

Be with me Father.
Be with me Son.
Be with me Holy Spirit.

St. Bernadette Catholic Church

9020 E 51st Terrace, Kansas City, MO 64133
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Priest Emergency: 816-653-0068
Parish Office Hours: Mon-Friday 9 am - noon

Mass Schedule:
Saturday - 4:30 pm
Sunday - 8:30 am
Weekdays: Monday,
Wednesday, and Friday - 8:30 am

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May 26, 2024

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816-812-2500 crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org

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816-392-0011 true.francis@diocesekcsj.org

Annulment Process

Contact Fr. Bryan at the Parish Office.

Baptisms

Please contact Cameron Engelbrecht
to register for the preparation class.

Bulletin Notices

Please submit in writing to the Parish Office or
via email to vonda@stbernadettekcmo.org and
judy@stbernadettekcmo.org by noon
on the Thursday 10 days before bulletin publication.
Our bulletin is published weekly, in color, at
www.stbernadettekcmo.org.

Interested in Becoming Catholic

Please contact Cameron Engelbrecht for more
information on the process to join the Catholic Church.

Communion for Homebound

We desire community connections. Please contact
the Parish Office when lifestyle, through age or injury,
keeps one from joining our weekend worship.

Food Pantry

Monday - Thursday, 9:30 - 11:30 am,
by appointment: 816-356-3700.

Marriage

Contact the Parish Office at least
nine (9) months before desired wedding date.

New Parishioners

Welcome! We are glad you are here.
Please see an usher or our Pastor after Mass,
or call the Parish Office, to register.

Reconciliation

Sunday, Wednesday and Friday
8:00 am or by appointment.

Religious Education Children/Youth Group

Please contact Cameron Engelbrecht for information.

Mission Statement

We, the faith community of St. Bernadette, strive to better know, love and serve God, through the teachings of His Son Jesus Christ and the graces provided to us through His Holy Spirit and the Sacraments.

Calendar of Events May 25th - June 2nd

Saturday, May 25
Mass, Peter's Pence Collection

Sunday, May 26
Reconciliation, Mass,
Peter's Pence Collection, Coffee & Donuts

Monday, May 27 - Memorial Day
Office Closed
NO MASS

Tuesday, May 28
Bernadette Buddies, Choir Practice

Wednesday, May 29
Communion Service

Friday, May 31
NO MASS
Bible Study, Altar Angels Church Cleaning

Saturday, June 1
Mass

Sunday, June 2
Reconciliation, Mass, Coffee & Donuts

Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, May 25 - Collective Mass
4:30 pm † Ed Sosna by Leo & Dottie O'Brien
† Tom Emory by Kathleen Grace

SUNDAY, May 26
8:30 am Pete and Denyse Laughlin
Wedding Anniversary

MONDAY, May 27
8:30 am **NO MASS**

WEDNESDAY, May 29
8:30 am **Communion Service**

FRIDAY, May 31
8:30 am **Communion Service**

SATURDAY, June 1 - Collective Mass
4:30 pm † Dan Baker by Barbara Baker
CCW

SUNDAY, June 2
8:30 am People of St. Bernadette
and Nativity of Mary

† Indicates Deceased

St. Bernadette Contribution

Report May 19

Regular Collection	\$	5,045
On-line Donations	\$	814
Loose Plate	\$	266
Mustard Seed	\$	1
Pantry	\$	150
Memorial Donations	\$	260
Peter's Pence	\$	55
Tomorrows Priest	\$	441
Total	\$	7,032

FREE Community Shred-It event

at

McGilley & Sheil Chapel

11924 E 47th Street

Kansas City, MO 64133

Saturday, June 1
9 am - 12 pm

Thank you McGilley & Sheil!

PAPER ITEMS ONLY

After much prayer and discernment, I have decided to terminate my employment here at St. Bernadette effective June 7, 2024. I have accepted a position at St. Mark Catholic Church and will begin working there on June 10. I have enjoyed serving the people of St. Bernadette for the past 23 years and hope to continue to serve in my volunteer role as usual. I appreciate your prayers as I move forward in my new role.

Yours in Christ,
Vonda Geary



Calling all Graduates

We want to acknowledge all those who have or will graduate this year and have any connection to our parish family (child, grandchildren, former St. Bernadette student, etc). Please email to Judy at judy@stbernadettekcmo.org, or call the office with the name of your family member who is graduating and from where they are graduating. We'll publish a list in the June 9th bulletin. Deadline to submit to Judy is Thursday, May 30th at noon.



