

# *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**

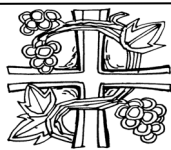
Wednesday (Bible Study) 7:00 PM Rectory Bsmt/Chapel

## **Youth Program**

Gary Cassiliano, President  
(718) 259-9566

**TODAY'S READINGS**

First Reading — I will rescue my scattered sheep (Ezekiel 34:11-12, 15-17).  
 Psalm — The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want (Psalm 23).  
 Second Reading — As in Adam all die, so too in Christ all shall be brought to life (1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28).  
 Gospel — Whatever you did to the least ones, you did to me (Matthew 25:31-46).



**Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**  
**November 26, 2017**  
*"I was hungry and you gave me food,  
 I was thirsty and you gave me drink."*  
 — Matthew 25:35



**Sunday, November 26th**

8:00 am People of the Parish  
 9:00 am Salvatore and Rosalia Cardinale  
 10:30 am Frank Cafarchio, Matteo Natoli, Helen Defina,  
 Antonino, Giovanni, Attilio Freni, Cataldo Lobascio  
 In Loving Memory of Angelo and Angela Chiarelli,  
 In Loving Memory of My Mother and Father,  
 Anthony B. and Antoinette F. Cianflone  
 12:00 pm Nicholas Cassarino

**Monday, November 27th**

7:30 am Salvatore e Elisabetta Albanese  
 8:30 am Birthday Blessing for Lillian N. Merola

**Tuesday, November 28th**

7:30 am In Loving Memory of Angelo and Angela Chiarelli  
 8:30 am Josephine Benanti

**Wednesday, November 29th**

7:30 am Giuseppe Randazzo  
 8:30 am

**Thursday, November 30th**

7:30 am Andy Campos  
 8:30 am Salvatore Fazzari

**Friday, December 1st**

7:30 am In Loving Memory of Angelo and Angela Chiarelli  
 8:30 am Purgatorial Society

**Saturday, December 2nd**

8:30 am For the Intentions of the LoCascio Family  
 5:30 pm Archie Foresta  
 7:00 pm O.L.G.

**Sunday, December 3rd**

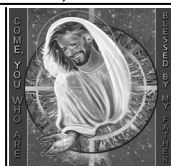
8:00 am People of the Parish  
 9:00 am Enrico and Lucia Petino  
 10:30 am In Loving Memory of Angelo and Angela Chiarelli,  
 Raymond, Louis, Louie and Pio Colletta,  
 Antonietta Orlando and Gaetano, Matthew Collins  
 12:00 pm Domenick Dispenza and Rosemaria Iacampo



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  
 Lucy Romano  
 MaryAnn Gambale  
 Joseph McClellan

Erica Galletta  
 Dolores Sciulla  
 Orazio Arrabito  
 Regine Gambale  
 A. Jencsik  
 Marisa Schievello  
 Rita Schievello  
 Maria Concetta  
 Conte Bedissi  
 Marie Lombardo  
 Joseph Montenegro  
 Vincent LaBella  
 Ritchie Carpenito  
 Vincent Zito  
 Robyn Z.  
 Giovanni Torbio  
 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 DeChiaro  
 Alicia Bejarano  
 Rosa Sainea  
 Lucy Sottile  
 Frances Ligotti  
 Annette La Terra  
 Eileen Sullivan  
 Pat LoBianco  
 Maria Sanvenero  
 Grace Sferrazza  
 Dr. Richard Romeo  
 Phillip LoPinto



**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: Our Lord Jesus Christ,  
 King of the Universe  
 Monday: Thirty-fourth or Last Week in  
 Ordinary Time  
 Thursday: St. Andrew  
 Friday: First Friday  
 Saturday: First Saturday; Blessed Virgin Mary



**Weekly Collections**

**Our Parish Goal for the weekly offerings is \$9,000.**  
**The Collection of November 19th 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 & Gifts Available for 2017**

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 November 26th**

**Offertory Gifts (Bread & Wine)**

*In Loving Memory of  
 In Thanksgiving to Padre Pio,  
 For Favors Relieved*

*As requested by  
 Lenora Castellano and  
 Stephen Donze*

**Weekly Saint Quote:**

*"Love is acceptance.  
 When you love someone . . . you take them into your heart, and that is surely why it hurts so much when we lose someone we love, because we lose a part of ourselves."*  
 —Saint Andrew the Apostle



**15th Annual Christmas Tree Lighting**  
 Sponsor a Tree, Angel or Wreath for our  
**Annual Christmas Tree Lighting on**  
**Saturday, December 9th**  
**following the 5:30 pm Mass**



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*Our Traditional parish Christmas Trees, Angels and Wreaths will be lit during an outdoor ceremony concluding with a Blessing from Monsignor Romano.*

