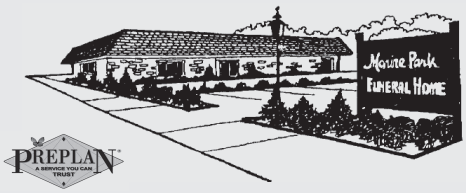

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