

St. Bernard Church

615 H Street • Eureka, CA 95501

Mass Schedule:

10:00 am **Sunday**

12:15 pm **Daily**

Eucharistic Service: Monday & Thursday

Confessions at St. Joseph Church Every Saturday 3:00 pm

Holy Days/Vigil Mass 5:30 pm

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Mass Schedule:

8:00 am **Sunday**

7:30 am **Daily**

Eucharistic Service: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday

3:00 pm **Saturday Reconciliation**

4:00 pm **Saturday Vigil**

Parish Office

707-442-6466

707-443-0914—fax

Office Hours:

Monday–Friday 9 am to 3 pm

Bulletin Deadline, Wednesday–Noon

Email: office@saintbernards.org

Parish Clergy

Fr. Eric Freed, Pastor

Frank Weber, Permanent Deacon

Phillip Salazar, Permanent Deacon

Deacons' Office

707-442-5615

For Baptism Preparation (2nd Sunday of each month after 10 am Mass),

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Coordinator Dianne Luzzi, 707-442-8812

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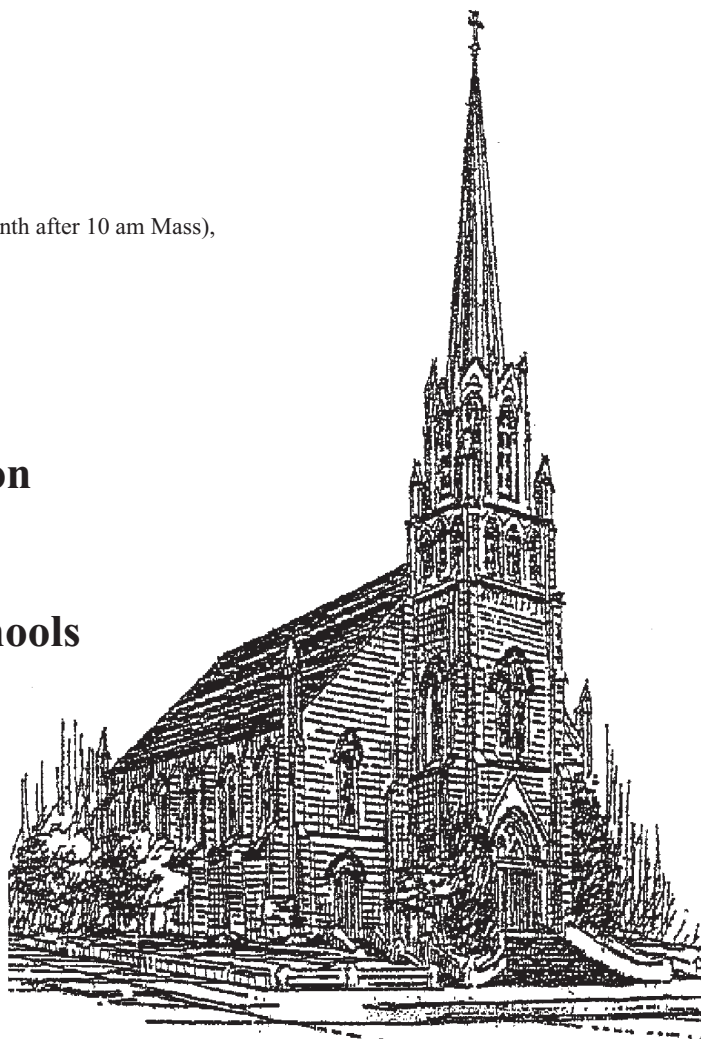
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Music Ministry

Choir Practice, Thu. 6:00 pm

Music Director, Issa Stemler

707-840-9514



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Dec. 18th 2011
4th Sunday of Advent

WEEKLY

SERVICES & INTENTIONS

St. Joseph Church

12/17	Sat	4:00 pm	† Hope McNeil
12/18	Sun	8:00 am	Mass for the People
12/19	Mon	7:30 am	Eucharistic Service
12/20	Tue	7:30 am	Eucharistic Service
12/21	Wed	7:30 am	†Amato & Yolanda Pecchia
12/22	Thu	7:30 am	Eucharistic Service
12/23	Fri	7:30 am	†Asseuro & Pia Pera
12/24	Sat	4:00 pm	No Mass/Christmas Eve

St. Joseph Hospital

12/20	Tue	11:30 am	†James Giacomini
12/22	Thu	11:30 am	†Marilyn Murphy

St. Bernard Church

12/18	Sun	10:00 am	†June Howells
12/19	Mon	12:15 pm	Eucharistic Service
12/20	Tue	12:15 pm	†Linda Raab
12/21	Wed	12:15 pm	†Jim Nickols
12/22	Thu	12:15 pm	Eucharistic Service
12/23	Fri	12:15 pm	Living/Dec. Mem. ICF
12/24	Sat	4:00 pm	Children's Mass
12/25	Sun	Midnight Mass	

This Week's Meeting & Events

12/20	Tue	7:00 pm	ICF Meeting
12/22	Thu	7:00 pm	RCIA/Rectorry
12/24	Sat	10:00 am	NO Choir Practice

Seeking one or two Adorers to commit to the 6-7 pm hour for weekly Wednesday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. If interested, call Lee @ 443-2054.

St. Bernard Church has a new mailing address: 615 H Street, Eureka, CA 95501

Thank you, Thank you

Catholic Detention Ministry thanks the parishioners for their support each year and for this year's generous donation of candies for the inmates of the Humboldt County Correctional Facility. Through the combined donations of the area churches and the extra Christmas cards from last year 400 packages were assembled for distribution before Christmas.

