



**Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**February 14, 2021**

# Saint Bernard

A Roman Catholic Community

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## **Mass Schedule • Horario de Misas**

Outdoor mass if weather permits. On raining or windy days Mass will be live streamed only at scheduled times.

### **Saturday Mass • Misas de Sábado**

8:30 a.m. • English • Outdoors & Live Streamed  
5:00 p.m. • English Sunday Vigil • Outdoors

### **Sunday Mass • Misas de Domingo**

Please bring your own chair. Por favor traiga su silla.  
8:30 a.m. • English • Outdoors & Live Streamed  
10:30 a.m. • English • Outdoors  
12:30 p.m. • Español • Outdoors & Live Streamed

### **Weekday Mass • Misas entre Semana**

5:30 p.m. • Bilingual • Outdoors and Live Streamed.  
Wednesday evening mass will not be live streamed  
Wednesday's 8:30 a.m. • English • Live Stream Only

### **Office Hours • Horario de oficina**

Monday - Friday • Lunes a Viernes  
9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.  
Closed on Weekends • Cerrado el fin de semana

## **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.

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

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

For an appointment email Fr. Toribio or Fr. Solomon.

## **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 a la oficina.

# Financial Report

**February 7, 2021**

Envelopes \$2,571.10

Plate \$1,631.66

Mailed donations \$987.00

Pantry \$175.00

Parochial Improvements \$335.00

Online giving \$340.00

St. Bernard's Children \$17.00 and offered their prayers.

# Stay up-to-date!

Visit our Parish website: [saintbernardcc.org](http://saintbernardcc.org)



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

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

## Parish Team

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**Did You know?** Most teenagers are eager to date, but parents may be less eager to reach that milestone. Preparing yourself – and your teenager – for smart, safe dating is key. As a family, set rules, and enforce them. Discuss who they can see, what activities are allowed or forbidden, how late they can stay out. Make sure your teenager is clear on how to handle himself or herself in tough situations, and that they have an “out” if they need one in you or another trusted adult. Honesty and specificity will make these conversations more impactful, and more likely to stick with your teen. For more tips on handling teen dating, read the VIRTUS article “Preparing for the Day Your Teen Starts Dating” at <https://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/>.

**¿Sabias Que?** La mayoría de los adolescentes están ansiosos por tener citas de noviazgo, al contrario de los padres de familia, quienes pueden estar menos ansiosos porque llegue ese momento. Su propia preparación y la de su hijo o hija adolescente para tener citas inteligentes y seguras es clave. Como familia, establezca reglas y hágalas cumplir. Discuta a quién pueden ver sus hijos, qué actividades están permitidas o prohibidas, qué tan tarde pueden quedarse fuera. Asegúrese de que su hijo o hija adolescente tenga claro cómo manejarse en situaciones difíciles y que tenga una “salida” si necesita apoyarse en usted o en otro adulto de confianza. La honestidad y la especificidad harán que estas conversaciones tengan más impacto y que sea más probable que queden grabadas en la mente de su hijo adolescente. Para obtener más consejos sobre cómo manejar las citas de noviazgo entre adolescentes, lea el artículo de VIRTUS “Preparing for the Day Your Teen Starts Dating” (Preparándose para el día en que su adolescente comience a tener citas de noviazgo) en <https://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/>.

# St. Bernard's is Celebrating World Marriage Day



**February 14th!** Enjoy “Living the Promise: A Catholic Marriage Enrichment Series.” Celebrate your marriage by viewing this three-video series that shares tools, techniques, and concepts for enriching your relationship. This series is a gift from the Office of Marriage and Family Life. For further information please visit: [lacatholics.org/living-the-promise/](http://lacatholics.org/living-the-promise/) or contact Candy Metoyer [cmetoyer@la-archdiocese.org](mailto:cmetoyer@la-archdiocese.org)

*“We pray for all married couples: that they may strive daily to faithfully and lovingly live out their marriage vows, bearing witness to the love God has for each of us.”*

Dear Parishioners and Parish Group Leaders:

Please, scan the following QR code to see material containing resources for this Sunday's observance of World Marriage Day.



This link belongs to our Archdiocese Office of Marriage and Family Life. There you will find many resources (with clickable links) from the USCCB Committee on Laity, Marriage, Family Life and Youth.



It lists other items such as links to online retreats for couples, and websites that regularly maintain information and resources to support marriage, most of them available in Spanish and English.

Finally, do not miss an opportunity to share the “Living the Promise: A Catholic Marriage Enrichment Series”, a three-video series that shares tools, techniques, and concepts for enriching a marriage relationship, offered by the Office of Marriage and Family Life. In sent in an email to those registered in our Flocknote list, this video series. I hope this will help you to celebrate and renew your marriage vows.

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## Announcements



- For those who have asked, Soup Night information will be provided in next week's bulletin.
- In observance of Presidents' Day, our parish office will be closed on Monday 2/15/21.
- Please notice in our bulletin cover that our Thursday am mass has been changed to Wednesdays live-streamed only mass at 8:30 am.

# Mass Intentions

## Saturday, February 13

8:30am

Francisco Miranda, †  
Rosalina Garcia, †

Evelia P. Nunag, †  
Terry Caplan, †  
Kevin Gamboa, Birthday

5:00pm .

Billie Connor-Dominguez, †  
Tony Eclarin, †  
Manuel Large, †  
Venancio Viray Jr., †  
Marlene Yu, †

Mary Anne Turlington, †  
James Leoncio, †  
Olena Tedesco and Family,  
Sp. Int.

