

SAINT Bernadette PARISH



MAY 12, 2019 | FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER | LEMAY, MISSOURI

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND

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

PSR CLASSES 9:00 to 10:15 am
Sunday Mornings September to April

WEEKDAY

Monday through Thursday 8:00 am
Friday Communion Service 8:00 am

HOLIDAY LITURGY

Vigil (day before) 6:00 pm Holyday: 8:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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

PARISH STAFF

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

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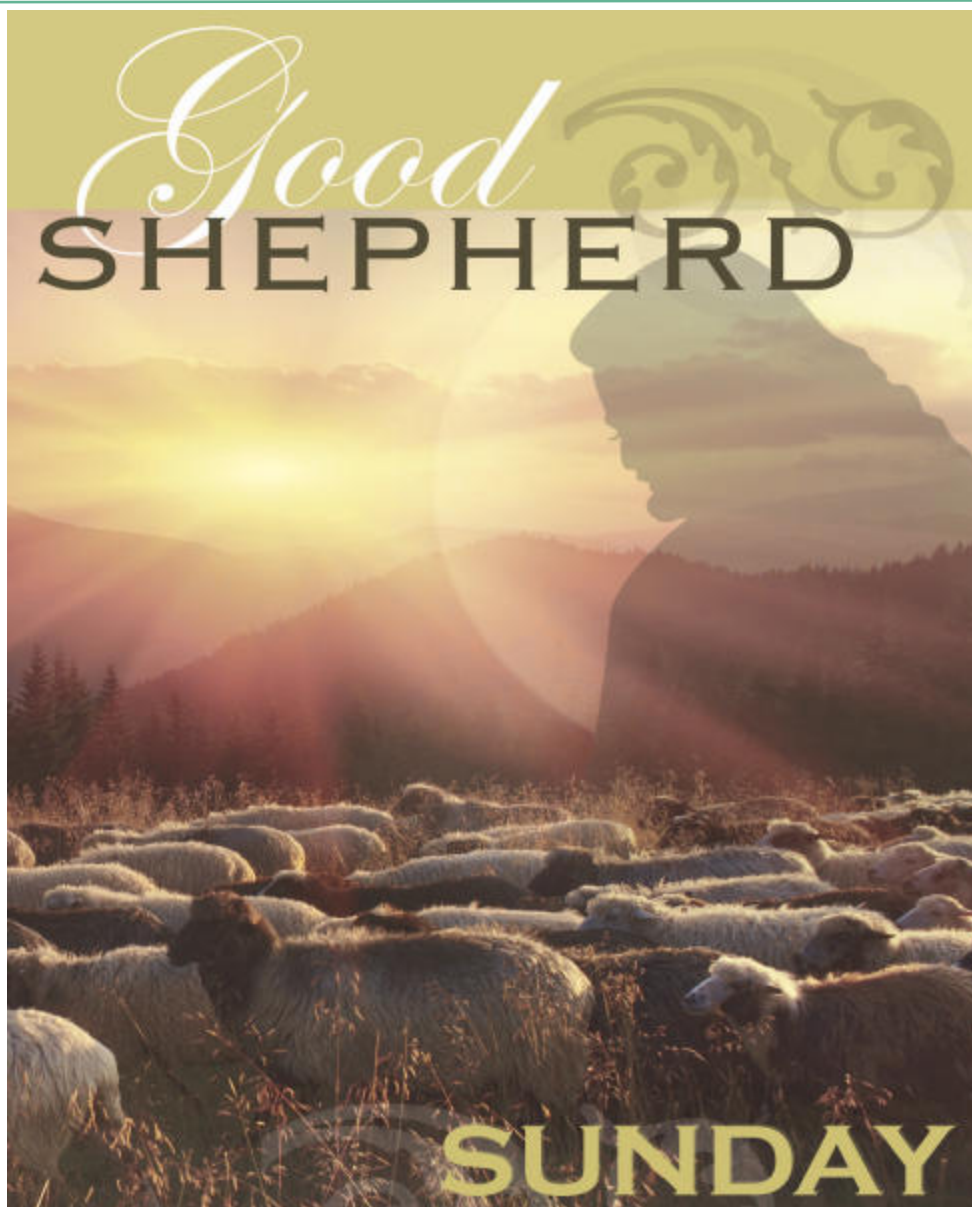
Monday-Thursday 8:30 AM—3:30 pm
Friday 8:30 AM—12:30 pm

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

74 Kearney Street
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CHECK OUT OUR PARISH WEBSITE

www.churchofsaintbernadette.org



MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of God, in the Parish of St. Bernadette, understanding ourselves to be a part of the Universal Church, have received the call of His son Jesus through Baptism and Confirmation, to be His disciples and to spread and promote the Kingdom of God in faith and prayer through Christian worship, education, and service. The Council, strengthened by the Holy Spirit, and nourished by the Sacraments, attempts to listen to the needs and furnish leadership to the people of St. Bernadette. We do this to serve our God and to develop in our parish, His presence as the source and cause of our common Christian life and holiness.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

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

All Are Welcome

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SACRAMENTS

Baptisms

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.

