

**Tithing & Stewardship**

WEEKLY GOAL \$18,000

March 12<sup>th</sup> - \$13,874.03

Thank you for your contributions



**The Poor Box** is a silent way the parish begs for people in need. Your donation into the poor boxes located at the doors of the church and chapel are used for those who come to the parish in dire need. Some common requests are food, medicine, travel to find work, some sort of unexpected emergency in their lives which they cannot afford.

**ParishPay**

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**Do you know about e-giving to the parish?** E-giving is short hand for electronic giving.

*It is a method of sending your weekly donation to the parish via electronics rather than the traditional weekly offertory envelope. (If you use E-Z Pass you know what it is). You can register online or the parish can give you a form to authorize the parish to withdraw donations directly from your bank account or credit card which in turn gets deposited directly into the church account.*

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Two easy ways to register

1. You simply go to [www.parishpay.com](http://www.parishpay.com) and follow the prompts to register yourself.
2. You can pick up a registration form at the rectory office and we can do it for you.



**Lenten Reminder**

Fridays are days of abstinence from meat. Every day is a fasting day, meaning only one full meal. The quantity of food should be limited at the other two meals.

**St. Barnabas Elementary 50<sup>th</sup> Year Reunion**

St. Barnabas Elementary School, Class of 1967, is looking for alumni. Please contact Francine (Sanchez) Regan at 914-237-8851 or email: [frannyregan704@gmail.com](mailto:frannyregan704@gmail.com)

**YOUNG ADULT MASS**

We invite all young adults in their 20's and 30's (*little ones welcome!*) to join us for our Young Adult Mass which takes place normally on the **First Sunday** of the month at the 5:00pm in the Main Church. The Mass is followed by a social at The Heritage Restaurant on McLean Avenue. Check out our Facebook Page for more info: [facebook.com/groups/yonkersbronxyoungadults/](https://facebook.com/groups/yonkersbronxyoungadults/).

Walk with *Jesus Series*

with

**The Marist Brothers**

**Days:** Fridays 1:30pm – 2:30pm  
(through Friday, April 7<sup>th</sup>)

**Location:** Convent Building – (East 240<sup>th</sup> Street)

To register please call the rectory at 718 324-1478.



**Easter Flowers**

Easter Flowers have a beautiful place on the Altar during this sacred season. They also serve as a way to memorialize a loved one or stand vigil for a special intention. Anyone wishing to memorialize a loved one with flowers can use the Flower Envelope.

An offering of \$10.00 is appreciated.

**Envelopes can be found in the vestibule of the church**



**Society of St. Vincent de Paul**

In today's Gospel, Jesus says: "My food is to do the will of the one who sent me and to finish his work." Through your almsgiving you are doing the will of the Father and finishing the work of Jesus.

Interested in Joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul our next meeting is **Thursday, March 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm** in the Considine Center. Any questions email Chris - [acboydc@gmail.com](mailto:acboydc@gmail.com)



**Lectio Divina Reflection:** Today's

Gospel is **John 4:5-42**. *In what ways do you settle for the stagnant water of the world? Where in your life is God's living water flowing?*

Lectio Divina opens scripture in a way that one can discover an active faith is possible in today's world. Contact Helen McCullagh 914-237-1595 for more information. Join us for a Session on **Sunday morning** from 9-10:15am in the Considine Center. Join us for **Lenten Monday** sessions from 9:15-10:30am in the Considine Center.

Worship in Spirit

and Truth

## 2017 St. Patrick's Dinner Dance



THANK YOU! The saying is that *"it takes a village"* and our parish's St. Patrick's Celebration Dinner Dance on Sunday, March 5<sup>th</sup> was a great example of this. The afternoon was enjoyed by all who attended and its' success was due to the help and work of many people, parishioners and our local merchants. We especially would like to thank our **Chairperson, Jim Reilly** and all who made this a special occasion for our parish.

### VOLUNTEERS

Kaitlyn Allen	Hugh McMorrow
Julio Bolivar	Mary McNally
Kathy Chambers	Heather McNally
Marie DiLeo	Michala McNally
Kathy Ellis	MaryAnn Minneter
Bob Ellis	Dennis O'Mahoney
Margaret Fitzgerald	Caileen Reilly
Kevin Fitzgerald	Joan Reilly
Theresa Larkin	Patrick Reilly
Marty Larkin	Theresa Reilly
Joe McCarthy	Ciara Shea
Chrissy McCarthy	Frank Suriani
Katherine McMorrow	Olive Trinka
Joan Cummings	Helen Winters

### DONATIONS:

Vic's McLean Avenue Wine & Liquor Store  
 Artuso's Bakery on McLean  
 Rambling House Bar & Restaurant  
 Angelica's Bakery on Katonah  
 Rory Dolan's Bar & Restaurant  
 Mohammed's Irish Deli on McLean  
 New Image Salon  
 McLean Avenue Corner Café

Catering - Prime Cuts Irish Butchers

Musicians – The Frank McKenna Band and last but not least our Pastor, Fr. Brendan A. Fitzgerald for entertaining us with his wonderful singing.



