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Monday - Friday: 9 am - 5 pm

Saturday: 8 am - 1 pm

Mass Schedule

Monday - Thursday:

9:30 am & 12:30 pm

Friday:

9:30 am, 12:30 pm &

7:30 pm (Spanish)

Saturday: 9:30 am & 5:30 pm

Sunday: 9:30 am &

11:00 am (Spanish), 12:30 pm

Confessions

Saturday: 4 pm - 5 pm

Place: Upper church

*All other times
please call the Rectory.*

May Devotion

Blessed Virgin Mary

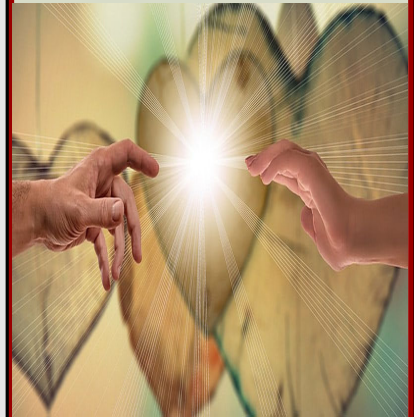


May 5th, 2024

Sixth Sunday

Of Easter

**“This I command
you, Love one
Another”**



**“Esto es lo que les
Mando, que se
Amen los Unos a
Los Otros ”**

Sexto Domingo

De Pascua

5 de Mayo, 2024

Devotions

Monday: Miraculous Medal

(After 9:30 am Mass)

Tuesday: St. Anthony

(After 9:30 am Mass)

First Friday: Eucharistic



Adoration (After all Masses)





Mass Intentions



Saturday, May 4th: 5:30pm (Vigil Mass) + Kathryn Schlopp (Birthday) by Buddenhagen Family	<i>Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48 / 1 Jn 4:7-10 / Jn 15:9-17</i>
Sunday, May 5th: Sixth Sunday of Easter 9:30am + Nancy Moley by Mom & Dad 11:00am + Pablo Diaz by Inginia Diaz 12:30pm + Frances Sienko (H.B. in Heaven) by Krystyna & Family	<i>Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48 / 1 Jn 4:7-10 / Jn 15:9-17</i>  Bread & Wine Ann Dunne by Tatiana Dunne
Monday, May 6th: 9:30am + Armando Velasquez by Martinez Family 12:30pm + May Smith (H.B. in Heaven) by Cornish Family	<i>Acts 16:11-15 / Jn 15:-16:4a</i>
Tuesday, May 7th: 9:30am + Mary Elizabeth Smith by D'Annunzio Family	<i>Acts 16:22-34 / Jn 16:5-11</i>
Wednesday, May 8th: 9:30am + Jerry McCarthy by Sheila McCarthy 12:30pm Rose & Frank Ullman by Anna, Maryanne & Frank Cassara	<i>Acts 17:15, 22-18:1 / Jn 16:12-15</i>
Thursday, May 9th: ASCENSION OF THE LORD 9:30pm + Catherine Rios Hayes by Elaine Cupack 12:30pm + People of the Parish	<i>Acts 1:1-11 / Eph 1:17-23</i> <i>or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13 / Mk 16:15-20</i>
Friday, May 10th: St. John of Avila 9:30am + Elena Visoni by Family 7:30pm + Maria del Carmen Balcalcel by Inginia Diaz	<i>Acts 18:9-18 / Jn 16:20-23</i>
Saturday, May 11th: 9:30am + Richard Mankus, Stephanie Habasinski by Ann Lewicki 5:30pm (Vigil Mass) + Mary & Louis Wannermeyer Sr.	<i>Acts 18:23-28 / Jn 16:23b-28</i> <i>Acts 1:15-17,20a, 20c-26 / 1 Jn 4:11-16 / Jn 17:11b-19</i>
Sunday, May 12th: Seventh Sunday of Easter / Mother's Day 9:30am + People of the Parish 11:00am + Misa por el Pueblo 12:30pm + People of the Parish	<i>Acts 1:15-17,20a, 20c-26 / 1 Jn 4:11-16</i>  Bread & Wine - Happy Mother's Day in Heaven Evelyn Leonick, Catherine Batka, Marianna Pineiro By Mr & Mrs. Pineiro



Please pray for our sick: / Por favor oren por nuestros enfermos:
Heal me, LORD, that I may be healed; save me, that I may be saved, for you are my praise.



