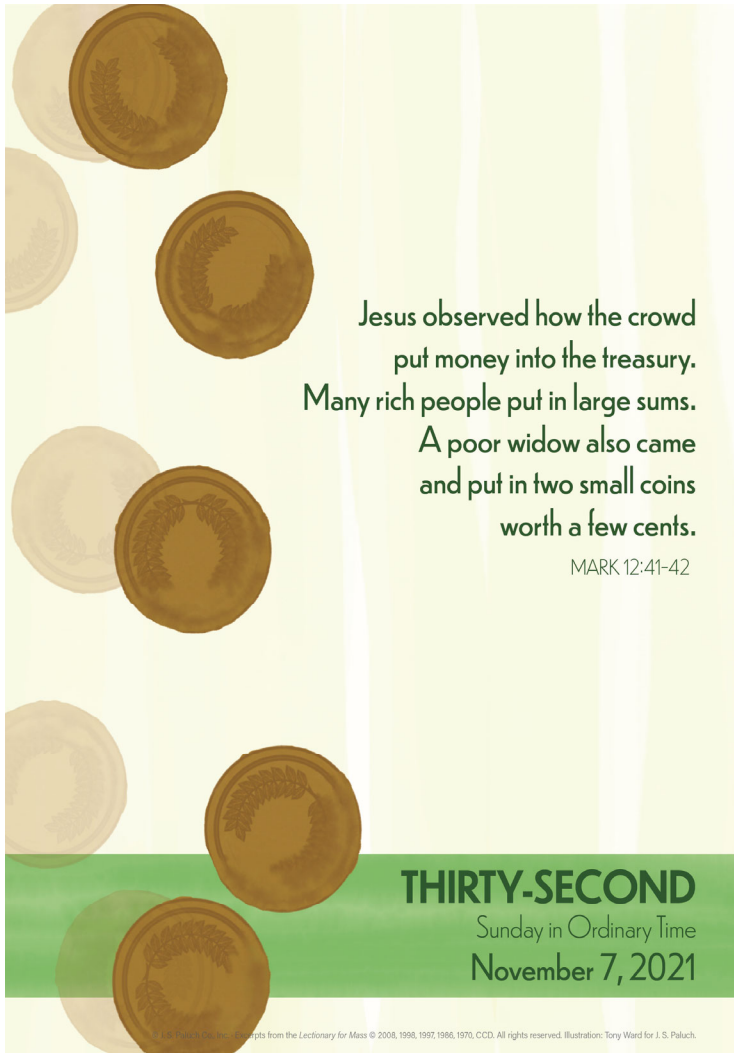


St. Bernadette

Catholic Church

7600 South 42nd Street,
Bellevue, Nebraska 68147



Jesus observed how the crowd
put money into the treasury.
Many rich people put in large sums.
A poor widow also came
and put in two small coins
worth a few cents.

MARK 12:41-42

THIRTY-SECOND

Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 7, 2021

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

Hours..... Weekdays 7:30 am—3:00 pm
Parish Office(402) 731-4694
School Office(402) 731-3033

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**Items for the bulletin must be submitted
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A Note from the Pastor

I would like to thank those who have already contributed to the Archbishop's annual appeal. As of Tuesday, of this past week, our parish has pledged \$33,518.00 dollars towards our goal of \$54,239.00.

One of the many ministries that is funded by the Annual Appeal is the Vocations Office that is responsible for both the recruitment and education of seminarians. This year we have 19 men in seminary formation, including our resident seminarian Zach Eischeid. While I am overly grateful for these young men studying to be priests, I am also very aware that the future continues to look very different from what we are used to in the Archdiocese of Omaha. Over the past 15 years we have seen the number of priests steadily decline. This year we have 118 active priests in ministry, by 2025 that number is projected to drop below 100. Which means that priests are being asked to take on more ministry outside of their primary assignments and those assignments now include multiple parishes, schools, and other ministries. I am not saying this to complain, but rather to continue to ask for your patience as we all learn how look at the role of the priest and the parish differently. The best thing we can do is to continue to foster vocations by encouraging the young men in our parish to discern if God is calling them to the priesthood. That is a task that we all share. I continue to be grateful for my assignment as pastor of St. Bernadette and chaplain of Gross Catholic High School.

