

CHURCH OF SAINT BARNABAS



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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Saturday 9:00am to 12:00pm
Sundays – CLOSED

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

THE LORDS DAY

All Masses currently 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 12:00pm

RECONCILIATION

Main Church

Monday – Friday following the 8:30am Mass

Saturday – 4:00pm

SERVED BY:

Very Rev., Brendan A. Fitzgerald, Pastor
Rev. Joseph Akunaeziri, Parochial Vicar
Rev. John Smart, In Residence

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	Facilities Scheduler
John McQuaid	Facilities Manager

Mr. Jonathan Morano	Elementary School Principal	718 324-1088
Ms. Theresa Napoli	High School Principal	718 325-8800
Ms. Kerri Ann O'Connor	CCD Coordinator	718 324-0865

BAPTISM

Please schedule through the rectory office.

Baptism Instruction is currently suspended

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 ADORATION

Monday - Friday at 8:00am

Fridays 9:30am to 6:00pm

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.

If you have a question about the Catholic faith, we will always do our best to help.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Saint Barnabas Parish, a Roman Catholic parish, exists to live and to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ. We welcome all as we reach out to the entire community through prayer, sacrament, education and support.

Eleventh Sunday In Ordinary Time

June 13, 2021

First Reading: Ezekiel 17:22-24

God will restore the kingdom of Judah, as symbolized by the cedar. The deed is emphasized by the words, "As I, the Lord have spoken, so will I do."

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:6-10

Paul acknowledges "that we are, in a sense, away from the Lord while in this life and bound to our bodies." We will be fully united with God in the next life, if we please him in this life.

Gospel: Mark 4:26-34

The reign of God is compared to a mustard seed which is the smallest of seeds yet grows to become the largest of shrubs. Similarly, God's community grows gradually until it becomes large and strong.

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FACILITIES USE CALENDAR

September 2021 – June 2022

It's that time of year again and we really need your help in getting our parish calendar ready. We ask that all organizations pick up a copy of our **Facility Request Form** from the rectory office.

Please Note:

- 1) Blackout Dates apply
- 2) You must write **ALL** dates and times on the form.
- 3) Please supply an email address so that any correspondence/information may be done during the year.

As you all know our calendar of events can get quite full and because of that the calendar requires some time to prepare so we are requesting that all forms be submitted to the rectory office **NO LATER THAN JUNE 30TH**.

Late requests will not be looked at until all others have been accommodated.



*Happy
Anniversary
50
Years together*

Congratulations to our 50th Wedding Anniversary couples who were honored at a special Mass last Sunday, June 6th with His Eminence Timothy Cardinal Dolan at Saint Patrick's Cathedral.



*Deacon Vincent & Carol Laurato
James & Ann Treanor
John & Mary O'Connor*

Also, celebrating their 50th Anniversary this year

*Harry & Janet McNamee
Robert & Dorothea Fierro*



Father's Day Spiritual Bouquet Cards

Father's Day cards are available at the doors of the Church this weekend. This card is a Mass card for intentions at the Holy sacrifice of the Mass at St. Barnabas for Fathers who are **LIVING**.

To include your deceased father, there is no need for the card. Please use the envelope in your **offertory packet** to remember the deceased fathers in your family.

Novena Masses For Fathers During The Month Of June

Remaining:

June 14 th	8:30pm
June 17 th	6:30am
June 18 th	6:30am
June 23 rd	6:30am
June 25 th	8:30am
June 30 th	8:30am



Bereavement Support Group

The weekly sessions will help guide people through the grieving process in a safe and supportive environment. It takes courage to face the many feelings and life changes resulting from the death of a loved one. By participating in a support group, you will have the opportunity to share with others who are grieving, learn about the process of grief and be supported during a difficult time. Confidentiality is a key component to the success of the group.

The group is facilitated by Deacon Sal Mazzella who has completed the archdiocesan training program in pastoral bereavement ministry.