Sáname, oh SEÑOR, y seré sanado; Sálvame y seré salvado, Porque Tú eres mi alabanza.
Jeremiah 17:14 / Jeremías 17:14

Pope Francis, AM, Ramona Acevedo, Milagros Álvarez, Rosa Alvarez, Daliah Rose Alvarado, Michael Anobile, Rose Augustine, Judith Ballaster, María del Carmen Baltazar, Baby Jozef Ban, Mary Barreta, Stephanie Batista, Elsie Baumgardt, Steve Belus, Genowefa Biernaca, Laura Borruso, Valerie Bruno, Donald Buddenhagen, Danette Colon, Brian Francis Campion, Luis Castro, Matthew Colasanti, Elvia Cuestas, Patricia Cusack, Joseph Anthony D'Avino, Joan Dobkin, Melodie Donovan, Oluyemi Falade, Henry Feith, Marie Feith, Gemma Ferrara, José Figueroa, Nancy Froelick, Julissa Garcia, Caitlyn Geer, Kataryna Gierczynska, Elizabeth "Betty" Gifford, Christine Godwin, Debbie Golenko, Adoración Junatas Gómez, Gladys Gutiérrez, Gilda Infante, Juliana Jiménez, Robert Keenan, Michael Kopec, Carolyn Lattanzio, Josep Lauron, Anna Lewicki, Zibbi Lewko, Ida M. Lopez, Oliver Jayme Lopez, Richard Lopez, Irena Maj Rodriguez, Elizabeth Malenik, Ryan Marshall, Frederick Martin, Fran Martinet Parson, Andrea Martinez, Sobeida Matos Garcia, Sheila McCarthy, Aliannah Merino, John Montanez, Minellis Moya, Joe Muller, Luis Alfredo Muñoz, Carmen Muñoz, Ljувica Negovan, Gary Normandia, Phyllis Nusspickel, Laila Skye O, Zofia Orłowska, Talia Ortega, María Petrona Paiz Turcios, Claudius Peña, Edward Pertell, Amy Pisarki, Gloria Quintero, Meinardo Ramirez, José Ramos, Carmelo Reyes, A. L. Rodriguez, Laurie Rueckheim, Marylou Ryan, Allen Ryczek, Mary Sanz, Frank Sarlie, Donna Siafakas, Julia Silva, Kristian Schoman, John Slattery, Karol Q. Soto, Antonio Stabile, MaryAnne Stampf, Eugene Stonebreaker, Patricia Taranovich, Stanley Toniuk, H. J. Torres, Lori Tuzzio, John Tyburczy, Molly Tyburczy, Zenon Urban, Rose Vitale, Brian Wang, Janice L. Whelan, Barbara Wielunski, Bill Wisniewski, Raymond Z., Natalie Zawlocki



MESSAGE FROM FR. SEBASTIAN

“As the father loves me, so I also love you” (John 15:9) are words we heard quite a number of times. To believe in the words of Jesus about his love for us as something real and palpable is not as easy as it sounds. And we know it through the moments we were not so convinced about it.

Recently I came across a short message from Gladys McGarey, a medical doctor and teacher, about her book *The Well-Lived Life*. She was so insightful about her reflection on life in that message and spoke about 5 Ls, namely, Life, Love, Laughter, Labor, and Listening. Among all these Ls, how love is inseparable from the other four Ls is so intriguing. There is nothing without life. There is no life without love. McGarey thinks about the oneness of a mother and child while in pregnancy. So is God’s love that brings us into existence. And she feels laughter without love is cruel and labor without love is drudgery. And listening without love is an empty sound. The Christian life essentially is living the love – love of God and love of neighbor.

Fr. Sebastian T. Augustine CMI, Pastor

UN MENSAJE DEL PADRE SEBASTIÁN

“Como el padre me ama, así también yo os amo” (Juan 15:9) son palabras que escuchamos bastantes veces. Creer en las palabras de Jesús sobre su amor por nosotros como algo real y palpable no es tan fácil como parece. Y lo sabemos por los momentos en los que no estábamos tan convencidos de ello.

Recientemente me encontré con un breve mensaje de Gladys McGarey, médica y profesora, sobre su libro *The Well-Lived Life*. Ella fue muy perspicaz acerca de su reflexión sobre la vida en ese mensaje y habló sobre las 5 L, a saber, Vida, Amor, Risa, Trabajo y Escucha. Entre todas estas, resulta muy intrigante cómo el amor es inseparable de las otras cuatro. No hay nada sin vida. No hay vida sin amor. McGarey piensa en la unidad de una madre y su hijo durante el embarazo. También lo es el amor de Dios que nos trae a la existencia. Y siente que la risa sin amor es cruel y el trabajo sin amor es pesado. Y escuchar sin amor es un sonido vacío. La vida cristiana esencialmente es vivir el amor: el amor a Dios y el amor al prójimo.

