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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.

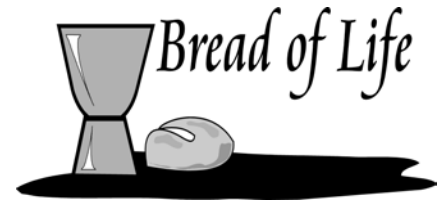
If you have a question about the Catholic faith, we will always do our best to help.

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.

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 1, 2021



First Reading: Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15

The Israelites complain that Moses led them to the desert and there is no food for them there. Then the Lord told Moses he would rain down bread from heaven so the people might know that Al, the Lord, am your God. God did as he had promised and in the morning the people found the bread that he had given them.

Second Reading: Ephesians 4:17, 20-24

Paul tells the Ephesians that they must give up their old way of life and live in accordance with the truth that Christ has brought them. He reminds them to acquire a spiritual way of thinking and to remember that they are made in God's image and act accordingly.

Gospel: John 6:24-35

The people Jesus had fed on five loaves of bread follow him, and Jesus tells them they should not be looking for perishable food, but for spiritual food. The people want a sign that they should believe in him. He explains that he is the bread of life, and anyone who believes will not experience hunger or thirst. The people did not fully understand that he was speaking in the spiritual sense, and not of actual food.

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Bread and Wine Memorials

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

Sanctuary Lamp Memorial

Weekly \$10.00



Tithing & Stewardship

July 25, \$10,037.60

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.

Vacation When you are on vacation it is appropriate to contribute to the basket of the church you are visiting in thanksgiving for its services to you. It is also very important to keep up your regular donations to St. Barnabas. Our bills remain the same, even on vacation time. Please remember to either advance your contribution or make it up when you return. Thank you for your thoughtfulness.

AUGUST 2021

Sanctuary Lamp

Jeanne Buckley Mescall

Requested by: Patricia & Colleen McGrath





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.

The Mayo Society of New York Annual Trip to East Durham to Honor

OUR LADY OF KNOCK Saturday, August 21st

Bus will be leaving St. Sebastian's at 7:00am

Second pick up at the EILC on Katonah Avenue

11:00am Mass at Our Lady of Knock Shrine

Followed by Lunch at the Shamrock House

Cost \$85 per person

For information please call
Betty 347 613-1303 or Noreen 914 643-1014





Woodlawn Run for a Cause have decided to continue to be cautious again this year and hold their run virtually

Please mark your calendar for **September 12th -18th** and [join them for the 15th Annual Woodlawn Run](#) – wherever you want to run or walk!

For the last 14 years, they we have welcomed more than 3,000 runners and walkers, and raised more than **\$150,000** for local charities. This year, they will be raising money to benefit the [Feeding Westchester](#) and [Fordham-Bedford Housing Corporation](#), local organizations with missions to help meet the needs of our community. In a year with so much need, they have been working even harder to support those affected by COVID-19.

Please plan to join them in a run this September, snap and share a photo of your run/walk, **donate to a great cause** and support organizations that are helping the community get through this difficult time.

Thanks for your continued support!

See you in September

For more information or to register for the event, please visit our new and improved website here: www.woodlawnrunforacause.org



Want to be a Catholic?

Do you know someone who wants to become a Catholic? Already Catholic, but have not received the Sacrament of First Holy Communion or the Sacrament of Confirmation?

Then the RCIA program is for you as well.

For more information please call the rectory office at 718 324-1478 ext 0 and leave a message for Deacon Sal Mazzella



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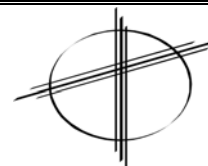


Save the dates

Join them on **September 22nd** for the **Saint Barnabas High School Golf Outing** at the Pelham/Split Rock Golf Course. \$175/golfer includes golf, lunch and dinner. Or join them for dinner only--\$75. Sponsorships available. All proceeds benefit Saint Barnabas High School. For more information or to register, contact Audrey Warn, SBHS Director of Advancement at 718.325.8800 ext. 11 or awarn@stbarnabashigh.com or visit stbarnabashigh.com.

Calling all Saint Barnabas High School Alumnae on **October 16th at 11:00 am** for their **Annual Alumnae Mass and Lunch**. All class year's welcome!

Recognizing milestone years ending in "0", "5", "1" and "6." Special recognition of Alumnae First Responders. Reservations required--\$75. For further information or to register, contact Audrey Warn, SBHS Director of Advancement at 718.325.8800 ext. 11 or awarn@stbarnabashigh.com or visit stbarnabasahigh.com



MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, AUGUST 2

- 6:30 Kevin McGovern
Lucy Boselli
- 8:30 Euphemia McMahon (15th Anniversary)
Cathy Breidenbach
Adele Conte

TUESDAY, AUGUST 3

- 6:30 Mary Schiavetta
- 8:30 Patrick Carey
Desiree Moore
Sylvia Mazzella

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4

- 6:30 Souls in Purgatory
- 8:30 Al Martin
Ned Moran

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5

- 6:30 Robert Edwards
Angelo, Ann & Douglas Napolitano
- 8:30 Patrick O'Donnell
Kathleen Dunne

FRIDAY, AUGUST 6

- 6:30 Mary Davey
- 8:30 Mary Matthews (36th Anniversary)
Rita Hoey

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7

- 12:00pm Dec. Members of the Reilly Family
Martin Coyne
Patricia Daly
- 5:00pm Patrick O'Malley
Mike & Susan Duffy
Patrick Carey (1st Anniversary)
Felico Giocomo Ruto & Giovanna Meffe





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.

IMPORTANT NOTICE



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

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.



THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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

Elliott Donohue, child of Bruce and Samantha

Lectio Divina Reflection: Today's Gospel is **John 6:24-35**. Name some worldly hungers that you feel pulled by. What spiritual food does God give to fill you?

Lectio Divina 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.



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

The Sacrament of Marriage

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

Derek Courtney and Pauline Murray



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

Lisa Cullen

Jimmy Mannion

Kathleen Flanagan



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 Joseph Sergio, Margaret Testagrossa, William McAdams, Maria Sampayo, Mary O'Donoghue, Joseph Firth Sr., Timothy F. Murphy, Matt Devane and Michael Maguire.**

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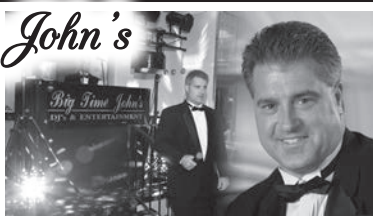
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