

The Parishes of
**Saint Mary in Bremen &
Saint Bernadette in Lancaster**



**Domine, Quo Vadis?
Lord, Where Are You Going?**

Jesus said to his apostles:
“Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me,
and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me;
and whoever does not take up his cross and follow after me is not worthy of me.
Whoever finds his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.”

- From today's Holy Gospel, Matthew 10:37-42

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 28, 2020

St. Bernadette Parish

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The St. Mary Bremen Parish Office is at the church vestibule. Hours: 9-11 AM, Thursdays.

The St. Bernadette Parish Office is in the Mary Good Center, across the back parking lot from the school. Hours: 9 AM-1 PM, Monday through Friday.

St. Bernadette School is located at 1325 Wheeling Road, Lancaster, OH 43130-8701

The Parish Website is www.stbernadetteparish.net

Flocknote: text STBERN or STMARY to 97000 to be added to our news, updates, and reminders.

Sacramental Life

Baptism

To have a child baptized, parents must register and attend a class as a couple. Try to attend before your child is born. At least one parent and godparent must be practicing Catholics. Please call or email the church office for information or to register.

Confession

The priest is available for Penance at St. Bernadette on Saturdays at 8:30 AM and 3:00 PM, and on Thursdays at 5:30 PM. Confessions are offered Sundays at St. Mary Bremen at 8:00 AM. Every Catholic priest is available whenever needed.

Anointing and Care of the Sick

The priest gives the Anointing of the Sick to one who is dangerously ill, facing major surgery, or suffering from the ravages of old age. Call the parish office to inform us if a loved one is in need of pastoral care in sickness, particularly with an extended absence from attending Mass.

Holy Matrimony

Couples wishing to marry should contact the parish office six months before a wedding. Why so long? Because this Sacrament, not just the ceremony, requires serious preparation. And the Church needs to be involved in that preparation. The Church needs to support couples through the years of married life and offers programs to enhance married life. To learn about these programs, watch the bulletin.

Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration takes place each Wednesday at St. Bernadette with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 9:00 AM and Benediction and Reposition at 2:00 PM. Exposition also takes place each Thursday at St. Bernadette from 7:00 PM until MIDNIGHT. On the first Thursday of the month we offer a Eucharistic Holy Hour at St. Mary in Bremen after the morning Mass. All are welcome to come as you are able, or stop in for prayer anytime.

Collar Corner

Please pray for our Catechumens and Candidates who will celebrate the Sacraments and enter into full union with the Church this week. We welcome them with gratitude to God and promise our continued support.

First Thursday, Friday, and Saturday all fall this week. There will be a Holy Hour in Bremen after Mass on Thursday and Friday and Saturday will have our prayers to the Sacred and Immaculate Hearts.

As we conclude the month dedicated to Our Lord's Sacred Heart, please consider the home enthronement for your family. The local coordinators are happy to provide you with the materials to make a truly fruitful renewal of your spiritual life through this devotion. Details are available at www.welcomehisheart.com.

Please see the information below about the job posting and encourage anyone you know who may be interested in the position to apply as soon as possible. We pray that God will provide us the right person.

As the fiscal year wraps up, we are hoping to get a report as soon as possible about our financial position. Now is a great time for anyone who has the ability to make up for lost time from our shutdown and help us to keep up our pattern of success despite the turmoil. We are sincerely appreciative of the generous spirit of our parishioners to help us be just in paying our bills on time and be prudent in planning for the future.

Our original plan was to have our yearly missionary priest come for his appeal next month while I am away for an Ordination. They have cancelled the visit but are still making the appeal. Details will be provided next week. There may be changes to the regular daily Mass schedule for July 6th-11th and if so, these will be published next week as well. Adoration will be as usual.

God Bless America! Let's be profoundly humbled at the blessings of life, liberty, and pursuit of happiness. Eternal life, spiritual freedom, and pursuit of holiness are built upon these gifts. Celebrate safely and well!

In Our Lord and Our Lady,

Father Tomson

We Pray in June

We pray that all those who suffer may find their way in life, allowing themselves to be touched by the Heart of Jesus.

Hear the Word of the Lord

June 28, Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	2 Kings Psalm Romans	4:8-16 89 6:3-11	Matt 10:37-42
June 29, Monday <i>Sts. Peter & Paul, Apostles</i>	Acts Psalm 2 Timothy	12:1-11 34 4:6-18	Matt 16:13-19
June 30, Tuesday <i>First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church</i>	Amos Psalm	3:1-4:12 5	Matt 8:23-27
July 1, Wednesday <i>St. Junipero Serra, Priest</i>	Amos Psalm	5:14-24 50	Matt 8:28-34
July 2, Thursday	Amos Psalm	7:10-17 19	Matt 9:1-8
July 2, Thursday Latin Mass <i>Visitation of the BVM</i>	Song of Songs	2:8-14	Luke 1:39-47
July 3, Friday <i>St. Thomas, Apostle</i>	Ephesians Psalm	2:19-22 117	John 20:24-29
July 4, Saturday Latin Mass <i>Immaculate Heart</i>	Eccles	24:14-16	John 19:25-27
July 4, Saturday	Amos Psalm	9:11-15 85	Matt 9:14-17
July 5, Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Zechariah Psalm Romans	9:9-10 145 8:9-13	Matt 11:25-30