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 Octave of Easter.

Communion Calls

Holy Communion is brought to the homebound of the Parish Family. If you would like Holy Communion or the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick for someone in your household, notify the parish office. Also notify us if someone is in the hospital or a 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 or Audrey at 48706077.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

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

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat., May 11	4:00pm	Lisa Ball
Sun., May 12	8:00am 10:30am	Loretta Paszkiewicz People of the Parish
Mon., May 13	8:00am	Robert Emke Family
Tues., May 14	8:00am	Dave Curran
Wed., May 15	8:00am	Purgatorial Society
Thurs., May 16	8:00am	Sylvia Czapla
Fri., May 17	8:00am	Communion Service
Sat., May 18	4:00pm	Bob Harris
Sun., May 19	8:00am 10:30am	Dave Curran People of the Parish

Ministers for the Weekend May 18/19, 2019

Lectors

4:00 pm	Kelly Brooks
8:00 am	Patrick Shaughnessy
10:30 am	Roy Baum

Eucharistic Ministers

4:00 pm	Tom Turner, Pam Brown Audrey Campbell
8:00 am	Don Pieri, Cathy Zimmer Nancee Zimmers
10:30 am	Virginia Jones, Sue Majchrzak

Altar Servers

4:00 pm	Dominic McEntee
8:00 am	Bill Wolk
10:30 am	Maria Hemme, Franky Buckeridge

Mid-Life Singles (mid-30s to 50s): Are you looking for a renewed sense of purpose & belonging? Register today for a life-changing REFLECT weekend retreat at King's House Retreat Center, Belleville, IL on May 31—June 2, 2019. Take a chance and get involved...you won't regret it! Cost is \$195 for meals and a single room. For details visit www.ReflectRetreat.com, email reflect.stlouis@gmail.com, or call (314) 283-0044.

Financial Information

May 5, 2019

<i>General Fund</i>	<i>\$7,472.56</i>
<i>Catholic Home Missions</i>	<i>20.00</i>

Total - \$7,492.56



Immediate Need

Charles Jones
Phyllis Sandusky
Ray Ficker
Ed Neiter
Eileen Howard
Jean Koebbe
Judy Slovacek

Long Term Need

Fr. Gary Faust
Ron Richter
Ken Smith
Rita Wiesehan
Al Benedick
Carole Benedick
Dorothy Matejka
Genevieve Zimmer
Marilyn Meier
Ron Andrascsek
Paul Welker

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☺ *FR. BOB'S COLUMN* ☺

MOTHER'S DAY – BLESSINGS ON THE WOMEN OF OUR ST. BERNADETTE PARISH FAMILY

I believe that today we should be grateful to all the women who have mothered, loved, or nurtured us in our journey of life. Obviously the mother who raised us from infancy through childhood and on into adolescence and finally adult maturity should receive primacy of position. But many other women helped along the way, especially grandmothers, godmothers, adopted mothers, aunts, great aunts, neighbors, teachers, friends and co-workers. For me I remember and pray for these life-giving women that all will be blessed by the Lord on Mother's Day.



A Mother's Day Blessing

Blessed is the *Mother*
 Who lets the *Lord* be *Her* guiding hand,
 Whose faith brings *Her* family courage,
 Whose wisdom comes from *God*, and whose
 children still stand and honor *Her*.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL – Week Two

If you did not make your annual pledge last weekend or by mail with an advance pledge, please make it a point to stop after Mass today or next weekend. Your generous gift along with many others enables our extraordinary Archdiocese and its multiplicity of ministries and services to so many in our metropolitan area. Without you many things that we take for granted in the Archdiocese would be under-funded, such as, Catholic Charities, Respect Life Apostolate, food pantries, Catholic elementary and secondary schools, Latin American Apostolate, seminary, Paul VI Institute, or Catholic Youth Apostolate, to name about ten of the forty different groups that the ACA helps fund in a significant way.

I encourage you to not just make a one-time gift, but consider a pledge that can be paid quarterly, monthly, or even by credit card. God bless you for your generosity!

"PASTRY PARTY" IN FECKTER HALL NEXT SUNDAY

Everyone in the congregation is encouraged to come on over for sweet treat for your sweet tooth, but also for the good company and the chance to get to know some other members of our delightful St. B Parish Family.