## Sunday, February 14

8:30am

Dorothy and Richard Veno, †  
Nicolaas, Alida, Nick, and  
Eddie Koot, †  
Josie Espitia, †

Mary Moore, †  
Lim Chang, Sp. Int.  
Linda Lim, Birthday.  
Lourdes Untalan, Birthday

10:30am

Rob and Silvana Eagan, Sp. Int.  
Albert Elchico, Birthday

12:30pm

Saint Bernard Parishioners, Sp. Int.  
Francisco Lopez, †  
Dominick Rodriguez, Birthday

## Monday, February 15

5:30pm

Sonia Kemp & Family, Sp. Int  
Lea Isabella Lopez, 2nd Birthday  
Virginia Lacno, †

Theresa Kemp, Sp. Int.  
Irma Armendariz, Healing

## Tuesday, February 16

5:30pm

Ilano-Murray Family, Sp. Int.      Francois Baez, Birthday  
Lucio Baez, Birthday

## Wednesday, February 17

5:30pm

Larry, Linda, Zita, and Abott Lane, †  
Chang Lim, †

## Thursday, February 18

5:30pm

Saint Bernard Parishioners, Sp. Int.

## Friday, February 19

5:30pm

Larry & Fe Lane, 54th Wedding Anniversary  
Alicia Gallardo, †  
Consulacion Palma, †

## Saturday, February 20

5:30pm

Zita, Larry, Linda, & Abott Lane †

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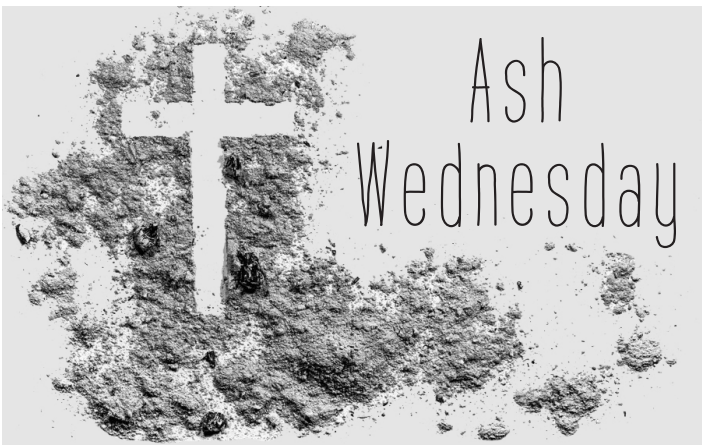
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To celebrate Ash Wednesday safely, we recommend to do it at home, as a family celebration. Today we are distributing ashes (already blessed) and a guide for a "Ash Wednesday Family Celebration".

Ashes to go (and the guide for a "Ash Wednesday Family Celebration") will also be available outside the Rectory Office (Tuesday and Wednesday from 9:00am to 3:00pm).

If you prefer to come to receive ashes, on Ash Wednesday 2/17/21 we will be imposing them at 12:00pm and during our bilingual 5:30 p.m. mass.

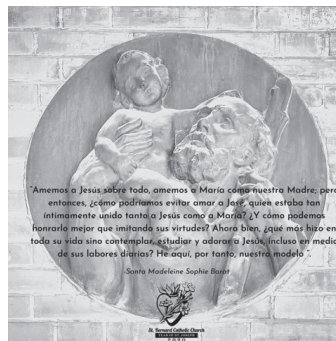
This year, please plan to begin a more meaningful lent with a sincere and deep commitment.

## Miércoles de Ceniza

Para celebrar el Miércoles de Ceniza de forma segura, recomendamos hacerlo en casa, como celebración familiar. Hoy estamos repartiendo cenizas (ya bendecidas) y una guía para una "Celebración Familiar del Miércoles de Ceniza". Ceniza bendita para llevar (y la guía para la "Celebración familiar del miércoles de ceniza") también estarán disponible fuera de la oficina de la rectoría (martes y miércoles de 9:00 am a 3:00 pm).

Si prefieres venir a recibir las cenizas, el miércoles de ceniza 17/02/21 las estaremos imponiendo a las 12:00 pm y durante nuestra misa bilingüe a las 5:30 pm.

Este año, propóngase comenzar una Cuaresma más significativa con un compromiso más profundo y sincero.



"Amemos a Jesús sobre todo, amemos a María como nuestra Madre; pero entonces, ¿cómo podríamos evitar amar a José, quien estaba tan íntimamente unido tanto a Jesús como a María? ¿Y cómo podemos honrarlo mejor que imitando sus virtudes? Ahora bien, ¿qué más hizo en toda su vida sino contemplar, estudiar y adorar a Jesús, incluso en medio de sus labores diarias? He aquí, por tanto, nuestro modelo."

Santa Madelaine Sophie Barat



"Let us love Jesus above all, let us love Mary as our mother; but then, how could we keep from loving Joseph, who was so intimately united to both Jesus and Mary? And how can we honor him better than by imitating his virtues? Now, what else did he do in all his life but contemplate, study and adore Jesus, even in the midst of his daily labors? Behold, therefore, our model."

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## The Life of Saint Joseph

The Year of St. Joseph gives us an opportunity to know this virtuous saint and his role in our salvation. A video presentation and guided reflection will be held on Friday, February 19, 2021, by zoom, at 6:30 pm. Meeting ID: 863 4531 0556; password: 990432. All are welcome to join this gathering in honor of St. Joseph. The Remarkable Story of Joseph the Carpenter [www.youtube.com/watch?v=7ISArwNfBNg&feature=youtu.be](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7ISArwNfBNg&feature=youtu.be)

## Year of St. Joseph

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## Outdoor Mass

In a meeting with all volunteers and ministry leaders last Wednesday, we all decided to continue mass outdoors only.

En una reunión con los voluntarios y líderes ministeriales el miércoles pasado, decidimos continuar la misa solo al aire libre.