Intentions at Mass

Saturday, June 27	4 PM	St. Bernadette	For St. Bernadette School Students, Staff, & Families
Sunday, June 28	8:30 AM	Bremen St. Mary	Pat Hanna & the Hanna Family
Sunday, June 28	10 AM	St. Bernadette	For the People of Both Parishes
Mon, June 29	8:20 AM	St. Bernadette	Regina Gallagher
Wed, July 1	8:20 AM	St. Bernadette	Sandy Walters
Thurs, July 2	8:20 AM	Bremen St. Mary	Celebrant's Intention
Thurs, July 2	6 PM	St. Bernadette	Chase Singer
Fri, July 3	8:20 AM	St. Bernadette	Mark Dreyer
Saturday, July 4	9 AM	St. Bernadette	Celebrant's Intention
Sat, July 4	4 PM	St. Bernadette	Joe McAndrews
Sunday, July 5	8:30 AM	Bremen St. Mary	For the People of Both Parishes
Sunday, July 5	10 AM	St. Bernadette	Charles Harris

Employment Opportunity

St. Bernadette Catholic School, located at 1325 Wheeling Road in Lancaster, is seeking an experienced and dynamic leader for the position of Principal beginning in the summer of 2020.

St. Bernadette School was built in 1965 and is a Preschool through 5th grade program. Our school community is committed to developing the whole child. Students grow in the ability to love through an awareness of God's love, an acceptance of oneself and respect for others. Our students develop characteristics of leadership that enable them to live out their commitment as Christians in an ever-changing world. Our mission is to celebrate Christ's love through Catholic teachings and traditions, service to others and academic excellence.

We are seeking a principal who is a demonstrated leader, capable of helping us grow in our mission of evangelization and excellence in education. A candidate must be a practicing Catholic and possess a Master's degree and administrator's license or be eligible to obtain one. A current FBI/BCI background check, attendance at the VIRTUS Protecting God's Children seminar and a completed online administrator's application for the Diocese of Columbus must be submitted as part of the application process. Also, include in your submission, college transcripts, a letter of membership and parish participation, which includes a reference from the parish's pastor, educational philosophy statement, and a list of five references. Salary is commensurate with the candidate's education and experience.

If you are interested in this challenging and rewarding opportunity, please forward a resume and letter of interest to Lisa Axene, HR Generalist with the Office of Catholic Schools at laxene@columbuscatholic.org. The deadline for submission is Friday, July 17, 2020.

Quo Vadis Retreat

Attention all Catholic young men entering 9th – 12th grade. Do you know where your life is going? The Lord Jesus has a great plan for you! You are invited to attend the Quo Vadis Retreat, spending time with other young men discerning God's call. Quo Vadis is led by priests and seminarians of the Diocese of Columbus and is supported by the

Diocesan Office of Vocations. It will be held July 26th - July 29th. The cost is \$40. For information or to register go to <https://faceforwardcolumbus.com/quo-vadis/> or contact Michael Haemmerle at columbusquovadis@gmail.com.

(Due to current trends in public health policy in reopening Ohio, the Quo Vadis retreat hopefully will be offered again this summer, following all safety guidelines outlined by the Governor and the Ohio Department of Health.)

2020 Jubilee of Anniversaries

The annual Mass and celebration originally scheduled for this month have been postponed. They may be able to be held this fall.

Peter's Pence Collection

This collection happens today. The funds provide emergency relief to those who suffer from war, oppression, disease, and natural disaster and are distributed in the name of the Holy Father.

Bishop Brennan on the Radio

Bishop Brennan celebrated Mass and led a rosary to end racism; these were aired on St. Gabriel Catholic Radio. To listen, please visit this link: <https://stgabrielradio.com/bishop-robert-brennan-mass-homily-and-rosary-for-an-end-to-racism/>.

Chuck Rogers Memorial Golf

The sixth annual Chuck Rogers Event will be held Sunday, August 2, at Lancaster Country Club. Four person teams may register by sending the \$300 fee (includes green fees, cart, food, prizes, and more!) to Kellie Shonk at Fisher Catholic High School. Or register online at <https://chuck-rogers-memorial-golf-outing-2020.perfectgolfevent.com/>. All proceeds will benefit Fisher Catholic Athletic Association. Interested sponsors should contact Russell Rogers at (740) 304-7180.

Protecting God's Children

While many of the Protecting God's Children classes are still on hold, a few are being offered via Zoom (teleconferencing). If you have not completed this important volunteer requirement, you can participate this summer without leaving your home. To view a list of classes, or to register for a class, visit www.virtusonline.org

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