

VIRGIN STATUE OF FATIMA TO VISIT ST. BERNADETTE PARISH

The world-famous International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima, traveling the world since 1947, will visit St. Bernadette Church on Wednesday, September 9th from 8:00am-12:00pm.

The statue was sculpted by José Thedim according to the instructions of Sister Lucia, one of the three shepherd children of Fatima, and was blessed by the Bishop of Leiria-Fatima on October 13, 1947. Since then, it has traveled to more than 100 countries, bringing Our Lady's message of prayer, conversion, and peace to millions of people.

The mission of the Pilgrim Virgin Statue Program is to bring the message of Fatima - the Peace Plan from Heaven - to a world in need. Throughout its travels, countless favors and graces have been reported, and many have been inspired to a deeper relationship with Our Lord through the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

The day's schedule will be the following:

1. Procession of Statue into the Church
2. Holy Mass
3. Talk by Statue Custodian.
4. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
5. Rosary
6. Act of Consecration Prayer
7. Litany of Our Lady
8. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament
9. Private Prayers – the faithful may come before the statue, individually, until closing

This special visitation is sponsored by the World Apostolate of Fatima, USA - Our Lady's Blue Army. We invite you, your family, and friends to come and experience this special visitation of Our Lady.