*Please join the
Nativity of Mary Choir
for a fundraising concert.*

Corpus Christi Choral Festival

**Sunday
June 2 4pm**



CCW Clothing Drive

The CCW will be collecting clothing merchandise...
clothes, shoes, belts, coats, jackets, socks, etc.,
as well as cloth items such as bed linens, blankets, etc.
Items are being donated to Red Racks in conjunction
with the DAV and we receive 20 cents per pound.

Donated merchandise **must be in plastic bags**;
Red Racks is scheduled to pick up here on June 6th;

**Please contact Sue Riegel, 816-289-6381
for drop off arrangements or questions.**



Eucharistic Miracles of the World

St. John LaLande will be hosting the Vatican - approved international Eucharistic Miracles of the World exhibit
created and designed by Blessed Carlos Acutis.

Friday, June 7th - 8 am to 5pm, Saturday, June 8th - 10 am to 7pm, Sunday, June 9th - 8 am to 4 pm

St. John LaLande Parish Center, 805 NW RD Mize Rd., Blue Springs, MO

The Eucharistic Miracles of the World exhibit is a free traveling display on loan from Catholic Radio Network.

It features 157 beautiful panel that highlight some of the most powerful Eucharistic miracles in the World.

For more information, visit catholicradio.com/miracles

Women's Scrapbooking Delight

Saturday, June 22nd 9:00 - 12:00 pm

St. Bernadette Catholic Church, 9020 E 51st Ter, Kansas City, MO 64133



Mothers/grandmothers and daughters are invited to join us for an morning of scrapbooking.

Each family will be provided one scrapbook and materials to scrap your photos.

There are limited materials for 12 new scrapbookers. Seasonal scrapbookers BYO.

Please bring your photo's and scissors. Please bring a snack to share. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

RSVP to Lisa Linville 816-522-8786. Sponsored by the DCCW.



Join us this summer on an epic underwater adventure with totally Catholic VBS!

This is a fantastic way for your little guppies to make new friends, discover their Catholic faith and grow in love of God! Kids will enjoy fun and faith filled activities, learn about God's deep love for them, and enjoy tasty treats with friends! July 22-26, 1 pm 5:30 pm. Open to pre-k through 5th graders. Registration is \$25 for one child or \$30 (plus fees) for a family.

Please register at: <https://nativityofmary.org/vbs-sign-up-1>

Interested in helping out? Email cengelbrecht@nativityofmary.org



R.C.I.A. - Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Is the Lord calling you to a deeper relationship with Himself? Are you curious about the Catholic faith or considering becoming Catholic? Are you an adult who would like to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation? Then our RCIA classes (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) are the perfect opportunity for you! In these classes, you will:

- Learn about the teachings, traditions, and history of the Catholic Faith
- Connect with people who are on a similar journey of faith and find support and encouragement along the way
- Experience the richness of Catholic spirituality and worship
- Grow spiritually and intellectually
- Start your journey in becoming who it is that God calls you to be: His beloved child

Want to learn more?

Come to one of our inquiry sessions held on the following days:

June 8, and July 20, at 1 p.m. in the Lower Level of the Nativity of Mary Ministry Center!

For more information. Please contact Cameron Engelbrecht at cameron@stbernadettekcmo.org



Rite of Christian Initiation
for Adults

Please Help Our Pantry

Jello mix - Pudding (instant mix)
Canned Tuna - Crackers - Mac & Cheese mix
Boxed or packaged instant potatoes
Boxed or packaged potatoes like scalloped
Individual Bars of soap - Toothbrushes
Single roll paper towels
Individual rolls toilet paper

May Prayer Intentions

Pope Francis

We pray that religious women and men,
and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their
human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation,
leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.

Bishop Johnston

For parents who have lost a child through miscarriage.

Raytown Summer Lunch Ministry 2024

The school year is coming to an end, which means that many of the children in the Raytown School District will be facing food insecurity as they will not have access to daily breakfast and lunch. This is where Raytown Summer Lunch Ministry comes in with a weekly mobile food pantry style of grocery distribution. Beginning June 4th and continuing through August 13th, we plan to provide 150 bags of groceries each week to families in Raytown. In addition to seeking volunteers, we are also in need of financial support in order to keep this important ministry going beyond this summer. If you are able to assist us monetarily, checks can be made to Raytown Summer Lunch Ministry and sent to the address below. Contributions can also be made using the donation/fundraiser link on our Facebook page.