Last week we completed some work near the rectory due to a water main break near where the dumpster sits, this is the second break we've had in that water main in the last few months. We were able to run a new line to the offices and rectory and shut off the problematic water main, we hope this will fix the issue. We also completed work on the church and school roof last week, they should be clearing out the remaining materials this week. Thank you for your patience during these much-needed repairs.

Have a blessed week,

Fr. Jeff

Every November 1st , the Catholic Church celebrates the solemnity of All Saints Day. We celebrate the victorious triumph of the saints, known and unknown, and ask for them to intercede for us here on earth. I like to say we each have a personal litany of saints. For example, I have a strong German heritage, so St. Boniface, the patron saint of Germans, prays for me. I went to high school at Pope John XXIII Central Catholic, so Saint John XXIII intercedes for me. I love to mow and garden, so St. Fiacre, patron saint of yard workers, prays for me. As a Husker fan, St. Jude, patron saint of hopeless causes, prays for me. So, this month of November, dive into the saints interceding for us. Look into the patron saints of your heritage, occupations, schools and parishes, hobbies, and special devotions to create your own Litany of the Saints to pray this month. All you holy men and women, pray for us!
Zach Eischeid



Around The Parish

\$ Parish Financial Update \$

10/31/2021

Sunday Collections \$9,174.33

Loose Coin \$282.25

Human Development \$ 10.00

Votives \$129.00

Capital Improvements \$650.00

World Mission \$334.00

BEAP \$80.00

Energy Needs \$40.00

Parish Endowment \$100.00

All Saints Day \$302.00

All Souls Day \$433.00

Total \$ 11,534.58

Weekly Mass Intentions

Tuesday, November 9, 2021

8:00 am + Piscic Family

Wednesday, November 10, 2021

8:00 am + Joseph Circo

Thursday, November 11, 2021

8:00 am + John Sporcic

Friday, November 12, 2021

8:00 am + Purgatorial Society

Saturday, November 13, 2021

5:00 pm + Alleen Wilks

Sunday, November 14, 2021

8:30 am + Robert Ciurej Sr.

10:30 am Parishioners of St. Bernadette

FAITH FORMATION

This week we celebrate some major feast days, including The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica, St. Leo the Great (Pope and Doctor of the Church), St. Martin of Tours, St. Josaphat and St. Frances Cabrini.

St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, also called Mother Cabrini, was an Italian-American Roman Catholic nun. She founded the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, a Catholic religious institute that was a major support to her fellow Italian immigrants to the United States. She was the first U.S. citizen to be canonized as a saint by The Roman Catholic Church on July 7 th , 1946.

To find out more about this fascinating saint, you may want to listen to an audio presentation about her on the Formed website.

Have you explored the FORMED website lately? It's totally free and jammed pack with wonderful Faith Formation resources. If you are not already registered in FORMED, simply go to our parish website for instructions on how to register.

Your generosity to the Archbishop's Annual Appeal is a commitment to be part of the Living Body of Christ. Please prayerfully consider the gifts you have received and share a portion of your blessings with others during this time.



Religious Education

During the month of November, remember your loved ones that have gone from this earthly home to their heavenly home. Spend time at your family prayer space this month and thank God for the gift of them and share your memories.

November Reminders

11/10 and 11/17- Sacrament Classes

11/20-Reconciliation Day!!!

11/24- No Classes—Happy Thanksgiving

Heavenly Dusters

Nov 13 Laurie Callahan
 Nov 20 Mary Baker, Janet Kocourek, Terri Mac
 Theresa Yost
 Nov 27 Chris Ortner, Linda Harvey
 Dec 4 Rita Frickel, Mary Huss, Karen Langan,
 Patty Pogge, Tracy Kirby.
 Dec 11 Rose Zoucha, Mary Sporic, Rose Tslentis
 Connie Tucker


In Loving Memory

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



Scrip Sales

Nov 13 & 14 Home & School
Nov 20 & 21 Altar Society
Nov 27 & 28 Men's Club





The "Legion of Mary" at St Bernadette's would like you to join us every Monday evening at 5:45 pm in the church for the rosary. Please Bring your public or private intentions

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.