Finance Corner Last weekend the plate collection was \$4,796 and Catholic University was \$697.

Stewardship Corner

In the first reading, God promises King David that his house and his kingdom will endure forever. It is through Mary's "Yes"—"I am the handmaid of the Lord. Let it be done to me as you say."— that the promise finds fulfillment.

Leave a Legacy

Often persons find they have a vacant lot or other piece of land that is costing upkeep and taxes while, in today's market, its value has decreased. You can give that land to your parish and take a charitable deduction for the FULL market value. Talk to your attorney or call Humboldt Area Foundation at 707-442-2993.

New Pews! When you get a chance, check out the refurbished pews at the front of St. Bernard Church. They are beautiful! We received enough pledges for ten pews. If you would like to pledge to have a pew refurbished, mail check to office, at 615 H Street, Eureka, CA 95501, or put in collection basket marked "PEWS". Cost per pew, \$350. Thank you so much for allowing us to keep our churches in such good condition.

How about a hot, delicious pot of bean soup! Come to the parish office between 9:00 am and 3:00 pm and pick up a bag of bean soup mix. Excellent Christmas gifts. Sponsored by the Women's Club, cost \$4.00.

The Knights of Columbus thanks all of the folks who purchased Christmas cards for our "Keeping Christ in Christmas" campaign. We still have some cards available in the church office. Also, please join us in welcoming our four new Knights: Dennis Grate, Luke Biesecker, Dr. John Nelson, and Deacon Frank Weber. We look forward to saving and changing lives with the help of our new brothers.

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EWTN will air Christmas liturgies from Rome & Washington as follows:

Pope Benedict offers Christmas Eve Mass, Dec. 24 at 1 p.m.; Christmas Eve Mass from the National Shrine in Washington, Dec. 24 at 7:30 p.m.; Mass for Christmas Day at the National Shrine, Dec. 25 at 9 a.m.; Papal Message to Rome & the World, Dec. 25 at 7 p.m.; At year's end, the Pope leads a Vespers of Thanksgiving, Dec. 31 at 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.; All times are Pacific. EWTN is carried 24/7 on Sudden Link 74 in the Eureka area.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

Evelyn Avila, James Avila, Patricia Ayers, Teresa Blake, Pauline Blankenship, Kathi Branum, Donna Clemons, Mary Davey, Tia Dimmick, Quinta Genovali, Elsie Godinho, Jim & Jackie Hill, Lynn Johnson, Riley Moran, John G. Perrone, Joanne Hebert Ray, Robert Resor, Donna Selsor, Joe Simera, Rosemary Simera, Jan Sundquist, William Taylor, David & Angela Timmerman, Lindy Timmerman, Don Tononi, Greg Weigel, Seth Woolf, and all our brothers and sisters in need of prayer and healing.



Fr. Eric's Wednesday Night Bible Study Sessions will resume the 1st of Feb.



PRAYER "I call upon You, God, for You will answer me; bend Your ear and hear my prayer. Guard me as the pupil of Your eye, hide me in the shade of Your wings." ~ *Psalm 16: 6, 8.*

If you have a special need of any sort, we have a prayer team who will pray on your behalf. Your prayer intentions this week may be called in to Toni, who has new hours. You can reach her 24/7 at 445-3616.

Youth Group meetings for St. Bernard and Sacred Heart youth are held weekly at the Youth Building at Sacred Heart Church from 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm on Sunday nights. Youth, ages 12 and up, are welcome to attend. Please fill out a registration form upon attendance.

Youth Group News

This Sunday night, Dec. 18th, from 6:30- 8:00 the Saint Bernard's/Sacred Heart Youth Group will be having a popcorn and movie night. Please join us in the Youth Building at Sacred Heart Church. Grades 6-12 are welcome to attend.

There will be no meeting on Sunday, Dec. 25th. Meetings will resume the following week.

We are also on a mission to make crocheted or knitted bandages for a leper colony in the Pleiku area of Vietnam. We have been learning to crochet and are now ready to get our supplies. We need your help, though. We are asking for donations of the thread, hooks and needles needed for this project. If you would like to donate, Please call Marian at 498-1052 and I will pick up the supplies that you would like to contribute. Here are the specifications:

Material: 100% mercerized crochet cotton – size #10 - white, cream or ecru (no irritating dyes). This is commonly called "bedspread cotton" (1 'ball/skein' will usually make two bandages.) This can be found at Michael's or Jo-Ann Fabrics. Hooks and Needles: Crochet hooks size D or E and knitting needles size 2 or 3. For more information search for "The D.O.V.E. Fund Bandage Brigade" on the internet. THANK YOU!!

Mark your calendar! St. Bernard Parish will be putting together a church directory. Family and/or individual photos will be scheduled for January 19th, 20th, or 21st. Free 8x10 and Parish Directory for each participating family.

Humboldt County Catholic Update

"Catholic Spiritual Life" Wednesday Jan. 11, 2012, 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm in St. Bernard Parish Hall. Please plan to attend.

Thank you, Thank you, Thank you to the ladies who helped with the Christmas bulk mailing: **Katy Bordman, Maria Enos, Vilma Francesconi, Betty Lutje, Anita Pera, and Evelyn Waters.** We appreciate your help.

Altar Servers training will take place following the 10:00 am mass January 8th. Pizza and soft drinks to follow. Anyone interested in being an Altar Server is welcome to attend.

Check out our website at: www.saintbernards.org

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