

St. Bernadette

7600 South 42nd Street,
Bellevue, Nebraska 68147

Catholic Church



**No one who sets a hand to the plow
and looks to what was left behind
is fit for the kingdom of God.**

LUKE 9:62

**THIRTEENTH
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

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St. Bernadette School Mission Statement

I am a Disciple of Christ from
St. Bernadette.

I will follow God's plan to be the best
version of myself
through my learning,
my interactions with others and my
relationship with Jesus.

Parish Website.....stbernadetteparish.org

Parish Facebook page.....St. Bernadette Parish
Archdiocese of Omaha

PASTORAL DIRECTORY

Masses

Tuesday- Friday..... 8:00 am
Saturday Evening.....5:00 pm
Sunday8:30 am and 10:30 am
Confessions on Saturdays 3:30—4:30 pm

Parish Office

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What is love? Thinkers from Plato and Aristotle to one-hit wonder singer Haddaway have asked this question, trying to define it. The ancient Greeks categorized love into four categories: familial, friendship, romantic, and unconditional. Yet, St. Augustine would say there is only one type of love, and it comes from God. All love will share in the characteristics of God's love within the Trinity and for us.

So, what does this love look like? Pope Benedict XVI, in *Deus Caritas Est*, talks about the transformation that love undergoes. In our search for love, it moves beyond the focus of the self to the other. It no longer emphasizes the self but focuses only on the other. It stops us from navel gazing and turns us outward where we forget about ourselves. We are willing to sacrifice for them. A priest once told me that sacrifice is just another word for love. Are you willing to sacrifice your time, goals, dreams, wealth, and more for the other? Think of the greatest example of love: Christ on the Cross. St Augustine called Christ's death the marriage-bed of the cross. There is pain in that love being united to His bride, the Church, forever, yet He only thinks of her. He is not holding back anything for Himself.

So, how can we grow into this love? A common wedding reading is St. Paul's Ode to Love (1 Corinthians 13:4-8). I often thought of these verses as a nice little poem about love. But St Paul is calling us to the concreteness of true love. Substitute your name for the word "love". Where was I patient? Where was I kind? Do I keep a record of this person's wrongdoing? Am I persevering in the relationship? Allow your love to be refined like gold. As humans, we will rarely, if ever, have perfect love. Yet, with a God who is love, we share in His love. Lose yourself in the love of the Beloved.

-Zach Eischeid

BLOOM: Because Loving Ourselves and Others Matters, July 16 – 17, retreat at *Saint Benedict Center*, Schuyler, with *Deb Waskowiak* and *Julie Delkamiller, EdD*. The mother-daughter relationship is very special even as it undergoes numerous changes. This retreat provides opportunities for enhancing open communication between mom and daughter during the tween/teen years. By connecting faith experiences with meaningful conversations that are relevant for both mothers and daughters, the bonds are strengthened. There will be variety of activities designed to foster a healthy and loving relationship as well as an opportunity for Reconciliation and Mass. Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to Sunday, 12:00 p.m. Register now at www.StBenedictCenter.com or call (402) 352-8819.

Celebrating Your Creative Soul, July 16, one-day retreat at *Saint Benedict Center*, Schuyler, with *Glenda Dietrich Moore, BFA, MDiv*. During this quiet, contemplative day you will be invited to be playful in your praying while partnering your creativity with God's creative Spirit. A variety of prayerful scripture reflections, simple creative writing, and hands-on visual expression will be experienced. Simple art materials (watercolors, collage, and clay) will be used. Register by July 10. Program fee: \$45 (included materials). Lunch is available at the Center for \$ 12.08 (includes tax). Register at www.StBenedictCenter.com or call (402) 352-8819.



Around The Parish

§ Parish Financial Update §

No Financials this week

We are looking for people to make or bring cakes for the festival cake walk. Any and all cakes or goodies are welcome. You can drop them off at the church social hall

Saturday from 3:30pm to 6pm or any time after 8am on the Sunday of the festival.



Weekly Mass Intentions

Tuesday, June 28, 2022

8:00 am + Stephanie Terese Sommer

Wednesday, June 29, 2022

8:00 am + Frank Kokotajlo

Thursday, June 30, 2022

8:00 am + Marvin Coenen

Friday, July 1, 2022

8:00 am + Elizabeth Circo

Saturday, July 2, 2022

5:00 pm + Larry Foreman

Sunday, July 3, 2022

8:30 am + Robert Ciurej Sr.

10:30 am Parishioners of St. Bernadette

More than 150 Relics Coming to Nebraska
Spirit Catholic Radio Network presents Treasures of the Church—a relics exposition and healing ministry—at Scottsbluff, Sidney, Hastings, Grand Island, Lincoln, Omaha, Nebraska City Hartington from June 17th June 25th, 2022. More than 150 sacred relics will be on display—some believed to be as old as 2,000 years. Among the treasures are relics of Pope St. John Paul II, St. Therese of Lisieux, St. Francis of Assisi, St. Anthony of Padua, St. Thomas Aquinas, St. Padre Pio and St. Faustina. In addition, there will be one of the largest remaining pieces of the True Cross in the world, as well as, a piece of a veil believed to have belonged to Our Lady. Presented by Fr. Carlos Martins of the Companions of the Cross. Attendees are encouraged to bring their articles of devotion (such as rosaries, holy cards, etc.) and pictures of ill friends/family members which may be touched to the reliquaries as a means of intercessory prayer. The ministry has had reports of healing among a number of visitors to the exposition. Full tour details, such as location and start times, can be found at spiritcatholicradio.com/. The event is FREE and open to the public.