THANK YOU to the Lansdowne Bhoys Football Club and parish volunteers who generously gave of their time to help clean up after the snow storm on Tuesday.



## MASSSES FOR THE WEEK

### MONDAY, March 20

6:30 Mary Clifford  
 8:30 Henry Lessel and Frank & Catherine McNally with son James

### TUESDAY, March 21

6:30 Deirdre, Mai & Michael Power with Mary O'Dea  
 8:30 John Connelly and Phyllis Walsh  
 7:00 Daniel Murphy

### WEDNESDAY, March 22

6:30 Special Intention of John Brosnan  
 8:30 Timothy Sullivan & Intentions of Margaret Kelly  
 7:00 Brendan Smith

### THURSDAY, March 23

6:30 Robert E. Jennings, Sr.  
 8:30 Frank Mannion & for the Intentions of Joanne & Robert O'Leary  
 7:00 Michael O'Malley (12<sup>th</sup> ANN)

### FRIDAY, March 24

6:30 The McCann Family  
 8:30 Maria Arnegger & Barbara Cronin (11<sup>th</sup> ANN)

### SATURDAY, March 25

8:30 Frederick Oliver and Mary Theresa Grant  
 12:00 Anthony Grant  
 5:00 Michael Mahoney  
 7:00 Morgan O'Connor (2<sup>nd</sup> ANN)

Our Parish Information is just a click away  
 Log on to [www.stbarnabasbronx.org](http://www.stbarnabasbronx.org)

### **St. Barnabas Church (Bronx, N.Y.)**

Please Like us and keep up-to-date on any of our upcoming events.



### Gifts Of Bread and Wine & Sanctuary Lamp MARCH

60 Daily Masses - In Memory of Theresa Grant  
 Requested by The Crafty Ladies of Saint Barnabas  
**Sanctuary Lamp** - Theresa Grant  
 Requested by The Crafty Ladies of Saint Barnabas

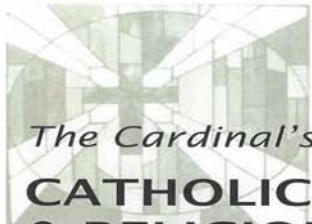
### Bread and Wine Memorials

All 60 daily Masses in one month	\$100.00
All 8 Sabbath weekend Masses in one week	\$ 75.00
Four Sabbath weekend Masses in one month	\$ 50.00
All 15 daily Masses in one week	\$ 25.00
One Sabbath Weekend Mass in one week	\$ 15.00

### Sanctuary Lamp Memorial

Weekly \$10.00





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FOR YOUR GENEROSITY**



## RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE



Join fellow parishioners in the **International Gift of Life Walk** in NYC on Saturday, March 25<sup>th</sup>. The gathering begins at 8:00 a.m. followed by a rally and walk at 9:00am in Foley Square (on Lafayette and Worth Streets). For more information: 718-324-1478 ext. 240.

Beginning on March 27 and ending on April 4, the committee will be holding a Novena to **Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception as we pray for our country**. They will meet in the Main Church from 7:30pm -8:30pm each night except for Adoration night which will be from 8:00-9:00pm and on the Saturday and Sunday it will be held from 6:00pm-7:00pm. In these changing times with its uncertainties, let us pray to our Lady for her intercessions for the good of our country in accordance to the glory of God.

E-mail: [stbarnabasrespectlife@gmail.com](mailto:stbarnabasrespectlife@gmail.com)

**Save the Date:** The Respect Life Committee is sponsoring **Breakfast with the Bunny** on Sunday, March 26, at 11:30 a.m. in the high school cafeteria.

## The Catholic Widows and Widowers of Yonkers

are celebrating its 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on Thursday, April 20<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm at the San Martino Restaurant located at 12 Young Avenue in Yonkers. The cost is \$25 payable at the door. Reservations are required. New and former members are welcome! For more information, call 914-423-5331.

## Learn to Play the Harp - Spring Semester

Wednesdays March 29 thru June 7 @3:45-5:00 p.m.

St. Barnabas Considine Center

All ages & levels welcome!



