

# *Our Lady of Guadalupe R.C. Church*

7201 15th Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11228  
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## **Parish Ministry**

Monsignor Robert J. Romano, Pastor  
Rev. Anthony Raso, Parochial Vicar  
Rev. Andrew Soley, C.S.Sp., Parochial Vicar

## **Weekend Assistants**

Rev. Carlo Graziano (Italian)  
Rev. Martin Restrepo (Spanish)

## **Music Ministry**

Mr. Phil Nuzzo, Director of Music Ministry  
Mrs. Janet Cullen, Director of Youth Choir

## **Mass Schedule**

**Weekday:** Monday-Friday 7:30 & 8:30 AM  
**Saturday:** 8:30 AM, 5:30 PM Vigil  
7:00 PM (Spanish Mass)  
**Sunday:** 8:00 AM, 9:00 AM (Italian)  
10:30 AM, 12 Noon

## **Rectory Office Hours**

**Monday—Friday:** 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM, 2 PM - 5 PM  
6:00 PM - 8:30 PM  
**Saturday:** 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM  
**Sunday and Holidays:** Emergency calls only.

## **Devotions:** **Eucharistic Adoration**

Eucharistic Adoration daily in the St. Francis Chapel  
until 3:30 PM. No Benediction.

## **Miraculous Medal Novena**

Monday after 8:30 AM Mass  
Novena booklets and Miraculous Medals are available in  
the sacristy. Please see Sr. Ann Martin.

## **Marian Hour**

Rosary, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, devotion to  
the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of  
Mary, every Friday 2:00 PM in the Chapel.

## **Divine Mercy Devotion**

Friday at 3:00 PM in the Chapel

## **Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Academy**

Mrs. Muriel Wilkinson- Principal  
1514 72nd Street  
Brooklyn, NY 11228  
(718) 331-2070

## **Director of Operations/ Faith Formation**

Mrs. Marina Cassiliano  
(718) 331-4003  
Faithform.olg@aol.com  
Office Hours: By appointment only

## **Baptisms**

English - Second Sunday of month at 1:15 PM.  
Spanish - Every Third Saturday at 1:00 PM.

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday 4:30 PM to 5:15 PM  
Anytime during Rectory Office Hours.

## **Marriages**

All couples must make arrangements at the Rectory at  
least six (6) months prior to the wedding date. Couples  
must attend in-home pre-cana. Please call the rectory to  
meet with a priest or deacon.

## **Sick and Shut-In**

The priests and extra-ordinary ministers of the Eucharist  
are available to bring the Sacraments to those unable to  
come to Mass. Please contact Rectory.

## **Parish Registration**

All parishioners should register at the rectory. If you are  
not registered, we cannot issue letters of testimony or  
sponsorship for a sacrament. Please notify us of change  
of address, even within the parish.

## **Prayer Group**

Wednesday (Bible Study) 7:00 PM Rectory Bsmt/Chapel

## **Youth Program**

Gary Cassiliano, President  
(718) 259-9566

**TODAY'S READINGS**

First Reading — Peter is an eyewitness: The Lord is risen (Acts 10:34a, 37-43).  
 Psalm — This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad (Psalm 118).  
 (1) Second Reading — All who are baptized, set your hearts in heaven (Colossians 3:1-4) or  
 (2) Second Reading — Christ our Passover is sacrificed; therefore let us celebrate (1 Corinthians 5:6b-8).  
 Gospel — Three witnesses, Mary, Peter, and John; each responds to the empty tomb (John 20:1-9) or Mark 16:1-7 (or, at an afternoon or evening Mass, Luke 24:13-35).



**Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord  
 April 1, 2018**

“I shall not die, but live,  
 and declare the works of the LORD.”  
 — Psalm 118:17



**Sunday, April 1st—Easter Sunday**

8:00 am People of the Parish  
 9:00 am Salvatore Prano  
 10:30 am Liberato and Maria Manocchio, Giuseppe Aprilino, Nunzio Mazzarella, Antoinette F. & Anthony b. Cianfione, Giuseppe Covello, Matteo Deliso, Cathy Deserio, Pasquale & Antoinetta Manocchio, Dana Jean Ruiz O'Hara Maria, Nicola & Antonio Generoso, Carlo & Raffaele Milito, Joseph Paccione, Maria & Angelo Lovaglio, Joseph & Jennie DeGirolamo

