



St. BERNARDINE of SIENA

Catholic Church and School

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PASTORAL TEAM:

PASTOR: Rev. Fr. Robert J. McNamara
ASSOCIATE PASTOR: Rev. Fr. Daniel A. Fox
PASTOR EMERITUS: Rev Msgr Richard H Murray
SUNDAY ASSOCIATE: Rev Fr. Thomas Schrader, O.Carm.
DEACONS: Jerry Cellner, Dale Taufer

MASS SCHEDULE:

SUNDAY: 7:00am, 8:30am, 10:00am, 12:00nn, 5:30 p.m.
WEEKDAY: Mon thru Fri.: 6:30am & 8:30 a.m. (1st) Fri: 11:30 a.m.
Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00pm.
Confessions: Sat: 3:30 to 4:30 p.m

Second Sunday of Easter
(Divine Mercy Sunday)
April 15, 2007



Once I was dead, but
now I am alive forever
and ever.

— Revelation 1:18a

Mark your calendars:

June 10th, 2007

A celebration marking the
25th Anniversary
of Reverend Daniel Fox's
priesthood ordination.

The parish will be hosting a light luncheon
after the 12:00 Mass in the Parish Hall.



Gifts For the Spirit

Symbolic of the resurrection and eternal life, the butterfly emerging from its cocoon represents the resurrection of Christ from the tomb.

Just as the butterfly comes forth with a new body, those who trust in Christ, come forth with new life.

While still in the beautiful season of Easter, St. Bernardine of Siena's children will be making their First Communion and Confirmation.

What glorious days!

Your parish gift shop, **Gifts for the Spirit**, has a grand selection of rosaries, medals, prayers books, bibles, crucifixes, picture frames and albums to commemorate our children's friendship with Jesus.

Please, stop in, you are sure to find that that special something you're looking for

We are open from 9:15 a.m. to 1:20 p.m. on Sundays. During the week, please call the office to arrange to visit us between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon. We are located upstairs in the Parish Center across from the hall.



A BETTER USE OF YOUR TIME

Learn to give so much time to the improvement of yourself that you'll have no time for criticism of others.

—Anonymous

ALTAR CARE April 20, 2007:
Lelah McLaughlin, Judy Sabo,
Michele Croson, Bernice Galbreath,
Helen Robinson.



IMPORTANT DATES

- April 14/15 Food gathering for Guadalupe Center and Loaves and Fishes Pantry.
- April 16 Justice and Peace Committee Meeting at 7:30 p.m.

TOGETHER IN MISSION

"Blessed are they who hope in the Lord." Psalm 40:5

Thank you for your generous support. If you have yet to make your pledge, you may still do so. Please show your support for Together in Mission as it provides financial support to 35 parishes and 48 schools in our archdiocese that need our help.

Mary Logan Orcutt Award

St. Bernardine of Siena will be presented the **8th Annual Mary Logan Orcutt Award** at a diner on **Thursday, May 17th at 6:00 p.m. at the Woodland Hills Country Club**. This annual award dinner and silent auction is being held to raise funds for the Guadalupe Community Center in Canoga Park, a program of Catholic Charities of Los Angeles.

The Mary Logan Award is presented each year to an organization or individuals who has given extraordinary support to the services and programs which Guadalupe Community Center provides for the underprivileged of the West San Fernando Valley.

You are invited to join your friends in celebrating our parish's accomplishments as well as the mission of the center and its founder Mary Logan Orcutt. The cost for dinner is \$100 per person. For additional information and tickets, call Margaret Pontius at the Guadalupe Community Center at **(818)340-2050**.

The Parish Library

The Parish Library is open after all of the Masses every Sunday. Please stop in and browse.

The St. Bernardine of Siena Justice and Peace Meeting will be held **TOMORROW, Monday, April 16th**. The entire parish, their friends, neighbors and relatives are all welcome and encouraged to attend. We will meet at 7:00 p.m. in the chapel and the meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. Please join us.



Save the Date ...
**7th Annual Monsignor Murray
 Golf Tournament**
Monday, May 21st
Calabasas Country Club

We're looking for sponsors and golfers for the event. If interested, please contact Cathy Barkes at (818)703-0604.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education Classes will resume on Tuesday, April 17th and Wednesday, 18th.

Safeguard the Children Sessions

A **VIRTUS Protecting God's Children Safe Environment Training** will be offered on **Thursday, April 26th** from **6:00-9:30 p.m.** in the Veranda Room. This training is beneficial to all adults, and the Archdiocese of Los Angeles requires that all those working or volunteering in any capacity with or around minors, the elderly, or special needs persons complete this training.