WEEKLY READINGS - May 5, 2019

Sunday	4th Sunday of Easter; Mother's Day; World Day of Prayer for Vocations Acts 13:14, 43-52 Rv 7:9, 14b-17 Jn 10:27-30
Monday	Our Lady of Fatima Acts 11:1-18 Jn 10:1-10
Tuesday	St. Matthias, Apostle Acts 1:15-17, 20-26 Jn 15:9-17
Wednesday	St. Isidore Acts 12:24--13:5a Jn 12:44-50
Thursday	Weekday of 4th Week of Easter Acts 13:13-25 Jn 13:16-20
Friday	Weekday of 4th Week of Easter Acts 13:26-33 Jn 14:1-6
Saturday	St. John I, Pope & Martyr Acts 13:44-52 Jn 14:7-14
Next Sunday	5th Sunday of Easter Acts 14:21-27 Rv 21:1-5a Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

From the St. Vincent de Paul Society

"I have always hoped that God would do the work, provided that we help in it." (Blessed Frederic Ozanam)

We in the St. Bernadette Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society sincerely appreciate the continuing support of our parish. The "little good" that we do for our neighbors in need depends upon your help. Your generous contribution of \$3,040.00 on Holy Thursday is the help that becomes God's work. Thank you and God bless!



Happy Easter! Alleluia! May your celebration of Easter continue throughout this most joyful season. To help maintain your focus on Jesus, tune in to Covenant Network Catholic radio where we pray daily the Holy Mass, the Rosary, the Regina Coeli and The Divine Mercy Chaplet. You will find live call-in shows, Q & A programs about Catholic teaching as well as faith-nourishing programs on Scripture, the saints and Church history. Tune in to **AM 1460** or **96.7 FM** on your radio, or listen on our free Covenant Network app on your mobile device or on our website:

ourcatholicradio.org



50 Plus Club News

May 23rd 2019 – Club Meeting and entertainment



Hocus Pocus.. Doors to the school gym Will open at 6:30. Our entertainment For the month of May is Keith Jozsef, Master Illusionist, who will amaze and Impress at 7pm. He has been per-

forming for over 25 years but just turned 40. What's an illusionist? A person performing a type of magic that has its specialized difficulties and challenges that require years of mastery, rehearsal and practice. A brief meeting and desserts will follow.

Our trips are open to both members and non-members of our club. Our next bus trip will be Tuesday June 4th. We're off to Hermann, Missouri with professional tour guide Linda Koenig.

We will visit the Hermannn Farm Museum, offering a trip back in time to see how the first German immigrants lived and farmed after arriving in Hermann Valley in 1837. We will take a tram ride through the 200 acre farm and visit the Husmann House and outbuildings. Enjoy the chickens, sheep, cattle, mules, Shire draft horses and other animals along the ride. Lunch is provided at The Herman Wursthhaus. After lunch there are lots of good meat and specialty foods to sample and purchase, so bring a small cooler along if interested in taking some of these goodies home. In the afternoon we will visit the Hermanhoff Winery for included wine and cheese samples and a tour of their most interesting cellars. Sit on the patio and sip wines, or visit some of the downtown Herman shops and the ice cream parlor.

Deadline May 14th, cost of the trip is \$83.00. MINIMAL WALKING!

The bus leaves St Bernadette's parking lot at 8:30 AM and returns at 4:30 PM.



Thanks from Our Retiring RAVE Youth Ministers

With the reduced number of RAVE members and Christina's high school graduation this year, we are announcing our retirement as youth ministers and the closure of RAVE Youth Ministry. We want to thank the St. Bernadette family for being such tremendous supporters of, and advocates for, our youth. We have heard numerous times from those visiting St. Bernadette or from other youth ministers how incredibly impressed (and at times envious) they are at how St. B integrates PSR and RAVE into the parish liturgy and activities. PSR, RAVE and the two of us have been blessed by the prayers, physical help and financial donations that all of you have provided over these past 27 years. The number of youth this parish has helped grow in the spirit of Christ is immeasurable. God bless and thank you!

Greg and Donna Meier

(And thank you, Greg and Donna, for a job well done!!)

- PARISH ACTIVITIES -

- ◇ Today and next weekend there will be volunteers in the back of church to accept your pledges for the Annual Catholic Appeal. (ACA) Please be generous!
- ◇ Bible Study with Fr. Bob Tuesday, 1:30 pm and Wednesday, 7 pm in Feckter Hall.
- ◇ Wednesday, May 8th, Perpetual Help Devotions after the 8 am Mass.
- ◇ Thursday, May 16th, 10 am, is the 50 Plus board meeting in Feckter Hall.
- ◇ Next Sunday, May 19th, there will be a Pastry Party in Feckter Hall after the 8 and 10:30 am Masses. Come enjoy coffee, oj and pastries! Meet parishioners you don't yet know and reconnect with friends. (Notice...I didn't say "old" friends!)



This month we remember our military personnel on May 18th, Armed Forces Day and May 27th, Memorial Day. We hold in prayer our family members in the military:

MSGT Jeff Turner, in Georgia

Son of Tom Turner

Major John Grunzinger, in Missouri

Son of Jim & Judy Grunzinger

Captain Patrick F. Fitzgibbons, in Missouri

Grandson of Shirley Fitzgibbons

Specialist Emily Miller, in Missouri

Granddaughter of Norm and Karen Miller

Captain Brian Knight, in South Carolina

Grandson of Betty Czarnicki

PO2 Stephen Maurer, in Tennessee

Grandson of Harold Maurer

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