Do you want to help our over burdened priests? Please join in praying for them at 7 pm at the Holy Hour for Priests and Vocations at Our Lady of Lourdes. It is on the second Thursday of each month. Fr Andrew Roza will share his vocation story and lead prayers, including adoration and benediction on June 9.



Religious Education

All families that were in PRE last year were emailed a registration form for next Fall. Please fill this out and return it back to us so I can get a good count for books for next year. Also note on the registration form, you have the option to order the English or Spanish version of the parent book. I will be ordering books on June 14th.

If you are new to the program and would like information, please call the Faith Formation Office at 402-731-4694. Just an FYI, the Family of Faith Program is for not only the child but the parents as well!! This will be our 3rd year and our families have learned so much, this year we will focus on Christian Prayer

Heavenly Dusters

July 2 Ellen Stuva, Marge Egermier
 July 9 Liz Zoucha, Kelly Linder
 July 16 Laurie Callahan
 July 23 Mary Baker, Janet Kocourek, Terri Mac
 Theresa Yost
 July 30 Chris Ortner, Linda Harvey,
 Mariann Kokotajlo
 August 6 Rita Frickel, Mary Huss, Karen Langen,
 Patty Pogge, Tracy Kirby

Scrip Sales

July 2 & 3 Parish Group
July 9 & 10 Home & School
July 16 & 17 Altar Society
July 23 & 24 Men's Club



Prayer Line



*Please call Betty Rezek at 402-734-2531
 or Patty Pogge at 402-733-8234 to
 request instant prayer for those in need.
 Special Prayers needed for all military
 personnel.*

Our Parish Rosary will continue through
 June until July 4th, we will be praying a
 Patriotic Rosary for our country every
 Monday night at 6:30 in the church.



Prayer Shawl Ministry St. Bernadette Prayer Shawl
 Ministry is an active group of women who meet monthly
 to pray, knit or crochet prayer shawls and to visit.
 Our prayer shawls are available at no cost to anyone who
 would like to have one for a gift for a special occasion or
 for comfort during illness and grieving. Please check out
 our shawls in the display case behind the scrip booth in the
 church hallway.

If you crochet or knit at home but not interested in
 attending the group, please feel free to use your talent to
 provide shawls to those wanting or needing one. Or, if you
 would like to learn to crochet or knit, please join us. We will
 provide instruction and materials to get you started.

Donations of yarn are always accepted and appreciated.
 Contact Mary Benak, 402-733-8451, mbenak@cox.net for
 more information.

In Loving Memory

Please remember in your prayers
 all those who have been born into
 eternal life especially parishioner
 Mary Reis. May their souls and all the
 souls of the faithful departed, through
 the mercy of God, rest in peace.



The Rosary at 4:20pm before the
 5pm Mass on Saturdays will be for
 the intention of vocations.

Mowing Schedule 2022

June 19-25 Jeff Mimick, Conde Groski, Greg Zoucha

June 26- July 2 Clint Zoucha, Rob & Devin
 Knoblauch

July 3-9 John Kempf, Al Zimmerer, Greg Zoucha,
 Vern Muhlbauer

Sr. Lucia one of the three visionaries had stated that the
 blessed Virgin Mary had given her a promise that
 consecration of Russia would user in a period of world
 peace. On March 25th 2022 Pope Francis consecrated
 Russia along with Ukraine to the Immaculate Heart of
 Mary .

In every apparition our heavenly mother has invited us
 to say the Rosary as a powerful weapon against evil.
 To bring us true peace it can bring about a change of
 hearts and conversion. You can drive away from
 yourself and from your homeland many dangers and
 many evils.

This workshop consists of six-two hour sessions
 beginning at 10:30 AM on July 9th and running
 through August 13th. Through prayerful reflection,
 and with guided fellowship we learn to journey in life
 from grief to the life our Lord wishes for us. We
 come to understand, the healing path of this jour-
 ney through grief does not have to be alone. To reg-
 ister or for more information, contact Deacon Jim
 Tardy at 402/391-3711
 or jtardy@catholiccem.com.



