

St. Bernadette

7600 South 42nd Street,
Bellevue, Nebraska 68147

Catholic Church

SEPTEMBER 1, 2019

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



WHEN YOU HOLD A BANQUET,
INVITE THE POOR, THE CRIPPLED,
THE LAME, THE BLIND.

LUKE 14:13

Mission Statement

We the parish family of St. Bernadette are called forth by our Baptism to be empowered by the Holy Spirit and to follow the mission of Jesus to Worship, to Teach, to Love and to Serve.

PASTORAL DIRECTORY

Masses

Monday- Friday..... 8:00 am
Saturday Evening 5:00 pm
Sunday8:30 am and 10:30 am



Parish Office

Hours..... Weekdays 7:30 am—3:30 pm
Parish Office(402) 731-4694
School Office(402) 731-3033
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**Items for the bulletin must be submitted
9 days prior to the date of the Bulletin!**

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School Staff

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Registration New Parishioners may register on line www.stbernadetteparish.org, at the parish office or the back of church.

Matrimony Contact pastor at least six months in advance. (12 months for those under 19)

Sacrament of Reconciliation 3:30-4:30pm Saturdays or by appointment.

Baptism Every Sunday 11:30 am.

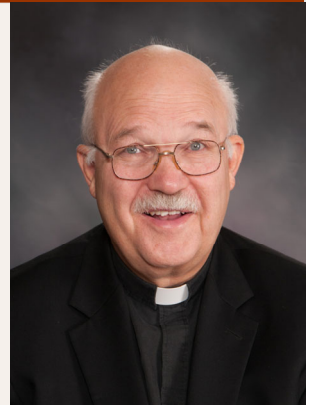
Baptism Classes Parents need to attend a pre-baptism class on the first Thursday of the month at 7:00pm in the Parish Office Meeting Room.

Please call the Parish Office to Register for the Class.

Communion For those homebound please call parish office.

Moving or Changes Please contact the parish office.

Fr Harry Buseness



Parking Lot construction

We have experienced a delay in beginning of this project, due to weather issues with our contractor as they complete other projects. I hope they will actually be able to start this week, on September 2. After they actually begin the upper parking lot will be unavailable for use for at least a month to six weeks, depending on weather conditions.

It appears that the drop off and pick up procedure for the school has been working well. Thanks to Mrs. Schultz for her leadership and to all of you for your cooperation. A project like this requires short term inconvenience in order to produce long term improvements for the parish and school.

Convent demolition

The contract has been signed and plans are moving forward for this project. This is a last appeal to anyone who has anything in this building and wants to remove it. You must do this as soon as possible. The project will begin this month and the building should be down before any snow flies this year.

Adult Faith Formation

Last weekend, members of our adult faith formation team hosted information sessions after the Masses. They provided information about the faith formation options offered by the parish this fall. Some people responded, showing interest. I would like to point out that some of the offerings provide an online option, permitting you the opportunity to participate at a time convenient to you. I would like to reaffirm my support for this effort here at St. Bernadette. It is provided to assist you in growing in your spiritual life. There are options covering a variety of topics offered at various times throughout the week. Please consult the information provided on page 3 of this bulletin. You may sign up for these faith formation offerings until Sunday, September 8.

Labor Day Mass

This Monday, September 2, is Labor Day. Mass will be offered at 9:00 am.

~Fr Harry Buse



Around The Parish

\$ Parish Financial Update \$

Donations 8/25/ 2019

Sunday Envelopes & Children's:	\$9,789.95
Holy Days	\$77.00
Total:	\$9,866.95
Auto Pay & Mail in for a Week:	\$3,405.60
Weekly Total:	\$13,272.55
Our per Sunday goal is	\$15,400.00
Fiscal Year to Date:	(\$14,748.34)
Parking Lot	\$118,431.92

~ Events of the Week ~ September

Monday	2nd	Labor Day Mass	9 am
Tuesday	3rd	No School 55+ Group	1 pm
Wednesday	4th	Consolation Ministry PRE Classes	4 pm 6:15 pm
Thursday	5th	Altar Society Mtg. Curriculum Night	6 pm 6 pm

RCIA for those wishing to become Catholic:

One way that we complete this mission is through our program of instructing persons interested in becoming Catholic, the RCIA process. We will begin this process of classes and spiritual formation in September. If you know of anyone who might be interested in that Catholic Church or who would actually like to join the Church at this time, you or the interested party may call the parish office and talk to Deacon Subby Enzolera or Fr Harry.



