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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.

Twenty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time

August 29, 2021

First Reading: Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8

Moses tells the people to always observe the statutes God has given them, without adding or subtracting from these laws. He reminds them that the law is just, and that any nation who heard their statutes would consider them a wise nation.

Second Reading: James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27

James discusses the gifts that God has given to all people and implores them to respond by welcoming the words of truth that can save them. He emphasizes that through good deeds and pure conduct, our faith in God is proven to him.

Gospel: Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

The Pharisees observed some of Jesus' disciples eating without first purifying their hands and ask the disciples why they are going against their ancestor's traditions. Jesus responds that nothing from the outside can make a person impure. The only true evil, acts such as fornication, murder, and greed among others, come from within and make a person impure.

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St. Barnabas Playgroup

Begins: September 9, 2019

A playgroup made up of children from infancy till the age of 4 accompanied with a parent or childcare provider. Each session is a two day a week for two hour session. There are only 32 spots available. Please choose one of the following:



Monday & Wednesday 9:00AM - 11:00PM

Monday & Wednesday 12:00Pm -2:00PM

Tuesday & Thursday 9:00AM - 11:00AM

Tuesday & Thursday 12:00PM - 2:00PM

For further information, please call Linda @ 718-324-1478 ext 240

REGISTRATION FORMS MAY BE PICKED UP AT THE RECTORY OFFICE



Remembering September 11, 2001

Please join us on **Friday, September 10th at 7:00pm**, the eve of September 11th, for a Vigil Mass in the Main Church to commemorate the Twentieth anniversary of their deaths. To remember them and to pray for their families who continue to live with the horror of that day still within them.

Following Mass we will process to the Grotto to pray the rosary. The location is extremely fitting, as it is in memory of our very own
Fire Fighter Sean Tallon!

Our Parish was particularly affected by 9/11 and we thought no better way to remember the fallen, than at the place they all called home. We have always stood by each other through good times and bad. We look forward to seeing you all!

All are cordially invited to join with us in prayer.

Together we stand, divided we fall!

Tithing & Stewardship

August 22nd \$8,643.00



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.



Dear Parishioners of St. Barnabas Church
On behalf of **Girl Scout Troop 1730**, we would like to express our sincere gratitude for your donations to our POW-MIA Flag project to earn our Silver Award. We could not do it without your support.
Through your donations, we will be able to purchase POW-MIA flags for all government buildings, schools, parks and libraries throughout Yonkers. You have truly made a difference and for this, we are extremely grateful! We would love the opportunity to thank you again!

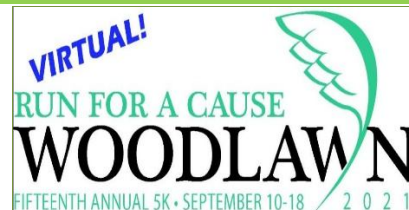
With deepest gratitude, and warmest wishes,
Yours in Christ,
Alana Kindelan and Natalie Naughton



MASS FOR THE ANointing OF THE SICK

**Saturday, October 9th at the 12noon Mass
in the Main Church**

All parishioners are welcome to offer their prayers for the sick and dying of the parish. Persons, who are seriously ill, have life threatening conditions or frail health due to old age, are especially welcome to receive the sacrament of the anointing of the sick.



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!

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.



MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, AUGUST 30

6:30
8:30 Intentions of John Brady
Richard Spencer

TUESDAY, AUGUST 31

6:30
8:30 Martin Coyne
Adele Conte

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

6:30 Mary Murray
8:30 Owen Fitzsimons
Dennis Walsh

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

6:30
8:30 Breege Syron
Elsa DeCicco

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

6:30 May Ginnane
8:30 Salvatore Labruzzo
Kathleen Clancy

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

12:00pm Michael O'Donoghue
Patrick Sheehan and Michael & Mary Regan
Richard Dunne

5:00pm Andrew Gilhooley (41st Anniversary)
Berrie Reilly
Sylvester Rodrigo
Anthony Stevens



Saint Barnabas Fraternity Of the Order of Secular Franciscans (OSF)



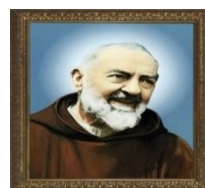
Profession

THIS Sunday, August 29th at the 1:00pm Mass

The St. Barnabas Fraternity of the Order of Secular Franciscans (OSF) happily shares the news of our upcoming profession. Jon Dobbs will make a permanent commitment to the Gospel Life as he is professed into the Order of Secular Franciscans. This Rite of Profession will take place during the 1:00pm Mass on Sunday, August 29th.

Profession in the Order is the culmination of over three years of initial formation. At his profession, Jon promises to follow the Rule of Life of the Secular Franciscan Order, pledging himself to live the Gospel in the manner of St. Francis by means of this Rule. St. Francis himself wrote the first "Rule of Life" for members of the OFS. Since Vatican II that Rule has been updated but remains true to the vision of St. Francis of Assisi. This Rule calls Secular Franciscans to live out their calling to the Franciscan life in a particular way in their homes and families, at work, in their parishes, and in the world. For more information on the OFS please contact Michael Korchowsky, OFS, Formation Director of the St. Barnabas Fraternity. (914) 374-6488.

SAVE THE DATE



On **Sunday, September 26th** you will have the opportunity to venerate (*but not touch*) the Padre Pio relic at the **10:30am Mass** and also at the **11:45am Mass**.

Lectio Divina Reflection: Today's Gospel is **Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23**. Examine the contents of your heart. What there is harmful to your discipleship? How can you empty what is not pure from your heart?

Lectio Divina is a gift for us to know God more deeply. 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.



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.



Bread and Wine Memorials

All 60 daily Masses in one month	\$100.00
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AUGUST 2021

Sanctuary Lamp

Jean Buckley Mescall

Requested By: Patricia & Colleen McGrath



Catholic Widows and Widowers is a social, religious and bereavement organization which helps to meet the needs of its membership. They meet on the third Thursday of the month at St. Ann's Church, (31 College Place, Yonkers) at 1pm.

They will be holding their Annual Communion Breakfast on Sunday, September 19th

Mass – 10am at St. Anthony's Church (10 Square Ave., Yonkers)

Breakfast - Fairways at Dunwoodie Golf Club **Cost - \$30**

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Saint Barnabas High School will be offering TACHS Prep Courses – Six Saturdays beginning September 18th through October 30th from 10am – 12noon. Please contact Mrs. Gina Nieves at gnieves@stbarnabashigh.com for more information.



Saint Barnabas High School will be hosting its Fall OPEN HOUSE on October 23, 2021 from 10am-1pm. For further information please call the High School at 718 325-8800.

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:

Lucian & Aurora Conklin, children of Joseph & Denise

Riley Anne Pisano, child of Brian & Kristina

James Michael Dermody, child of Ciaran & Geraldine

Owen Gary Babcock, child of Bryan & Katherine

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:

Nicholas Galimi and Caitlin Regan



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

Jerry Breen

Lisa Cullen

Maureen Murtha

Kelly Lappin



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: **Daniel Dooan and Alfred Joseph Camarda.**

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