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



Do you like to work with children and teach them about our Catholic Faith? Are you organized? Do you like to put teams of people together to help you achieve your goal? We are looking for an individual to organize and run our Vacation Bible School program. If you would like more information, contact Sue Reed at 402-731-4694 or sreedstb@gmail.com.

To celebrate **Vocations Awareness Week** this November, the parish's Vocation Committee and Home and School have teamed together to support our student's vocation awareness. We sponsored an art contest in the school for grades PreK-8th. Students were asked to draw what they thought of when they considered vocations. The goal was to have the students become more familiar with vocations and feel more comfortable considering the priesthood or consecrated life. Huge thanks to Mrs. Fanciullo for inspiring the students on their work. Two winners were chosen from each grade and are displayed in the hall near the church entrance. Please take a look at the art, pray for vocations, and consider planting the vocation seed in a youth you may know that would make a good priest, brother, or sister.



Boxes of Joy are back!!!!

The Parish Religious Education (PRE) and St Bernadette School students are working together to once again fill Boxes of Joy. We will fill these boxes and send them to our friends in the Dominican Republic, Haiti, Nicaragua, El Salvador, Peru and Guatemala. An information letter either came home with your child or was sent via email, please make sure to read it over. A collection box is in the back of church, if you would like to donate items, drop it in the box. Please be aware that no liquids can be shipped in the boxes. If you would like to make a monetary donation that works too. We can use the money to purchase items if we need to or this money can also be used for the shipping and handling

cost for each box. There is an informational poster on the bulletin boards both up and down stairs. Please help us help these children have a Merry Christmas.

"We cannot say that we love Jesus in the Eucharist-naturally, we want to put that love into action. We cannot separate the Eucharist and the poor."—St Teresa of Calcutta.



Ministry Schedule

Saturday, November 13, 2021 5pm Mass

Lector: Tom Ackley

EMHC: Pat & Christine Flanagan

Altar Servers: Evy Casart, Cheyenne Jacob, Eva Wurgler

Sunday, November 14, 2021 8:30 am Mass

Lector: Juan Jesus

EMHC: Joyce Renner, Barb Slaven

Altar Servers: Lianna Santos-Chavez

Sunday, November 14, 2021 10:30 am Mass

Lector: Kevin McCoy

EMHC: Colleen McCoy, Lisa Burkhardt

Altar Servers: Isabella Castro, Emily Munoz, Knoymi Turley



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, Nancy Courtney, Kathi Ciurej, Rosemarie Davis, Charlotte & Dominic Cullenward, Donna Dailey, Mike Digilio, Dan Dube, Margaret Eipperle, Norma Flores, Amy Hamm, Lisa Hargis, Jeanette Hauptman, Joyce Higgins, Paul Jansen, Patricia Jensen, Joaquine Johnson, Carol Jura, Olga Kanne, Phyllis Knicky, Bob Knoblauch, Carol Kozicki, Donna Kubiak, Donna Krysl, Michael Macdonald, Joan Maeder, Jason Mathews, Lisa Meier, Deborah May, Carol McDaniel, Leonard Meier, Joel Rivera, Gail Micek, Theresa Mitera, Blanche Murphy, Charles Murphy, Sue Novotny, Craig Olson, 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, Mary Ann Swaney, David Virgilito, Jim Vondra, Michael Winter, Claire Winter, Theresa Yost, Annabella Zyla,

Vocations

DID YOU KNOW... There is a difference between a “nun” and a “sister”. “Nuns” are women religious who have professed solemn vows of poverty, chastity and obedience and live a life of prayer and penance within cloistered communities. “Sisters” are women religious who also have taken traditional religious vows but are engaged in active ministries among the public. They usually live in a convent.

