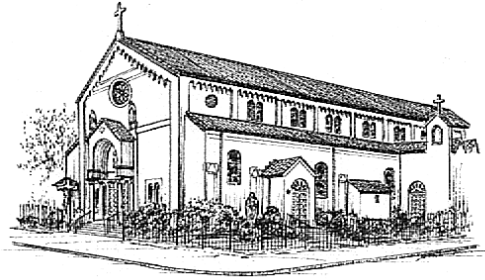


Our Lady of Guadalupe R.C. Church

7201 15th Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11228
Rectory 718-236-8300 Fax: 718-236-8119
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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)

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 - 4 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

Parish School

Sr. Dolores F. Crepeau, CSJ - Principal
1514 72nd Street
Brooklyn, NY 11228
(718) 331-2070

Office of Faith Formation/Religious Education

Mrs. Marina Cassiliano, Director
(718) 331-4003
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 — God's people enter the promised land, observe the Passover, and eat of the produce of the land (Joshua 5:9a, 10-12) or 1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a.

Psalm — Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34) or Psalm 23.

Second Reading — We are now ambassadors for Christ (2 Corinthians 5:17-21) or Ephesians 5:8-14.

Gospel — We must rejoice when our brother who was dead in sin repents and comes back to life (Luke 15:1-3, 11-32) or John 9:1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38].



SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fourth Sunday of Lent;
Girl Scout Sunday
Monday: Ss. Perpetua and Felicity
Tuesday: St. John of God
Wednesday: St. Frances of Rome
Friday: Abstinence



Fourth Sunday of Lent
March 6, 2016
Whoever is in Christ is a new creation: the old things have passed away; behold, new things have come.
— 2 Corinthians 5:17



Sunday, March 6

8:00 am People of the Parish
9:00 am Nicola Candido
10:30 am Angelo and Angela Chiarelli, Rosalie Vitolo, Emiddio Pelosi, Salvatore Genduso, DiGregorio, Badalamenti, Mr. Abate, Fortunata and Michelangelo Attardo, Orsola, Maria and Michelangelo Attardo Sr., Filippa Baldassare, & Ignazia LoCascio, Jeannette, Tommy & Sammy CoCo
12:00 pm Teresa Uricchio

Monday, March 7

7:30 am Lucille Fabian
8:30 am Josephine LaBarbera

Tuesday, March 8

7:30 am Anna and Ernest Monaco (Anniversary)
8:30 am Ricky and Danny Argano

Wednesday, March 9

7:30 am Carmine T. Buonavito
8:30 am Angelo and Angela Chiarelli

Thursday, March 10

7:30 am Martin and Anne Kelly
8:30 am Angelo and Angela Chiarelli

Friday, March 11

7:30 am Anthony Bellantuono
8:30 am Berardino D'Angelo and Enrico D' Benedetto

Saturday, March 12

8:30 am Rose McCutcheon
5:30 pm Josephine and Rocco Idoni
7:00 pm En memoria de Wendy Castillo

Sunday, March 13

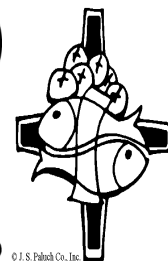
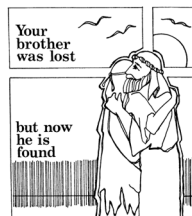
8:00 am People of the Parish
9:00 am Agata Giunta
10:30 am Angelo and Angela Chiarelli, Anthony and Nancy Idone, Anthony Idone, Intentions of Carol Marmo, Cathy Deserio Lucille DiScalo, Salvatore Attardo
12:00 pm Salvatore and Mamie Mangialino



Anthony Bruno
Isabella Freed
Madeline Montenegro
Marie DePaolo
JP Cerulli
Martha Krukis
Ann Maldari
Veronica Gibbons
Gaetano Mastroianni
Rocco Bellantoni
Robert Provenzano
Trezza Family
Natalie Fiore
Victoria Ricotta
Vito Calaprince
Vincent Laterra Jr.