Raytown Summer Lunch Ministry Volunteer Sign-Up and Contact info:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084CAFA62BABF4C25-raytown>

Raytown Christian Church, 6108 Blue Ridge Blvd. Raytown, MO 64133

Mitsi Salisbury - codirector - raytownsummerlunch@gmail.com 816-807-4073



Please Pray For Our Parishioners

Alpine Breeze - Charles Capp

Lake Stockton Healthcare Facility - LaVern Fry

Lamar Court - Clara Lenox

Monterey Park - JoVita Kleinman

Seasons Rehab & Healthcare Center - Jim Davis

St. Anthony's Senior Living :

John Henik, Genny Knaebel, Dan Marra, Patricia Cook

The Gardens at Jackson Creek - Sarah Brough

Trustwell Living Center - Joann Walsh

Villages of Jackson Creek - Bea Robles

Wilshire at Lakewood - Joanne Ferdig

Glenn Albin, Kathy Albin, Damian Arredondo,

Virginia Arlint, Mary Carter, Jeanne Caster,

Patrick Chapin, Cookie Crosby, Gisele Dube,

David Evans, Maxine Friederichs, Ena Gonzalez,

Lori Grotewiel, Lucille Grotewiel, Diane Humphreys,

Annie Kaber, Jerry Kimberlin, Tony & Sandy Lalumia,

Tom Lyndon, Kathy Marlatt, Elias Martin,

Greg Marquart, Diane Martinez, John Neger,

Bill Orrick, Charito Ovalles, Dionisio Ovalles,

Paul Pace, Diane Brandt Page, Terry Plessner,

Jean Precht, Nancy Reves, Jerry Risser,

Bill & Helen Ruby, Judy Saitta, Kimberly Sanders,

Tattershall Family, CeCe Theisen, Dora Toledo,

Marcella Vaughn, Helene Vavruska, Alicia Young

Healing and Hope after abortion. If you have had an abortion and are still grieving, **Project Rachel** can help. Visit www.ProjectRachelKC.com or call 816-591-3804, 913-621-2199 or 1-888-246-1504. Complete confidentiality is assured.



The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combating sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse:

- 1) Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1-800-392-3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18)
- 2) Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911
- 3) After reporting to these civil authorities, report sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult to the Ombudsman, Joe Crayon, at 816-812-2500 or crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org

If the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee, or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph, the Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact Whitney True-Francis, Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 816-392-0011 or true.francis@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

