

Parish of SAINT BERNARD

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Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Weekdays

Monday	6:30pm (2nd-5th)
Tuesday	12:10pm
Wednesday	8:30am
Thursday	12:10pm
Friday	8:30am
1st Saturdays	8:30am

The rosary is prayed 20 minutes prior to each daily Mass. For a full listing of daily Mass devotional prayers, please visit our web site or call the office.

Weekends

Saturday	4:30pm
Sunday	8:00am and 10:00am

ADORATION

- ◇First Fridays, 6:00-7:00pm
- ◇2nd-5th Fridays, following the 8:30am Mass until 10:15am

RECONCILIATION

- ◇First Fridays, 6:00-7:00pm during the time of adoration.
- ◇First Saturdays, following Mass.
- ◇Each Friday, following the 8:30am Mass (dependent on presider's schedule).
- ◇Saturdays, 3:30—4:15pm
- ◇Sundays, 9:15—9:45am

WELCOME!

If you are traveling, or visiting this weekend, we welcome you to our parish and our community. If you have moved into the area from out of town, please consider becoming a registered member of our parish family! Registration takes place on the third weekend of each month. You may also stop by the parish office to complete a registration form or download a form from our parish web site.

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BAPTISM

Congratulations to our new parents! Please contact the Religious Education office to register for a baptismal preparation class.

MARRIAGE

Please inform the pastor of your wishes to be married six months before your requested date in order for preparations to be made. To be married at St. Bernard, you must be a registered member of the parish, or have an immediate family member who is registered.

PASTORAL CARE

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is celebrated after each weekend Mass on the third weekend of the month. If you are in special need of the Sacrament, please call the parish office. If you are hospitalized or homebound with extended illness and would like a visit, please call our pastoral care director.

PASTORAL EMERGENCIES/DEATH

Please call the parish office and use option one, regardless of the hour.

For more information,
including our Twitter and
Facebook pages, please visit us on the
Internet! <http://www.sbmsn.org>

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
JULY 11, 2021

WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF ST. BERNARD!



Dear Friends,

We've had a lot of significant developments on the fronts of the organ and redevelopment projects. Last week, the discernment commission submitted a request for proposal (RFP) on the potential redevelopment of the parish center to three firms. The RFP was drafted and reviewed by commission members, as well as our liaison from the Diocese. This was a significant step forward in our discernment process after being stagnant for so long due to COVID. The firms will have until August 15th to forward their ideas and potential redevelopment scenarios to the discernment commission. We're looking forward to receiving the proposals and continuing to dialogue about the potential redevelopment; having some solid proposals will greatly aid us in that process.

We came across some interesting pictures this past week from the Wisconsin Historical Society that I would like to share with everyone:



The first picture is widely known and appears in several of our pictorial books. The other two, however, are less known, and were obtained from the Wisconsin Historical Society. The first picture of the original apse was taken sometime in the early 1930's to the early 1950's. The second picture shows a very different apse – stark, with all original sacred art removed, taken sometime in the 1950's. The church was built and opened in 1926; from that time until the time of the photo showing everything removed from the apse was less than 30 years. To see how beautiful the apse was and what it was reduced to saddens me greatly. It was a different time in the Church as a whole, and sadly, our church succumbed to some of the “signs of the times”. The last picture is very telling of the original church, as it shows the original balcony wall and the columns before the limestone inlays were added in the 1970's. Removing the limestone would be an exponential cost, not to mention the refurbishment of the underlayment which has been covered for almost 50 years. What is possible, however, is to try and restore the original choir loft wall. You'll notice the beautiful arch above the center doors which was covered over at some point. Our great hope is to simply restore what lies beneath all the wood paneling as we prepare the loft for the arrival of our new instrument. We will also attempt to restore as much of the original look of the apse as possible. We're going to see if we can swing a canvas painting of the life of St. Bernard which adorns the apse wall in the original picture. I'm working with a vendor to see what that would cost. It would be wonderful to bring some of the original beauty of our church back into existence through our work to prepare for the organ. These pictures were a wonderful gift to help us uncover the beautiful treasure our church really is. The organ itself is being worked on by many skilled and talented hands at our restoration firm in Warrensburg, Mo. The project is actually a bit ahead of schedule due to a cessation in some other projects that the firm is working on right now. That's good news for us! I'll continue to keep everyone updated as these projects progress – an exciting time for our parish indeed!

We offer our prayers to the family of **Janet Jewell**, a member of our parish who died last weekend. May the Lord grant her the fullness of joy in His kingdom.