12:00 pm Theresa Arena

**Monday, April 2nd**

7:30 am  
 8:30 am Mary Bennett

**Tuesday, April 3rd**

7:30 am  
 8:30 am Rose McCutcheon

**Wednesday, April 4th**

7:30 am  
 8:30 am Rosa, Giuseppe, & Giovanni Rotondi

**Thursday, April 5th**

7:30 am  
 8:30 am The Esposito Family

**Friday, April 6th**

7:30 am 5 Years Anniversary Blessings— Lillian & Anthony Merola  
 8:30 am Purgatorial Society

**Saturday, April 7th**

8:30 am Dora Gentile  
 5:30 pm Michael, Anna & Marie Fiore Jeglio & Frank  
 7:00 pm Angelo & Angela Chiarelli

**Sunday, April 8th**

8:00 am People of the Parish  
 9:00 am Salvatore Fazzari  
 10:30 am Carmela Saso, Vincent Gigante, Angelo & Angela Chiarelli, Matteo Deliso, Pasqualina Cona, Angela e Cesare DiPaolo, Maria Carnevale, Stelle & Walter & Tabisz, Anna, Stanley & Marian Kielb Elizabeth & Stanely Banasiewicz (Anniversary)  
 12:00 pm Rocco Nunnari

**PLEASE PRAY for**

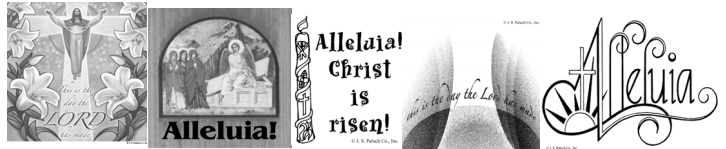
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 Isabella Freed  
 Madeline Montenegro  
 JP Cerulli  
 Martha Krukis  
 Veronica Gibbons  
 Gaetano Mastroianni  
 Rocco Bellantoni  
 Robert Provenzano  
 Trezza Family  
 Victoria Ricotta  
 Vito Calaprice  
 Vincent Laterra Jr.  
 Carmela Acquaviva  
 Joanne Eterno  
 Vivian Franzitta  
 Christopher Petrick  
 Baby Sadie Olive  
 Baby Rocco Morabito  
 Baby Olivia  
 Gabriella Ungro  
 Carmen Costa  
 Frances Armetta  
 Giuseppe Fuda  
 Jane LaBella  
 MaryAnn Gambale  
 Joseph McClellan  
 Erica Galletta

Dolores Sciuila  
 Orazio Arrabito  
 Regine Gambale  
 A. Jencsik  
 Marisa Schievvello  
 Rita Schievvello  
 Maria Concetta  
 Conte Bedissi  
 Joseph Montenegro  
 Vincent LaBella  
 Ritchie Carpenito  
 Vincent Zito  
 Robyn Z.  
 Giovanni Toribio  
 Frances Guardino  
 Anita Turco  
 Gimmy Ventimiglia  
 Roseann Claimont (Health)  
 Mathew Cerulli  
 Josephine Coracci  
 Julia Bruzzese  
 James Leung  
 Mirta Heineman  
 Joseph Dona  
 Loretta Bentivegna  
 Romilda Raso  
 Connie Pennachio

Miosotis Garcia  
 Christian Dibasi  
 Anthony Pignatello  
 Theresa DiChiario  
 Enrico DiChiario  
 Alicia Bejarano  
 Rosa Sainea  
 Lucy Sottile  
 Pat LoBianco  
 Maria Sanvenero  
 Grace Sferrazza  
 Dr. Richard Romeo  
 Philip LoPinto  
 Marie Fiore  
 James Leung  
 Natalie Fiore  
 Anthony Lamanna  
 Claudio Picca

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord  
 Monday: Monday within the Octave of Easter  
 Tuesday: Tuesday within the Octave of Easter  
 Wednesday: Wednesday within the Octave of Easter  
 Thursday: Thursday within the Octave of Easter  
 Friday: Friday within the Octave of Easter; First Friday; Julian Calendar Good Friday  
 Saturday: Saturday within the Octave of Easter; First Saturday



**Weekly Collections**

**Our Parish Goal for the weekly offerings is \$9,000.**

**The Collection of March 25th totaled TBA**

The money that is donated from our weekly collections is the only source of income to support our parish.

