

CHURCH OF SAINT BARNABAS

Martha Avenue and East 241st Street,
BRONX, N.Y. 10470



CONTACT

Tel: (718) 324-1478 Fax: (718) 324-1479

Website: www.stbarnabasbronx.org

Email: stbarnabasbronx@aol.com

Facebook: St. Barnabas Church (Bronx, NY) 

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday 9am to 5pm
(Closed 12:30pm to 1:30pm)

Saturday 9:00am to 12noon
Sunday – Closed

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

THE LORD'S DAY

All Masses celebrated in the Main Church

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, 11:45am,
1:00pm & 5:00pm.

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

All Masses celebrated in the Main Church

Monday - Friday 6:30am & 8:30am

Saturday 12noon

RECONCILIATION

Monday - Friday following the 8:30am Mass
Saturdays at 4:00pm

SERVED BY:

Rev. Brendan A. Fitzgerald, Pastor
Rev. John Smart Mgbakor, Parochial Vicar

Deacon Eymard Smith
Deacon Sal Mazzella
Deacon Vincent I. Laurato (Retired)

Helen Winters Office Manager
Carmel Corcoran Parish Secretary
Shana Mahoney Music Director
Linda O'Brien Playgroup and Facilities Scheduler

Ms. Kerri Ann O'Connor CCD Director 718 324-0865
Email: stbarnabascdd@gmail.com

BAPTISM

Baptisms are conducted privately

Parents wishing to have their children baptized at Saint Barnabas are required to attend one of our Baptism classes. The classes are normally held on the first Wednesday of each month prior to arranging the child's baptism. The classes are held in the High School Cafeteria [420 East 241 Street] at 7:00pm. **Please register for the class by contacting the rectory office**

MARRIAGE

Engaged couples should contact the Rectory at least six months in advance and make an appointment with the priest you want to perform your marriage. That priest will guide you through all preparation. Diocesan regulations require a marriage preparation program for all couples.

ROSARY Monday - Friday at 8:00am

ADORATION Fridays 9:00am to 6:00pm (Lower Church)

SICK CALLS & ANOINTING OF SICK

Anytime by request [Communal Anointing in the Fall]

NEW PARISHIONERS *Our warmest welcome.*

To register, please call the parish office at 718 324-1478 or you may obtain a registration form on our website. If you have a question about the Catholic faith, we will always do our best to help.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Bringing people to Jesus, "the way, the truth and the life"

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

February 1, 2026



2026 Annual Cardinals Stewardship Appeal

Our goal is to receive a response from every family about supporting the future of our parish.

You can make your gift online at www.cardinalsappeal.org/donate - simply choose "PARISH NAME" from the drop down menu.

Please consider making your pledge today!!

www.cardinalsappeal.org

Thank you for the continued sacrifice!



Saint Barnabas Parish

Annual Saint Patrick's Celebration

Sunday, March 8th

2:00pm – 6:00pm HS Cafeteria

*Live band, dancing, traditional Irish dinner,
soda bread, beer & wine, coffee and tea.*

Tickets available **TODAY** Sunday, following the
9am, 10:30am, 11:45am, 1:00pm and 5pm
Masses

\$45 per person

For more information call or text
Jim Reilly at (917) 940-9245

The Feast of St. Blaisé

Tuesday, February 3rd



The Blessing of the Throats will occur at the
end of Masses.



Parents wishing to have their children baptized at Saint Barnabas are required to attend a Baptismal Instruction Class prior to arranging the baptism. Classes are held in the High School. The entrance may be located at 425 East 240th Street. Classes begin at 7:00pm.

The next class will be conducted on

Wednesday, February 4th

**REGISTRATION FOR THE CLASS IS REQUIRED BY
CALLING THE RECTORY OFFICE 718 324- 1478 ext 0**

St. Joseph's Seminary and College

will be hosting an evening lecture entitled,

**"Artificial Intelligence (AI) and the
Nature of Human Knowing"**

Speaker: Dr. Kevin Birth, Professor of Anthropology at
Queens College, CUNY

Thursday, March 26th, 7:00 pm

St. Joseph's Seminary Prayer Hall and
online via Zoom.