P. Sebastian T. Augustine CMI, Pastor

Welcome

Parish Membership

We invite everyone to fully participate in our spiritual life.
Come register! Forms are available on our parish website.
Registration is required for the reception of the sacraments.

Bienvenido



April 26th, 27th & 28th 2024

(Fri, Sat & Sun Mass) Attendance 455

Collection \$3,972

First Collection \$3,176

Fri Spanish Mass \$65

Votive Shrine \$531

Grotto \$200

2023 Attendance 434 Collection \$4,309

First Collection \$2,663

Fri Spanish Mass \$88

Votive Shrine \$483

Poor Box \$68

Catholic Home Mission \$1,007

**Thank you for your offerings
Gracias por su ofrenda**



Annual Catholic Appeal 2024

Communion, Participation & Mission

DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN

As of April 29th, 2024

Parish Goal: \$37,838 Pledged Amount \$19,200.00

Paid: \$17,620.00

Open Pledge Balance \$1580.00

Total Pledges: 28

Paid Pledges 24

Open Pledges: 4

Balance: \$20,180.00



Thank you for your contribution!
¡Gracias por sus contribuciones!

We encourage everyone to view the 2024 ACA video online at www.CFBQ.org/ACAVideo.

Your contributions to the Annual Catholic Appeal make a significant impact, helping people in Brooklyn and Queens in ways that go beyond the capacity of any parish. Let us pray for the success of the 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal, imagining a triumph that not only enables us to extend love to those in need, but also allows our hearts to respond to Jesus, who calls us to be in Communion, Participation and Mission. We invite you to join the Parish in supporting the 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal.

To donate, visit www.AnnualCatholicAppeal.org or text DONATE to 917-336-1255.

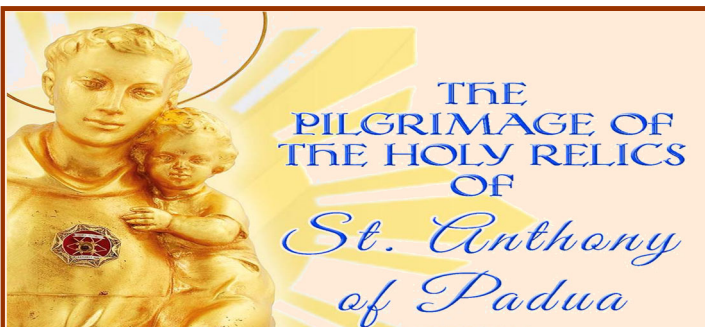
Animamos a todos a ver el video 2024 ACA en línea en www.CFBQ.org/ACAVideo.

Sus contribuciones a la Campaña Católica Anual tienen un impacto significativo, ayudando a las personas en Brooklyn y Queens en formas que van más allá de la capacidad de cualquier parroquia.

Oremos por el éxito de la Campaña Católica Anual 2024, imaginando un triunfo que no sólo nos capacite para extender el amor a los necesitados, sino que también permita a nuestros corazones responder a Jesús, quien nos llama a estar en Comunión, Participación y Misión.

Lo invitamos a unirse a la Parroquia para apoyar la Campaña Católica Anual del 2024.

Para donar, visite www.AnnualCatholicAppeal.org o envíe un mensaje de texto con la palabra DONAR al 917-336-1255.



THE PILGRIMAGE OF THE HOLY RELICS OF St. Anthony of Padua

Sunday, June 9th, 2024

All Masses

Santa Reliquia de San Antonio de Padua

Domingo, 9 de Junio 2024

Todas Las Misas



Mass Schedule Change

Starting Friday May 3rd

All Tuesday and Friday 12:30 mass will discontinue. This change allows our Pastor and Parochial Vicar to attend mandatory diocesan meetings and facilitate weddings and funerals.

Thank you for your understanding

A partir del viernes 3 de mayo

Se suspenderán las misas de martes y viernes de 12:30. Este cambio permite que nuestro Pastor y Vicario Parroquial asistan a las reuniones diocesanas obligatorias y faciliten bodas y funerales.

