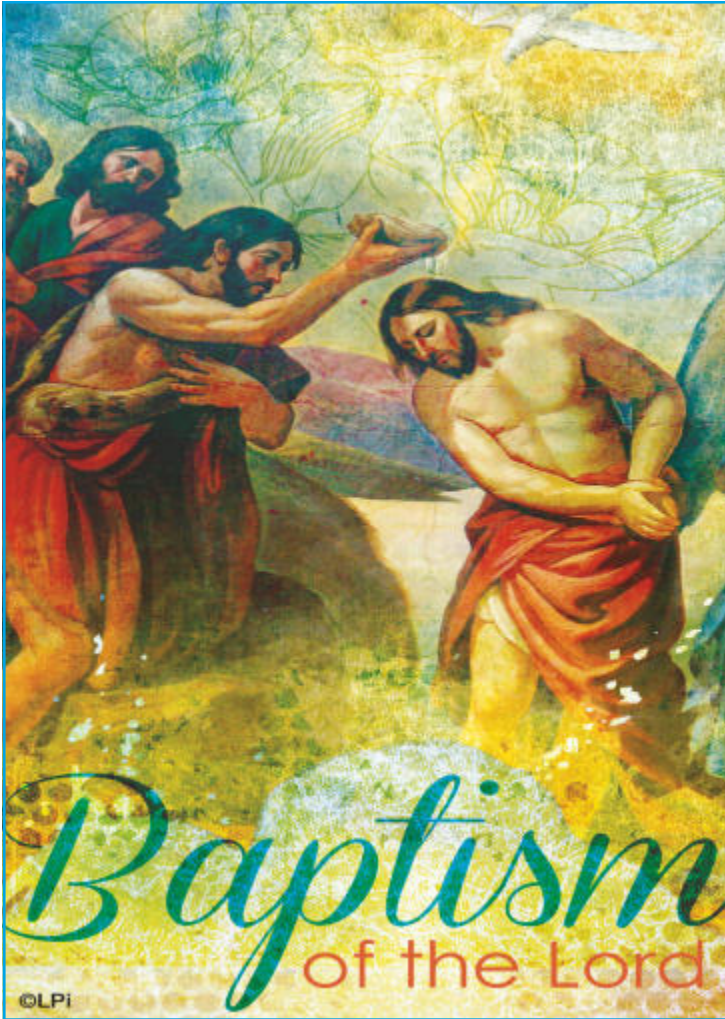


St. Bernadette Parish



PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Robert Reiker	Pastor
Deacon Michael L. Buckley	Part-time Deacon
Deacon Phillip Warren	Part-time Deacon
Sister Ruth Emke	Office Manager
Mrs. Mary Winkelmann	PSR Director
Mr. Joe Simpson	Music Minister

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Pastor Email: reiker@stbernadettelemay.org

Office Hours:
Monday – Thursday 8:30 am – 3:30 pm
Friday 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION:

74 Kearney Street (314) 892-5988
Check out our Parish website
www.churchofsaintbernadette.org

MASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday Liturgy
Saturday 4:00 PM
Sunday 8:00 and 10:30 AM
PSR Classes: 9:00 to 10:15 AM
Sunday Mornings September to April
Weekday Liturgy:
Monday through Friday 8:00 AM
Holyday Liturgy:
(Non-Holiday – Working Days)
Vigil (day before) 6:00 PM
Holyday: 8:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 3:00 to 3:30 PM
or by appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Sunday after 10:30 AM Mass. Registered parishioners should contact the Rectory Office at least three weeks prior to desired date.

Baptisms are not usually celebrated during Lent.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:

Registered Parishioners should make arrangements with the priest of the parish as soon as you are seriously contemplating marriage -

at least six months prior to the wedding.

Weddings are strongly discouraged during
Lent and the Octave Easter.

Holy Orders and Consecrated Life (Religious)

Those who feel called to this life are invited to call the Archdiocesan Office of Vocations at 314-792-6460 or see the Parish Clergy.

