

PARISH OFFICE: 732-269-2208

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Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament— ex. 313

Mon-Fri 7-7, Sat/Sun 7am-12:30

Barnabas Active Gardeners-BAGs -ex. 100

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Readers,

Altar Servers, Ushers, Greeters, Liturgy Committee,

Children's Liturgy Committee- ext. 120

Faith Formation & Catechesis:

Mary Britanak- ext. 128

*Religious Education-*ext. 132

Confirmation Prep- ext. 132

Whole Community/Family Catechesis, ext. 128

Hospitality Committee- ext. 128

Parish Nursing- ext. 115

Office Hours: Thurs. 9am-12pm

*RCIA -*ext. 104

Bible Study- ext. 100

Pastoral Care & Evangelization:

Terry Damiano - ext. 120

Bereavement Support Group

Comfort Ministry

Hospital/ Nursing Home Visitors

Separated & Divorced Support- ex.309

Rainbows – ext. 309

Annulment Advocates- ext. 100

Youth Ministry:

Tim Blumensteel - ext. 127

Barnabas Active Teens-BATs, ext. 127

Parish Scouting- ext. 102

Children/Families with Special Needs ex. 128

Stewardship:

Parish Stewardship Council, ext. 120

Shared Ministry Council, ext. 120

Welcome Committee- ext. 100

Social Action/Social Justice:

Social Action Hotline- ext. 308- furniture/clothes

Respect Life Committee- ext. 306

Interfaith Hospitality Network- ext. 120

Caregivers of Ocean County – ext. 120

ST. VINCENT de PAUL ext. 134

St. Barnabas Food Pantry ext. 107

Food Pantry Hours: Mon. 9:30-11:15am, Wed. 9:30-11:15am, Fri. 9:30-11:15am

Thrift & Gift Shop: Wed. 9:00am to 2:00pm, Fri. 9-1, Sat 3:30-5:30, Sun. 7:30-1:30

Spiritual & Social:

Spiritual Direction- ext. 100

Knights of Columbus- ext. 100

*Altar Rosary Society -*ext. 120

Prayer Groups – There are several regular Prayer

Meetings in the parish- please call ext. 120

Cornerstone Retreat Team- ext. 120

THE SACRAMENTS AT ST. BARNABAS

BAPTISM: 1st Sunday at Mass, 2nd - 5th-at 2:00pm.

Contact Parish Office for preparation, arrangements & sponsor certificates. You must be a registered

parishioner to obtain a godparent sponsor certificate.

Baptism Prep Team- ext. 128

MARRIAGE: Couples must be registered in our parish 6 months before booking & adhere to all parish wedding

policies available on website. There is a **one year** prep

period. Please call Parish Office. **Pre- Cana-** ext. 100

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: No Longer Last Rites!

Please call emergency line ext. 333, or Parish Office to

schedule. *There is no need to wait until near death.* .

CONFIRMATION: ext. 132, **Adults- RCIA,** ext. 100

HOMEBOUND EUCHARIST: If someone would like

to have Holy Communion brought to them, call ext. 120.

Hospital & Nursing Home Visitors- ext. 120

HOLY ORDERS/VOCATIONS: Fr. Stas, ext. 104

RECONCILIATION/CONFESSIONS:

Sats. 3:15-3:45, Weds. 8:30-9am & 6:30-7:00pm

Seasonal Communal Services -Or by appointment

MASS SCHEDULE:

Daily: Mon. –Fri. -8am

SAT: 4pm, SUN: 7:30am; 9:00am;

10:30am; 12 Noon espanol (Spanish)

SPONSOR CERTIFICATES: Only registered parishioners can be given certification to be a sponsor for Baptisms and Confirmation.

**For more info please visit our website:
www.stbarnabasbayville.com**

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2018
TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2018
Our Lady of Sorrow

4:00pm **Deceased Members of the Dabrowsky Family**
 req: Bruce Dabrowsky
Deceased Members of the Nikodem Family
 req: Helen Matarazzo

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2018

8:00am **Charles Salvatore Edgar**
 req: Mrs. Marie Paul
Helen Dudek
 req: Lawrence and Barbara Nolan

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2018
TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

7:30am **Raymond Krysiak**
 req: Kumitis Family

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2018

8:00am **In Memory of Val Kornak (9th Anniv)**
 req: Kornak and Black Families
Paulette Aiello
 req: Her Family

9:00am **Jack Brown**
 req: Arlene and Bob O'Connor
Jack Applegate (1st Anniv)
 req: Family