Fall Studies Registration open through September 8th. There's still time to register for our three Fall Faith Formation Studies. You may use the registration cards on the table as you enter church. Just fill one out and drop it in the collection basket or drop it off at the parish office by Sunday, September 8th. You may also register online by selecting the Faith Formation tab on the parish website - stbernadetteparish.org

ChristLife / Discovering Christ - Building a personal relationship with Christ

Sunday Mornings - 9:30 => Noon - Sept. 22nd => Nov. 3rd

Divine Mercy in The 2nd Greatest Story Ever Told- History of God's Love & Mercy

Sunday Evenings - 6:30 => 7:30/8:00 - Sept. 15th => Nov. 10th

Symbolon / Part 1 - Our Catholic Faith, A thru Z

Tuesday Evenings - 6:30 => 8:30 - Sept. 17th => Nov. 12th

FORMED Registration:

Go to the parish website - stbernadetteparish.org and find the box for 'FORMED'. Click on 'REGISTER NOW' and follow the instructions. No access code needed.



"You aspire to do great things? Begin with little ones." -St Augustine

Our Parish Religious Education (PRE) classes will begin this Wednesday, September 4th. Classes will begin promptly at 6:15pm. and will end at 7:30pm. Kindergarten- 2nd grade parents, please meet us in the church for closing prayer at 7:15pm, as you must be here before we can dismiss your child at 7:30pm. Also, please remember to return your forms from Back to School Night.

Liturgy Schedule

Saturday, September 7, 5:00 pm

Lectors Jean Circo

EMHCs Betsy Harding, Sadie Sidzyik, Patty Galas, Roberta Vana, Pete Vana, Agnes Flowers

Servers Eve Harding, Jackson & Eva Wurgler

Sunday, September 8, 8:30 am

Lector: Sue Casart

EMHCs : Angela Davenport, Joan Foreman-Mertz, Theresa Yost, Joyce Renner

Servers: Dezirae Hunter, Anthony Bogdanovich, Julia Davenport

Sunday, September 8, 10:30 am

Lector: Kevin McCoy

EMHCs : Colleen McCoy, Dick Strauss, Paul Derks

Servers: Thomas & Jane Hiatt

Weekly Mass Intentions

Monday, September 2, 2019

9:00 am + Kelly Bartman

Tuesday, September 3, 2019

8:00 am + Purgatorial Society

Wednesday, September 4, 2019

8:00 am + Tom & Pat KIELTY

Thursday, September 5, 2019

8:00 am + Ron Knoblauch

Friday, September 6, 2019

8:00 am + Ron & Lisa Gibilisco

Saturday, September 7, 2019

5:00 pm + Jim Gentile

Sunday, September 8, 2019

8:30 am + Leona Riter

10:30 am Parishioners of St. Bernadette

Altar Flowers



Wedding Anniversary
Greg & Mary O'Riley

8/25/19

In Memory of Marian Nzkuda
From
Butch & Sharon Szempzk

Rosary Times

Rosary every Monday at 5:45 pm,
7:20 am on Fridays and
4:20 pm Saturdays in the church.



Money Counters

Tuesday, September 3
Rosemary Mapes,
Joyce Renner,
Jean Mill, Theresa Yost

Heavenly Dusters

Sept 7 Liz Zoucha
Kelly Linder
Sept 14 Theresa Yost
Mary Larsen Mary Baker
Janet Kocourek
Sept 21 Mary Jo Kocol
Sept 28 Mariann Kokotajlo
Chris Ortner, Linda Harvey

Rosary Leaders

Sept 7 Donna Dailey
Sept 14 Dorothy Nelson
Sept 21 Rosemarie Davis
Sept 28

In Loving Memory

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

Gift Cards

Sept 7 & 8 Home & School
Sept 14 & 15 Altar Society
Sept 21 & 22 Men's Club
Sept 28 & 29 Parish Group

Mowers

John Kempf
Rodney Strese
Al Zimmerman

Prayer Line

Please call Phyllis at 402-733-3042 or Mary Lu at 402-679-3688 to request instant prayer for those in need. Special Prayers needed for all military personnel.