For more information or to register for the group please call the rectory at 718-324-1478.

JUNE 2021

Bread & Wine

60 Masses in one month: Philomena McCooey
Requested by: Patrick McCooey

Sanctuary Lamp

Sr. James Patrick Kavanagh
Requested by: Fran Mauro



Tithing & Stewardship

June 6th \$12,032.03

Energy \$2,832.36



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.



Women are invited to participate in a group whose focus is to increase in ones faith by learning or having a deeper understanding of our Catholic faith. The group will be meeting on the 3rd Saturday of the month in the Considine Center at 10:15a.m. in Room 1-6.

Come on **JUNE 19** when a DVD will be shown entitled ***The Gifts of the Holy Spirit***. A discussion will follow with an opportunity to share personal experiences as a way to support and enrich one another.

Contact Rose Baldiemail: rcb36@optonline.net.

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All 60 daily Masses in one month	\$100.00
All 9 Sabbath weekend Masses in one week	\$ 75.00
Four Sabbath weekend Masses in one month	\$ 50.00
All 15 daily Masses in one week	\$ 25.00
One Sabbath Weekend Mass in one week	\$ 15.00



Sanctuary Lamp Memorial

Weekly \$10.00





WeShare Online Giving

To strengthen stewardship at St. Barnabas Parish we request that you to consider utilizing a new and easier way to support our parish – Automated Giving through [WeShare](#).

What is Automated Giving?

An alternate means of support for St. Barnabas Parish instead of envelopes. In lieu of weekly collections, the WeShare program will collect monthly contributions from your checking, saving, or credit card account.

There is **NO** cost to participate in the program.

What are the benefits to me?

Allows you to plan your giving, in the same way you budget your other financial commitments.

You no longer have to be concerned about catching-up missed offertory donations when you miss a Mass because you are out of town, on vacation, ill, etc.

You can easily adjust the amount of your automated contribution (up or down) through the Rectory or do it yourself via a secure website access.

You no longer need to write a check every week.

How does it relate to the use of the weekly envelopes?

If you choose to participate in the Automated Giving Program, this will replace your weekly envelopes.

What about Special Collections?

You can specify your giving level for Special Collections and special celebration dates (e.g., Christmas, Easter) when you join the Automated Giving Program, or anytime thereafter.

How do I enroll?

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



Society of St. Vincent de Paul Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please email the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that together we can help those who are hungry.
barnabasSVDP@gmail.com



**Baptismal Instruction Classes have been
POSTPONED until further notice**

Parents wishing to have their children baptized at Saint Barnabas are asked to call the rectory to schedule a date.

SOLACE HOUSE
SUICIDE PREVENTION CENTER

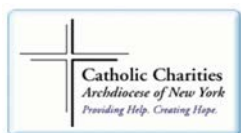
Solace House provides free one-on-one therapeutic counseling for people who:

- Are experiencing suicidal distress
- Have made a suicide attempt
- Engage in self-harm
- Have been bereaved by suicide

Services are completely free of charge and confidential.
All therapists at Solace House are Licensed Clinical Social Workers.

For more information or to make an appointment call
718 482-0001

Locations – 303 McLean Avenue, Yonkers, NY 10705
1040 Jackson Avenue, NY Irish Building,
Long Island City, Queens, NY 11101



Professional Counselling Service Available

If you feel the need to avail of counselling, St. Barnabas is pleased to introduce a confidential service available for a nominal fee of \$10.00 per session to our parishioners. The program is the Parish Counseling Network (PCN). Parishioners are entitled to 6 sessions with a Professional Clinician who can help with a variety of individual and inter-personal issues. Please contact your parish priests or deacons for more information to access services.



MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, JUNE 14

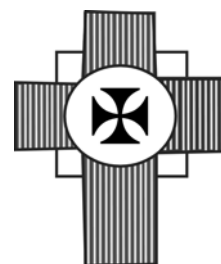
- 6:30 Intentions of Maria Diano
Don Doherty (7th Anniversary) and the
Deceased Members of the Doherty Family
- 8:30 Denis O'Connor
Tom Vushaj

TUESDAY, JUNE 15

- 6:30 Father's Day – Novena
- 8:30 James McGovern
Elias Ignatius Burke (12th Anniversary)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16

- 6:30 Maria Ferentini (Anniversary)
Barbara Herity (33rd Anniversary)
- 8:30 Robert Loos & Mary Callahan
Frank Legio & Luciano Labruzzo



THURSDAY, JUNE 17

- 6:30 Father's Day - Novena
- 8:30 Edward & Bridget Casey
Cathy & Benny O'Reilly

FRIDAY, JUNE 18

- 6:30 Father's Day - Novena
Kevin Moore
- 8:30 Living Members of the Lynch Family
Patrick Reilly

SATURDAY, JUNE 19

- 12:00pm Martin V. Larkin (34th Anniversary)
Robert Burke
Intentions of Ellen O'Reilly & Padraic O'Reilly
John Lynch (months mind)
- 5:00pm Patrick & Bridie Grummell and James Devane
Michael & Martin Roche and Thomas Feeney
John Kennedy
William Palmer (5th Anniversary)

IMPORTANT NOTICE



The church parking lot is available only while you are attending Saint Barnabas Church services.



Lectio Divina Reflection: Today's Gospel is **Mark 4:26-34**. When has a small seed planted in your life produced great things? Lectio Divina uses scripture to bring you to a deeper relationship with Jesus. Sessions are available virtually on Zoom -Sunday mornings, 8:45 to 9:45am. You may join us in person, by phone, or computer. All are welcome to participate from the comfort of your own home.

The Zoom link is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/228349778> or you may call by phone at +16465588656,,228349778# US (New York). Meeting ID: 228 349 778, Passcode 1Sunday. We will meet in person simultaneously in Considine Center Room 1-6. Wear your mask please. Contact Helen at mccocchiara@mindspring.com or 914-606-1489 if you have any questions.



Care & Prepare End-of-Life Education

Peace at the end of life begins today

Equip yourself with the tools and knowledge you need to face difficult decisions with confidence. *Care & Prepare* is a 30-minute educational video with essential information on Church teaching, practical guidance in navigating medical decisions, and advice on legal preparation for the end of life.

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For further information please contact: Sr. Charity, SV,
Assistant at sr.charity@archny.org 646.476.0931



Prayer Requests For The Sick & Endangered

Please submit names of all those who are in need of prayer, cut this box out and return to the rectory office.

Name: _____

Please pray for:

Jack Corrigan
James Brannelly

Lisa Cullen
Tom Grant

Micheal McMahon



Need help caring for yourself or someone else, but not sure where to turn with questions about:

- Housing for Seniors and disabled persons
- Health-related legal and financial issues
- Transportation options
- Access to healthcare
- Caregiver support groups
- Food and nutrition
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- Volunteer opportunities

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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:

Nathalia A. Santana Barrientos, child of Francisco and Anarky
Shane Patrick Skehill, child of Steven and Kimberly
Shayla Josephine Tierney, child of Sean and Natasha
Luca Jace Delgado, child of Jose and Kim



The Sacrament of Marriage

-We rejoice and wish lasting happiness to the following couples who recently celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage here at St. Barnabas:

Luis Odor and Adele Mackin
Kenneth Flynn and Kelly O'Gorman

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: **Michael "Mickey" Donnelly, Paul Dillane, Isabella Fitzpatrick and Sean Needham.**

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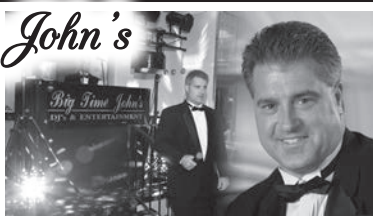
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