



CALENDAR FOR ASCENSION AND ST. BERNARDS' PARISHES

Sun, June 5th 11am Linger Longer Honoring HS Grads @StB

Synod Assembly Mass

Saturday, June 4, 7 p.m., Cathedral of Saint Paul, St. Paul
Be part of this historic gathering of our local Church, joining Archbishop Hebda, Bishop Williams and more than 500 Synod members from across the Archdiocese who are meeting June 3-5 for the Synod Assembly. Please see the back of the bulletin for Archbishop Hebda's latest letter and how you can pray for the a successful Synod Assembly.

Novena to the Holy Spirit, May 27 – June 4

You are invited to pray with Catholics across the Archdiocese and your parish representatives the Novena to the Holy Spirit. The final day of the novena will be the first day of the Archdiocesan Synod Assembly, during which our parish representatives will enter into discussion and prayer to provide feedback to Archbishop Hebda during this final step of the Synod process. Even if you cannot pray the novena on these exact dates, please consider entering into this novena. The Holy Spirit is instrumental to the success of our Synod! The Novena can be found at: www.archspm.org/synod/

What would you like to tell Pope Francis?

In spring 2021, Pope Francis announced that the Catholic Church would engage in a synodal process that includes "listening to all of the baptized" in every diocese around the world. What would you like to share with Pope Francis? Now is your chance to say what you think the Catholic Church needs to focus on today. Take the survey: archspm.org/vaticansurvey

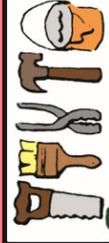
June is devoted to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

The Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus was started and made popular by St. Margaret Mary Alacoque. She was inspired by visions of Jesus to spread this devotion. This was a favorite prayer of St. Padre Pio and he prayed it every day.

Read more at: <https://www.praymorenovenas.com/novena-to-the-sacred-heart-of-jesus>

Word of Life—"The Catholic Church has a long history of service to those who are most vulnerable and remains the largest private provider of social services in the United States. Through the sacrificial efforts of faithful Catholics, the Church serves millions through diocesan ministries and agencies, Catholic hospitals and healthcare systems, immigration clinics, shelters, and Catholic schools and parishes. From religious communities to pregnancy care centers, from refugee resettlement services to foster care and adoption agencies, and from maternity homes to parish-based ministries, the Church consistently bears witness in word and deed to the beauty and dignity of every human life—including both mother and child." USCCB Committee Chairmen, "Standing with Moms in Need"

"From the beginning of Christ's mission, women show to him and to his mystery a special sensitivity which is characteristic of their femininity. It must also be said that this is especially confirmed in the Paschal Mystery, not only at the Cross but at the dawn of the Resurrection." - **St. Pope John Paul II**



Maintenance / "handy-person" needed. St. Bernard is looking to hire a part-time maintenance/handy

person to perform routine maintenance in all buildings, as well as cleaning in the school building and to be backup to our lawn mowing volunteers. We anticipate approximately 40 hrs per month with starting wage of \$15.00/hr. Please contact the parish office (952-466-2031) if you are interested.

Thank You! To Leon Wickenhauser for the donation of dark mulch and **Thank You** to all who helped spread it. God Bless you all!!



Congratulations High School Graduates!!

A Mass will be held in your honor at 10:00am on Sun., June 5th at St. Bernard. Fr. Abraham will offer the graduates a special blessing at the Mass and we will have a special Linger Longer after the Mass. Please invite your families to join us! Also please keep our graduates in your prayers.

We're Switching Bulletin Companies

We are in the process of moving to a new bulletin company. **Kristee Flynn (651-303-3461) is our contact at the new company, LPi. Kristee has been here at our offices the past two weeks calling local businesses for sponsorships. It has been going very well. Our first bulletin will be produced by LPi for the weekend of June 11-12.**

If you would like to place an ad (or know of someone else who might), please contact Kristee at 651-303-3461.

Thank you for supporting this ministry!