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2018
The Most Holy Name of Mary

8:00am **Living and Deceased Members of Bezdelovs and Daniels Families**
 req: Tereza
Charles McEwan
 req: Maureen McClellan

10:30am **John and Mary Radford**
 req: Marge Johnston
Patricia Iaria
 req: Iaria Family

12 Noon **For Our Parishioners**

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2018
St. John Chrysostom

8:00am **Ray's Birthday Remembrance**
 req: Wife, Helen
Theodhile Chencharik
 req: Pat and Dan

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Our Parish Office Hours have gone back to the normal hours of Monday thru Thursday from 9am to 4pm and Fridays from 9am to 3pm. Adoration will also be open all day on Friday.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2018
The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

8:00am **Alexander Rutledge (5th Anniv)**
 req: Wife, Cookie and Children
Vincent Aiello
 req: His Family

NO EVENING CONFESSIONS

Due to the Priest Convocation, there will not be evening confessions on Wednesday, September 12th. Thank you for your understanding.



23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear Parish Family:

Some years ago, Barbara Streisand recorded a popular song entitled; "He Touched Me." The song spoke of the first romantic touch which a girl received from a special boyfriend, a touch which the girl had longed for. The touch was simple as gestures go; it cost nothing and took little time. But that one simple gesture was immensely powerful, direct, full of meaning and life-changing for that couple. All of us can remember a similar moment when a touch, a gesture, a kiss, a word of love or forgiveness meant the world to us and changed our lives.

Jesus also shows that He understood the power of such gestures and words for us. In the miracle story today, Jesus led the deaf man away from the crowd. He placed His finger in the man's deadened ears; he used His own spit, and then let out a groan "EPHAPHATHA!" Be open! These words changed that man's whole life.

Jesus still uses powerful, physical signs and symbols today. He speaks of life-changing words to each of us through the sacraments we celebrate. In the sacraments and through their ritual gestures, e.g. pouring water, rubbing with oil, eating and drinking bread and wine, carry on the style of Jesus who met people and ministered to them by touching them, eating with them and tending to their hurts. The sacraments are not magical things. To get the most of them, we must put our whole self into them. In the sacraments, Jesus always does his part, even when we do not. Jesus speaks to us using powerful and healing words each time we listen to the scriptural reading each Sunday. Jesus touches us in a physical and spiritual way, by being nourished with His own body and blood, by the handshake of peace between one another, He is always trying to reach out and touch us. Sometimes we run the risk of being routine in our endeavors with the Lord. Sometimes we may find ourselves just going through the actions and not getting the real feeling. Many times our behavior is an expression of our continuous relationship with the Lord.

The question we may ask ourselves today is, "How much of Jesus are we willing to accept into our hearts today and every day of our lives??"

This coming Friday, September 14th is the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. In celebration of this feast, we will have exposition of the Blessed Sacrament during the day, followed by the recitation of the Divine Mercy at 3:00 p.m. Then at 7 p.m. we will have from the Liturgy of the Hours, Evening Prayer, with a homily, concluding with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. I invite all our parishioners to come and join me and Fr. Carlos as we together pray for healing of all those survivors of abuse by the clergy and to pray for God's graces of healing for the whole Church at this time.

Our Commissioning Mass and Parish Picnic will be this Saturday, September 15th. I'm asking that all our organizations, parish societies, liturgical ministers, C.C.D. teachers and aides, choir members, and anyone else who volunteers in whatever area of our parish to attend this special Mass as we once again seek the Lord's blessings for another successful year in ministering to our parish. Following the Mass we will have our parish picnic with hamburger, hot dogs, all trimmings, a D J to provide music and bounce houses for the little ones.

Just bring your lawn chairs with you.

On Monday, September 17th our Altar Rosary will be having a fund raiser at the Sand Castle Diner. It was a great success last year, I'm sure it will be another one this year. Let's support our Altar Rosary Society and at the same time enjoy a delicious meal.

Once again our Knights of Columbus will be handing out Baby Bottles as part of their annual collection for Birthright. **We ask that if you take a bottle, please return it either next week or the following. Please do not keep the bottles. All bottles are accounted and any missing ones the Knights have to pay for them.**

Finally, there will be **NO CONFESSIONS** this Wednesday evening, September 12th.

Thought for the week: "If you're headed in the wrong direction, God allows U-turns."

Have a great week, we'll see you in Church.....