*The lighting will be followed by Christmas Carols.*

*You can reserve your Christmas Tree, Angel or Wreath by making a donation in the name of your family or friends, or from your business.*

*You can also “Remember a loved one — Christmas in Heaven”*

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**SOLD OUT** “Veil of Blue Lights” placed on the Trees behind the Blessed Mother @ \$500

\_\_\_ Garden Tree Trimmed with “Special Blue Lights” @\$300

**SOLD OUT** Garden Tree (near St. Joseph) Trimmed with “Special Blue Lights” @ \$325

**SOLD OUT** Garden Tree (behind St. Anthony/Holy Family) Trimmed with “Special Blue Lights” @ \$325

**SOLD OUT** Garden Tree (behind St. Francis) Trimmed with Special Blue Lights” @ \$325

\_\_\_ 5’ Tree @ \$250 \_\_\_ Large Tree @ \$325

\_\_\_ LED Angles @ \$300



**SOLD OUT** Altar Trees @ \$500

\_\_\_ Wreaths Indoor @ \$100



\_\_\_ Wreaths Outdoor @ \$375

(Wreaths will only be able to have one (1) name.)

*Requests will be honored in the order they are received.*

**Make Checks payable to:**  
**Our Lady of Guadalupe Church.**

You can bring your donation to the rectory or place in the collection basket.  
 We also accept VISA, MASTERCARD & AMERICAN EXPRESS  
 (No more than 10 names please)



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**Announcements Regarding the Feast of  
Our Lady of Guadalupe**

In celebrating the anniversary of Our Lady of Guadalupe, our parish will be running this year with the torch of "the Light of Christ" through a race coming out of St. Joseph's Co-Cathedral.

We are in need of YOU, our parishioners, for this race to on December 12th  
If interested, please enroll in the rectory.

The enrollment fee is **\$45.00**

*En un aniversario mas delas Aparciones de Ntra Sra. De Guadalupe, nuestra Parroquia correrá este año con la Antorcha "La Luz de Cristo" mediante una carrera que saldrá de la Co-Catedral de St. Joseph, te necesitamos para esta carrera que será el 12 de Diciembre, inscribete en la rectoría, valor \$45.00*

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If you're unable to run with the torch "The Light of Christ," you may sponsor a runner. If you're interested in sponsoring a runner, please leave your contributions in the Rectory office.  
*Si no puedes correr con la Antorcha "La Luz de Cristo" puedes patrocinar a algún corredor, si quieres ser patrocinador porfavor deja tu aporte en la Rectoria de la Iglesia.*

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December 12th is our feast day!

Your monetary donations are encouraged for all the different arrangements that will be made being this time.

*El 12 de Diciembre es nuestra fiesta Patronal, requerimos de tus donaciones monetarias para los difrentes arreglos que se harán durante estas fechas.*

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We are selling raffle tickets for the raffle that will be held on December 12th!

The ballots will cost **\$5.00 each** and can be acquired at the Rectory.

*Estamos vendiendo los boletos para la rifa el 12 de diciembre con la cual esperamos recaudar mas fondos para las dirfentes actividades que hay, el valor de la boleta es de \$5.00 puedes adquirirlas en la rectoría*

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**Pilgrimage to the Holy Land & Rome with  
Fr. Peter Gillen!**

Join Fr. Peter Gillen on a pilgrimage to the  
*Holy Land & Rome*

**March 4-16, 2018**

*\$3,999.00 per person*

For more information, please contact  
*A & G Peace Tours*  
**(718)423-5077**



**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**

**Apostolato Italiano**

Ricordiamo in nostri cari defunti durante la messa che sara'  
celebrate Giovedi',  
*30 Novembre, alle 7:00 PM*  
**Venite e pregiamo insieme!**



**Our Christmas Flower Club**

**Decorating our altar for Christmas  
has become over the years, one of our most  
special parish traditions.**



Last year, large numbers of people from all over the entire Diocese of Brooklyn made a special trip to come and see how beautifully decorated our altar was for Christmas. No church, and no altar was more beautifully decorated for Christmas than Our Lady of Guadalupe.

In celebration of the birth of the Infant Jesus on Christmas, our altar will be decorated with not only traditional Christmas trees and wreaths, but also with beautiful poinsettia plants.

Anyone willing to help us decorate our altar for Christmas can donate **\$30.00** for a beautiful poinsettia plant.

Your poinsettia plant can be donated in your name or in memory of a loved one no longer with us.

The name will be published in the bulletin and your special intentions will be remembered during the entire Christmas season at our Masses.

Please stop by the rectory to join our Christmas Flower Club and thank you, once again, for helping us make our altar the most beautiful in Brooklyn.

Your donations can be made in **cash, check or credit card.**

Also, envelopes are available in the rear of the Church.

