Parish of SAINT BERNARD 2438 Atwood Ave. | Madison, WI | (608) 249-9256



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	
Sunday	

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

Adoration

First Fridays, 6:00-7:00pmOther times as published

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.

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Michael Radowicz, Pastor *ext.* 222 | *pastor@sbmsn.org*

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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! <u>http://www.sbmsn.org</u>

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD JANUARY 2, 2022

WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF ST. BERNARD!

Dear Friends,



Many blessings to you as we begin this new calendar of grace. What will 2022 hold for each of us? Whatever may come, we know that belong to the Lord and He will continue to care for us and show us the way. During the first few weeks of the new year, we oftentimes make resolutions that we intend to carry out and make a part of our daily living. Sometimes, we might be a bit too lofty in our expectations, and our resolutions fall by the wayside not too long after they're made! Could I ask you, friends, to reflect upon the four holy habits that I spoke of at the Masses of Christmas and resolve to work them in to your daily life. They are : (1) To reclaim Sunday as the

Lord's Day. Try to refrain from work and tasks that could be done on other days. Make Sunday a day which is dedicated to the Lord and the bonds of family. (2) To come to confession at least once per month. The discipline of going to confession allows us to keep our sinfulness before us and it decreased the risk that we fall into a life in which sin isn't acknowledged. What a beautiful grace it is from our Lord to receive absolution, to be embraced by Him and to know that we have been restored to the life of grace: with our God, with the Church and with the Body of Christ. (3) Pray for at least 15 minutes every day. Prayer takes on many different forms, and perhaps you have a series of prayers that you enjoy every morning or evening. Whether it is a formal type of prayer, just sitting before the Lord or both, prayer is what strengthens us in the spiritual life. If we are people of prayer, our hearts are opened to know the Lord more intimately, and we grow in our faith and trust of Jesus in our lives. (4) Offer occasional acts of penance. Perhaps you might know someone who is struggling in health or there has been a calamity in the world that has touched your heart. When you offer an act of penance for situations like these, you yourself are spiritually close to the suffering, and what you yourself sacrifice is used by God to bring His loving mercy to those in need.

These four simple habits would make a wonderful resolution for the New Year. We'll be talking much more about these holy habits throughout the coming year and provide opportunities to come together and embrace these habits as a parish family.

I'm going to be away from the parish from January 9th – January 21st. Please know of my prayers for you during my time away. May the Lord bless us and grant us every choicest blessing as we begin the New Year. We ask Mary for her prayers to help us know the great love of her Son and to grow from that love which is poured into our hearts in every Eucharist we celebrate!

With love, Fr. Míchael



PRAYER MINISTRY

We are looking forward to forming prayer teams to join our prayer ministry. Information about this new ministry and training for it will begin in January. Those already on the prayer line or taking communion to homes of our parishioners who are homebound are also invited to attend the meeting. Contact Geri in the parish office with questions, pa@sbmsn.org or 608-249-9256, ext. 230. Please come and learn what's it all about!

- Day meeting: January 3rd 10:30am, Room 1 in the Parish Center
- Evening meeting: January 3rd 6:00pm, Room 1 in the \Diamond Parish Center



WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Please welcome Ann and John Scaife to our ₩ w being parish. They have recently joined St. Bernard.



DRAMATIC READING

We are looking for a few people who would like to read through a play, with the hopes of presenting it to the parish.

The play is called Of Roses and Redemption. Peter Williamson will lead us on January 17 and 24, at 6:30pm in the Parish Center. Please call Geri at the office to RSVP. 608-249-9256, ext. 230.

OUR GIFT OF TREASURE

2021-22 OFFERTORY BUDGET

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

NEEDED EACH WEEK

....\$ 8,491.00

OFFERTORY:

December 12 & 19, 2021 (Week 24 & 25 of 52)

Envelopes\$	14,947.00
Loose\$_	2,301.83
TOTAL\$	17,248.83

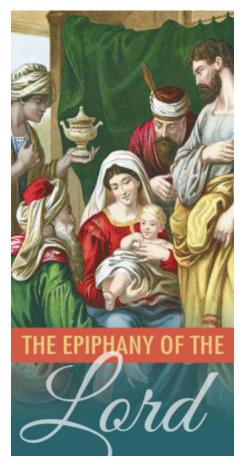
OFFERTORY PROGRESS

Needed to-date	\$212,275.00
Collected to-date	\$168,699.88
Surplus (Shortfall)	\$(43,575.12)

PRAYER LINE

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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).



SCRIP UPDATE



Our regular SCRIP order will continue to be processed on the first Tuesday of each month. January's orders are due in the parish office on or before Monday, January 3rd. Thank you for your continued support of St. Bernard Parish.

Monday, January 3rd

THE SEASON OF CHRISTMAS Christmas Weekday 1 Jn 3:22–4:6 | PS 2 | Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

NO DAILY MASS OR CONFESSIONS

THIS WEEK'S LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Tuesday, January 4th

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton (M) 1 Jn 4:7-10 | PS 72 | Mk 6:34-44

12:10pm Raymond and Mary Rumer †

Following Devotions to OLO Miraculous Medal

Wednesday, January 5th

St. John Neumann (M) 1 Jn 4:11-18 | PS 72 | Mk 6:45-52

8:30am Janice Werlein †

Following Devotions to OLO Perpetual Help

Thursday, January 6th

Christmas Weekday 1 Jn 4:19–5:4 | PS 72 | Lk 4:14-22

12:10pm Veryl Kreigh †

First Friday, January 7th

Sacred Heart of Jesus (V) 1 Jn 5:5-13 | PS 147 | Lk 5:12-16

8:30am Living & Deceased † Members of the

Burns & Rickey Families

Following Devotions to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Saturday, January 8th

Christmas Weekday Lk 5:12-16 | PS 149 | Jn 3:22-30 8:00am Holy Mass (at the Schoenstatt Shrine)

The Baptism of the Lord

Is 42:1-4, 6-7 | PS 29 | Acts 10:34-38 | Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

- 4:30pm Mary Gunski †
- 8:00am Pro populo
- Following Confessions
- 10:00am Living & Deceased † Members of the

Harry & Hazel Imhoff Families

Highlighted Time = Live Streaming