COMMUNION CALLS:

Holy Communion is brought to the homebound of the Parish. If you would like Holy Communion brought to someone in your household, simply notify the Rectory Office. **Please inform the Rectory Office if a parishioner is in the hospital or nursing home.**

PRAYER NETWORK:

Prayer Works! Parishioners are ready to pray for those in need. Ask and it shall be given to you.

Contact Gen at 892-2429
Audrey at 487-6077

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

Please stop by or call the Rectory Office to register. Enjoy the benefits of "belonging to your Parish."

All are welcome.

Please send bulletin items to the Rectory **in writing by 2:00 PM each Monday** for the upcoming weekend. You may choose to send them via email at secretary@stbernadettelemay.org

January 13, 2019 - The Baptism of the Lord

Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 12, 2019

4:00 pm Bob Koebbe

Sunday, January 13, 2019

8:00 am Sylvia Czaplá

10:30 am Robert Harris

Monday, January 14, 2019

8:00 am Sylvia Donovan

Tuesday, January 15, 2019

9:00 am Mary Ellen Mauer

Wednesday, January 16, 2019

8:00 am Dave Curran

Thursday, January 17, 2019

8:00 am Linda Lohman

Friday, January 18, 2019

8:00 am Communion Service

Saturday, January 19, 2019

4:00 pm Bob Harris

Sunday, January 20, 2019

8:00 am People of St. Bernadette Parish

10:30 pm Rosalia Krewer

Ministers for the weekend

January 19/20, 2019

Lectors

4:00 pm JoAnn Blumenkemper

8:00 am Linda Degenhardt

10:30 am PSR

Eucharistic Ministers

4:00 pm Pam Brown, Audrey Campbell
Denny Lanser

8:00 am Harold Neels, Kate Smith
Cathy Zimmer

10:30 am Amy Fix, Kathleen Kidwell
Christine Mulderig

Altar Servers

4:00 pm Tom Turner

8:00 am Don Pieri

10:30 am PSR

50 Plus Club News

January 24th 2019

Meeting takes place in the Cornerstone School gym; just a brief walk – or hop skip and a jump - from St Bernadette's church. Doors open at 6:30. Entertainment provided by the St Louis Ukulele Group will begin at 7PM and will be followed with the club meeting and refreshments.

The musicians in the Ukulele group have been playing together for over 10 years and although the ukulele is a well-known Hawaiian instrument featured at every Luau, the group will perform their Sentimental Journey/Malt Shop Mix, so leave your lei, coconuts, Hawaiian shirts and grass skirts at home.

Our trips are open to both members and non-members of our club. Our first day bus trip will be Tuesday March 26th and we're visiting *Historic Hotels in St Louis*. Throughout its history, St. Louis has been home to many of the finest and largest hotels in America. Among St. Louis' posh 19th century hotels were the Southern, National, Planters and Lindell. Thanks to fire, neglect and the economy, these hotels no longer exist, but countless stories about the hotels and their famous guests remain. On the other hand, we have recently witnessed the awesome restoration and conversion of some of the early 20th century hotels and buildings into first class landmark hotels. The hotels we will be visiting include the Cheshire Inn, Chase Park Plaza, Drury Union Station, Drury Plaza, Renaissance and Magnolia (Mayfair) Hotels. The bus leaves St Bernadette's parking lot at 9AM and will return at 4PM. The tour includes transportation, lunch at Guido's on the Hill, gratuities and the services of Linda Koenig a phenomenal professional tour guide. Deadline March 5th. Cost \$60. Please note there is moderate to extensive walking involved on this trip.

Our upcoming day trips are now posted on the parish website <https://churchofsaintbernadette.org/50-club-about-us>.

If you are at least 50 years young, please consider joining our group (only \$15 a year). We accept new memberships every month. If you have any questions regarding the 50 Plus Group, contact JoAnn Hoppe at 314-894-6920 or Wayne Winters at 314-846-7380.