Please call Andrew at **710-1662** to register.

Youth Ministry events are open to 9-12 graders



This month's Parenteen Night is tonight, Sunday, April 15, from 6:30-9:00 p.m. in the parish hall. No teens are to attend without a parent accompanying them. Don't forget to bring something for our potluck dinner.

This Wednesday, April 18, is a Guys-Only Youth Night from 7:00-8:30 p.m. in the parish hall. All high school guys are invited. Dads are welcome.

Our next Praise and Worship night is Tuesday, April 24, from 7-8 p.m. in the parish hall.

This month's Discipleship Night is Sunday, April 29 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the parish hall. Bring \$5 for pizza, salad and a drink. Come join us as we seek to grow together as disciples of Christ.



In your charity please pray for the sick of the parish:

Dan O'Gara, son of Claire; Elizabeth Ann Mitchell; Patrick Breslin; Larry Fleschner; Linda Young; Arthur Angelini; Luisa Gayden; Joe Guintu; Nicholas Cornea; Karen Greulich; Christa Steele; Fred Brchk; Frank Duarte; Larry McClean; Sharon Antonelli; Michelle Mazur;

Rufo Gadi; Geri Ahern; Hector Marusich; Kevin Cordasco; Elice Sassone; Jean Stokley; Mark Kaszynski; Collette Gendron; Dan Ozello; Linda Chan.



Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of Mae Riccio, mother of Carmen Riccio; Randa Reece, grandmother of Laura Hogan; Kenneth Goldvosky, brother of Nancy Ryan;



Confirmation Liturgy

Sunday April 22, 5:30 p.m. Mass

Next **Sunday, April 22**, the **Sacrament of Confirmation** will be celebrated at the 5:30 p.m. Mass.

We are pleased to welcome Bishop Curry as our principal celebrant. We welcome you to join us at this special liturgy but want to warn you that the church will be quite crowded with parents, sponsors, and candidates attending this Mass.

The Parish Library is sponsoring
"Roots of Catholic Spirituality: History and Spirituality of the Benedictines, Dominicans, Franciscans and Carmelites,"

with speaker **Stephen Coffey, OSB**, a monk of the Benedictine Congregation of Our Lady of Mt. Olivet. Join us for **"Carmelite History and Spirituality,"** on **Thursday, April 26th at 7:30 p.m.** in the Parish Hall. Then plan to attend on **Thursday, June 14th** for **"Franciscan History and Spirituality"** at **7:30 p.m.** in the Parish Hall.

A bibliography for each of the lectures an selected books are available on reserve in the Parish Library.

The Parish Library will also present a lecture on the topic of **"Catholic Devotional Practices"** with Fr. Mark Martinez on **Tuesday, May 29th at 7:00 p.m.** in the Veranda Room. Fr. Mark is an associate priest at Our Lady of the Assumption Church in Ventura and he will speak regarding a variety of Catholic devotions, including the rosary and Marian devotions, shrines, devotion to particular saints, and Divine Mercy. Please mark your calendars and plan to join us.

Our neighbors at Temple Aliyah will host an afternoon "Celebration of Jewish Life" on **Sunday, May 6th** from **1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.** The event will be co-sponsored by Congregation Shir Ami in Woodland Hills. A highlight of the afternoon will be a panel discussion on our **"Personal relationships with God"** moderated by Rabbi Stewart Vogel of Temple Aliyah and including Rabbi Jan Offel of Kol Tikvah, both of whom participated in Catholic/Jewish Dialogue sessions with us this past winter. The registration deadline is April 25th. For more information, flyers are available at the Parish Center Office.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Our Nursery Care Program at the 10:00 Sunday Mass needs your help. Please call Carl Williamson at **999-3764**