Parish/Community News

ST VINCENT DE PAUL PANTRY We have had so many calls for pantry deliveries lately that our shelves are getting a bit bare. We are good on cereal, canned veggies, and mac & cheese, but could definitely use some peanut butter, jelly, Hamburger Helper, tuna, canned fruit, Chef Boy R Dee items, small laundry detergents, hand soap and dish soap. Thank you for your generosity.

The Jr. Legion of Mary “The Immaculate Conception “ Praesidium will be starting on Tuesday Sept 10 at 3:30 for 1 hr, every week during the school year. We will be praying the rosary, discussing our faith and performing a weekly assignment .
If you are interested in joining the Jr. Legion of Mary please contact Patty Pogge at 402 681 7331

****Photo Directory we will have a make up day for anyone that was unable to make the previous dates for the photo directory. The make up date will be Monday, September 9. Please call the parish office to schedule your appointment today. For anyone that gets their picture taken they will get a free directory otherwise they will be available for purchase. 402-731-4694****

The Altar Society's first meeting of the 2019/20 year will be held on September 5th. All of the ladies of the parish are invited to attend. We will begin with a Mass at 6:00 in the Church, followed by a potluck dinner in the social hall. If you have never attended before, please come and give us a try. The Altar Society is a great way to make new friendships and to get involved in the parish community. Hope to see you there!

Healing Prayers Needed for the Sick

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

Lucille Bilek, Annabelle Berrera, Jeanie Berg, Peggy Burkhardt, Nancy Courtney, Mary Beth Casart Havener, Kathi Ciurej, Rosemarie Davis, Mike Digilio, Dorothy Dube, Cathy Edson, Margaret Eipperle, Norma Flores, Richard Franek, Trudy Gomez, Amy Hamm, Lisa Hargis, Jeanette Hauptman, Joyce Higgins, John Holst, Carol Kozicki, Donna Krysl, Michael Macdonald, Joan Maeder, Mick Marsicek, Jason Mathews, Carol McDaniel, Leonard Meier, Joel Rivera, Russell Mitchell, Theresa Mitera, Blanche Murphy, Sue Novotny, Craig Olson, Maryn Page, Ellen Pankievicz, Catherine Palinski, Ella Peters, Rita Perito, Keelan Phillips, Joe Pitman, Mary Ann Piscic, Kathleen Prince, Jennifer Pryjmak, Clarence Reinig, Jann Reinig, Rita Rome, Dennis Schafer, Kelley Burkhardt Sheard, Debbie Schumacher, Todd Sears, Dane Sinnott, Fred Stranglen, Isabella Sterba, Pam Stein, David Virgilito, Jim Vondra, Sherri Ward, Annabella Zyla,

Vocations

“FAMILIES AND VOCATIONS - "Christian revelation presents the two vocations to love: marriage and virginity. In some societies today, not only marriage and the family, but also vocations to the priesthood and the religious life, are often in a state of crisis. The two situations are inseparable: "When marriage is not esteemed, neither can consecrated virginity or celibacy exist; when human sexuality is not regarded as a great value given by the Creator, the renunciation of it for the sake of the kingdom of heaven loses its meaning". A lack of vocations follows from the breakdown of the family, yet where parents are generous in welcoming life; children will be more likely to be generous when it comes to the question of offering themselves to God. Truth and Meaning of Human Sexuality: Guidelines for Education within the Family, Pontifical Council for the Family, 1995

This week pray for Seminarian [Jared Ludwig](https://archomaha.org/vocations/seminary-life/Jared-Ludwig/). Read his vocations story and biography at <https://archomaha.org/vocations/seminary-life/Jared-Ludwig/>

“My child, conduct your affairs with humility, and you will be loved more than a giver of gifts. Humble yourself the more, the greater you are, and you will find favor with God.” (Sirach 3:17) Will you be humble and find favor with God as a priest?
Contact Father Harry Buse at 402-731-4694 or email: hjbuse@archomaha.org.