Carmela Acquaviva
Joanne Eterno
Vivian Franzitta
Olga Petrick
Christopher Petrick
Gregory Rapisarda
Baby Sadie Olive
Baby Rocco Morabito
Baby Olivia
Gabriella Ungro
Carmen Costa
Frances Armetta
Giuseppe Fuda
Jane LaBella
Lucy Romano
Charles Benanti

MaryAnn Gambale
Joseph McClellan
Erica Galletta
Joseph P. DeLuco
Angela Azzinaro
Sandra Carine
Dolores Sciulla
Orazio Arrabito
Regine Gambale
Josephine Alessandro
A. Jencsik
Marisa Schievello
Rita Schievello
Maria Concetta
Conte Bedissi



Weekly Collections

Our Parish Goal for the weekly offerings is \$9,000.
The Collection of February 28th totaled \$5,602.

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.

For the week of March 6th

Offertory Gifts
(Bread & Wine)

In Loving Memory of
Emiddio Pelosi



As requested by
Clara and Lou Pelosi

*** Weekly Memorial Gifts ***

We have many Weekly Memorial Gifts available for 2016.

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.

OUR EASTER FLOWER CLUB

No church in Brooklyn is decorated more beautifully for Easter than ours. Our parishioners step up each year to decorate our altar like no other.

In celebration of the Risen Christ on Easter Sunday, our Altar will once again be decorated with beautiful Easter flowers including lilies, yellow tulips and other spring flowers.

Anyone willing to help us decorate our Altar can donate \$25.00 for a beautiful Easter lily.

Lilies can be donated in your name or in memory of a loved one no longer with us. The names will be published in the bulletin and your special intentions will be remembered at Easter during our Masses. Please use the envelopes in the back of our church or stop by the rectory to join our flower club and help make our altar, once again, the most beautiful in Brooklyn.



Anyone who would like to help offset the cost of the Palm order for Palm Sunday is asked to please call Monsignor

Romano at the rectory. You may order it in memory of a loved one and they will be remembered at all Palm Sunday Masses.



Please join us as we once again for our

Lenten Stations of the Cross

every Friday evening during Lent at 7pm in the Church.

Guest speakers are as follows:

March 11 - Reverend Gregory M. McIlhenney (St. Patrick)

March 18- Reverend Joseph Gancila (St. Mary Mother of Jesus)

Spanish Stations of the Cross will follow at 8 pm.

We encourage everyone to attend these special evenings of prayer and reflection

PARISH WEBSITE

Please visit our NEW website at: www.olguadalupe-brooklyn.com

PARISH REGISTRATION 2015 TAXES

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.

We cannot provide a statement of contribution for 2015 income tax purposes to anyone who is not registered here in our parish. In addition, if you are not registered and not using your weekly envelopes, we cannot issue any letters in connection with sponsorship for the 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.

GENERATIONS OF FAITH

As many of you know, our parish has recently begun the Generations of Faith campaign. In the coming days, if you have not already received your information by attending a reception, or meeting personally with Monsignor Romano, you will receive your information in the mail. Please consider your sacrificial pledge in the coming days, and bring your pledge form to the Rectory Office directly, or put your pledge form in a sealed envelope, labeled Generations of Faith, in the collections basket. As of last weekend we have reached \$193,425 in pledges from only 14 families of our parish towards our goal of \$480,000. Thank you, thank you, thank you.



Our Lady of Guadalupe School SUPER 50/50 RAFFLE!

Our Lady of Guadalupe School is holding another Grand Raffle for its annual Ladies Night Out Card Party.

The Super 50/50 is \$20.00 per chance.

The raffle collection this week is over \$5,000.

Please help support our parish school and have a chance at the Super 50/50 prize. The winner will be drawn at Ladies Night Out on April 21st.

Winner need not be present at drawing.

Tickets will be sold in the church lobby after Masses.

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.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY _____ **STATE** _____ **ZIP** _____

(Optional Information)

TELEPHONE NUMBER(S): (home) _____

(cell) _____ and/or (work) _____

EMAIL: _____

Fourth Sunday of Lent

Learning about the Traditional Latin Mass

Saturday, March 12th
Our Lady of Peace, 522 Carroll St.

