



Saint Bernard

A Roman Catholic Community



TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 18, 2020

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Mass Schedule • Horario de Misas

Saturday Mass • Misas de Sábado

8:30 a.m. (English) Outdoors and Live Streamed

5:30 p.m. (Español) Afuera en el estacionamiento y transmitida en vivo

Sunday Mass • Misas de Domingo

8:30 a.m. (English) Outdoors and Live Streamed

10:30 a.m. (English) Outdoors

Weekday Mass • Misas entre Semana

Thursday's 8:30 a.m. (English) Live Stream Only

5:30 p.m. (Bilingual • Bilingüe) outdoors and live stream. *Thursday's evening mass will not be live streamed*

Baptism • Bautismos

Our community Baptisms are every 3rd Saturday of the month. We are also offering private Baptisms, for more information please call the parish office.

Nuestros bautizos comunitarios son cada 4th Sábado del mes. También estamos ofreciendo bautizos privados. Para más información, llame la oficina.

Office Hours • Horario de oficina

Monday through Friday • Lunes a Viernes

9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

Saturday and Sunday • Sábado y Domingo

Closed • Cerrado

Live Stream Mass

To access our live stream mass, subscribe to our new YouTube channel: **Saint Bernard Bellflower**.

Para acceder a nuestras misas en vivo suscríbete a nuestro nuevo canal de YouTube: **Saint Bernard Bellflower**

Confessions • Confesiones

Saturday • Sábado 3:30 p.m.—4:30 p.m.

There will be no confessions Saturday October 24.

No habrá confesiones Sábado 24 de Octubre.

Confessions will be held outside of church. Face mask is mandatory.

Las confesiones serán afuera de la iglesia. El uso de cubrir bocas es obligatorio.



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Saint Bernard Bellflower



Visit our parish website for updated information!

We encourage everyone to visit our website frequently, since news can change from day to day.

SaintBernardcc.org

Le recomendamos que visite nuestro sitio web regularmente, ya que las noticias pueden cambiar día a día.

St. Bernard School

Office Hours

Monday-Friday:

7:30a.m. – 4:00p.m.

(562)867-9410

www.stbernardcatholicsschool.com

New updated website!

Religious Education

Located Temporarily at St. Bernard School Library

Tuesdays: 4:00pm-7:00pm

Saturdays: 9:00 am-12:00 pm

Call/Text: 562-925-9886

Email:

st.bernardsacrament@gmail.com



WORDS AND ACTIONS

When people hear us speak God's word, they marvel at its beauty and power; when they see what little impact it has on our daily lives, they laugh and poke fun at what we say.

—Anonymous second-century Christian



Did you know?

The concept of a "sex offender" can seem abstract, as if it is removed from your family and your life. But in reality, sex offenders can be anyone: neighbors, relatives, teachers, friends. Sadly, the sex offender's skills in deception often hide this reality from us. Predators count on disbelief to hide in plain sight, often in positions that allow them to choose and groom their victims. It is no accident when we read headlines where people in positions of trust and power are arrested for sex offenses. It is critical to let go of disbelief and arm ourselves with information to protect our children. For more information, visit <https://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/>.

¿Sabía Que?

El concepto de un "delincuente sexual" puede parecer abstracto, como si fuera algo lejano de su familia y de su vida. Pero en realidad, los agresores sexuales pueden ser cualquiera: vecinos, parientes, profesores, amigos. Lamentablemente, las habilidades del delincuente sexual en cuanto al engaño a menudo nos ocultan esta realidad. Los depredadores cuentan con la incredulidad para esconderse a plena vista, a menudo en posiciones que les permiten elegir y atraer a sus víctimas. No es casualidad cuando leemos titulares en los que se arresta a personas en posiciones de confianza y poder por delitos sexuales. Es fundamental dejar de lado la incredulidad y armarnos con información para proteger a nuestros hijos. Para obtener más información, visite <https://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/>.

Financial Report

October 11, 2020

Sunday Mass Donations: \$6,319.00

Plate: \$828.00

Mailed in Donations: \$1,172.00

Pantry: \$120.00

Parish Improvements: \$192.00

Candle Petitions: \$1,061.00

Raffle: \$1,225.00

Online Giving: \$495.00

Food Sale: \$450.00

Food Sale 10/4/20: \$317.00

Thank you, very much for your financial assistance.

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Dear Parishioner's,

Neither the Pharisees nor the Herodians had been able to overcome Roman rule over Israel. In the time of Jesus, they did not openly confront the Emperor of Rome, nor did they rebel against the system of political, social and religious control. They had learned to tolerate such control in order to guarantee worship. They reduced all dimensions of religion to worship. Jesus came to show them that true religion leads the leaders of the People to a serious commitment to reality, and to work hard in the transformation of structures so that they guarantee the common good, justice and peace.