VARIETY OF GIFTS

In today's second reading, Saint Paul wrote to the Church in Corinth, a community encountering tensions and divisions over spiritual gifts. Paul reminds them that the Spirit shares a variety of gifts; none is better than any other, and all are needed by the whole Church. The Spirit is revealed in the diversity of gifts offered by individuals and by distinct groups. The Spirit desires that the Church live as an interdependent, cohesive whole, as the Body of Christ. A parish can be a collegial partnership where parishioners, clergy, and ministry staff can confidently share God's gifts. Gifts from persons and groups of diverse backgrounds can be honored. Gifts that tend to be less visible, such as in finance, custodial work, or administration, can be celebrated as much as those in preaching and music. May we notice God's grace in this diversity. *Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co., Inc*

Mass Ministry	Ascension Sat. 5:00pm	Ascension Sun. 8:00am	St. Bernard Sun. 10:00am
Sacristan	Ann Dettmann	Kathy Kloempken	Patricia Quinn
Servers	Alex Urness & Bryce Urness	Paul Prossoki	Logan Pellegrino & Gabby Remer
Reader	Ann Schwichtenberg	Volunteer	Brenda Jones
EMHC	Cathleen Williams	Irene Yaeck	Andy Kleindl
Ushers	Dave Donney & Jim Mulville	Jeremy Friendshuh & Paul Lano	Tom Dahl & Leo Willens
Greeters	Leo Pouliot	Justin & Amy Buckentin	Casey Jones
Homebound Ministers	N/A	Grp A Steve Lemmer & Curt Wilson Grp B Tim George & Steve Helget	N/A

Mass Times/Intentions

Monday	June 6	No Mass	
Tuesday	June 7	6:15 pm	Phero Nguyen †
Wednesday	June 8	8:00 am	Robert G. Fritz †
Thursday	June 9	8:00 am	Edward Klepperich †
Friday	June 10	8:00 am	Mr. Cung Hong †
Saturday	June 11	5:00 pm	All Parishioners
Sunday	June 12	8:00 am	Clayton Schindler † John Worn †
Sunday	June 12	10:00 am	Gilbert Rademacher †

Eucharistic Adoration
Ascension
Every Tuesday
3:00 pm until 6:00 pm
St. Bernard
Every Wednesday
2:00 until 7:00 pm

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms: By appointment.
Marriage Arrangements
The couple should contact the priest as soon as they become engaged. They must meet with the priest twice before setting a marriage date. These two meetings need to be completed 6 months before the proposed date.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Ascension: Tues. 5:45pm - 6:05pm
St. Bernard: Wed: 7:30am-7:50am
Saturday: 4:30pm—4:50pm
at parish hosting the Mass

By appointment with Father- Call 952-856-1050

Communion for Homebound

Ascension - Sue Tellers.....612-247-6881
St. Bernard - Barb Knorr.....952-466-2447

Anointing of the Sick

Call the parish office at any time.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

June 6-12, 2022

Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14; Ps 87:1-3, 5-7; Jn 19:25-34 **Tuesday:** 1 Kgs 17:7-16; Ps 4:2-5, 7b-8; Mt 5:13-16
Wednesday: 1 Kgs 18:20-39; Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab, 8, 11; Mt 5:17-19 **Thursday:** 1 Kgs 18:41-46; Ps 65:10-13; Mt 5:20-26 **Friday:** 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16; Ps 27:7-9abc, 13-14; Mt 5:27-32 **Saturday:** Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Ps 16:1b-2a, 5, 7-10; Mt 5:33-37 **Sunday:** Prv 8:22-31; Ps 8:4-9; Rom 5:1-5; Jn 16:12-15

Bulletin copy is due by **Thursdays @ NOON**

for the bulletin two weekends out; **St. Bernard** copy must be emailed to:
bulletin@st-bernard-cologne.org and pquinn5322@hotmail.com
Ascension copy must be emailed to: busadamin@ascensionya.org
All inserts and weekend Mass announcements can be emailed or a paper copy brought to the Parish office at St. Bernard or Ascension.

St. Bernard Stewardship of Treasure

Budget for week 3,027.27
Contributions 05-18 through 5-24-2022 1,904.55
Total Actual Collection YTD 168,064.83
Total Actual Collection Over (Under) Budget 6,423.86
Forward in Faith
Envelope Income 105.00
Electronic Donations 0.00
Forward in Faith Total 105.00
Forward in Faith YTD 63,205.40

Did you know you can have your contributions automatically deducted from your checking or savings account? For more information call the parish office 952-466-2031, or visit www.st-bernard-cologne.org

Ascension Weekly Collection Report

Totals as of 5/22/2022

Weekly Operating Budget: \$ 2,788.47
Weekly Envelopes/Plate: 1,548.00
Weekly E-Giving: 985.00
Collections Budget YTD: 131,058.09
Actual Collection YTD: 140,068.16
Total Collected Over (Under) YTD: 9,010.07

Capital Improvement Offering: 510.00
Capital Improvement-E-Giving: 100.00
Capital Improvement YTD: 12,605.00

Sign up for electronic giving at ascensionya.org
Under Links -> E-giving. Or call the parish office for more information: 952-467-3351.