Family and Friends Asking for Prayers

Darrell Harris, father of Mary Flannery; **Michael Shortino**, son of † Marguerite; **Denny O'Sullivan**, friend of Jeff & Teresa Thomas, **Deanna & Walt Cunningham**, aunt of Judy Carneal; **Nicole Friend**, granddaughter of Rosie Sosna; **Alivia Donovan**, great-granddaughter of Rosie Sosna; **Melany Donovan**, granddaughter of Rosie Sosna; **Jim Shepherd**, uncle of Teresa Thomas; **Maria Teresa B. Ana**, niece of Natty Pricer; **Phil Rotert**, former parishioner; **Andrew Lawrence**, grandson of † Ed & Rosie Sosna; **Sandy**, sister of Sharan Ness; **Maria Richichi**, niece of Nettie Gaughan; **Ruby Grace Comfort**, granddaughter of Bill & Helen Ruby; **Marion Saladino** by † Marguerite Shortino; **Dr. John Saladino**, son-in-law of † Marguerite Shortino; **Travis Nalley**, son-in-law Jerry and Mary Snow; **Luan Miller**, mother of Robin (John) Reed; **Anne Marie and Paige**, Medina family; **John Vaughn and family**, son of Marcella Vaughn; **Mrs. Noti**, friend of Helene Vavruska; **Rosie Dorge**, sister of † Art (Genny) Knaebel; **Regina Seufferling**, aunt of Linda Sapenaro; **Larry & Connie Barringhaus**, brother & sister-in-law of Aloise; **Greg Novak**, brother of Mike & Ed; **Shaun Brandt**, son of Willy; **Cisco Arevalos**, friend of Shaun Brandt; **Christy Mayer**, niece of Liz Tattershall; **Monica Ehlers**, niece of Liz Tattershall; **Richard Habigar**, brother of Liz Tattershall; **Ruth Hunnicutt**, friend of Virginia Arlint; **Debbie Huffmaster**, family friend of the Linton's; **Ruth Eissler**, former parishioner; **Mitch Mervosh**, son-in-law of † Ed and Rosie Sosna; **Rob Crosby**, son of Cookie; **Tom Sosna**, son of † Ed and Rosie; **Easton Elaine Epperson**, great-granddaughter of Kathleen and † Michael Mendenhall; **Arnold Richichi**, brother of Nettie Gaughan; **Laura Conroy**, granddaughter of † Mary Conroy; **Melinna Becerra**, fiancée to Sosna's grandson; **Andrea Marchese**, daughter of Patty; **Carol Lankford**, sister of Jean Fahlstrom; **Anthony Pricer**, son of Naty; **Mike Axon**, son-in-law of Beth (Coons) Osborn; **Bob Lamb**, relative of the Brandt family; **Lisa**, daughter of Betty Medina; **David Arlint**, son of Virginia; **Lindsay Jarquio**, daughter of Kim (Todd) LeSage; **Dan Habiger**, family of Liz Tattershall; **Lyman Braydon**, brother of † Rhoda and Cyndy; **Janet Como**, daughter-in-law of Jo Como; **Dean Kahler**, nephew of Mary (David) Kahler; **Brandon Lyndon**, grandson of Tom Lyndon; **Rosemary LeVota**, former parishioner; **Cheryl Martin**, friend of Liz Tattershall; **Carrie Giacometti**, former parishioner; **Isabella Angotti**, former parishioner; **Cathy Coffman**, friend of Claudia Dugan; **Benny Yslas**, friend of Chuck Linton; **Terry Burkes**, Linton family member; **Jack Robert Crosby**, grandson of Cookie; **Harold Mortis**, brother-in-law of Mary (Jerry) Snow; **Deverick Renner**, son of Erin Merrill and great-grandson of Tom & Mary Day; **David Tattershall**, son of Don and Liz; **Logan Ruby**, grandson of Bill & Helen; **Rose Marra**, daughter of Dan; **Dana Ruark**, daughter of Dee Phillips; **Joseph Shortino**, son of † Marguerite

ST. BERNADETTE MEMORIAL

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| † Barringhaus Family | L&D Dan Baker, Baker & Thies Families | L&D Gojmaric & Rozell Families |
| † Elton & Cindy Cook | L&D Riegel & Magyar Families | L&D Thomas E. Grace Family |
| L&D Michael Medina Family | L&D Hengeler & Maddock Families | L&D Don Merker Family |
| L&D Dee Phillips Family | L&D Fahlstrom & Lankford Families | L&D Scherer, Smith & Beykirch Families |
| L&D Jeanette Wood Family | † Maureen Humphreys & Carl Bendert | L&D Arrighi & Basso Families |
| L&D Muessig Family | L&D Gaughran & Richichi Family | † Jean A. Bruce |
| † Holloway & Slattery Families | L&D Family of CeCe LaFleur-Theisen | L&D Ray & Betty Rinas Family |
| L&D Ed & Rosie Sosna Families | L&D Gellhaus & Honeycutt Families | L&D Serraro & S.V. Gutierrez Families |
| † Rebecca Marie Lueke | L&D Javier, Barluan, Pricer, Zulueta, Farhat & Ana Families | L&D Abbott and Ridder Families |
| L&D Cookie Crosby Family | L&D Arrighi & Basso Families | L&D Members of St. Theresa the Little Flower Ladies Auxiliary of K of C |
| L&D Bock & Doelling Families | L&D Cushing & Malkmus Families | † Christian Glenn Bradley |
| L&D Marguerite Shortino Family | L&D Hohm & Knaebel Families | L&D Beem & Clauson Families |
| L&D McNamara & Palermo Family | L&D Carr/Calovich & Sapenaro Families | L&D Henik Family |
| L&D Hall & Meis Families | L&D Burgio & Saitta Families | † Plez J. Bradley |
| L&D Babich & Kauzlarich Families | | † Bernard & Sammy Brown |
| † Brandt & Marra Families | | L&D Ted Miller Family |

(L&D = Living & Deceased (†))

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