

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 church was being built up, and grew in numbers (Acts 9:26-31).
 Psalm — I will praise you, Lord, in the assembly of your people (Psalm 22).
 Second Reading — Let us love not in word or speech, but in deed and truth (1 John 3:18-24).
 Gospel — Remain in me, as I remain in you. I am the vine, you are the branches (John 15:1-8).



Fifth Sunday of Easter

April 29, 2018

*“Let us love not in word or speech
 but in deed and truth.”*

— 1 John 3:18



Sunday, April 29th

8:00 am People of the Parish
 9:00 am Lorenzo & Antonia Principato
 10:30 am Italia Mazzarella, Raffaella Scavo, Angela & Angela Chiarelli,
 Happy Birthday in Heaven, Giuseppa Covello, Matteo Deliso,
 James E. Barrett, Mildred Caputo, Margaret Heika
 12:00 pm Maria DiBella & Dispenza Family

Monday, April 30th

7:30 am Martino Pietanza
 8:30 am Burgio Family

Tuesday, May 1st

7:30 am The Esposito Family
 8:30 am Anna Bello

Wednesday, May 2nd

7:30 am In Thanksgiving to St. Joseph
 8:30 am Martino Pietanza

Thursday, May 3rd

7:30 am Castrense Caracci
 8:30 am Giuseppe Rotondi

Friday, May 4th

7:30 am Lucille Gentile
 8:30 am Purgatorial Society

Saturday, May 5th

8:30 am Dora Gentile & Antoinette Foresta
 5:30 pm Mary La Barbera
 7:00 pm Angelo & Angela Chiarelli

Sunday, May 6th

8:00 am People of the Parish
 9:00 am Giuseppe & Genoveffa Musuraca
 10:30 am Harold Strano, Joseph Paccione, Matteo Deliso,
 Frank Careccia, Katherine Amodio, Angelo & Angela Chiarelli
 In Thanksgiving & Gratitude to God for Everything— Cenreia Bleberg
 12:00 pm Vincent Gigante

PLEASE PRAY for

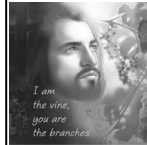
Anthony Bruno
 Isabella Freed
 Madeline Montenegro
 JP Cerulli
 Martha Krukis
 Veronica Gibbons
 Gaetano Mastroianni
 Rocco Bellantoni
 Robert Provenzano
 Trezza Family
 Victoria Ricotta
 Vito Calaprice
 Vincent Laterra Jr.
 Carmela Acquaviva
 Joanne Eterno
 Vivian Franzitta
 Christopher Petrick
 Baby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

Dolores Sciulla
 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
 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 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: Fifth Sunday of Easter
 Monday: St. Pius V
 Tuesday: St. Joseph the Worker
 Wednesday: St. Athanasius
 Thursday: Ss. Philip and James;
 National Day of Prayer
 Friday: First Friday
 Saturday: First Saturday; Cinco de Mayo



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Weekly Collections

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

The Collection of April 22nd totaled \$4,632.

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 29th

Offertory Gifts (Bread & Wine)

In Loving Memory of
Peter LoCastro

As requested by
Carol Rizzardi

Altar Flowers (Two Baskets)

In Loving Memory of
Italia Mazzarella

As requested by
Barbara Mazzarella

Saint Quote:

“He became what we are so that he might make us what he is.”

— Saint Athanasius

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 !

PAVING STONE REQUESTS

Reservations for the next batch of paving stones for our Prayer Garden are currently being accepted.

We anticipate the next order to be placed in the *Spring of 2017*.

What better gift can you give to a friend or family member than donating a new paving stone to be placed in our new Prayer Garden?

This gift will be part of our church prayer garden for as long as our church stands.

You can also make arrangements to reserve a paving stone in memory of the deceased – and you will be given a special card with the image of Our Lady of Guadalupe that you can present to the family at the wake or funeral.

As long as Our Lady of Guadalupe exists, people in all the decades to come will walk through this garden and remember the people and the names of those who created this garden and whose names are carved into the very stones of these pathways.

Simply stop in the rectory office.

You can pay for your stone immediately with a check, cash or major credit card. You can also reserve your stone now and pay for it in three installments, if that makes it easier.



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

As of today, our total amount pledged is **\$30,455.**

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.



"Religious Education Offering"

As of April 22nd.....\$446.00

All of your donations are greatly appreciated...

*** 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.

Church Candles

We invite you to light a candle in *remembrance of a loved one or for your personal intentions.*

Our **GOLD** Annual Candles are located under the statues of

Our Lady of Guadalupe, St. Joseph and Padre Pio.

Our **YEARLY** Candles are located in the candle room behind the Altar.

If you would like to purchase a candle, please fill out the information below and send it in to the rectory.

Any questions or concerns, please contact the Rectory Office at (718)236-8300 or visit during office hours.

_____ I would like to purchase a **YEARLY** Candle. Enclosed is my **\$75.00** donation.

_____ I would like to purchase a **GOLD** Annual Candle. Enclosed is my **\$125.00** donation.

Who the candle is for/ In Memory of: _____

Requested by: _____ **Address:** _____

Telephone #: _____

Fifth Sunday of Easter



Our Lady of Guadalupe Summer Camp!

Dates: July 5th to August 10th (6 weeks)

Registration will take place in the rectory on:

May 16th, 2018 from 6:30pm to 8:00pm

May 22nd, 2018 from 6:30pm to 8:00pm

\$150 per week per child payable upon Registration
(one week free if you register for all six weeks)



**For more information,
Email olgchurch@aol.com or
visit olguadalupe-brooklyn.com**



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

**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.

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 30

May 7, 14, 21

Want your student to ...

think creatively,
problem-solve effectively,
grow in faith,
love learning?



SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR ELIGIBLE
CCD PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS



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**OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE
CATHOLIC ACADEMY**

Contact us at 718.331.2070 or
MWilkinson@olgacademy.net



**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**

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

Follow us on Twitter @OLGChurchBklyn

On Facebook—OurLadyOfGuadalupeChurchBrooklyn

And Instagram—olgchurchbrooklyn

Bishop Kearney TACHS Prep Class

September 11th– October 30th

Please visit our website for more information

<http://www.bishopkearney.org>

Catholic Mediterranean Cruise

Come and sail away on a 10-night Mediterranean with
Father Aron Maqhsoudi on

October 18th– 28th , 2018 on

Holland America's Koningsdam out of Civitavecchia, Italy

*Ports of Call: Civitavecchia; Dubrovnik; Kotor; Corfu;
Katakolon; Athens; Santorini; Naples; Civitavecchia*

Prices begin **\$3,578.00** for 2 passengers, which includes all port fees & taxes.

For further info, contact *Doug or Eileen* at (860)399-1785 or eileen@catholiccruisesandtours.com

Catholic Charities Benson Ridge Senior Services

Are you or your loved one confined to the house due to failing health? Do you worry about how long you or your loved one will be able to live independently at home?

Catholic Charities Benson Ridge Senior Services can help.

We assist with housekeeping, personal care, meals, transportation, accessing government benefits and solving other problems related to growing older. One of our friendly and experienced case managers will be happy to pay you a visit to discuss options for aging comfortably, with dignity, in your home.

**For more information, please call Mary Hume at
(718)680-3530.**