

# *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 — The God of our fathers has glorified his servant Jesus (Acts 3:13-15, 17-19).

Psalms — Lord, let your face shine on us (Psalm 4).

Second Reading — The way we may be sure that we know Jesus is to keep his commandments (1 John 2:1-5a).

Gospel — Jesus stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you" (Luke 24:35-48).



**Third Sunday of Easter**

**April 15, 2018**

"You alone, O LORD,  
bring security to my dwelling."  
— Psalm 4:9

**Sunday, April 15th**

8:00 am People of the Parish  
9:00 am Vincenzo & Maria Ienco  
10:30 am Joseph S. Scutellaro, Grace Celi, Angelo & Angela Chiarelli, Matteo Deliso, Anthony Sesa, Vincent & Jennie Spangnolo, Domenic & Millie Casale, Mario DiGiacomo, James Maldonado Vincenzo & Sebastiano DiGiacomo, Katherine Amodio, Daniel Trezza Nicola & Pasqualina D'Amico  
12:00 pm Caroline & Joseph Marmo, Sr.

**Monday, April 16th**

7:30 am For St. Anthony, St. Jude, Virgin Mary & The Intentions of D. Chiarelli  
8:30 am Giovanni Cannizzaro

**Tuesday, April 17th**

7:30 am For St. Anthony, St. Jude, Virgin Mary & The Intentions of D. Chiarelli  
8:30 am Garretto Family

**Wednesday, April 18th**

7:30 am For St. Anthony, St. Jude, Virgin Mary & The Intentions of D. Chiarelli  
8:30 am Carolina & Virgilio Pisacreta

**Thursday, April 19th**

7:30 am The Esposito Family  
8:30 am Canio T. Juno

**Friday, April 20th**

7:30 am  
8:30 am Anthony Orlando

**Saturday, April 19th**

8:30 am Valentino Russo  
5:30 pm Francis & Alice DeCarlo  
7:00 pm Senor de los Milagros

**Sunday, April 20th**

8:00 am People of the Parish  
9:00 am Giuseppe Pietanza  
10:30 am Alfonso DiLollo, Angelo & Angela Chiarelli, Matteo Deliso, Florence Bellini, Antonio, Maddalena & Domenico Della Pasqua  
12:00 pm Rosemarie Iacampo



**PLEASE PRAY for**

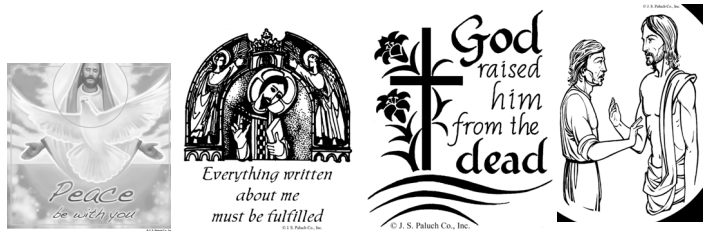
Anthony Bruno  
Isabella Freed  
Madeline Montenegro  
JP Cerulli  
Martha Krukis  
Veronica Gibbons  
Gaetano Mastroianni  
Rocco Bellantoni  
Robert Provenzano  
Trezza Family  
Victoria Ricotta  
Vito Calaprice  
Vincent Laterra Jr.  
Carmela Acquaviva  
Joanne Eterno  
Vivian Franzitta  
Christopher 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 Sciuella  
Orazio Arrabito  
Regine Gambale  
A. Jencsik  
Marisa Schievello  
Rita Schievello  
Maria Concetta  
Conte Bedissi  
Joseph Montenegro  
Vincent LaBella  
Ritchie Carpenito  
Vincent Zito  
Robyn Z.  
Giovanni Toribio  
Frances Guardino  
Anita Turco  
Jimmy 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 DiChiaro  
Enrico DiChiaro  
Alicia Bejarano  
Rosa Sainea  
Lucy Sottile  
Frances Ligotti  
Annette La Terra  
Eileen Sullivan  
Pat LoBianco  
Maria Sanvenero  
Grace Sferrazza  
Dr. Richard Romeo  
Philip LoPinto  
Marie Fiore  
James Leung  
Natalie Fiore  
Anthony Lamanna  
Claudio Picca  
Baby Mateo Carozza

