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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: stbarnabasccd@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"



Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 2, 2026



From the birthplace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Christian community is seeking your love and support through obtaining their handmade olive wood religious articles.

These items are here and on display today

Your help can and will make a difference in the lives of your brothers and sisters in Bethlehem.

Holy Hour

Join us on the
First Monday of
every month for a
Holy Hour

Next Date: Monday, August 3rd



The Rectory office is closed at
12noon on Fridays through Labor Day



POLICE-COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT AGAINST CRIME AND VIOLENCE

FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS OF THE YONKERS
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COME AND MEET THE MEN AND WOMEN IN LAW
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DEDICATED TO SERVING OUR COMMUNITY.

**This Tuesday, August 4th
5:00pm to 9:00pm at Coyne Park,**

BRING THE KIDS!
(and don't forget your lawn chair)
IT'S ALL FREE!
FOOD, ENTERTAINMENT AND MUSIC
(Yes, the Irish Dancers will be there)

Please attend, and Bring a friend



Want to be a Catholic? Already Catholic, but not confirmed nor received your First Communion? The RCIA program is for you as well. The classes culminate with the reception of the sacraments at the Easter Vigil. Since this is a process and not everyone is at the same place in their journey of faith, it is important that one make all the classes once enrolled in the program. For more information please email

Deacon Sal Mazzella at stbarnabasrcia25@gmail.com

Classes begin in the Fall



Office of the Archbishop
488 Madison Avenue, 3rd Floor
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August 2, 2026
Month of the Queenship of Mary

Dear Friends:

Parishes across the country are preparing to collect for the on Sunday, August 9, for the *Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa*. I ask for your support with this important sign of solidarity.

Your partnership over the past 20 years has supported seminary training, the formation of religious sisters and brothers, health care and hunger relief, and other pastoral ministries that address the needs of the growing African Church. I count on your usual generosity. When you contribute, you join with other Catholics in solidarity with the needy.

Your goodness to this collection has contributed to interreligious cooperation and more peaceful communities across Africa. I am deeply grateful to you for last year's contribution of \$263,201 and ask your kindness once again this year. You can learn more at www.usccb.org/africa.

May God bless you always.

As I remain -

Sincerely in Christ,

The Most Reverend Ronald A. Hicks
Archbishop of New York

RAH:df

Tithing & Stewardship



July 26th \$10,204.45

Thank you for your contributions



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.



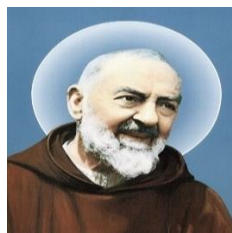
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Baptisms are conducted privately

The class for August will be conducted on

Wednesday, August 5th

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



Novena of Padre Pio

Please join us on the first Sunday
of every month following the 9am

Mass to pray the
Novena of Padre Pio

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

AUGUST



Bread and Wine

Mary McMahon

Requested by: Thomas McMahon

Sanctuary Lamp

Tracey Myers

Requested by: Steven C. Sell



Mass Intentions

MONDAY, AUGUST 3

- 6:30 Intentions of Eileen Sharkey
8:30 Patrick & Sean Tallon
Luke Mechmann

TUESDAY, AUGUST 4

- 6:30 Intentions of Mary Wynne
8:30 Helen & Pat O'Sullivan
Anthony Stevens (5th ANN)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5

- 6:30 Special Intention
8:30 Julia & John Grusaky, Jr.
Lisa Johnson & Family
Ansel Adams

THURSDAY, AUGUST 6

- 6:30 Intentions of Al Frank
Kathleen Devane
8:30 Intentions of Noreen O'Donoghue
Nicholas DeSantis

FRIDAY, AUGUST 7

- 6:30 Intentions of Mary T. Gormley
8:30 Frank Sullivan
Francis Murray

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8

- 12noon Intentions of the Ward Family
Kirk D. Arroyo
James McGrath
Mary Flynn O'Hara
Anthony Mazzella
5:00pm Joe Santillo
Maureen & Gerald O'Connor
Felicia Giacomo & Guglielmo Ruta
Josephine & Patrick Noone

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 914-403-6005 or email at barnabasSVDP@gmail.com



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**CATECHISTS & VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED FOR 2026-2027**



As we prepare for the 2026-2027 school year, we invite parishioners to share their faith and talents with our children by serving as a **Catechist** or **Volunteer**.



CATECHISTS

Help guide our students as they grow in their knowledge and love of the Catholic faith.

No teaching experience is necessary—we provide training, curriculum, and ongoing support.



CLASS TIMES

SUNDAY MORNINGS

SESSION I
8:45 AM – 10:15 AM

SESSION II
11:15 AM – 12:45 PM



VOLUNTEERS

Assist with classroom activities, attendance, hospitality, and other tasks that help our Sunday program run smoothly.



WE PROVIDE

- ✔ Lesson plans and curriculum
- ✔ Training and support
- ✔ A welcoming faith community
- ✔ The opportunity to make a lasting impact on our children

INTERESTED?

Contact us at:
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“The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few.” – Luke 10:2

Lectio Divina Reflection: Today's Gospel is *Matthew 14:13-21*. Jesus shows us we must begin to feed the hungry, and God will do the rest. When have you experienced this partnership between your action and God's?

Lectio Divina breaks open scripture to guide you to know God. Join Lectio Divina Sunday mornings, 8:45 to 9:45am. You may join virtually by computer. All are welcome. The Zoom link is <https://zoom.us/j/95103510810?pwd=cm4zY1J0a0VkOUpaemV2VUY1VkhUT09>, Meeting ID: 951 0351 0810, Passcode 1Sunday. Contact Helen at mccocchiara@mindspring.com or 914-606-1489 if you have any questions.

Catholic Widows and Widowers of Yonkers Annual Communion Breakfast will be held Sun, September 13th. Mass at 11:30am, Christ the King Church, Yonkers, followed by brunch at San Martino's Ristorante, Yonkers. Cash \$36 per person payable at the brunch. Members and guests welcome. Info/reservations, 914-423-5331.

Our Parish Information is just a click away.
Log on to www.stbarnabasbronx.org



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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: _____

Baby Lily Dauksza, Nancy & Joseph Mazzella, Baby Peter Noone, John Kelly, Betty Kolvek, Michael Fleming Jr., Thomas Adams, Thomas Disney, Thomas Trezza, G. Rotondo, Ryder Michael, Thomas Haller, Gloria Porco, Yves Achille Casimir, Mary O'Connor, Ed. Teadore, Paul & Carl Reineke, Mary Ann White, Michael Goff, Willie & Eilish Walker, Frances Byrne, Orla McCormick, Mary Hand, Pat Farewell, Chris Brazil, Linda O'Brien, Baby Charlotte, Pat McCooley, Ita Yager

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



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:

Gadiel Acosta Guerrero, child of Rolando & Marylin
Serenity Nicole Zayas, child of Nicholas & Jocelynn

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:

John Edward Mahr, Eileen Schmidt,

The **Matthew Wallace Foundation** hosts

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With essential food items.

DATE: ~~Wednesday, July 1~~

Wednesday, August 5

Wednesday, September 2

Wednesday, October 7

Wednesday, November TBA

Wednesday, December TBA



PLACE: **Kerry Hall** 305 McLean Avenue

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- You **Must** have a **valid NYS ID** (no duplicates or screenshots)
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- Arguing and shouting **will not be tolerated**, and disruptive guests will not be let in

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