

# SAINT BERNARD

## PARISH

*A Small Place Where God's Love Is Made Big!*



### APRIL 21, 2019

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Canonical Pastor: Fr. Joe Robinson  
Sacramental Minister: Fr. Robert Thesing, S.J.  
Pastoral Administrator: Sr. Margie Niemer  
Sacristan: John Rader  
Office Staff: Dave Evans, Linda Rook

Parish Office Hours:  
9 – 1 Mon. Tues. Thurs. & Friday

MASSSES: Saturday 5 pm,  
Sunday 9:30 am

Tues & Thurs 8 AM - Wednesday: Noon

CONFESSIONS: Sat: 4:30 - 4:50pm  
Sun: 9:00 - 9:20am

Interested in our parish? Call the Parish Office

#### ST. BERNARD'S PRAYER LINE ~

Members of our parish who pray for anyone in need of spiritual support.

Call **MELANIE DRAKE (260-9019)** or  
**JAN SUNDERHAUS (738-4967)** or  
e-mail the Parish Office & we will forward your prayer request to the prayer line.

#### CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE:

[www.stbernardcincy.org](http://www.stbernardcincy.org)

#### Please Pray for these Parishioners:

Anita Maria Thierry Allen	Bernard Duncan
Jim Fitzpatrick	Don Benzing
Paul Thierry	Ron Friedl
Barb Limke	Ginny Cook
Joanne Cafferky	Phil Schweri
Joan Schuler	Nancy Schiele
Mae Smith	Charlene Riesenberger

#### Collection: April 14<sup>th</sup> \$2,134.00

Next Sunday 4/28 second collection for SVDP.

Next Sunday April 28<sup>th</sup> is the Breakfast gathering please bring something to share such as pastries, fruit, casserole, baked goods. Etc. Thank You

#### Birthday Blessings To:

Apr. 22 Daniel Battistone  
Apr. 23 Carl Goyette  
Apr. 25 Nancy McNeal  
Apr. 27 Ana Velasquez

#### Parish Events

Apr. 23 8 am Mass  
10 am Bible Study  
Apr. 24 Noon Mass  
7 pm Men's Renewal  
Apr. 25 8 am Mass  
8:30 – 9:30 Holy Hour

#### MASS INTENTIONS

<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>04/20</b>	<b>8 PM</b>	Fr. Jim Shappelle (+)
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>04/21</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>	St. Bernard Parishioners
Easter Sunday			
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>04/23</b>	<b>8 AM</b>	Richard Thierry (+)
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>04/24</b>	<b>Noon</b>	Special Intention
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>04/25</b>	<b>8 AM</b>	Mary & Joe Morgenroth
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>04/27</b>	<b>5 PM</b>	Helen Zellner (+)
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>04/28</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>	Fr. Jim Shappelle (+)
Divine Mercy Sunday			

#### A Message from Sister Margie...

Happy Easter! I hope that Lent was a good season for you and that you can now enter into the Easter season with joy!

If you are a parishioner, you should have received your packet in the mail concerning the celebrations for the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary year. Packets were also mailed to all those people who have a connection to the parish and for whom we had current addresses. In the back of church there are some packets that can be distributed. If someone tells you that they heard about it but did not receive a packet, you can pick one up and give it to them. The first celebration is May 19 and that will be explained next week-end.

Molly Shuter is our faithful Sunday person who sets out a few things before Mass begins. She would like to have a back-up person for times when she can't be here. It isn't difficult and you don't have to be here way in advance to do it. Please contact Molly directly or tell me if you think you could be the substitute.

Next Sunday is the breakfast gathering. Plan to stay!

#### FOR THE ROAD:

Today's Psalm: "I shall not die, but live.."  
How is my life a gift from God and a gift to others?



**Lord we lift our hearts to you. As the dawn breaks, may we carry the unity we share into every moment knowing that we are one with the risen Christ.**

**SCRIPTURE REFLECTION** - It's Easter! In the first reading today, we hear that Jesus wants us to testify to the truth. That is our calling, our mission, not just on Easter but every day of our lives. Not just in church but at the dinner table, at the water cooler, on social media, on the soccer field, in the grocery line and everywhere else we go. We don't have to give a prepared speech or even speak at all. We simply have to let our everyday actions speak to the truth we know in our hearts: Jesus Christ is our Lord and Savior. He came to save every one of us simply because he loves us just as we are.