Gracias por su comprensión



Rest in Peace

Mary Labiak



Parish Elevator Project

inspire giving

For many years the church has been fundraising in order to fulfill the Project of making the church fully handicapped accessible. It will allow our members and guests from the wider community who cannot navigate stairs to be able to attend all events at the church. If you would like to help financially with this project, you may make a donation in person, by mail or by using our GiveCentral website to secure your payment via card or bank account. All donations are 100% tax deductible. You choose to participate in our Mission. You choose to embrace our Vision. For this, we are **truly blessed** and so **very thankful!** Bequeathing a portion in your will for the church will help the restoration

To donate via GiveCentral, please visit: Givecentral.org/location/761/event/31380

Proyecto de Ascensor Parroquial

Durante muchos años, la Iglesia ha estado recaudando fondos para cumplir con el proyecto de hacer que iglesia sea totalmente accesible para discapacitados. Permitirá que nuestros miembros e invitados de la comunidad en general que no pueden subir escaleras puedan asistir a todos los eventos en la iglesia. Si desea ayudar financieramente con este Proyecto, puede hacer una donación en persona, por correo o utilizando nuestro sitio web GiveCentral para asegurar su pago mediante tarjeta o cuenta bancaria. Todas las donaciones son 100% deducibles de impuestos. Eliges participar en nuestra Misión. Elige abrazar nuestra Visión. ¡Por esto, estamos realmente bendecidos y muy agradecidos! Legar una parte de su testamento para la iglesia ayudará a la restauración.

Para donar a través de GiveCentral, visite: Givecentral.org/location/76/event/31380

50/50 Club

50/50 envelopes are available in the back of the church. Please feel free to take additional envelopes for neighbors and friends. **Minimum donation is \$2.00** / \$2.00 = 1 chance to win / \$5.00 = 3 chances to win \$10.00 = 6 chances to win PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR NAME, PHONE # AND DOLLAR AMOUNT ARE ON EACH 50/50 ENVELOPE (We will make sure your contribution is converted into the proper amount of chances to which you are entitled.)



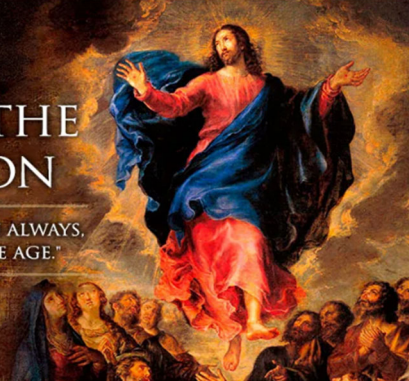
ROMAN CATHOLIC SAINTS

PRAY *for* US

FEAST OF THE
ASCENSION

"BEHOLD, I AM WITH YOU ALWAYS,
UNTIL THE END OF THE AGE."

MAY 9TH



ST. JOHN
OF AVILA

MAY 10TH



Annual Catholic

Prayer for the Success of the
Annual Catholic Appeal

Appeal 2024



God and Father of all gifts, we praise you, the source of all who we are. Teach us to acknowledge always with generous gratitude the many good things your infinite love has given us, as together we support the work of the church in Brooklyn, and Queens. Open our hearts that we may answer your call to follow the message of the Gospel as disciples in love and service nourished by the Eucharist, so that all may come to know you by the example of our faith and good works. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit. God, forever and ever. Amen

Oración por el éxito de la Campaña Católica Anual

Dios y Padre de todos los dones, te alabamos, fuente de todo lo que somos. Enséñanos a reconocer siempre con generosa gratitud las muchas cosas buenas que tu infinito amor nos ha dado, mientras juntos apoyamos el trabajo de la iglesia en Brooklyn y Queens. Abre nuestros corazones para que podamos responder a tu llamado a seguir el mensaje del Evangelio como discípulos en el amor y el servicio alimentados por la Eucaristía, para que todos lleguen a conocerte con el ejemplo de nuestra fe y buenas obras. Te lo pedimos por nuestro Señor Jesucristo, tu Hijo, que vive y reina contigo y el Espíritu Santo. Dios, por los siglos de los siglos. Amén



Baptism



Baptisms are celebrated in English on the last Sunday of the month at 1:30 p.m. and Spanish baptisms are celebrated on the first Saturday of every month at 2:00 p.m.

Arrangements must be made at the Parish Office In advance. The birth certificate must be presented. Instructions are required for parents and godparents before Baptism.