Please email or call Veronica Greenan to register.

Email: [veronicagreenan.musicstudio@gmail.com](mailto:veronicagreenan.musicstudio@gmail.com) |

Phone: 914-400-9156

Website: [www.vgmusicstudio.com](http://www.vgmusicstudio.com)

## EUCCHARISTIC VIGIL

*For the Holiness of Priests and Holy Vocations*

DATE: Friday, March 24<sup>th</sup>

TIME: 8:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.

Location: Our Lady of Shkodra

261 W. Hartsdale Road, Hartsdale

8:30 p.m. Thanksgiving Mass to the Sacred Heart and the Most Precious Blood of Jesus

Celebrant: Fr. John Edison

7:00 a.m. Benediction followed by Thanksgiving Mass to Our Lady of Good Counsel

Celebrant: Fr. Peter Popaj, Pastor



**Saint Barnabas Men's Group** Join them for coffee and lively discussions on our Catholic faith on Saturday mornings from 9:00am to 10:00am Room 1-6 in the Considine Center. All men in their 20-40s are welcome. Contact Ben Smith at [benang2000@yahoo.com](mailto:benang2000@yahoo.com)



CUT THIS OUT AND KEEP ON YOUR PERSON

## KNOW YOUR RIGHTS ON IMMIGRATION

You have constitutional rights:

Do not open the door, if an ICE agent is knocking at your door.

Do not answer any questions by the ICE agent, if he tries to speak to you. You have the right to remain silent.

You do not have to give your name to the agent. If you are at work, ask the agent if you are free to leave, and if the agent says yes, leave.

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I do not give you permission to enter my home based on my 4<sup>th</sup> Amendment rights under the United States Constitution unless you have a warrant to enter, signed by a judge or magistrate with my name on it that you slide under the door. I do not give you permission to search any of my belongings based on my 4<sup>th</sup> Amendment rights.

For more information, call the Emerald Isle Immigration Center at 718-324-3039.

SHOW THIS CARD TO THE AGENT

## Scouts Youth Program



Venture Crew 102 will be hosting an Open House on **Friday, March 24th** from 7:00pm to 8:00pm in the Elementary School Cafeteria. All current 8th graders and high schoolers from the parish are welcome to attend. Venturing is a co-ed program for young adults ages 14-20 who provide opportunities for leadership, outdoor adventure, athletic competition, service, personal development, and awards and recognition. The Venture Crew is 100% youth led - which means the youth members make the decisions and direct the Crew's program with guidance from adult advisers.

For more information, please come to the Open House with a parent or guardian, or email [woodlawnscoouts102@gmail.com](mailto:woodlawnscoouts102@gmail.com)



**Rosary For Priests** Every Thursday following the 7:00pm Mass in the Main Church, several parishioners gather together to pray the Rosary for priests. Please consider joining them in supporting our priests through Our Lady's Rosary.

# Parish Calendar

## Monday, March 20

8:00am – 10:00am EMS (CC 2-6)  
 9:30am – 10:45am Lectio Divina (PC 1-4)  
 12noon – 2:00pm Playgroup (PC 1-4)  
 1:00pm – 3:00pm Leisure Club (CC 1-6)  
 3:00pm – 6:30pm SBHS Drama Club (Chapel)  
 3:00pm – 9:00pm Cub Scouts (CC 3-4)  
 3:00pm – 9:30pm BAC (ES Gym)  
 6:30pm – 8:00pm A.A. (CC 2-6)

## Tuesday, March 21

8:00am – 10:00am EMS (CC 2-6)  
 9:00am – 11:00am Playgroup (CC 1-4)  
 12noon – 2:00pm Playgroup (CC 1-4)  
 3:00pm – 6:30pm SBHS Drama Club  
 3:00pm – 9:00pm Cub Scouts (CC 3-6)  
 3:00pm – 9:30pm BAC (ES Gym)  
 3:30pm – 7:00pm Riverdale Theater (ES Aud.)  
 6:30pm – 8:00pm Girl Scouts #1604 (CC 3-6)  
 7:00pm – 9:00pm 12 Steps (CC 2-6)  
 7:30pm – 10:00pm SBHS (HS Gym)

## Wednesday, March 22

8:00am – 10:00am EMS (CC 2-6)  
 9:00am – 11:00am Playgroup (CC 1-4)  
 12noon – 2:00pm Playgroup (CC 1-4)  
 1:30pm – 4:00pm Golden Age (CC 1-6)  
 2:00pm – 3:45pm CCD (ES )  
 3:00pm – 6:00pm BAC (ES Gym)  
 3:00pm – 6:00pm Greenan Music (CC 2-4)  
 4:30pm – 6:15pm CCD (ES )  
 6:80pm – 8:00pm Girl Scouts #1794 (CC 3-6)  
 6:00pm – 9:00pm BAC (HS Gym)  
 6:30pm – 9:30pm Boy Scouts (ES Gym)  
 7:00pm – 9:30pm A.A (CC 2-6)

