



SATURDAY	NOVEMBER 9
9:00AM	St. Mary's
4:00PM	Paul Murray (8th Anniversary)
SUNDAY	NOVEMBER 10
7:30AM	Wilfred Edmond (1st Anniversary)
9:00AM	Rocco Joseph Tran Kim Nhu
11:00AM	Birthday Blessings for Rose Coachy
MONDAY	NOVEMBER 11
9:00AM	Mass of Thanksgiving for Yvonne and Tony
TUESDAY	NOVEMBER 12
9:00AM	Repose of the soul of Presnor Poteau
WEDNESDAY	NOVEMBER 13
9:00AM	St. Mary's
THURSDAY	NOVEMBER 14
9:00AM	St. Mary's
FRIDAY	NOVEMBER 15
9:00AM	Moliere and Altagrace Rateau
SATURDAY	NOVEMBER 16
9:00AM	St. Mary's
4:00PM	Elizabeth Okuonghae (1st Anniversary)
SUNDAY	NOVEMBER 17
7:30AM	Antoine Elas (1st Anniversary)
9:00AM	Parishioners of St. Bernadette
11:00AM	Frances and Harry Pasquantonio

COLLABORATIVE LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

St. Bernadette Parish
 Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm
 Sunday Masses: 7:30am, 9:00am (Vietnamese), 11:00am
 Daily Mass: Monday, Tuesday, Friday at 9:00am

St. Mary Parish
 Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm
 Sunday Masses: 8:00am, 10:00am, 11:30am
 Daily Mass: Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday at 9:00am

THE FOOTSTEPS OF ST. PAUL PILGRIMAGE

Come follow the Footsteps of St. Paul with Fr. Phil McGaugh and Deacon Tom Burke.

Departing Boston on March 13th and returning March 24th. We will be visiting Greece and Turkey, Athens, Thessaloniki, Ephesus and Corinth, etc., including a 3-day cruise to the islands of Greece, Mykonos, Crete, Patmos, etc.

For more Information or a flyer to see the itinerary, see Fr. Phil or Deacon Tom. Deacon Tom's cell # is 781 885 1234 email - deacontom2000@yahoo.com



This week's Sanctuary Candle is donated in loving memory of
Rocco Joseph Tran Kim Nhu

Parish Support

Collections

4:00PM	\$ 972.25
7:30AM	\$ 774.25
9:00AM	\$2,202.25
11:00AM	\$ 789.00
	Total	\$4,737.75

All Saints Day \$2,029.25
 Monthly Maintenance \$2,179.95

The Collaborative Annual Report is available on the Parish website. Please take the time to see the progress we are making.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS - NOVEMBER

11/10/19	Parish Religious Education
11/17/19	Energy Needs
11/24/19	Retired Religious

May the Lord encourage your hearts.

*2 Thessalonians
 2:16-3:5*

GRAND ANNUAL COLLECTION

Our Grand Annual Collection is now under way! This is a major source of support for our parish to help us maintain our physical plant and provide the services you deserve!

Some have received a letter from Fr. Phil asking you for your support. If you did not receive a letter it is only because we do not have an address on file for you.

There are blank envelopes at the end of the pews for those who would like to help but did not receive an envelope.

Please be sure to use a Grand Annual envelope if you are supporting this effort, since we will have no other way of knowing your intention.

Your contribution may be put into any collection basket of your choosing.

Thank you for your continued support!

Fr. Phil

Book of Remembrance: During the month of November, the *Book of Remembrance* will be placed on the table to the right of the altar. All are invited to write the names of their *deceased* loved

Pastor's
Message

Reflections on the Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our God is an awesome God of mercy and of surprises. Jesus is inviting us to reconsider our views on God. God is way beyond human comprehension.

The liturgical year is rapidly moving toward the end of the year. As we know, a new liturgical year begins on the first Sunday of Advent. Out of the events of everyday living, we discover faith in the resurrection. Faith in the resurrection relates to real human events. The readings today show us that human death is not the end but is a steppingstone to eternal life. Or God is a God of the living. Jesus teaches us not to worry about the limits this life imposes but to look to faith in the vast horizons of eternal life when God calls us home. In today's readings we hear a message of unshakeable hope in God's victory over sin and death. Death does not have the last word as we will be content in God's presence. Suffering and death lead to joy and new life. Today's gospel is one of the few times that Jesus speaks on resurrection. Our Lord is teaching in today's readings is that there is an afterlife.

Eternal life with God is something beyond any human relationship. To rise from the dead is to be fully alive in God now and forever. Hope is one of the foundations for belief in eternal life. What does the thought of resurrection and everlasting life mean to us? That is to ask how the thoughts of resurrection affects our daily living. Resurrection is one of the central elements of our faith. Resurrection is a way of living witness to the belief there is more to life than what meets the eye. This hope and belief helps to put everything into perspective. Jesus joins Himself with the Church in an everlasting covenant, a covenant in which Jesus never stops calling and caring for the Church as His own body. God's love for us reaches way beyond the grave to eternity. What influence does belief in the resurrection of Jesus have in our lives? Jesus is the fulfillment of our deepest hopes and desires. Jesus came into this world to be one with us. When we receive Jesus in the Eucharist we become one with Him.

November: Special Month to remember Deceased Loved Ones: the Church, in her loving wisdom, sets aside the month of November each year to remember in a special way our deceased loved ones.

PROMISE TO
PROTECT

ALL VOLUNTEERS!

If you are over 18 and volunteer here at St. Bernadette's, it's time to renew your annual CORI Form.

There are 2020 CORI forms in the Sacristy, ushers' closet, kitchen, chapel, and office.



Please fill the form out completely, give it to a CAP Team member or Ministry Leader, and show your picture ID. Forms are due by November 17.

Thank you for following Archdiocesan mandates for the protection of children.

Religious
Education

No class on November 10th due to Veterans Day. Classes will be held next Sunday, November 17.

Next class for Confirmation (grades 9 and 10) will be held on Sunday, November 17th.



**Coffee and Conversation:
Prayer and Discipleship**

Coming to Mass on Sunday means prayer is important to you.

Sr. Regina Dick from the Daughters of St. Paul will be visiting the collaborative in a 2-week series in November to explore how prayer can help us be better disciples of Jesus. Come to:

ST. BERNADETTE'S (hall and Church) on Saturday, November 16 (10 am -12 noon) for a short reflection and informal discussion on prayer; concluding with a brief moment of Eucharistic prayer that focuses on how Christ is living in you.

Then, the following Saturday, November 23, join us again at **ST. MARY'S** (hall from 10am to noon) as we reflect on our call to discipleship and Jesus's assurance: if you did it to them, you did it to me.



THANK YOU!

Thank you to all those who participated in the Bake Sale at the Polls — \$512.09 was raised for the parish, and \$40 was collected for Outreach.

If you baked, sold items, made coffee for the poll workers, or bought something, we are grateful for your participation.

THE SISTERS' CLUB

Ladies of St. Bernadette and St. Mary Parishes

The Sisters' Club is an informal group of women who get together monthly to view a movie of faith, listen to a spiritual speaker, have dialog about the movie, speakers' topic, or open forum.

We would love to have you join us on:

Tuesday, November 12th from 10:00am until 12:30pm at

St. Bernadette's Religious Ed. Building
(across from the church).



The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, November 11th in observance of Veterans' Day.