

Our Lady of Guadalupe R.C. Church

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Parish Ministry

Monsignor Robert J. Romano, Pastor
Rev. Anthony Raso, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Joseph Gancila, 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.

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.

Youth Program

Gary Cassiliano, President
(718) 259-9566

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — God brought us into this land flowing with milk and honey (Deuteronomy 26:4-10).

Psalm — Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble (Psalm 91).

Second Reading — The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart (Romans 10:8-13).

Gospel — Filled with the Holy Spirit, Jesus was led into the desert for forty days (Luke 4:1-13).

Sunday, March 10th

- 8:00 am People of the Parish
- 9:00 am Mannino Marcantonio
- 10:30 am Vincent Gigante, Angelo & Angela Chiarelli, Matteo Deliso, Fr. Andrew Soley, Lucy Casale, Pietro Cinque Palmi, William Ryan Jr., Julia Agoglia
- 12:00 pm Josephine & Rocco Idoni



Monday, March 11th

- 7:30 am Martin & Anne Kelly
- 8:30 am Enio & Berardino D'Angelo

Tuesday, March 12th

- 7:30 am Cathy Deserio
- 8:30 am Maria DiGiacomo

Wednesday, March 13th

- 7:30 am Antonio Palazzolo
- 8:30 am Salvatore & Mamie Mangialino

Thursday, March 14th

- 7:30 am Ramilda Raso
- 8:30 am Leonard Klein

Friday, March 15th

- 7:30 am Ralph Balzano
- 8:30 am Miritello & Gervasi Families

Saturday, March 16th

- 8:30 am The End of Abortion
- 5:30 pm Anthony & Nancy Idone
- 7:00 pm San Jose

Sunday, March 17th

- 8:00 am People of the Parish
- 9:00 am Francesco & Cecilia Congliaro
- 10:30 am Anthony Idone, Angelo & Angela Chiarelli, Matteo Deliso, Ruperto Laderas, Michael Santoro, Salvatore Attardo, Charles F. Carnesi Esq.
- 12:00 pm Vito L. Gregorio



- Fr. Anthony Raso
- Frances Ligotti
- Baby Mateo Carozza
- Carmina De Mao
- Josephine Coracci
- MaryAnn Gambale
- Claudio Picca
- Dolores Sciuille
- Lucy Sottile
- Joseph Marmo
- Chiara Marangelli
- Richard Schneidek
- Anthony Bruno
- Karen R
- Amelia Mielnicki
- Baby Domenic Phillips
- Charles Bennett
- Robert Provenzano
- Grace Sferrazza
- Regine Gambale
- Lucy Medina

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: First Sunday of Lent; Rite of Election; Rite of Calling the Candidates to Continuing Conversion; Rite of Sending; Daylight Saving Time begins; Girl Scouting Sunday
- Monday: Julian Calendar Lent begins
- Friday: Abstinence



**First Sunday of Lent
March 10, 2019**

The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart.

— Romans 10:8



Weekly Collections

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

The Collection of March 3rd totaled \$3905.

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.

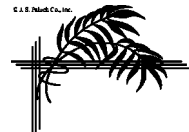
For the week of March 10th

Offertory Gifts (Bread & Wine)

*In Loving Memory of
William Ryan Jr.*

*As requested by
Marina Cassiliano
& Family*

"Lent is a time for discipline, for confession, for honesty, not because God is mean or fault-finding or finger-pointing but because he wants us to know the joy of being cleaned out, ready for all the good things he now has in store."



Exposition of Sacred Relics *Treasures of the Church*

Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish will be hosting a once in a lifetime exposition of Sacred Relics on **Tuesday, March 26 at 7:00 pm.**

Father Carlos Martins of the Companions of the Cross will be at our church with a very special Vatican collection of over 150 relics, some as old as 2000 years. Among the treasures on display that evening will be relics of Pope John Paul II, Padre Pio, St. Bernadette Soubirous, St. Maria Goretti, St. Therese of Lisieux (the "Little Flower"), St. Francis of Assisi, St. Anthony of Padua, St. Thomas Aquinas, St. Faustina Kowalska, Mother Teresa, as well as St. Peter, St. Paul and St. Jude.

In addition, there will be one of the largest remaining pieces of the True Cross of Our Lord in the world, a portion of the Veil of Our Lady and an actual fragment from the Holy Crown of Thorns

Those in attendance will be able to examine and venerate each relic. In the Church's history many miracles and healings have been worked in the presence of relics, and many have been healed through this very ministry.

God is always with us and wants to be encountered. He touches us through the lives and the sacred remains of His Saints. God never disappoints. He always "shows up!" Come have your life touched by Our Lord. Come and be comforted. If you are ill, if you are sad, if you are lonely, if you are tired, if your faith has weakened, come and be comforted.

Come and begin taking the steps to a new and deeper relationship with God and His Saints. You are encouraged to bring your articles of devotion (such as rosaries, holy cards, etc.) and pictures of ill friends/family members which you will be able to touch to the reliquaries as a means of intercession. Come and share this special evening here at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church. Please do not miss this once in a lifetime opportunity.



Parish Registration Requirements for 2018 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 Stations of the Cross Lent 2019



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| Friday, March 15 | Fr. Joseph Gancila |
| Friday, March 22 | Msgr Andrew Vaccari |
| Friday, March 29 | Fr. Jeremy Canna |
| Friday, April 5 | Fr. Raphael Perez |
| Friday, April 12 | Msgr Thomas Caserta |

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: _____

First Sunday of Lent

LENTEN REGULATIONS FOR 2019

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.*

*“Teach us, good Lord, to serve Thee as Thou
deservest: To give and not to count the cost; To fight and not
to heed the wounds; To toil and not to seek for rest; To labor
and not ask for a reward*

Save that knowing that we do Thy will.”

—St. Ignatius Loyola

Our Lady of Guadalupe Summer Camp!

Plan Ahead with the OLG Summer Camp

Dates: July 8 — August 16

Ages: 5 through 12

Registration dates:

Thursday, May 16th 6-8pm

Saturday, May 18th 10-4 pm

*Registration packets will be available on
our church website!*





**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”

**Petty Officer (2nd Class) Stephen Ungro USS Ford Aircraft Carrier
Medic Josh Gratz Air Force in Afghanistan
Second Lieutenant Air Force Sean-Patrick Christo, Colorado Springs**

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

Adopt A Religious Education Student

If you would like to help a child make their dream come true of learning about their Catholic Faith and the love Jesus has for them.

If you would like to donate toward their Education,
Here is a list of what **YOUR**
donation would supply...

- Textbooks
- Notebooks
- Bibles
- Rosaries
- Arts & Craft Materials
- Pens, Pencils & Crayons

For further information,
Please call
The Faith Formation Office
at
(718) 331-4003.

“And whoever gives one of these little ones even a cup of cold water because he is a disciple, truly, I say to you, he will by no means lose his reward.”

—Matthew 10:42