Tickets: \$25 (plus fees)

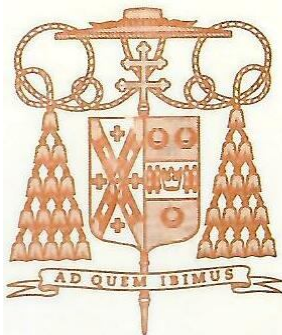
For more Information and registration:

[SJSSpringAcademicLecture2026AI.eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/sjsspringacademiclecture2026ai)

St Joseph's Seminary Academic Office -

sjsacademics@dunwoodie.edu or

914-968-6200 x8145



OFFICE OF THE CARDINAL
1011 FIRST AVENUE
NEW YORK, NY 10022

February 1, 2026
Month of the Hidden Life of Jesus

Dear friends in the Lord:

From his first appearance after his election in May 2025, Pope Leo XIV has called upon Catholics to live in peace and unity with one another within the Church, and to share this invitation to peace and unity with the whole world.

Throughout history, Catholics have shared this peace and the unity of Christ with the world by proclaiming the Gospel and performing works of mercy that bring comfort to the poor and vulnerable. For centuries, Catholics have expressed our unity with the Pope by giving to the *Peter's Pence* collection, which supports his mission to proclaim Christ's message of unity and peace with the world.

Our gifts to the Holy Father are "concrete signs of hope" to him which fulfill the two aims of *Peter's Pence*: to support the pope's mission, from the proclamation of the Gospel to the promotion of integral human development, education; and to take care of the numerous charitable works in aid of people and families in difficulty, populations afflicted by natural disasters and wars, or who are in need of humanitarian assistance or support for development.

In that spirit, I write to you today, asking that you prayerfully consider a generous donation to this distinctive offering which will be collected next Sunday, February 8. As we anticipate the *Feast of the Chair of St. Peter the Apostle* on Sunday, February 22, we join with our brothers and sisters in faith from around the globe to help His Holiness reach the most marginalized in our world. For more information about the collection, visit <https://www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html>.

Accept my gratitude, along with Pope Leo's, for last year's contribution of \$310,994 and for your kindness once again this year. And pray with me for God's blessing upon the Holy Father as he completes the first year of his pontificate in May.

With prayerful best wishes, I am,

Faithfully in Christ,

+ *T. M. Cardinal Dolan*

†Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan
Apostolic Administrator
Archdiocese of New York

TMD:djlf



Tithing & Stewardship

Due to the weather and the printing schedule - the collection will appear in next Sunday's bulletin

Thank you for your contributions

THE POOR BOX is a silent way the parish begs for people in need. Your donation into the poor boxes located at the doors of the church and chapel are used for those who come to the parish in dire need. Some common requests are food, medicine, travel to find work, some sort of unexpected emergency in their lives which they cannot afford.



Do you know about e-giving to the parish

You simply go to our website at www.stbarnabasbronx.org
Click on the **Online Giving** link (located on the front page of our website) and follow the prompts to register.

To enroll, please visit our website at stbarnabasbronx.org and click on the **Online Giving** logo to set up and manage your account

Bread and Wine Memorials

All 60 daily Masses in one month	\$100.00
All 7 Sabbath Masses in one weekend	\$ 75.00
All 11 daily Masses in one week	\$ 25.00
One Sabbath Weekend Mass	\$ 15.00

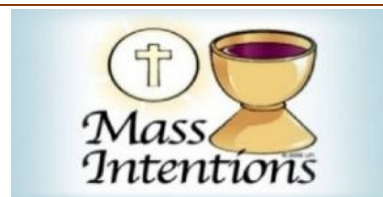
Sanctuary Lamp Memorial

Weekly \$10.00



Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please contact the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that together we can help those who are hungry. They may be reached at 914 469-8412 or email at barnabasSVDP@gmail.com



MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2

6:30 Sean Elliot
 8:30 Sheila Flynn
 August Arnegger
 Concetta DeSantis

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3

6:30 Martin Lafferty (24th ANN)
 Rose & Hugh Davey
 8:30 Patricia Nugent
 Dawne Esposito
 Tom Kelly

FEAST OF ST. BLAISE



WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4

6:30 John Brady (2nd ANN)
 Gabrielle Acevedo (15th ANN)
 8:30 Tom & Matt Devane
 Tim Foley

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5

6:30
 8:30 Catherine Coleman
 Charlie Sharkey & Pat Ward

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6

6:30
 8:30 In Thanksgiving
 Ragucci Mario
 Seamus Boyle

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7

12noon Intentions of McKenna Family
 Timothy McKenna, Marash Gjon Camaj,
 Mary Cox (17th ANN) & John Brennan (1st ANN)
 Patrick & Margaret Murray
 5:00pm Turlough Conefrey, Pat Faughnan,
 Edward Doohan & Mary Troy

FEBRUARY

Bread and Wine

Thomas and Nuala Normanly
Requested by: Geraldine A. Normanly

Sanctuary Lamp

Sean O'Connor
Requested by: Martina Doherty





the CARDINAL'S ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

*Sharing God's Gifts Throughout
the Archdiocese of New York*

The *Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal*, a critical component of the archdiocesan mission, raises funds to sustain the various ministries, institutions, and outreach programs that serve thousands of individuals and families throughout New York.

As members of the parish community, we are encouraged to contribute generously to the *Appeal* for the sake of our greater archdiocesan family.

Let us thank Cardinal Dolan for his years of service and welcome Archbishop-Designate Hicks by stewarding the mission of the Church and participating in this year's *Appeal*.



Areas of Support

\$9M

Financial Assistance
for Struggling
Parishes

\$3.5M

Pastoral Administration,
Grants, and Services

**2026
Appeal
Goal is
\$21M**

\$2.5M

Charitable
Outreach

\$3M

Retired Priests,
Priestly Education,
and Formation
Programs

\$3M

Catholic Education

*To make a gift, scan the QR code, visit cardinalsapeal.org
or call 646-794-3300 today.*

*Thank you for your consideration and for being loving and
generous stewards of our archdiocese and its mission. God bless.*



Foundations of Faith

A journey through the Catechism of the Catholic Church. Weekly program with Fr. Michael Morrow that started January 7 for 20 weeks ending early June. You can attend either every Wednesday evening at 7:30pm until 9pm or on every Thursday at 10am till 11:30am. It is located in St. Paul The Apostle School Cafeteria on McLean Avenue. Any questions call 914-965-9333.

SOLACE HOUSE

Solace House provides free, confidential, therapeutic counseling for anyone who is experiencing suicidal thoughts or emotional distress

CALL NOW: 718-482-0001

Lectio Divina Reflection: Today's Gospel is **Matthew 5:1-12**. *How have your weaknesses been turned to strengths through the power of God?*

Lectio Divina uses scripture to help you discover the joy of God's love for you. They'll meet in person simultaneously in the High School Cafeteria Sunday mornings, 8:45 to 9:45am Sessions are available virtually **Zoom Meeting ID: 951 0351 0810, Passcode 1Sunday**. Participate from the comfort of your own home. The Zoom link is <https://zoom.us/j/95103510810?pwd=cm4zY1J0a0VkJOUpaemV2VUY1VkhhUT09> or you may call by phone at +19292056099,,95103510810#,,,,*0045511#US (New York). Contact Helen at mccocchiara@mindspring.com or 914-606-1489 if you have any questions.



THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

We welcome into the Roman Catholic Church and our parish community the following children who were recently baptized here at St. Barnabas:

Angela Camille Cahalin, child of Michael & Jessica

Kai Amato Monserrate, child of Carmella

Alessandra Gia & Alessia Grace Ortiz, children of Jose & Yaneiry

LET US PRAY for our deceased parishioners, benefactors, relatives, members of the Armed Forces, for those who are most forgotten and for those who recently died especially:

Robert O'Donohue, Debora Benacchio, Francis Meaney, Alice Carew, Keith Noel McCorry, Mark Donovan and Mary Barrett

Our Bulletin Advertisers: Please read the advertising pages. In many cases they are fellow parishioners. These business people are also helpers for the parish. Give them your first consideration in your purchases or service needs. If you would like advertise in our bulletin please contact our printing company: Bon Venture 800 364-0684.

The Matthew Wallace Foundation hosts

Matt's Grab-n-Go

With essential items.

~~DATES: Wednesday, Jan 14~~
Wednesday, Feb 11
Wednesday, Mar 10
Wednesday, Apr 8
Wednesday, May 13
Wednesday, June 10



PLACE: Kerry Hall
305 McLean Avenue, Yonkers NY 10705

TIME: 11:30 AM (Until food runs out.)
Do Not begin lining up until 10AM

Please bring your shopping carts.

MUST BE A WESTCHESTER RESIDENT
Please bring valid United States Government Issued ID

@MattWallace22

@thematthewwallacefoundation



THE MATTHEW WALLACE FOUNDATION®

Please visit: matthewwallace.org

Prayer Requests For The Sick & Endangered

Remember in your prayers all those in our parish who are sick, that they may find health and comfort. You are invited to submit names of your family members who are in need of prayer.

Name: _____

Thomas Adams, Baby Lily Dauksza, Salvatore Dovi, Nancy & Joseph Mazzella, Baby Wyatt Lopez, Ryder Michael, Thomas Disney, Baby Peter Noone, John Kelly, Frances Martin, Giuseppe Rotondo, Mary Kelliher, Betty Kolvek,

PLEASE NOTE: Names are published for 2 weeks only. If you wish to continue please submit again following the two week period.

CUT THIS BOX OUT AND RETURN TO THE RECTORY OFFICE

Rambling House

Restaurant & Bar

SERVING TRADITIONAL IRISH & AMERICAN CUISINE

Banquet Room & Private Bar – Live Irish Music
Daily Lunch & Dinner Specials - Sunday Brunch
Showing All Sports on Large Screen HD TVs
Late Night Menu Live Music Thursday-Sunday
Gift Certificates Available

www.RamblingHouse.com

4292 Katonah Ave. (718) 798-4510

CANTY

IMMIGRATION LAW

Christina M. Canty, Esq.
Green Cards, Citizenship,
Waivers, Deportation Defense,
VAWA, U, T, & More
(718) 801-5387
cantylawfirm@gmail.com

WITH GOD,
**ALL
THINGS
ARE
POSSIBLE**



NEW HEIGHTS CONSTRUCTION LLC

ASBESTOS REMOVAL
MOLD REMOVAL
LEAD PAINT REMOVAL

Need an Architect?

Need Permits?

NEW CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

We get the job done the right way!

CALL NOW FOR A FREE ESTIMATE!

917-642-0195 • 718-767-0044

www.NewHeightsConstructionLLC.com

NewHeightsConstructionNYC@gmail.com

NYC Lic #1191201

EMERALD ISLE IMMIGRATION CENTER

~ Volunteer For Your Local Community, Contact Us Today! ~

4275 Katonah Ave., Bronx (Woodlawn), NY 10470
718-324-3039 Fax 718-324-7741
www.eiic.org carmel@eiic.org

Since 1986



Award Winning Fresh Mozzarella
Quality Hot & Cold Catering • Cold Cuts • Cheeses
Fresh Breads & Imported Grocery Since 1986

914-237-2389

www.avitabledeli.com

avitabledeli@gmail.com

1016 McLean Avenue • Yonkers, NY 10704

GENERAL DENTISTRY

Dr. Laarni A. Abanto

4300 Katonah Ave., Bronx

718-325-7356

OFFICE HOURS BY APPOINTMENT

PLEASE
SUPPORT OUR
ADVERTISERS
THEY SUPPORT
OUR PARISH


**Saint Joseph's
Medical Center**

saintjosephs.org

HERE FOR YOU

Your only Catholic Hospital in NYC and Westchester.