Peace and Joy,

Fr. Michael

SATURDAY MORNING MASS UPDATE

Beginning in July, we will return to our normal Saturday morning Mass schedule. First Saturday Mass will be celebrated at St. Bernard at 8:30am. For the remaining Saturdays of the month, Mass will be celebrated at the Schoenstatt Shrine on Cottage Grove Rd. at **8:00am**. You are most welcome to join us for Mass as your schedule permits. Confessions are heard after the morning Mass at St. Bernard, and 30 minutes before each Saturday Mass at the Schoenstatt Shrine.

RCIA VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

We are looking for adults with deep faith to join the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) team. There is also a need for sponsors from the parish for people inquiring about joining the Catholic Church. Please call Geri in the office to see if this is a ministry for you.



OUR GIFT OF TREASURE

2021-22 OFFERTORY BUDGET

Envelopes.....	\$403,550.00
Loose (Cash).....	\$ 38,000.00
TOTAL.....	\$441,550.00

NEEDED EACH WEEK

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OFFERTORY:

July 4, 2021 (Week 1 of 52)

Envelopes.....	\$ 10,986.00
Loose.....	\$ 864.13
Outreach.....	\$ 110.00
TOTAL.....	\$ 11,960.13

OFFERTORY PROGRESS

Needed to-date.....	\$ 8,491.00
Collected to-date.....	\$ 11,850.13
Surplus (Shortfall).....	\$ 3,359.13

ORGAN RECITAL SERIES



Come and enjoy an evening of glorious music in the air-conditioned chapel at Holy Name Heights in Madison, WI. The program will be held on Thursday, July 15th, at 7:00pm. Organist **David Jonies** of Holy Name Cathedral in Chicago, IL, will be performing Concert Variations on the Star Spangled Banner as well as

the First Symphony in D minor by Louis Vierne. All recitals are free and open to the public, with a free-will offering. The next organ recital in the series will be held on August 19th.

CEMETERY NEWS

Praying for the dead is a spiritual work of mercy. Join Fr. Andy McAlpin, OP, Pastor of Blessed Sacrament Parish, for Mass at Resurrection Cemetery on **Friday, July 16, at 9:30am**. Masses are usually held on the 3rd Friday of each month, and the schedule is available at the diocesan website.

You might have noticed some construction going on behind the Resurrection Cemetery Chapel. We are preparing to set the **new Our Lady of the Lakes Columbarium** later in the summer or early fall. Niches in the new columbarium are available for sale now at pre-construction pricing. Call the cemetery office 608-238-5561 for details.

GARAGE SALE

The 2021 Women of St. Bernard Garage Sale will be held on August 13th and 14th. Donations can be brought to the parish center on or after Monday, July 12th. We need children's books, electronic gadgets, toys and general household items, books, small furniture, tools, etc. We **do not accept televisions, computers or large appliances**. Questions can be directed to Carol Doran at 249-0082.



THIS WEEK'S LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Monday, July 12th

THE 15TH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME

Weekday

Ex 1:8-14, 22 | PS 124 | Mt 10:34—11:1

5:45pm Confessions

6:30pm In Honor of the Wedding Anniversary of Don & Sally O'Malley
(*ad orientem*)

Tuesday, July 13th

St. Henry (m)

Ex 2:1-15a | PS 69 | Mt 11:20-24

12:10pm Donald & Daniel Fettig †

Following Devotions to OLO Miraculous Medal

Wednesday, July 14th

St. Kateri Tekakwitha (M)

Ex 3:1-6, 9-12 | PS 103 | Mt 11:25-27

8:30am Marian Baltés †

Following Devotions to OLO Perpetual Help

Thursday, July 15th

St. Bonaventure (M)

Ex 3:13-20 | PS 105 | Mt 11:28-30

12:10pm William J. Patton †

Friday, July 16th

Our Lady of Mount Carmel (m)

Ex 11:10—12:14 | PS 116 | Mt 12:1-8

8:30am Living & Deceased † Members of the Harry & Hazel Imhoff Families

Following Eucharistic Adoration & Confessions

10:15am Reposition

Saturday, July 17th

BVM

Ex 12:37-42 | PS 136 | Mt 12:14-21

8:00am Holy Mass (*at the Schoenstatt Shrine*)

The 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jer 23:1-6 | PS 23 | Eph 2:13-18 | Mk 6:30-34

4:30pm Pro populo

8:00am Virginia Caravello †

9:15am Confessions

10:00am Veryl Kreigh †

Highlighted Time = Live Streaming

PRAYER LINE

The parish has many dedicated parishioners ready to assist you with prayer in times of need. To place your intentions on the Prayer Line, please call Connie (244-6624) or Carol (244-4817).





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