## Thursday, March 23

8:00am – 10:00am EMS (CC 2-6)  
 9:00am – 11:00am Playgroup (CC 1-4)  
 12noon – 2:00pm Playgroup (CC 1-4)  
 2:00pm – 4:00pm AARP (ES Caf.)  
 3:00pm – 3:30pm Cherub Choir (CC 2-4)  
 3:00pm – 6:00pm BAC (ES Gym)  
 3:00pm – 9:00pm Cub Scouts (CC 3-4)  
 3:00pm – 6:30pm SBHS Drama Club (Chapel)  
 3:30pm – 4:30pm Angel Choir (CC2-4)  
 4:30pm – 5:30pm Teen Choir (CC 2-4)  
 6:00pm – 9:00pm BAC (HS Gym)  
 7:00pm – 8:00pm AA Women's Group (CC 2-6)  
 7:00pm – 8:30pm AA (CC 2-6)  
 7:30pm – 9:00pm Adult Choir (CC 2-4)

## Friday, March 24

8:00am – 10:00am EMS (CC 2-6)  
 10:00am – 12noon Crafty Ladies Knitting Club (CC 1-6)  
 3:00pm – 4:30pm Kids Guitar (CC 2-4)  
 3:00pm – 9:30pm BAC (ES Gym)  
 3:00pm – 9:00pm Cub Scouts (CC 3-4)  
 4:00pm – 6:00pm Riverdale Children's Theatre (ES Aud)  
 6:00pm – 9:00pm BAC (HS Gym)  
 7:30pm – 9:30pm A.A (CC 2-6)  
 7:30pm – 10:00pm SBHS (HS Gym)

## Saturday, March 25

8:00am – 11:00am EMS (CC 2-6)  
 9:00am – 10:00pm Men's Club (CC 1-6)  
 9:00am – 9:00pm Woodlean (ES Gym)  
 10:30am – 2:30pm Riverdale Children's Theatre (ES Aud)  
 11:00am – 4:00pm Piano Class (CC 2-4)

## Sunday, March 26

8:20am – 10:00am CCD (El. Sch.)

9:00am – 10:15am  
 10:00am – 11:30am  
 11:00am – 1:30pm  
 12noon – 4:30pm  
 2:00pm – 4:30pm

Lectio Divina (CC 1-4)  
 RCIA (CC 1-6)  
 CCD (HS Caf.)  
 Secular Franciscan Order (CC 1-6)  
 Following Christ (ES Caf.)

**VOCATIONS** If you would like to be a priest or have questions about the priesthood please contact Father Christopher Argano at (914) 968-1340 or [www.NYPRIEST.COM](http://www.NYPRIEST.COM).

**FREE COUNSELING AND SUPPORT** from the Catholic Home Bureau for needy women who are pregnant. Call 718 228-1515 ext 110.

### Hope and Healing

Have you suffered an abortion? Experience God's love and mercy and begin the journey of healing. Please call the Sisters of Life at 866 575-0075 or email: [hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org](mailto:hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org). For men call Theresa Bonopartis at Lumina: 877 586-4621 or email: [Lumina@postabortionhelp.org](mailto:Lumina@postabortionhelp.org)

**Woodlawn Women to Women Group** of Alcoholics Anonymous meets on Thursday evenings at 7:00pm in the Considine Center (Room 2-6).

**The Corona Self-Help Center** in Queens offers its services to anyone who feels they have a drug addiction. Services are free of charge. Call Jonathan or Alfredo at 718 458-0108.

### THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

We welcome into the Roman Catholic Church and our parish community the following child who was recently baptized here at St. Barnabas:



**Sean Patrick Brady, child of John and Noreen**

### Prayer Requests For The Sick & Endangered

Please submit names of all those who are in need of prayer, cut this box out and return to the rectory office.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

*Due to limited space, we can only publish for 2 weeks*

**Geraldine Lundrigan**

**Jerry Collins**

**Lilia Milone**

**Jackie Duffy**

**Patricia Dunn**

**William O'Connor**

**Please Pray For...** Let us pray for our deceased parishioners, benefactors, relatives, members of the Armed Forces, for those who are most forgotten and for those who recently died especially: **Harry Quattrocchi**.