Saturday, July 2, 2022 5:00 pm Mass

Lector: Tom Ackley

EMHC: Bill Loges, Cathie Pajnigar

Altar Servers: Eva Wurgler, Madelyn Vukov, Knyomi Turley

Sunday, July 3, 2022 8:30 am Mass

Lector: Bill Veys

EMHC: Jean & Lloyd Mill

Altar Servers: Hayley Fahrner, Leo Duda

Sunday, July 3, 2022 10:30 am Mass

Lector: Kevin McCoy

EMHC: Colleen McCoy, Dick Strauss

Altar Servers: Analeis Talley, Natalie Swank



Healing Prayers Needed for the Sick

If you have someone in need of Prayers, contact the Parish Office

Annabelle Berrera, Rick Becerra, Mariyln Boukal, Elle Burgess, Sue Casart, Leonardo Clymer, Nancy Courtney, Kathi Ciurej, Jean Circo, Rosemarie Davis, Charlotte & Dominic Cullenward, Donna Dailey, Mike Digilio, Dan Dube, Margaret Eipperle, Norma Flores, Louise LaFramboise, Amy Hamm, Lisa Hargis, Jeanette Hauptman, Barb Holst, Barbara Jansen, Paul Jansen, Carol Johnson, Carol Jura, Olga Kanne, Phyllis Knicky, Bob Knoblauch, Carol Kozicki, Donna Kubiak, Donna Krysl, Jan Lampe, Michael Macdonald, Mark Maeder, Jason Mathews, Lisa Meier, Deborah May, Carol McDaniel, Leonard Meier, Joel Rivera, Gail Micek, Theresa Mitera, Blanche Murphy, Charles Murphy, Sue Novotny, Maryn Page, Ellen Pankiewicz, Ella Peters, Jonathan Perez, Rita Perito, Keelan Phillips, Joe Pitman, Kathleen Prince, Jennifer Pryjmak, Jann Reinig, Mary Reis, Rita Rome, Jodi Ronnfeldt, Kelly Burkhardt Sheard, Debbie Schumacher, Mary Shriver, Isabella Sterba, Pam Stein, Holly Steidlmayer, Gwen Toledo, David Virgilito, Jim Vondra, Michael Winter, Claire Winter, Rita Willuhn, Theresa Yost, Annabella Zyla,

Vocations

ALL TOO OFTEN WE forget to express appreciation to those in service-oriented jobs, including priests, sisters and brothers. We forget because we think, "It's their job to help." Priests and religious aren't super-human. They need genuine support from those they serve. Let them know how you feel.

This week pray for Seminarian Kyle Wozniak. Read his vocations story and biography at <https://archomaha.org/vocations/seminary-life/Kyle-Wozniak/>

That men and women called to proclaim the kingdom of God by their lives of service as priests, deacons and in the consecrated life, will have the determination to overcome every obstacle to their response through prayer and the practice of virtue, we pray to the Lord.

“Serve one another through love.” Does a life of prayer and service as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life attract you?

Call Father Jeff Mollner at 402-731-4694 or email: jjmollner@archomaha.org.



Parish & School News

FESTIVAL TIME

It's time to stock the shelves for the Festival Grocery Booth. As you do your weekly shopping, please keep the grocery booth in mind especially if you see any 2 for 1 or discount coupons that can work toward some non-perishable items. Starting on Sunday, June 19th collection bins will be available at both entrances of the church (marked "Grocery Booth donations"). A;; donations are greatly appreciated to help with supplying this booth. We will use the following schedule:

- *Sunday, June 26, 2022 "Canned Goods Sunday"- Any Non-perishable canned vegetables or fruit.
 - *Sunday, July 3, 2022 "Saucy Sunday"-We need lots of Ketchup, Barbeque sauce or Salad dressings.
 - *Sunday, July 10, 2022 "Pop Sunday"- Bring in 2 liters or Canned Pop
 - *Sunday, July 17, 2022 "Festival Day" Please continue to bring us non-perishable items for the booth.
- Thank you so much for making this year's festival a success

**We are excited to be holding the festival again this year. Mark your calendars for Sunday July 17th, Noon-8:00 PM. Please note that this is one week later than usual.

There are a few ways you can contribute to the success of this event:

Volunteer. Please consider grabbing family, friends, or past students/parishioners and volunteer for a shift or two. We are also in need of some booth captains. See this [link](#) for available opportunities.

Sponsorship. You can fill this [form](#) out and drop your check in the collection basket or at the parish office.

Purchase Raffle Tickets

Bake Cakes for cakewalk or dessert for dessert table - These items can be dropped off after mass on the week-end of the festival.

Donate items for the grocery booth. See the bulletin or the website for details.

If you have any questions feel free to reach us at festival@stbernadetteparish.org

Mostly importantly, come spend the day with us! We are grateful for the opportunity to gather and look forward to seeing you!

Food Nights: Scrip:

*June 21 All Day Panda Express-72nd Giles

*First Tuesday of every month All Day Don & Millie's-Bellevue Please mention Saint Bernadette when ordering and a portion of your order total comes right back to our school! Scrip gift cards to Don and Millie's are available before and after Masses and at the parish office, making it a double wammie for our school!!! Thank you for your support!

Weekend Mass Gift Bearers: St Bernadette Parish is in need of gift bearers for weekend Masses. School families, PRE families, and parishioners are all asked to help. The sign-up has been updated and is currently available from current-Palm Sunday (SignUpGenius link here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0d4faca922a1fac07-weekend>) Bringing up the gifts is an important ministry in the Catholic Church, and allows us to participate in God's work in the church. If you have any questions or need help signing up, please email Home and School at HomeAndSchoolSBS@gmail.com

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Thank you