FIND A
PHYSICIAN

MILLENNIUM CAR SERVICE
SERVING WOODLAWN, YONKERS,
ALL AIRPORTS AND METRO REGION
845-216-4064

EDGE CUSTOM WOOD FLOORING INC.
INSTALLATION, SANDING & FINISHING OF WOOD FLOORS
917-806-6103 • 86 Dunwoodie Street • Yonkers, NY 10704
edgehardwood.com • jerome@edgehardwood.com

PAULINE M. GALVIN
ATTORNEY AT LAW

REAL ESTATE • WILLS
TRUSTS • ESTATES

849 McLean Avenue • Yonkers, NY
914.237.4300



Epiphany Homecare

A Filipino owned agency that provides
stay-in and live-out affordable caregivers
in the comfort and safety of their homes.

Fani: 914.481.9465
or 347.769.3364

CALL John
646.437.7166

RORY DOLAN'S

RESTAURANT,
BAR & CATERERS

890 McLean Avenue
Yonkers, NY 10704

914-776-2946

www.rorydolans.com

Open 7 Days A Week
365 Days Of The Year

Catering For Up To 400 People
Weddings, Showers, Christenings,
Benefits, Retirements, Memorial Events,
Birthday Parties (Sweet 16's)

BEAUTIFUL PRIVATE ROOM AVAILABLE



ASPCA
ASPCA.ORG
WE ARE THEIR VOICE®

www.aspca.org

ADVERTISERS NEEDED!
PLEASE CALL MIKE MAGRINO
1-800-883-4343 Ext. 90
or CELL 609-721-1244



Aisling
IRISH COMMUNITY
& CULTURAL CENTER

914-237-5121

- Retiree activities including lunch, Men's shed and entertainment
- Classes in Yoga, Pilates, Karate, Art & Youth Club
- Irish Volunteers for the Homeless

Follow us on   

990 McLean Ave. • Yonkers, NY 10704 • www.aislingcenter.org

Hodder Farena Funeral Home

899 McLean Ave. Yonkers, NY
(914) 237-5800
www.HodderFuneralHome.com

Locally Owned & Operated by
the Farena Family
5 Generations of Service since 1896

"The Difference is in The Caring"

F.M.G. AUTO CENTER, Inc.
Complete Auto Body Work & Painting
Cristofaro Brothers All Work Guaranteed
(914) 237-7392 (914) 237-7677
806-810 McLean Avenue • Yonkers

For All Your Insurance Needs Contact:
Geraldine & Noel McGovern
G&N McGovern Insurance Agency Inc.
Tel: 914-803-1300 • Fax: 914-803-1600
837 McLEAN AVENUE • YONKERS, NY 10704

C. COMMISSO & SONS CONTRACTORS
Water & Sewer Line Excavating
Drainage • Drywell • Grading • Paving
Pipe Locating • Sewer Line Inspection
Family Owned & Operated - 3rd Generation
YONKERS, NY 914-776-2718 FULLY INSURED

JP Kelly's Pub

SIX TV'S • POOL TABLE & DARTS AVAILABLE
PARTY ROOM ON SECOND
FLOOR FOR ALL OCCASIONS
also Backyard Barbecues
718.325.5253
23 EAST 233RD ST • BRONX

DR. MARTIN P. McGRATH
DR. MARTIN P. McGRATH, JR.
Board Certified Podiatrists
~ COMPLETE FOOT CARE ~
984 NORTH BROADWAY • SUITE 502 • YONKERS, NY 10701 914-966-0809

AMAZING KICKERS
Soccer Classes
Private Groups
Birthday Parties
COACHING CHILDREN'S SOCCER AGES 2-10
914.409.9929
Ewestchester@amazingkickers.com
Social Media: @Amazingkickersny
12+ Years Experience | Family Owned & Operated | Licensed | CPR Certified