ST. BERNARDINE'S PARISH LEADERS

Parish Council	Cathy Borowski	348-5650
Altar Care	Lucy Kerecman	998-6701
Altar Servers	Maria Giammatteo	888-8200
Baptism Classes	Deacon Jerry Cellner	888-8200
Bible Study (Thurs Grp)	Shirley Grochalski	347-6228
Comprehensive Youth Ministry (CYM)	Andrew Gafvert	710-1662
Cross Bearers	Dave Goracke	347-0192
Detention Ministry	Rudy Vlasak	347-7144
Environment	Maria Giammatteo	888-8200
Eucharistic Ministers (To Sick/Homebound)	Deacon Dale Taufer	888-8200
Festival Chairpersons	Cheryl Moore	314-6161
Finance Committee	Priscilla Brehm	340-9017
Gift Shop	Jean Sampson	888-7073
Justice & Peace Ministry	Teri Nogues	716-7773
Lectors	Kathy Cromar	883-4238
Library	Jack Maranto	887-6310
Magnificat	Maria Giammatteo	884-2736
Marriage Encounter	Jo Vlasak	347-7144
Music Ministry	Ed/Anna Marie Pudwill	348-1632
Nursery Care Program	Marilyn Enos	710-9788
Parent/Teacher Assoc.	Tami Alcocer/8:30 Mass	882-4070
Parish School	Carole Williamson/10:00	999-3764
Pre-School	June Hunter	713-8120
RCIA	Theresa Valenzuela	340-2130
Reach Out	Charlene Barks	716-4730
Religious Education	Steve & Sharon Ellms	340-2087
Respect Life	Shirley Grochalski	347-6228
Retreats (Men's)	Eileen Fewless	340-1440
Silverado Music Ministry	Tracie Shepard	340-7043
Scouting (Boy Scouts)	Jim Birkhead	348-4616
(Cub Scouts)	Jo & Rudy Vlasak	347-7144
(Girl Scouts)	Gary Bishop	998-7917
Social Activities	Richard Robinson	703-7572
Sunday Pre-School	Kim Palkovic	992-0737
Ushers	Cathy Borowski	348-5650
Welcoming Committee	Maria Cassar	999-1063
Women on the Journey	Wendy Sciuto	592-0049
	Donna Forrester	712-9922
	Darma Trafecanty	884-1686
	Jean Sampson	346-8116

Mass Intentions



April 15 through April 21, 2007
SUNDAY

7:00 a.m. Pro Populo
8:30 a.m. Sr. Assumpta Murray+
10:00 a.m. John Costello+
12:00 noon Ricardo Manuel+
5:30 p.m. Fred BrcaK

MONDAY

6:30 a.m. Sr. Assumpta Murray+
8:30 a.m. George Clayborn+

TUESDAY

6:30 a.m. Monique & Francis Pesez
8:30 a.m. Jordan Yard

WEDNESDAY

6:30 a.m. Jean-Claude Grave
8:30 a.m. St. Theresa Markey

THURSDAY

6:30 a.m. Military Personnel
8:30 a.m. Cipriano Alambra+

FRIDAY

6:30 a.m. Don Leehey+
8:30 a.m. Tom Motimer+

SATURDAY

8:30 a.m. Don Leehey+
5:00 p.m. Grace Bellone+



The **Sisters of Notre Dame** will host their annual fundraiser, **Spring Fling 2007**, on **Sunday May 6th** from **11:00 to 3:00 p.m.** at Notre Dame Center, 1776 Hendrix Avenue, Thousand Oaks. The proceeds support the work of the Sisters of Notre Dame in education, in the inner city communities of Los Angeles, and in foreign missions. The event will feature a fabulous all-you-can-eat buffet, a gift center that will include unique crafts, and a sweet shoppe with an array of home-made baked goods. Reservations may be made for a **\$25** donation per person before April 30th, or \$35 starting May 1st. Contact Carmela Anne Burke at **(805)917-3714** or carmela@sndca.org for details. More information is also available at <http://sndca.org>.

The **West San Fernando Valley District of the Los Angeles Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women** will have its **District Meeting** on **Monday, April 23rd** at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, 18045 Superior St., Northridge. The day begins at **9:00 a.m.** and will include Msgr. Padraic Loftus speaking on **"Out of Africa, Part 2,"** Mass, luncheon, and end at 1:30 p.m. The charge for the day is \$10 prepaid. Make check payable and mail to: Our Lady of Lourdes Parish **before April 17th** (Mark ACCW luncheon on check). For information, call Helen Fitzpatrick at **(818)346-2837**.

SUMMER SPORTS CAMP

Notre Dame High School will offer a **Sports Camp** for 6-12 year old, and Advanced Camps for 5th through 9th grades beginning June 18th through July 20th. For information or an application, see our website at www.ndhs.org.

COMING EVENTS

April

21 **St. John Eudes Annual Spring Tea** at **9:00 a.m.** in Grill Hall with special guest speaker Terry Hershey. Doors will open at **8:30 a.m.** Tickets are **\$20** per person, call Patti Dupree at **(818)674-0334**.