Fr. Stas'

ST. BARNABAS PARISH
BELIEVING, BELONGING, BECOMING

We are a diverse, active community, rooted in the love of Christ. We recognize who we are and all that we have comes from God.

In gratitude we respond in prayer, service, and sharing of our time, talent, and treasure. Through the sacraments, we are committed to evangelization, learning, teaching, and proclaiming God's Word to His people.



Welcome

WELCOME, WELCOME, WELCOME!

IF YOU ARE HERE WITH US FOR THE FIRST TIME, OR IT HAS BEEN A WHILE, WE WANT YOU TO KNOW, YOU ARE WELCOME HERE!

No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church; no matter what your current family or marital situation; no matter what your past or present religious affiliation; no matter what your personal history, age, background, race or color; no matter what your self-image or esteem; YOU are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected here. St. Barnabas Parish community is a vibrant place to nurture and live out our faith together. We sincerely hope you will feel at home with us and make St. Barnabas Your Parish, Your Home.



May They Rest In Peace

Lorraine Wheeler Arlene Wojtaszek
 Dale Kleinertz

K of C Baby Bottle Boomerang

The St. Barnabas Knights of Columbus will be collecting donations for Pro-Life causes at all Masses on September 15th and 16th. They will be handing out plastic baby bottles when you exit the church. We ask that you please fill them with spare change/donations and **return them back to church in two weeks**, the weekend of September 29th and 30th. Thank you very much in advance for your generous support of this worthy cause. *“Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you; before you were born I sanctified you.” Jeremish 1:5*

Congratulations
 to the
 Newly Baptized

We would like to welcome to our Parish our newly baptized child:

Ashley Xelhua

VOCATION NEWS: *Jesus groans to the heavens, begging God for our openness. Let his prayer of “Ephphatha!” echo in the stillness of your heart. Pray for the gift of openness for yourself, and for those you know whome God may be calling to the priesthood and religious life. (Mark 7:31-37)*





We are pleased to announce that on the second Sunday of the month at the 10:30am Mass, we will be offering the Children's Liturgy of the Word program here at St. Barnabas!

The Liturgy of the Word for Children is an opportunity for children attending the regular Sunday 10:30am Mass (age Kindergarten through fourth grade) to share the Sunday readings, the Profession of Faith, a Reflection, and General intercessions on their level.

The children proceed to our Chapel after the Opening Prayer and return to the Assembly before the Offertory. Parents are welcome to go with their children to the Chapel.

The Liturgy of the Word for Children will be facilitated by our Children's Liturgy team. The next Children's Liturgy of the word will take place on **October 14**. All are welcome.

We hope that our families will take advantage of this wonderful opportunity to help our children develop a better understanding of our scriptures.

Please call Donna Antonowicz at 732-505-8211 for more information.



Elinor Hutchinson for the weekend of September 15th and 16th, 2018 in the Church in loving memory from her friend Kay Gallagher.

In memory of Rocco and Dorothy Steco, for the week of September 10th – September 14th, 2018 in the Chapel at the request of their Children.

BREAD, WINE AND FLOWER DONATION: For the weekend of September 8th and 9th, 2018 in memory of Rocco and Dorothy Steco, at the request of Paul and Charlotte Cicchetti.

2018 STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES

Households Registered.....	6,338
Families Receiving Envelopes	1,242
Collection for August 11/12	\$10,708*
On Line Givers.....	93
On Line Giving.....	\$2,063
Grand Total.....	\$12,771

*Budgeted amount needed to pay expenses for our parish, our home, such as electric, gas, phone, taxes, staff salaries, medical benefits, diocesan assessments, supplies for offices, CCD, Mass, maintenance, etc. = approx. \$22,000 per week.

THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS YOU for your contributions and continued support of our parish!

Please consider remembering your parish of St. Barnabas in your last will and testament by a Bequest to St. Barnabas Church. This is how you might include St. Barnabas in your will: "I give, devise, and bequeath to St. Barnabas Church, Bayville, New Jersey, the sum of \$_____ (or _____percent of my estate to be used by its trustees in carrying out its corporate objectives and purposes."

PRAYER FOR THE PROTECTION OF HUMAN LIFE

O God, our Creator, all life is in your hands from conception until death. Help us to cherish our children and to reverence the awesome privilege of our share in creation. May all people live and die in dignity and love. Bless all those who defend the rights of the unborn, the handicapped and the aged. Enlighten and be merciful toward those who fail to love, and give them peace. Let freedom be tempered by responsibility, integrity and morality. We ask this through Christ the Lord.