**Thank you!!** – A great big thank you to all of our volunteers who made our fish fries such a success! Together we raised \$1,900.12 for the Parish. Thanks to Linda Rook, Dave and Rita Carosino, Anna Gurley, Polly Welch (and St. Bernard Dairy Queen), Dave and Becky Goodrich, Steve Amann, Bob Saal, Sr. Margie, Margaret Powell, Karen Orsary, Sr. Bonnie and our chefs extraordinaire Myron and Shayla Hampton! And thanks to all who came out and enjoyed our tasty food. -Dave

**SVDP** – Today as we celebrate the feast of Easter, like Mary Magdalene and the Disciples we find the challenge of also seeing and believing the resurrection.

#### **SEASONAL THOUGHTS...SPRING**

Blessed are you, Spring, free gift of the earth. Without cost we gaze upon your glory. You are a gospel of good news for the poor and rich alike.

“Circle of Life” by Joyce Rupp

#### **Catholic Social Justice:**

Catholic Social Teaching - **Sunday, May 5** Andrew Musgrave, the new director of our Archdiocesan Catholic Social Action office, will share with us the tenets of our faith that make up Catholic Social Teaching. Please join us for this program and light refreshments in the annex after the 9:30 Mass.

#### **Celebrating your anniversary in 2019?**

If you are celebrating a milestone Anniversary (25,40,50,60,65,70 or 75), write your name and anniversary date on a paper and put it in the collection basket by the end of April. Thank you.

#### **MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**SERVERS** (Chuck Heil)

**04/27 5 PM** Chuck Heil  
**04/28 9:30 AM** Brian, Joe & Chris

**LECTORS** (Sr. Margie Niemer)

**04/27 5PM** Pat McNall  
**04/28 9:30PM** Carolyn Dehner  
Mary Jane Hack

**OFFERTORY PROCESSION** (Margie Koehler)

**04/28 9:30 AM** Rudemiller Family

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS** (Mary Jane Hack)

**04/27 5PM** Mona Sanders  
**04/28 9:30 AM** Chuck Heil  
Sue Hagedorn  
Sr. Margie Efkeman  
Reyna Torres  
Kathy Hunt

**USHERS** (Pat Orsary)

**04/28 9:30 AM** Pat Orsary

**SUNDAY HOST** (Sr. Margie Niemer)

**04/28 9:30 AM** Mary Cabrini Durkin

**LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR:** Are you searching for something more? Do you want to deepen your prayer life and relationship with Jesus? St. Raphael Charismatic Prayer Group invites you to join us on Tuesday evenings 7:00pm- 9:00pm beginning April 23, 2019 through June 4, 2019. All sessions held at HOLY SPIRIT CENTER. Come and receive ALL He wants to give you.

**Healing Service-** Holy Spirit Center – April 24<sup>th</sup> Rosary at 6:45, Mass at 7:15.

**Divine Mercy Sunday** – April 28<sup>th</sup>  
St. Bartholomew at 2pm

**Healing Mass** for those who have lost an unborn child.  
Monday, April 29<sup>th</sup> 7pm at St. Ignatius

**The Sultan and the Saint:** St. Anthony Shrine 5000 Colerain Ave. May 10<sup>th</sup> 7pm, all events are free

#### **Volunteers Needed! American Red Cross**

Can you give a day to help change someone's life forever?  
Join the American Red Cross in their efforts to reduce the number of fire deaths and injuries by installing FREE smoke alarms in area homes.

**INSTALLATION TEAM MEMBERS NEEDED:** In teams of three, go to area homes by appointment, where one person will use a power drill and a ladder to install smoke alarms, one will teach household members how to make a fire escape plan, and the third will document the visit. All training and materials are provided. Appointments happen during daylight hours between April 27 and May 12. Visit [www.soundthealarm.org](http://www.soundthealarm.org) to sign up for a shift.

**Job openings-** At St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish  
Coordinator of Adult Faith & Family Life  
Coordinator of Young adult, HS Youth & Jr. High Ministry  
Send resume to [apply@saint-max.org](mailto:apply@saint-max.org) or mail too:  
St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish  
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