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

That those called to serve the Lord and His people as priests, deacons and in the consecrated life will be blessed with holy zeal in their prayers and apostolates, we pray to the Lord.

“Out of her poverty, she has contributed all she had.” Will you respond with generosity should the Lord choose you for priesthood or the consecrated life? Call Father Jeff Mollner at 402-731-4694 or email: jjmollner@archomaha.org.



Parish & Community News

Calling All 5th thru 8th Graders & Their Parents!

Gross Catholic High School's open house is scheduled for November 14th, 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. With opportunities in academics, leadership, athletics, activities and campus ministry, there are so many reasons to be a Cougar. Come see for yourself!

Plus, you can tour our new STREAM (Science, Technology, Religion, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics) focused Innovation Center with dual credit Learning Academies to see where learning is put into action.

Let us know you'll be joining us for a chance to win great prizes. For more information and to register visit bestschoolever.org

The Omaha Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women will hold its next meeting for All our Catholic women on November 9, 2021 at St. Patrick's Church, 3400 E. 16th St. Fremont, NE. The Omaha Urban (OU) deanery will be hosting. Registration begins at 9:30 am and the Fall Exec. Board Meeting will be 10:00-11:00 am. Mass at 11:30 am, Lunch 1-3 pm. OACCW Meeting - Presentation will be given by Leadership, Service and Spirituality. All Ladies of the Archdiocese are invited to attend the newly formatted day of fellowship, spiritual nourishment and blessings. Please contact OU President, Lauren Bopp, 402-553-7163, if you have any questions.

Eucharistic Miracles of the World Exhibit November 13-21

St. Matthew in Bellevue will be hosting the KVSS Spirit Catholic Radio Eucharistic Miracles of the World Exhibit November 13-21 in the church narthex. It features 39 panels that highlight some of the most powerful Eucharistic miracles in the world. Blessed Carlo Acutis designed and created the art for the panels before his death from leukemia at age 15.

Public Viewing Times of Eucharistic Miracles Exhibit:

Sunday, Nov. 14, 4 pm to 7 pm, Tuesday, Nov. 16, 6 pm to 8 pm, Thursday, Nov. 18, 6 pm to 8 pm, and Sunday, Nov. 21, 4 pm to 7 pm. It can also be viewed immediately following the weekend Masses: 5 pm Mass on Saturday, Nov. 13 and Nov. 20, 9 am and 11 am Mass on Sunday, Nov. 14 and Nov. 21. All are invited to attend Vespers with Exposition on Sunday, Nov. 14 and 21, from 5 pm to 6 pm.

Knights of the Holy Eucharist Talk Sunday, November 14, at 4:00 pm

A Franciscan Friar from the Knights of the Holy Eucharist will deliver a compelling talk about the Eucharist on Sunday, November 14, from 4 pm to 5 pm in St. Matthew Church in Bellevue. The Knights of the Holy Eucharist are consecrated lay Franciscan brothers dedicated to fostering reverent devotion to Our Lord in the Most Blessed Sacrament. All who attend are invited to stay for Vespers with Exposition from 5 pm to 6 pm.

Spirit Catholic Radio is bringing to Corpus Christi Church in Council Bluffs, IA an up-close experience of the most studied artifact of all time – The Shroud of Turin, what many believe to be the authentic burial cloth of Christ. On Nov. 9th at 6 p.m. in the Church, Shroud expert, **Jim Bertrand**, M.Ed. of the American Confraternity of the Holy Shroud, will give a special presentation and a rare viewing of a Shroud replica, as well as replicas of the Crown of Thorns, whips, nails and Holy Sponge used in the Passion of Our Lord.

Spirit Catholic Radio's newest traveling exhibit, **The Man of the Shroud**, will include 42 beautifully-designed panels on display in the Great Hall from Nov. 8 – 15. This exhibit will raise the questions, *“Could the Shroud be the most important archaeological artifact ever found? Does it provide clues to what happened during the crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus?”*

350 Bulletins
Thank you