Faith Formation



Grades 1 - 6 Wednesday 5:30pm - 7:00pm
Grades 7 - HS Thursday 5:30pm - 7:00pm

RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults



Are you, a family member or friend interested in becoming a Catholic or you are Catholic and have not yet received Holy Communion and/or Confirmation? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a wonderful process available to those who feel called to become Catholic and for those Catholics who have not yet received First Communion and /or Confirmation. If interested or for further information, please contact: RCIA Coordinator: Diane Pistey Tel: 718-383-7809

RICA Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos



¿Está usted un familiar o amigo interesado en convertirse en Católico o es Católico y aún no ha recibido la Sagrada Comunión y / o Confirmación? El Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos (RICA) es un proceso maravilloso disponible para aquellos que se sienten llamados a convertirse en Católicos y para aquellos católicos que aún no han recibido la Primera Comunión y/o Confirmación. Si está interesado o para obtener más información, comuníquese con: Ernesto Cordero Coordinador de RICA Tel: (347) 777-6483



Ministry to the Sick

Priests are available anytime. Ministers of the Eucharist can be invited to bring Communion to the home of the sick.



Marriages



Arrangements should be made six months in advance. Pre-Cana workshop is part of preparation. The website address is: bqonlineformation.org



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BASKETBALL

Sign Up for Youth Basketball
Any questions, please call
Coach Rocco Rubino 718-431-3404



Choir Practice



Meets each Monday at 7:00pm in the Church

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

Aiden Birth



May 5th, Catherine Rodriguez
May 8th, Leslie Murphy
May 12th, Sophia Quintero

Are you interested in serving the parish as

SERVERS



LECTORS



EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Please speak with Fr. Sebastian

Eastertide

50 Days of JOY

The Kids' Bulletin

Love One Another

Sixth Sunday of Easter
May 5th, 2024



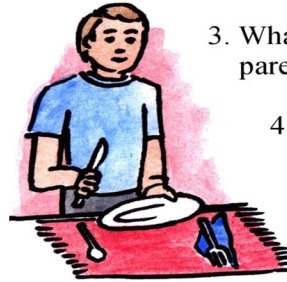
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8 9 10 11 12 13 14

What does Jesus ask us to do in today's Gospel reading? Put the letters in the spaces that match to find out!

Jesus wants us to love each other just like God the Father loves us. Can you think of some ways to show you love the people around you?



1. What can you do to show you love your parents?
2. How can you be loving to your brothers and sisters?



3. What can you do for your grandparents to show you love them?
4. How do you show your friends you love them?
5. What can you do to love someone that doesn't like you?

When someone is loving toward you, think of how that person is being like God the Father and try to be like them!



Answer to Word-Find: Love one another!
Answer to Front page puzzle: Love one another!

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Love One Another Word Find

Blessed Catherine of St. Augustine May 8

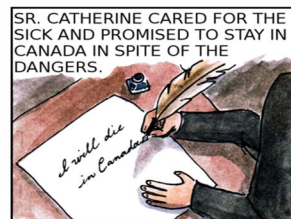
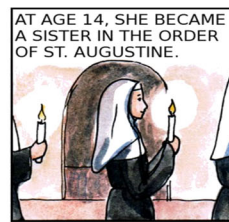
Find the words in CAPITALS from today's Gospel reading in the puzzle. Use the left-over letters to fill in the blanks.

As the FATHER has loved me, so have I loved you; REMAIN in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be COMPLETE. "This is my COMMANDMENT, that you love one another as I have loved you. GREATER love has no man than this, that a man lay DOWN his LIFE for his friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. NO LONGER do I call you SLAVES, for the slave does NOT KNOW what his MASTER is DOING; but I have CALLED you FRIENDS, for all that I have heard from my Father I have made known to you. You did not choose me, but I CHOSE you and appointed you that you should go and bear FRUIT and that your fruit should abide; so that whatever you ASK the Father in my NAME, he may GIVE it to you. This I command you, to love one ANOTHER.

No one has greater love than this:

_____ for one's friends.

G C T S L A V E S O L
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K N H O R E E N T I T
N D E C O M P L E T E
O M R E N A M E R S R
W E L F R I E N D S I
F N D O W N D O I N G
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BLESSED CATHERINE LOVED THE SICK PEOPLE AND CARED FOR THEM BECAUSE SHE KNEW THAT BY HELPING OTHERS SHE WAS BEING KIND TO JESUS. WHEN YOU SEE SOMEONE WHO IS POOR OR SICK OR LONELY, REMEMBER THAT BY BEING KIND TO THAT PERSON YOU ARE BEING KIND TO JESUS.

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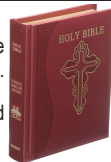
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