Amen.

ATTENTION ALL ST. BARNABAS ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

Our first Rosary Altar Society meeting will be held on Monday, September 10th. Praying of the Rosary will begin at 7pm in the Chapel. Immediately following we will gather in Fr. Brennan Hall. If you are a member who hasn't been to a meeting – JOIN US. If you would like to become a Rosarian - JOIN US. We will be presenting the activities for the coming year.

Membership Committee will be accepting the annual dues of \$10.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR....All day Monday, September 17th will be our Sand Castle Fundraiser. Flyers with coupon will be given out at the meeting. Contact Barbara Schwartz for more information at 732-688-2769 or baschwartz2@msn.com. This is a great fundraiser enjoyed by all.



Our annual Commissioning Mass and the outdoor picnic will take place on Saturday, September 15th. Our Commissioning Mass for all our Ministries will take place during the 4pm Mass and our outdoor picnic will start at 5pm. Games for the kids, food and music for all! We are in need of desserts for this day. If you are able to bring a dessert please call Terry at extension 120 and let her know what you can provide. Thank you.

BAT'S NEWS

Our BAT'S High School Youth Ministry will be kicking off a new season with an outdoor Movie Night on Sunday, September 30th at 6pm. All High Schools teens are welcome. BRING A FRIEND!

For more information for contact the Youth Ministry office at 732-269-2208, extension 127.

SICK LIST

We have started a new sick list. If anyone still needs to stay on the list please call extension 102 and leave their name.

Sick Relatives & Friends

Morgan Ackerman(Child), Rose Albamont, Daniel Arbach, Marie Arbach, Patricia Austin, Sr. Carla Barr, Kathleen Brady, Nolan Ryan Boulter(baby), Marie Carbone, Anthony Coletta, Joe and Pat Coletta, Christy Daniels, Vincent Daniels, Mike D'Esposito, Jr., Christine Divine, Charles Ewald, Joseph Fedor, MaryAnne and Chet Figel, Ronald Filan, Frankie Filippazza(Child), Bill Frey, Tim Frey, Mike Fucsko, Kerry Furey, Brian Gaffney, Vito Gallucci, Catherine George, Jack Hagerty, Peter G. Halasnik, Flo Holland, Thomas Higgins, Michael Izzo, Claudia Jardim, Nora Kormendy, Florence Krystofiak, George Kulik, Cheri Labott, Ed LaGreca, Sr., Marie Leahey, John "Jack" Mallon, Kathy Manion, Felice Mauro, Jason McDaniel, Joseph Mockapetris, Holly Newme, Tim O'Brien, Val O'Connor, Irma O'Rourke, Gordon Rhinesmith, Douglas Roswech, Timothy Ryan, Patricia Schreier, Kevin Seppelt, Lorraine Shubach, Sharon Spiegel, Christine Strucki, John Tylutki, Beverly Valentine, Christopher Valentine, Violet Visconti, Arthur Zieser



ST. VINCENT de PAUL FRIENDS OF THE POOR WALK

Our St. Barnabas St. Vincent de Paul Conference will be hosting the Friends of the Poor Walk On Saturday, September 29th, from 9am to 12 pm at Veteran's Park in Bayville. This walk will raise awareness of the financial struggles faced by people in our local community to provide the basic necessities of life. Donations, through pledges, will provide money going directly to the St. Barnabas St Vincent de Paul Society to help meet these needs. There is no fee to participate in the walk. Light refreshments will be available at the Pavilion. For more information, please contact Deacon Bob at 732-269-2208, extension 312.



ST. BARNABAS FOOD PANTRY

SEPTEMBER'S THEME: BACK TO SCHOOL

It's back to school again! Children will be needing items for breakfasts and for lunch boxes.

Can you help our pantry provide:

PANCAKE MIX AND SYRUP
OATMEAL
JUICE BOXES
DESSERTS
JUICE
COFFEE/TEA



Whatever donation you can give is always greatly appreciated.

Please do not donate expired foods. We are unable to give this to our guests.

Thank you for your continued support.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Are you or someone you know considering becoming a Catholic? Or are you a baptized adult who has never completed receiving the Sacraments of Initiation? (Communion and Confirmation) If the answer is yes, or even maybe, please consider attending our Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) sessions, beginning in the Fall. The RCIA process gives you the information you need in order to decide if being fully Catholic is for you. For more information, please call Mary at 732-269-2208, extension 128.