NEW HEIGHTS CONSTRUCTION LLC
WINTER SPECIALS ON KITCHEN & BATH



KITCHEN & BATH
Complete Renovation & Remodeling, Expert Tile & Granite & Quartz
SIDING, ROOFING & WINDOWS
Waterproofing, Gutters, Soffit & Fascia Repair, and more
FENCES, DECKS & AWNINGS
Wood, Cedar, PVC, Stainless Steel, Chain Link, etc.
Pressure Treated and Composite Decking
MASONRY WORK
Concrete Sidewalk Violations • Porches • Brick and Granite Steps
Paver Stones • Brick Pointing • Stucco, etc.
INTERIOR FLOORING & PAINTING

SOPHIE SAYS GIVE US A CALL AND ASK FOR BIG JOHN FOR PERSONALIZED SERVICE AND BEST PRICES
CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED (VISA, AMEX, DISCOVER, MASTERCARD)
(917) 642-0195 • (718) 767-0044
NEWHEIGHTSCONSTRUCTIONLLC.com
NYC Lic#1191201

Big Time John's
Professional DJ Entertainment
Let us entertain on your special day!
914-771-7200
BigTimeWeddings.com • 2100 Central Park Avenue • Yonkers, NY

THE LAW OFFICES of JOSEPH A. MARRA, PLLC
Real Estate | Personal Injury | Elder Law
Wills, Trusts, Estates | Corporate | Matrimonial
www.marralaw.com
909 Midland Ave., Yonkers, NY 10704
914.964.6806
(Evening Hours By Appointment)

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS
THEY SUPPORT OUR PARISH

Call Robert Today!
914-237-1922
vancortlandtdental.com

Van Cortlandt Dental Care
IMPLANT & FAMILY DENTISTRY

Diana Gabriel, DDS
632 McLean Avenue
Yonkers, NY 10705

BUTCHER'S FANCY
"When UNEXPECTED ARRIVES, Don't Get ANTSY! Call ...!"
914-237-8260
www.butchersfancy.com
961 McLean Avenue
YONKERS, NY 10704

DENTIST
John Constantine, D.D.S.
300 Kimball Avenue ~ Yonkers, NY
914.237.3600

TRUSTED PRIVATE HOME CARE COORDINATION AND PROFESSIONAL RECRUITMENT SERVICES

CROSTON FLOOD
Contact us anytime
914-830-1669
hello@crostonflood.com

Proudly serving our communities across New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut for over 25 years.

New Patient Exam
SPECIAL
* For Children 16 and Under
\$29
• Exam
• Cleaning
• Fluoride

New Patient Exam
SPECIAL
\$65
• Exam
• Cleaning
• X-Rays

KIMBALL MEDICAL CENTER

PRIMARY CARE WE ARE HERE TO SUPPORT YOU AND YOUR FAMILY AT EVERY STAGE OF LIFE.

URGENT CARE WE ARE A WALK-IN FACILITY AND WILL ASSESS & TREAT ANY INJURY OR ILLNESS.

(631) 504-4531
354 Kimball Ave., Yonkers, NY 10704
Mon.- Fri.: 7:30am-8pm; Sat.-Sun.: 9am-6pm



Irish COFFEE SHOP
fáilte go siopa caife na héireann
www.theirishcoffeeshopmclean.com

OPEN 6AM-9PM DAILY
FREE DELIVERY 12PM-8PM
946 McLean Avenue
914-776-3309

POISON HeP
Call or go online to get free, confidential help for suspected poisonings.
1-800-222-1222 **poison.org**

Ballylough Construction Corp
Licensed & Insured
914.562.5821
ballyloughconstructioncorp@gmail.com



CLIVE'S TITLE IS FUNERAL DIRECTOR, BUT HIS REAL JOB IS CAREGIVER

Clive Anderson
Owner/Funeral Director
Caregiver

(914) 738-1060
PelhamFuneral.com

PELHAM FUNERAL HOME