*PLEASE NOTE EARLIER DATE THIS MONTH

12:00 Class about the Traditional Latin Mass
1:00 Sung Mass with Gregorian chant
www.LatinMassBrooklyn.org

**ST. PATRICK'S PRESENTS:
"Three Voices"**

Daniel Rodriguez—911/NY Yankee Singing Cop
Karl Scully—Original Irish Tenor
Cris Groenendaal—Broadway Phantom
Friday, March 11, 2016
St. Patrick's Aldo Bruschi Auditorium
97th Street and 4th Avenue
Brooklyn, N.Y. 11209
\$50 per person

Bishop Kearney's Entrance Exam

March 12, 2016
8th grade students who missed the TACHS
may sign up online, fee: \$25
www.bishopkearneyhs.org/EntranceExam



**The Life Center of New York
invites you to its annual**

St. Patrick's Day Dinner on
Sunday, March 13, 2016, 4 pm
at the Hughes Knights of Columbus Hall,
1309 86th St. (13th Ave).

A donation of \$35 per person includes corn beef and cabbage
dinner, soda bread, beer, wine, soda, and dessert.
Music, raffles, 50/50.

Entertainment by the Niall O'Leary School of Irish Dance.
For reservations contact the Life Center at 718-748-4492.



**OUR LADY OF ANGELS
LENTEN RETREAT**

7320 Fourth Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11209

When: March 7-9, 2016 (Monday-Wednesday)
Time: 11:45 MASS and 7:00 pm Service
Celebrant: Fr. Kevin Cronin, Franciscan Friar
Theme: Loving God Gladly
Parking Lot will be open
ALL ARE WELCOME!

APOSTOLATO ITALIANO

Tutti i Venerdì durante la quaresima si recita la preghiera della via
crucis dopo la messa delle 8,30 nella cappella

Martedì 15 Marzo si incomincia i 13 Martedì di S. Antonio dopo la
messa delle 8,30 am

Messa in onore di S. Giuseppe

Sabato 19 Marzo alle 8,30 am dopo la messa ci sarà la
distribuzione del pane Benedetto zeppole e sfinge nel
basamento della rettoria—siete tutti benvenuti

ITALIAN APOSTOLATE

All Fridays during Lent we recite the Stations of the Cross after the
Mass in the chapel at 8:30 am.

The first Tuesday, March 15th, we pray for San Antonio after the
8:30am Mass

Mass in honor of St. Joseph

Saturday, March 19th at 8:30 am after Mass there will be the
distribution of bread, zeppole and sfinge in the rectory basement.
- All are welcome!



**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)

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.

**LENTEN REGULATIONS
FOR 2016**

Ash Wednesday & Good Friday: Days of Fast & Abstinence

Limit of one full meal on these days for Catholics
between the ages of **18** and **59** inclusive.

All Fridays in Lent: Days of Abstinence.

For all Catholics who have reached their 14th year.

Weekdays of Lent: There is no obligation to fast. However,
voluntary acts of self-denial are recommended.

Easter Duty Obligation: After they have been initiated into the
Most Holy Eucharist, Catholics are bound by the obligation of
receiving Communion at least once a year. This precept should
be fulfilled during the Easter Season. Catholics are also bound to
confess serious (mortal) sins **at least once a year**, but this is not
limited to the Lenten/Easter Season.

ACTS OF VOLUNTARY SELF-DENIAL:

May include, in addition to fasting:

Participation in daily Mass, spiritual studies,
Lenten Devotions, Stations of the Cross, saying the Rosary,
deeds of mercy and kindness.

**"The Shroud of Turin: A Lenten Meditation—
A Prayer Service & Presentation.**

You will have an opportunity to learn about this fascinating piece
of linen and meditate upon Jesus' ultimate gift of love. An actual
life size photograph will be on display.

Date: Thursday, March 3, 2016

Time: 7:00pm

Place: St. Ephrem's Church 929 Bay Ridge Pkwy

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SUMMER CAMP

Our Lady of Guadalupe's Summer Camp will run from July 5 to
August 12 from 9am to 3pm. Morning care will also be available
starting at 8am for an additional fee. More information will follow
in the coming weeks.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

Catholic Charities hosts a bi-weekly support group at the Our
Lady of Angels Human Service Center (336 73rd Street) that is
open to individuals who take care of loved ones who are sick
and/or elderly. Caregivers are invited to share, learn, and
support one another in facing common joys and challenges.
Meetings are held every 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month
from 3:00 to 4:30 pm. For more information, please contact
Ms. Bexabeth Gomez at (718) 680-6344 or
BEXABETH.GOMEZ@CCBQ.ORG