The Pharisees hide themselves behind a narcissistic legalism. The Herodians take advantage of his political influence. For both of them, the person of Jesus of Nazareth is a problem, since his words and gestures show that their hearts are far from God, far from the Law and far from the people they should guide, accompany and care for. Jesus, by revealing the Father and announcing the Kingdom, reveals the mediocrity and incoherence of the Pharisees and Herodians.

In the Gospel, the Herodians flatter Jesus because they lack credibility. Jesus does not allow himself to be entangled by such empty praise and clearly declares his Truth: **"we must give to God what belongs to Him."** Jesus knows that the Pharisees are looking for an excuse to be able to accuse him and is not afraid to give a clear and committed answer because he speaks from his experience of God and from his faith: Jesus does not conform to the established order, especially when inequality, injustice or inequity is accentuated.

In the image of Jesus Christ, the baptized are called to create bonds of brotherhood that break the schemes of "them and us." The co-responsibility of Christians in the search for the common good and in caring for the common home (earth) calls us to respect plurality.

Estimados Feligreses,

Ni los fariseos ni los herodianos habían podido vencer la dominación romana sobre Israel. En el tiempo de Jesús, no enfrentaron abiertamente al Emperador de Roma, ni se rebelaron contra el sistema de control político, social y religioso. Habían aprendido a tolerar dicho control con tal de garantizar el culto. Reducían al culto todas las dimensiones de la religión. Jesús vino a mostrarles que la verdadera religión lleva a los líderes del Pueblo a un serio compromiso con la realidad, y a trabajar arduamente en la transformación de las estructuras para que garanticen el bien común, la justicia y la paz.

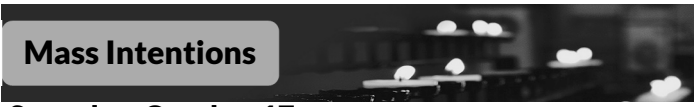
Los fariseos se esconden detrás de un legalismo narcisista. Los herodianos se aprovechan de su influencia política. Para ambos, la persona de Jesús de Nazaret es un problema, ya que sus palabras y sus gestos ponen en evidencia que sus corazones están lejos de Dios, lejos de la Ley y lejos del pueblo que deberían guiar, acompañar y cuidar. Jesús, al revelar al Padre y anunciar el Reino, deja ver la mediocridad y la incoherencia de los fariseos y de los herodianos.

En el Evangelio, los herodianos adulan a Jesús porque carecen de credibilidad. Jesús no se deja enredar por tales elogios vacíos y declara claramente su Verdad: **"hay que dar a Dios lo que es de Dios"**. Jesús sabe que los fariseos buscan una excusa para poder acusarlo y no tiene miedo de dar una respuesta clara y comprometida **porque** habla desde su experiencia de Dios y desde su fe. Jesús no se ajusta al orden establecido, sobre todo cuando se acentúa la desigualdad, la injusticia o la inequidad.

A imagen de Jesucristo, los bautizados estamos llamados a crear lazos de fraternidad que rompan los esquemas de «ellos y nosotros». La corresponsabilidad de los cristianos en la búsqueda del bien común y en el cuidado de la casa común nos llama a respetar la pluralidad.

Saints Isaac Jogues and John de Brebeuf and their Companions—October 19

Their mission was to New France, but these missionaries found in present-day New York State and the province of Ontario a world wildly different from the homes they left behind. Six Jesuit priests, Fathers Isaac Jogues, John de Brébeuf, Anthony Daniel, Gabriel Lalemant, Charles Garnier, and Noël Chabanel—and Jesuit lay volunteers René Goupil and John LaLande—shared the gospel with the Native Americans they met, in languages they painstakingly learned, and through images they creatively adapted to the indigenous cultures (for example, John de Brébeuf's " 'Twas in the Moon of Wintertime: the Huron Carol"). But their evangelization was caught up in turmoil beyond their control: a smallpox epidemic, battles between French and English trading interests—the traders united only by their willingness to exploit the Native Americans—and conflict among the tribes themselves, Huron, Mohawk, Iroquois. The missionaries' perseverance despite exhausting hardships, their steadfast courage in facing unspeakable tortures, and undaunted love even for those who martyred them, bore fruit, immediately in Kateri Tekakwitha's sanctity, eventually in the Catholicism that still flourishes in the United States and Canada.



Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 17

8:30am: Monica Gutierrez, Birthday

Salas and Villagran Family, Sp. Int.

Paul and Rachelle Rodarte, Health

Purificacion Aradanas †

5:30pm: To the people of St. Bernard community, Sp. Int.

Sunday, October 18

8:30am: Brynne C. Mangune, Thanksgiving

Nicolaas, Alida, Nick, and Eddie Koot †

Larry, Linda, Zita, Abott Lane †

Charry Gritters, Health

Purificacion Aradanas †

10:30am: The elderly of our parish, Sp. Int.

Monday, October 19

5:30pm: Charry Gritters, Health

Purificacion Aradanas †

Tuesday, October 20

5:30pm: Charry Gritters, Health

Purificacion Aradanas †

Wednesday, October 21

5:30pm: Teresita Pimentel †

Aleks Reyes, Birthday

Rene and Rose Agustin, Thanksgiving

Purificacion Aradanas †

Thursday, October 22

8:00am: Valeriano Cabusora, Birthday

Anicia Agustin †

5:30pm: Purificacion Aradanas †

Friday, October 23

5:30pm: Purificacion Aradanas †

Saturday, October 24

8:30am: Abraham Gutierrez Paredes, Birthday

Fr. Toribio Gutierrez, Sp. Int.

Mary Jackovic

Sonia Lim, Birthday

Sherilyn Kris Dulay †

Purificacion Aradanas †

5:30pm: Jose y Juantia Sanchez, Sp. Int.

Hugo Enciso, †

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2nd Prize \$5,000.00

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A fundraiser for the needs of our parish.

Drawing will be December 25th, 2020. Winners do not need to be present. \$25.00 per ticket. Must be 18+ to purchase tickets. Tickets are available at the Church office.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR
CONTINUED SUPPORT!**

Peter's Pence Collection

This week is Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the charitable works of Pope Francis. Funds from this collection help victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

Bible Study—Via Zoom

St. Bernard community you are invited to a free, online Zoom Bible Study. Classes will begin Monday November 2 from 9:30 a.m.—10:30 a.m. and will continue to meet every Monday during the month of November. You will need; Willingness to learn, Bible (preferably a hard copy Catholic Bible), have Zoom already downloaded on your electronic device, study guide provided by Agape Catholic Bible (http://www.agapebiblestudy.com/bible_studies_menu.php). To sign up please contact Judy Arshop at arshopj@gmail.com no later than October 28.

Mass intention

A mass intention is not only for deceased. An intention can be a birthday, thanksgiving, health, anniversary, etc.. There is a suggested \$10.00 donation per intention.

Please bring your petition 4 days prior to the intended date. You can drop off in our mail box, mail, or use our online giving page simply add in the comment section desired date and intention request.

EN LUGAR DEL FESTIVAL ESTE AÑO
REALIZAREMOS UNA

RIFA DE UN CARRO

PRIMER PREMIO HONDA ACCORD LX 2020

APLICAN RESTRICCIONES

SEGUNDO PREMIO \$5,000.00

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La rifa será el 25 de Diciembre.
Los boletos tienen un costo de \$25.00.
Boletos estan disponibles en la oficina de la Iglesia. Deben tener 18+ para comprar boletos. No es necesario que el ganador este presente.

Fondos seran usados para las necesidades de nuestra parroquia. Gracias por su continuo apoyo.

Colecta de Peter's Pence

Esta semana es la Colecta Peter's Pence, una colecta a nivel mundial que financia las obras de caridad del papa Francisco. Los fondos recaudados en esta colecta ayudan a las victimas de la guerra, la opresión y los desastres naturales. Tomen esta oportunidad para unirse al papa Francisco y ser testigos de la caridad para nuestros hermanos y hermanas que sufren. Para mas información, visiten www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

Grupo de Oración

El grupo de Oración Ríos de Agua Viva te invita a participar cada viernes a las 7 p.m. de sus reuniones a través de la plataforma zoom.

Meeting ID: 901 635 5942

Contraseña: 12345

Para más información llama a Angela Carrillo (714) 386-2650 o Cinthya Jijón (562) 712-2134.

Intención de Misa

Una intención de misa no es solo para los difuntos. La intención también puede ser para un cumpleaños, acción de gracias, salud o aniversario. Hay una donación sugerida de \$10.00 por intención. **Por favor anote su intención 4 días antes de anticipación de la fecha deseada.** Puede dejar su intención en nuestro correo, envíalo por correo, o utilizar nuestra página de online giving y agregue en la sección de comentarios la fecha deseada y la solicitud de intención.