

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

Mr. Nicholas Troiani - 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 — Who can ever know God's counsel unless God gives wisdom and sends the Holy Spirit from on high? (Wisdom 9:13-18b).
Psalm — In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge (Psalm 90).
Second Reading — Paul asks Philemon to accept back his slave Onesimus, not as a slave but as a brother (Philemon 9-10, 12-17).
Gospel — To be a disciple of Jesus one must carry one's own cross and renounce all possessions (Luke 14:25-33).



SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

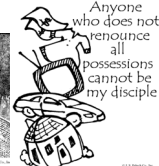
Sunday: Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: Labor Day
Thursday: The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Friday: St. Peter Claver
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary



Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 4, 2016
"Fill us at daybreak with your kindness, that we may shout for joy and gladness all our days."
 —Psalm 90:14



- Sunday, September 4**
 8:00 am People of the Parish
 9:00 am Gabriele DiCerbo
 10:30 am Jim, Frances and James Marc-Anthony, Daniel Hill
 Angela and Angelo Chiarelli, Giuseppa Covello
 Savino Santomauro, Nina Grace Failla,
 Damiana Satatino, Roberto Mora & Dentale
 12:00 pm Msgr. Robert J. Romano (Happy Birthday)
- Monday, September 5**
 8:30 am Dominick Dispenza and Rosemarie Iacupo
- Tuesday, September 6**
 7:30 am Ana Tacopino
 8:30 am Josephine and Peter Di Caro
- Wednesday, September 7**
 7:30 am Antonio Guiolo Valente and Maddalena Carlino
 8:30 am Michelina and Antonio Varrone
- Thursday, September 8**
 7:30 am Robert La Greca
 8:30 am Angelo and Angela Chiarelli
- Friday, September 9**
 7:30 am Mary Cafarchio
 8:30 am Angelo and Angela Chiarelli
- Saturday, September 10**
 8:30 am Angelo and Angela Chiarelli
 5:30 pm James McCutcheon
 7:00 pm Felix Palacio
- Sunday, September 11**
 8:00 am People of the Parish
 9:00 am Rosa, Giuseppe and Giovanni Rotondi
 10:30 am Domenico Pinello, Anthony Idone, Daniel Trezza,
 Angelo And Angela Chiarelli
 12:00 pm Salvatore Prano



Weekly Collections

Our Parish Goal for the weekly offerings is **\$9,000**.
 The Collection of August 28th totaled **\$4,222.00**

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.



PLEASE PRAY for

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| Anthony Bruno | Gregory Rapisarda | Rita Schievello |
| Isabella Freed | Baby Sadie Olive | Maria Concetta |
| Madelaine Montenegro | Baby Rocco Morabito | Conte Bedissi |
| Marie DePaolo | Baby Olivia | Marie Lombardo |
| JP Cerulli | Gabriella Ungro | Joseph Montenegro |
| Martha Krukis | Carmen Costa | Vincent LaBella |
| Ann Maldari | Frances Armetta | Ritchie Carpenito |
| Veronica Gibbons | Giuseppe Fuda | Megan Beard |
| Gaetano Mastroianni | Jane LaBella | Anthony Colombo |
| Rocco Bellantoni | Lucy Romano | Leonard Klein |
| Robert Provenzano | MaryAnn Gambale | Pauline Burgio |
| Trezza Family | Joseph McClellan | Vincent Zito |
| Victoria Ricotta | Erica Galletta | Robyn Z. |
| Vito Calaprice | Angela Azzinaro | Giovanni Toribio |
| Vincent Laterra Jr. | Dolores Sciuilla | Fanny Colucci |
| Carmela Acquaviva | Orazio Arrabito | |
| Joanne Eterno | Regine Gambale | |
| Vivian Franzitta | A. Jencsik | |
| Christopher Petrick | Marisa Schievello | |

For the week of September 4

Offertory Gifts
 (Bread & Wine)

In Loving Memory of
Italia Mazzarella



As requested by
Barbara Mazzarella

Altar Flowers
 (2 baskets)

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Italia Mazzarella



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Barbara Mazzarella



Patricia Lynch

Saint Quote Corner

"We must speak to them with our hands by giving, before we try to speak to them with our lips."



— Saint Peter Claver





Our Lady of Guadalupe will have a special Mass on Sunday, September 18, 2016 at 12 Noon to commemorate the 15th Anniversary of 9/11.