January 13, 2019 - The Baptism of the Lord

Fr. Bob's Column

FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD – TODAY

The baptism of Jesus at the beginning of his adult ministry (about age 30) by John the Baptist puts the finishing touch on the Christmas Season. In the Gospel today we hear: "It happened that among the people who were being baptized, Jesus was also baptized." Jesus was placed in the midst of the people to further emphasize the context and the mystery of the Incarnation – the Son of God has become one of us in the human family.

On this feast we also reflect on our own baptism and remind ourselves that this sacrament and its life-giving water enable us to become part of God's family as adopted daughters or sons, and thus partakers in the mission of Christ who was born into our world.

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Please use the envelope in your monthly packet for the annual \$35 cost of 50 issues of the *Review*. The Archbishop and myself as pastor expect every active parish member to receive the *Review*, and so if you do not cover the cost, St. Bernadette parish will have to pick up the expense for registered members in the parish.

PLAN AHEAD FOR SOME GOOD EATING

+ StB Pastry Party – Sunday, Jan. 20th, after the 8am and 10:30am Masses, in Feckter Hall.

+ First Annual St. Bernadette Parish Feast Day celebration, Saturday, Feb. 16th, with a great dinner after a special 4pm Mass. [More details to come later. Mark the date.]

"PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK" IN THE BULLETIN

As in any parish, this list of sick parish members in the bulletin gets a little outdated and the names need to be reviewed once a year. I would like to "refresh" the bulletin list. Many of the current names I do not know, or know who does. In a couple of weeks, the list will include only the names of those we know who are currently suffering serious illness or the weakness of age. You can contact us to request to stay on the list, or have a family member or friend to contact the Parish Office. We will try to keep the list up-to-date, and not just have persons stay on the list indefinitely. *Our Lady of Lourdes and St. Bernadette, pray for the sick of our St. Bernadette Parish Family!*

Please Pray For Our Sick

Kathy Anderson	Marge Jones
Ron Andracsek	Jean Koebbe
Tina Baudendistel	Anne Knight
Dale Baumann	Marilyn Kramer
Al Benedick, Sr.	Marlene Kunz
Carol Benedick	Darlene Martinelli
Mac Boerschig	Dorothy Matejka
Colin Breeding	Opal Mock
Quinn Breeding	Marilyn Meier
Megan Buckley	Christine Mulderig
Debbie Campbell	Sue Nachowiak
Georgia Cliffe	Sherri Oliveri
Mike Cliffe	Robert Quaite
Anthony Drury	Ron Richter
Rev. Gary Faust	Benjamin Rzacca
Josh Fazekas	Mary Ellen Romas
Renee Fazekas	Phyllis Sandusky
Betty Files	Rosa Maria Santos
Viola Finch	LaVerne Sauer
Roy Hawkins	Ken Smith
Sherry Henzler	Edward Strebler
Lucius Hernandez	Jack Treiber
Mary Hill	Marge Treiber
Patricia Hinkler	Tom Turner
Eileen Howard	Edward Varga
Harold Howard	Kathy Weber
Mickey Jobst	Paul Welker
Charles Jones	Gloria Zimmers

Financial Information

December 29/30, 2018

General Fund	\$4,059.00
Christmas Offering	80.00
Seminary	22.00
Total—	\$4,161.00

December 31, 2018/January 1, 2019

Solemnity of Mary	\$1,435.00
Seminary	25.00
Christmas Offering	125.00
First Offering	185.00
Total—	\$1,770.00

January 5/6, 2019

General Fund	\$6,342.00
Solemnity of Mary	12.00
First Offering	155.00
Total—	\$6,509.00

NEEDED: A Graphic Artist to develop a parish logo and letterhead for the parish. Contact the Parish Office if you are interested or know someone who might be.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