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: Third Sunday of Easter  
Tuesday: Income Tax Day  
Saturday: St. Anselm



**Weekly Collections**

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

**The Collection of April 8th totaled \$3,681.**

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 15th**

*Offertory Gifts (Bread & Wine)*

*In Loving Memory of  
Matteo Deliso*

*As requested by  
Rafaniello Family*

*Altar Candles (set of 2)*

*In Loving Memory of  
Nicola & Pasqualino D'Amico*

*As requested by  
The D'Amico Family*



*James E Barrett  
Martino Pietanza  
Santo J. Bonanno*



**"My Easter Gift to My Church"**

*As of April 8th..... \$ 9,500.*

*"I believe in order that I may understand."*

— Saint Anselm

**Our Lady of Guadalupe School's**



**Brooklyn, New York**

We invite you to join us at the 12 Noon Mass on

**Sunday, May 20th** for

*Our Lady of Guadalupe School's Reunion*

Immediately following the Mass, we will proceed to the OLG Catholic Academy's Auditorium located in the 72nd Street Building for our Wine & Cheese Party.

Please RSVP to [info@olgacademy.net](mailto:info@olgacademy.net) !

**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 PARISHONERS.**

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](mailto:info@olgacademy.net)



Our goal for the Annual Catholic Appeal is **\$46,277.**

As of today, our total amount pledged is **\$27,995.**



**THANK YOU!**



We are eternally grateful for the love and generosity of all of our parishioners. Our church would not be what it is without the overabundance of generosity and dedication from all of you .

A special thank you to **Mr. Santo LoCascio** for making our altar beautiful by cleaning and polishing our candle stands.

All of your time and hard work doesn't go unnoticed, Santo. Thank you.



**Mass of Hope & Healing**

The annual Diocesan Mass of hope and Healing, sponsored by the Diocesan Survivors Advisory Committee, will take place on

*Wednesday, April 25, 2018 at 7:00 PM* at the parish of Saint Nicholas of Tolentine in Jamaica, New York.

The main celebrant will be the *Most Reverend Nicholas DiMarzio, Bishop of Brooklyn.* All are invited to gather on this day, to pray for healing for all those who have been impacted by childhood sexual abuse.

**Bereavement Support Group**

*"Grief has no short cuts. It must be lived through."*

Sessions to assist the bereaved find their way through disturbed and painful places, toward recovery are offered at

St. Ephrem's Spirituality Center on

Monday evenings at 7:00pm .

Dates: Mondays, April 16,23,30

May 7, 14, 21

**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 \_\_\_\_\_  
TELEPHONE NUMBER(S): (home) \_\_\_\_\_  
(cell) \_\_\_\_\_ and/or (work) \_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

## Third Sunday of Easter



### Religious Education



Re-registration & registration for the  
Religious Education program for the  
**2018-2019 School Year** will begin on

### Sunday, April 29th

from 9—11 AM in the *Religious Education office*

in the *school building* & will continue

from *Monday through Friday* in the *Rectory during office hours!*

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### 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)

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### 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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### \* 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.



**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**



**EASTER FLOWERS**  
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**THANK YOU!**

An additional thank you to those who donated towards our *Easter flowers*, which helped to make our church look so beautiful:

**Barbara Mazarella**

**Joann Petrillo**

**Mr. & Mrs. Richard Campisi**

**Patricia Giambra**

*In Loving Memory of Mary Giorgetti & Julia Aponte*

Requested by: **Albert & Delia Giorgetti**

**Respect Life Committee**

On Wednesday, April 18, the intention for the 11 am Mass at Saint Anselm's will be for the Culture of Life.

The Rosary of Life will follow.

*Please join us.*

**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.**