Our weekly expenses reflect the minimum needed for all the church's utilities, insurance fees, salaries, ongoing maintenance, repairs, and numerous other bills for operating expenses...as well as the increasing costs for the many, many parish programs, ministries and services we offer here at OLG



**If possible, if each of our parishioners could just increase your weekly contribution, BY ONE OR TWO DOLLARS it would greatly help offset the increasing costs faced by our church.**

We genuinely understand that these are difficult economic times and it's not easy for any family to sacrifice even more right now.

We want to assure you that every single penny donated goes right back into our church, the operations of our church and our parish programs.

Once again, thank you for your continuing generosity.

**Mass Intentions & Weekly Gifts Available**

Please stop by the rectory during office hours to inquire about available dates for honoring loved ones with mass intentions or weekly gifts in their memory.

**For the week of April 1st**

**Offertory Gifts (Bread & Wine)**

*In Loving Memory of  
 Italia & Nunzio Mazzarella*

*As requested by  
 Barbara Mazzarella*

**Sanctuary Lamps: (Church & Chapel)**

*In Loving Memory of  
 Orenda & Joseph Giachetti*

*As requested by  
 Joan Giachetti*

*In Loving Memory of  
 Grandma, Ms. Carmela Lombardi &  
 Aunt Mary Lombardi*

*As requested by  
 Camille Corbo*

**Altar Candles ( set of 2)**

*In Loving Memory of  
 Italia & Nunzio Mazzarella*

*As requested by  
 Barbara Mazzarella*

*In Loving Memory of  
 Carmela Saso*

*As requested by  
 Maria & Antoinette Saso*

*In Loving Memory of  
 Mr. Michael Corbo & Salvatore Corbo*

*As requested by  
 Camille Corbo*

**Every contribution to our parish means so much...**

A donation of a **Paschal Candle** has been graciously donated in

**In Loving Memory of  
Orinda & Joseph Giachetti and  
Ann Marie Rusolo by  
Jeanette and Joseph Giachetti**

*The generosity of our parishioners is value and appreciated immensely.*

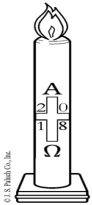
*For information of ways you can donate to our parish, contact the rectory office.*

**"Give, and it will be given to you.**

**A good measure, pressed down shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap.**

**For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you."**

**—Luke 6:38**



**Parish Registration Requirements for 2017 Tax Deductions**

As we begin to head towards the end of the year, anyone wishing to claim his or her contributions to our church as an Income Tax deduction—and have it confirmed in writing by us —**MUST BE REGISTERED PARISHIONERS.**

We cannot provide a statement of contributions for 2016 income tax purposes to anyone who is not registered and not using your weekly envelopes.

We cannot issue any letters in connection with Sponsorship for Sacraments or give recommendations for, positions, schools, etc. We would, therefore, kindly ask all new parishioners and those current parishioners not registered with our church to stop by the rectory office and register their families at your earliest convenience.

***It is extremely important that you register.***

**Our Lady of Guadalupe School  
Alumni Reunion**

Please join the OLGCA for an  
**Alumni Wine & Cheese Party on  
Sunday, May 20, 2018**

If you attended Our Lady of Guadalupe School and would like more information, please email  
**info@olgacademy.net**

**The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Gives Back**

For each car, truck, or van, running or not, The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will give back to our church \$50/\$100 per vehicle. Maybe you don't have a vehicle, but a family member, friend or neighbor has an old or neglected vehicle in their driveway that they would like to dispose of.

**Call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul at  
(718) 491-2525.**

**Generations of Faith**

Please make sure to keep up with your pledges for the *Generations of Faith Campaign.*

If you'd like to make a donation, please take an envelope from the back of the church.

Thank you for your generosity.

**Parish Registration  
Why You Need To Register**

To all of our parishioners who are still not registered, we respectfully ask that you take just a minute to use the form below and register now. Also, to those parishioners who, for whatever reason, cannot attend mass with us every week, we also ask that you please register with us. You are still part of our parish family and we welcome you. In order to fully participate in our parish, to be always informed about our parish and all of the many, many services and programs we provide, of all the support services available, of all of the events planned--you need to be registered.