SOCIAL ACTION REQUESTS

The following items have been requested through our Social Action. If you have any of these items in good usable condition that you no longer need and if you would be willing to give them to someone requesting them, please call our Social Action hotline at 732-269-2208, ext. 308. You can leave a message 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. A volunteer will return your call to make pick up arrangements. Thank you and God Bless!

Window air conditioners
Clothes washer and dryer

GIFT STORE

Our Gift Store is open on Wednesdays from 9am to 2pm and Fridays from 9am to 12Noon. They are also open around the Mass schedule on the weekends. They have many lovely gifts to choose from including handmade 1st Communion veils, books, bibles, crosses, medals, statues, etc. Stop by and browse to see what they offer. All are welcome!

KARATE OPEN HOUSE

There will be a Karate Open House on Monday, September 10th from 5pm to 6pm in Father Brennan Hall. We meet every Monday and Wednesday at 5pm. For more information and a FREE trial, please call Tim Blumensteel at 732-237-0791.

SHOP RITE CARDS AVAILABLE

We are offering Shop Rite cards to help support the Church. They are available after Mass in the Vestibule of the Church. The Church makes 5% of every card we sell and we use that money to help with our debt. Do you shop at Shop Rite? If so, why not purchase a card or two!

Please pray for the following who are serving our country overseas. May they come home safely and soon:

PFC Nicole Addonizio
 A1C Andrew C. Augustine
 Pvt. 1st Class Justin Ayers
 Marine CPL Juan Gabriel Barragan
 PFC Joe Black
 LCPL Kyle Brodsky
 US Coast Guard FN Vincent Carraccio
 Army Maj. Elisabeth Casely
 Army Major Jennifer Chapman
 Army Major Joseph Chapman
 Coast Guard Lt. Tara Lee Wrocklage Collins
 Army Sgt. Charles Connelly, Jr.
 Army PFC Lauren Connelly
 Marine LCPL Ashley DeFluri
 Marine LCPL Kevin DeFluri
 Chief Petty Officer James De Luise
 LCPL Thomas Dilzer
 Pvt. Matthew Derek Finan
 Major Bradley Fisher
 Cpl. John J. Fletcher
 PFC Andrew Forano
 USMC 2nd LT. Gregory Fry
 CTT Seaman Michael Gaffney
 Army Staff Sgt. Michael Gautier, Jr.
 Navy APP Seaman Craig Gavin
 Airman 1st Class Anthony Giannico
 Army Dylan Gildner
 Army Sgt. 1st Class Richard Heisler
 Army Sgt. Michael David Kozak
 Army Staff Sgt. John Kraemer
 Staff Sgt. Mark LaBombard
 Army Andrew Lay
 Army Sgt. Cory Logsdon
 Marine Staff Sgt. Anthony Lovering
 Marine Steven McMahon
 Lance Cpl. Vincent Mizerk
 Lt. David Nelson
 Lt. Carlo J. Ocampo
 S. Sgt. Shane Paczkowski
 Marine John David Purdy
 Lance Cpl. John A. Roth, Jr., USMC
 Army Captain Michael Tier
 Marine LCPL Steven Wedding

ALTAR SERVERS

In response to the "Year of Youth", the St. Barnabas Altar Servers will be having a Bowling Night on Saturday, September 22, 2018 at 7pm. For more information or to sign up contact Tim or Dawn Blumensteel at 732-237-0791.



ALL are invited for this fun parish event on **Friday, 9/21, 7:00 pm! Rain or Shine** In the back parking lot by **Brennan Hall off Route 9 entrance.**

Everything is free including popcorn and Drinks. . . **Just bring a chair!**

Invite your family and friends as we come together as a parish family to enjoy an evening out and give a warm welcome to our Cohort families who are joining us tonight.

Our movie will be:

"Enchanted"

Enjoy watching under the stars!!

PILGRIMAGE to THE POPE ST. JOHN PAUL II SHRINE

On Wednesday, September 19, 2018 Fr. Jerome from St. Joseph Parish will lead a pilgrimage to the Pope St. John Paul II Shrine in Washington, DC. The bus will depart at 7am for a prayerful journey (with brief rest stop) to the shrine. There will be confessions, Mass at noon, followed by lunch, and plenty of time for historical exhibits, sacred art and gift shops. Dinner will be at 5:30 in Maryland, arrival home around 9:15pm. Cost will be \$90 including, transportation, lunch and dinner. Sign up at www.stjosephtomsriver.org. For more information call 732-349-0018, extension 2219.