January 13, 2019

Sunday	The Baptism of the Lord Is 40:1-5, 9-11 Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30 Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7 Lk 3:15-16, 21-22
Monday	Heb 1:1-6 Ps 97:1 and 2b, 6 and 7c, 9 [cf. 7c] Mk 1:14-20
Tuesday	Heb 2:5-12 Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9 [cf. 7] Mk 1:21-28
Wednesday	Heb 2:14-18 Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9 [8a] Mk 1:29-39
Thursday	St. Anthony, Abbot Heb 3:7-14 Ps 95:6-7c, 8-9, 10-11 [8] Mk 1:40-45
Friday	Heb 4:1-5, 11 Ps 78:3 and 4bc, 6c-7, 8 [cf. 7b] Mk 2:1-12
Saturday	Heb 4:12-16 Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 [cf. Jn 6:63c] Mk 2:13-17
Next Sunday	2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 62:1-5 Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3] 1 Cor 12:4-11 Jn 2:1-11

Peace On Earth All Year Long

By Sister Jeanne Wingenter, SSND

When the song of the angels is still,
when the star in the sky is gone,
when the kings and princes are home,
when the shepherds are back with the sheep,
the work of Christmas begins -
to find the lost, to heal the broken,
to feed the hungry, to release the prisoner,
to rebuild the nations,
to bring peace among people,
to make music in the heart.

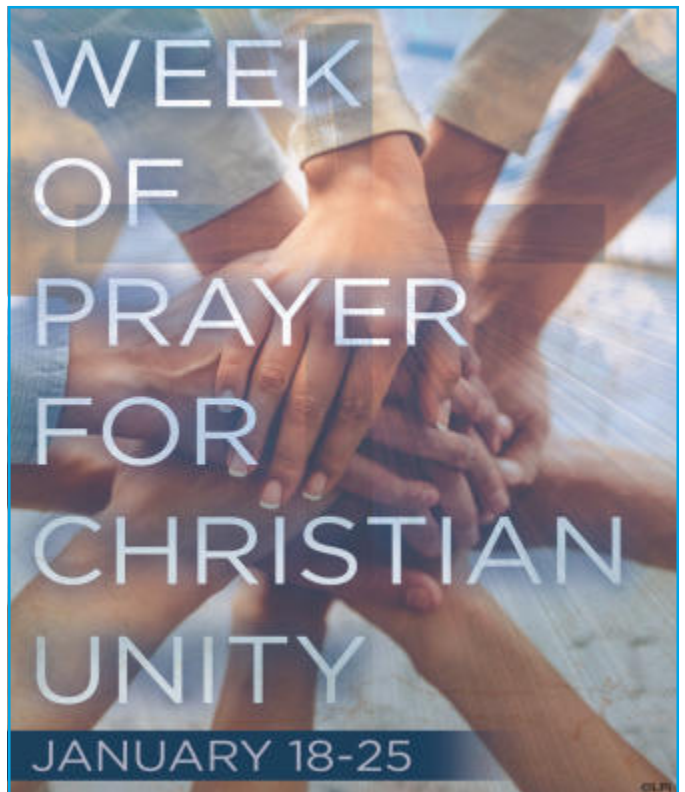
We hold in prayer those who have died.



Shirley Torno, mother of Don
(deceased) & mother-in-law of Joann
Torno

Lorraine Scheffer, sister of Jan Sorth

May they live in joy in God's
presence!



Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Join Christians from many traditions in prayer for unity and justice. Prayer and reception at St. Monica Catholic Church.

St. Monica Catholic Church
2132 Olive Road
Creve Coeur, MO 63141

Sunday, January 13 - 7 pm

Parish Council Meeting

The Parish Council Meeting will be held on Monday, **January 14th**, 7 pm, in Feckter Hall. There will be planning for the new year of our parish life.

Bible Study

All are welcome!

Tuesday, 1:30 pm or Wednesday, 7 pm. Both meet in Feckter Hall.

Pastry Party

Next Sunday, **January 20th**, all are invited to join together in **Feckter Hall** after both the 8 am and 10:30 am Masses to enjoy pastries together.

Make it a time to get to meet new parishioners or to get better acquainted with old friends. Let us make our parish a true welcoming community!



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