Also, if you are not registered and you are not using your weekly envelopes, we cannot issue any letters in connection with sponsorship for the Sacraments, we cannot give recommendations for positions, schools, etc. and we also cannot provide letters or documentation confirming your charitable weekly donations in the prior tax years.

It is extremely important that you register with our church. It is as simple as filling out one of the WELCOME ENVELOPES in the back of the church or by simply using the form below and giving it to an usher, dropping in a collection basket or by stopping in the rectory office at your earliest convenience.

*You can now also register on our parish website.*

**Become a Registered Parishioner**

*If you would like to be registered as a parishioner, please fill out the form below and return it to our church offices or place in one of the collection baskets or boxes. Please print clearly.*

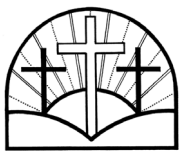
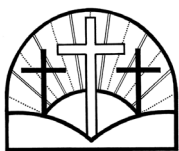
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ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
TELEPHONE NUMBER(S): (home) \_\_\_\_\_  
(cell) \_\_\_\_\_ and/or (work) \_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

**Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord**

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**A Prayer for Easter Sunday**

Lord God,  
You loved this world so much,  
That you gave your one and only Son,  
That we might be called your children too.  
Lord, help us to live in the gladness and grace  
Of Easter Sunday, everyday.  
Let us have hearts of thankfulness  
For your sacrifice.  
Let us have eyes that look upon  
Your grace and rejoice in our salvation.  
Help us to walk in that mighty grace  
And tell your good news to the world.  
All for your glory do we pray, Lord,  
Amen.



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**Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Guadalupe, Mexico!**

Join us on a Diocesan Lenten Pilgrimage to  
**Our Lady of Guadalupe, Mexico**

Spiritual Director: Father Jorge Ortiz

**March 2nd– 8th, 2018**

For brochures and other info, contact  
*Regina Tours- (Lucille) at 1(800)-Catholics x208 or  
Lucille@groupist.com*

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**\* Weekly Memorial Gifts \***

We have many Weekly Memorial Gifts available.  
Please consider memorializing a loved one by purchasing  
any of these gifts that we have available:

***Bread & Wine (\$25.00), Altar Flowers  
(\$50.00 per basket), the Sanctuary Lamp (\$25.00) or  
Altar Candles (\$25.00 for a set of two).***

It is a lovely way to honor someone's memory,  
please stop by the rectory during office hours to purchase a  
gift.

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**Members of the Armed Forces on  
Active Duty From  
Our Lady of Guadalupe**



*“Protect them as they protect us. Bless them for the selfless acts they perform for us. Bring them home safely to those who wait for them. Amen”*

**LCPL Michael Cala (2nd Tour in Afghanistan)  
Petty Officer (2nd Class) Stephen Ungro USS Ford Aircraft Carrier  
Sargent First Class Danon Weatherd (6th Tour in Afghanistan)**

Any family that has loved ones or friends serving in our Armed Forces, please submit their names, rank, service branch and deployment location to the rectory office. We would like to publish their names in a prayer list in our bulletin to thank them, to honor them and to keep them in our prayers.

**PARISH WEBSITE**

**Please visit our NEW website at:  
[www.olguadalupe-brooklyn.com](http://www.olguadalupe-brooklyn.com)**

**Don't forget to follow us on social media too!**

**Follow us on Twitter @OLGChurchBklyn**

**On Facebook—OurLadyOfGuadalupeChurchBrooklyn**

**And Instagram—olgchurchbrooklyn**

**Pilgrimage to the Holy Land**

**May 16-25, 2018**

Travel with St. Joseph's College faculty members:

Sister Grace Rowland, CSJ and  
Father Francis Pizzarelli, SMM

For detailed brochure, call **Sister Grace** at  
(631)654-0199 or email [growland@sjcny.edu](mailto:growland@sjcny.edu)

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Ireland & Attendance at the  
9th World Meeting of Families**

**August 19-27, 2018**

*Sponsored by: The Pilgrimage Office, and  
the Office of Family Life  
School of Evangelization*

*Bishop Massa  
Spiritual Director*

*And*

*Mass with our Holy Father, Pope Francis*

For more information, please contact **Peters Way Travel**  
(516)605-1551.

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