Home & School News

Home and School is looking forward to another great school year! We have many events and activities planned for the year to supplement the educational opportunities and enhance every child's and their family's experience here at St. Bernadette in the Catholic faith tradition. Thank you for your prayers and support throughout the year!

Come join other St. Bernadette families and support our school Wednesday, September 18 from 4-8pm at Five Guys in Papillion. 20% of your order total is donated right back to our school! Please mention St. Bernadette when ordering. Thank you for your support!

Home and School's annual fundraiser kicks off Friday, September 13! Due to such great response in the past, we are again selling Eileen's cookie dough this school year. We will be taking orders for the cookie dough before and after Masses the weekends of Sept 21/22 and Sept 28/29. Tubs of dough cost \$15, with a return of \$6 to our school. Cookie dough will be ready for pickup in the social hall on Monday, Nov. 4. Please consider supporting Home and School through this fundraiser.

Thank you to all of Baker's Supermarket shoppers the last 3 months! Home and School recently received a check for \$321.27. This money was used for the staff Back to School lunch. To participate, simply shop Baker's and swipe your Baker's Plus card. A portion of your grocery total comes right back to our school. To enroll your Plus card and assign St. Bernadette as your organization, either visit www.bakersplus.com/communityrewards or visit the customer service counter.

Community News

Columban Fathers Retreat . . . Journeying with the Saints

The saints are models of human excellence, perfected by the life of Christ and the communication of his Spirit. You are invited to spend a morning reflecting on the Saints and their impact on our daily lives.

Saturday, September 7th
Columban Priests Residence
1902 N Calhoun St.
Bellevue, NE

The retreat will begin with registration at 8:30 am and conclude with lunch at 12:30 pm. Please RSVP by Calling 402.291.1920 Monday-Friday, 8:30 am to 4:00 pm

Saint Joan of Arc Church, 3122 South 74th Street will host their Annual Church Festival - Sausage Fest on Saturday, September 7th from 6pm to 11pm. 5:00 pm Mass prior. Carnival games with Bounce houses for kids, Live band and DJ, Beer Garden, Raffle, Sausages with all the fixins and a fun Family event for all. All are welcome to join us.

Columban Fathers Annual Golf Tournament

Mark your calendars for Monday, September 16, 2019 and reserve the date for the 24th Annual Columban Fathers Golf Tournament. This year's event will be held at Tregaron Golf course in Bellevue, Ne with a shotgun start at 12:30 pm. To register for this event you can call Jeff Norton 402-291-1920 or Jolene Ryckman 402-291-1920

St. Thomas More class of 1979 is having a 40 year reunion.

Saturday October 19, 2019, 5:00pm Mass at St. Thomas More
After mass, tour of the school
6:30 pm Reunion in the party room at Legend's Patio Grill and Bar. 6920 Pacific St.

Anyone who attended elementary school with us and their spouse/significant other is welcome to join us. We are trying to contact all of our classmates. Please share this information with them. If you have any questions contact Eric 402-926-8431 ewizredsox@yahoo.com.

Seek Peace and Pursue It

All Catholic Women are invited to the 95th Omaha Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women Convention on Monday, September 16th 9 a.m.–3 p.m. at St. Rose of Lima Parish Center, 1316 W. 5th St., Crofton, NE. Guest Speakers are Sr. Rosann Ocken OSB and Linda Kerkman, President of OACCW.

Registration of \$25 due by Sept. 3rd. Registration covers morning coffee/rolls and lunch. Program includes 8 a.m. Rosary, Mass with Archbishop Lucas and Archdiocesan Priests. Make check payable to RNC Deanery. Mail registration to Diane Shafer, 402 E. Mosher St., Randolph NE 68771. Include name, address, phone or email, deanery/city, and parish. For more information call Diane Shafer, 402-337-0564.