Members of the New York City Police Department and families of the victims of 9/11 will be present to remember the victims and all those who perished trying to save the lives of others. Please join us for this special Mass.

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Academy

Applications are now being accepted for the 2016-2017 School Year! Please call the OLG Academy's Main Office at (718)331-2070 for registration materials & a private tour! Please call the OLG Academy's Main Office for more information, as well.

A Prayer to Begin a New School Year

God of wisdom and might,
we praise you for the wonder of our being,
for mind, body and spirit.
Be with our children as they begin
a new school year.
Bless them and their teachers and staff.
Give the strength and grace as their
bodies grow;
wisdom and knowledge to their minds
as they search for understanding;
and peace and zeal to their hearts.
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

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"The things you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, practice these things, and the God of peace will be with you."

—Philippians 4:9



Announcement from the Rectory Office:

The Rectory Office will be **closed** on Monday, September 5th, 2016 for Labor Day. We will reopen again on Tuesday, September 6th, 2016 with our new office hours.

Monday- Friday: 9am- 1pm,
2pm- 5pm
6pm -8:30pm
Saturday: 9am-4pm



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** _____
TELEPHONE NUMBER(S): (home) _____
 (cell) _____ and/or (work) _____

(Optional Information)

From the Faith Formation Office



Religious Education



Registration for Religious Education has begun!
Our Religious Education program runs through the school year for children in grades K through 8.

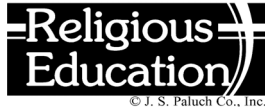
Our first day of classes will be on
Sunday, September 25th, 2016.

Your child *must* be registered prior to the first day of classes. If your child is *not* registered prior to the first day, they will not be placed into a class until all registration forms are evaluated.

Registration forms are available in the rectory and on our parish website. You may come in to the rectory to drop off forms and to register during office hours.

Also, all children must have at *least two years* of Religious Education classes prior to receiving a

Please be diligent in registering your child/children for classes so that they may begin promptly on the first day.
sacrament.



Have you received all the Sacraments of Initiation in the Catholic Church?

**Baptism
Communion
Confirmation**

If *not*, now is the time to reach out.
Classes are being formed for adults who wish to receive all of these sacraments or who are discerning to join the Catholic faith.

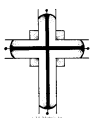
If you would like more information on how you can be apart of our program, contact Marina Cassiliano at (718)331-4003 or email faithform.olg@aol.com



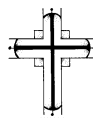
First Holy Communion Pictures Have Arrived!

First Holy Communion Pictures for 2016 have arrived!

Please call the Faith Formation Office to schedule a time to pick up your child's pictures.



Call **Marina** at **(718)331-4003**.





**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**

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

Rosary for Life Anniversary

Monday October 3rd, 2016 at 7:30 PM

Rosary for Life invites you to join them for their Annual Anniversary con-celebration Mass at *Good Shepherd Church*. Most Rev. **Bishop Frank J. Caggiano** will be the main celebrant & homilist. The Rosary will precede at 7 pm and enrollment in the Brown Scapular will follow.

**For more information, please contact the
Rosary for Life, INC. at (718)377-6920.**

GENERATIONS OF FAITH

Thank you to our parishioners for allowing OLG to go over it's goal in the Generations of Faith Campaign. Our goal was \$480,000 and we have pledged over \$658,000. This means that for anything that comes in now, OLG will receive 100% of the pledge. Those who have made pledges please do not send any money to the rectory until you receive a statement from the campaign. You will mail your payments to the office in Connecticut and remember to make your checks out to the Catholic Foundation of Brooklyn and Queens. If you have not made your pledge, there are cards at the back of the church.

The Catholic Tour Pilgrimage Special to Eternal Rome

The Catholic Tour, a Roman Catholic Pilgrimage Apostolate, is offering their “Special” 7 day Pilgrimage to Eternal Rome.

The pilgrimage is operating from two Airline Gateways:
New York JFK, and Boston Mass..

The cost is an all inclusive price, which includes *airfare, 3 star hotels, most meals, tour guides, deluxe bus, and more* for **\$1999**.

The travel dates will be November 4-10.

Please call **1(877)627-4268** or email
jimadair@thecatholictour.com

For more information and reservation forms