

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY JUNE 20

9:30am Repose of the Soul of Norma Jennings requested by the Consolation Ministry
In Loving Memory of Anthony Pierre requested by Herlin Pierre

SUNDAY JUNE 21

10:30am In Loving Memory of Henry Allen Price requested by Shirley Price and Family
The People of the Parish
Repose of the Soul of Kimberly Bernadel

MONDAY JUNE 22

9:30am Birthday Blessings for Judith Pisani requested by her brother

TUESDAY JUNE 23

9:30am Repose of the Soul of Luc Douillard requested by the Youth Ministry

WEDNESDAY JUNE 24

9:30am Repose of the Soul of Marie Simone Antoine requested by the Youth Ministry

THURSDAY JUNE 25

9:30am In Loving Memory of Louise and Harry Moran requested by the Bowman Family

FRIDAY JUNE 26

9:30am In Thanksgiving and Special Blessings to Valerie who is expecting, requested by her parents

SATURDAY JUNE 27

9:30am Congratulations to Merle Victorin on her graduation requested by Magalie Victorin
Birthday Blessings to Arielle Mompremier requested by the Mompremier Family

SUNDAY JUNE 28

10:30am In Loving Memory of Mary Vladich requested by her Family
The People of the Parish
Repose of the Soul of Marcia A Bayne Smith

ANNOUNCED MASS OFFERINGS.

The opportunity to pray in a special way for the repose of the soul of a loved one or other prayerful intention is made available each day with announced Mass offerings. You may choose to commemorate a Death Anniversary, Wedding Anniversary or Birthday Remembrance. Each offering is \$20.00 per Mass. Please come to the Parish Office to make A special Mass intention for your loved ones.

GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING
2019 2020

WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS

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| Sun. | Jer 20:10-13, Mt 10:26-33 (94) |
| Mon | 2 Kgs 17:5-8, Mt 7:1-5 (371) |
| Tue. | 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, Mt 7:6, 12-14 (372) |
| Wed. | Is 49:1-6, Acts 13:22-26 (587) |
| Thur. | 2 Kgs 24:8-17, Mt 7:21-29 (374) |
| Fri. | 2 Kgs 25:1-12, Mt 8:1-4 (375) |
| Sat. | Lam 2:2,10-14, Mt 8:5-17 (376) |
| Sun. | 2 Kgs 4:8-11, Mt 10:37-42 (97) |

With respect, admiration and thankfulness we pray for those who are currently serving around the world and those to be deployed in the near future in defense of our nation.





For Deacons



We pray that Deacons, faithful in their service to the Word and the poor, may be an invigorating symbol for the entire Church.

Holy Father's Prayer Intention
(June—2020)



ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN

The Most Reverend Nicholas DiMarzio, Bishop of Brooklyn, is pleased to announce that churches in the Diocese of Brooklyn can re-open for Weekday Mass on Monday, June 29, 2020. The celebration of Sunday Mass can begin with the Saturday Vigil Mass on July 4, 2020, and on Sunday, July 5, 2020. COVID-19 safety protocols will be in place, including the requirement that **all who enter a church must bring and must wear their own mask during the entire Mass and maintain proper social distancing.**

"Catholics in Brooklyn and Queens have been longing for the celebration of Mass and to receive the Holy Eucharist. But our sacrifice and patience have borne fruit, and we did our part to flatten the curve of the terrible coronavirus pandemic. Soon we can come together to be nourished by the spiritual food we have been desperate for," said Bishop DiMarzio.

In preparation for the joyous day when Mass will resume, the Diocese of Brooklyn is launching a video today in [English](#) and [Spanish](#) to give Catholics in Brooklyn and Queens an understanding of the changes they will experience as a result of COVID-19 safety protocols designed to keep everyone healthy and safe.

Beyond the requirement that parishioners must bring and must wear their own mask for Mass, churches can only be filled to 25% capacity to fulfill social distance requirements of six feet between congregants. Families who live in the same household though will be able to sit together.

The reception of Communion will be different. It is strongly recommended the faithful receive Holy Communion in the hand and they must leave their mask on when they approach the priest at a six-foot distance. When the communicant receives the Sacred Host, they should move to the side and consume the Eucharist immediately. Communion will only be offered in one form; the Precious Blood will not be distributed to the faithful at this time.

Since each church and parish is unique, the faithful should check with their individual parishes, parish websites and social media pages for specifics about the resumption of Mass and the safety protocols in place.

The dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass remains in effect until further notice. As such, the Diocese urges anyone who feels sick in any way to stay home. Mass will continue to be broadcast live on the Diocesan cable channel, NET-TV, and streamed online. NET-TV is available in the New York City market on Spectrum, channel 97; Optimum, channel 30; and Fios by Verizon, channel 48.

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We have endured a period of great challenge, especially here in our Diocese in Brooklyn and Queens, but the Lord was with us all the way. Now in just over a week, we can come together and give thanks to Him, pray for the people we lost, and those still affected by the coronavirus. And rejoice in the celebration of the Liturgy.

Thanks be to God," concluded Bishop DiMarzio.

PRAYER DURING A PANDEMIC

May we who are merely inconvenienced remember those whose lives are at stake. May we who have no risk factors remember those most vulnerable. May we who have the luxury of working from home remember those who must choose between preserving their health or making their rent. May we who have the flexibility to care for our children when their schools close remember those who have no options. May we who have to cancel our trips remember those that have no place to go. May we who are losing our margin money in the tumult of the economic market remember those who have no margin at all. May we who settle in for a quarantine at home remember those who have no home. During this time when we cannot physically wrap our arms around each other, let us yet find ways to be the loving embrace of God to our neighbors. Amen

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Lord Jesus Christ, I firmly believe that You are present in the Most Blessed Sacrament as true God and true Man: Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity. I love You above all things and I desire You with all my heart. Since I cannot now receive You Sacramentally, I ask You to come spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already in my heart and unite myself to You completely. Never let me fall away from Your Holy Presence. Amen.



The Sunday offertory is critical to the vitality of our parish. Not just to pay the bills that continue to accrue, but to sustain the life-giving works carried out each day by our dedicated personnel, devoted clergy, faithful lay leaders and also important to the financial health of our parish. We are pleased to announce that we offer electronic giving through a simple tool that provides you with the opportunity to support the parish in a way that is convenient and secure, while remaining in the safety of your home.

Our online giving partner is GiveCentral, and we want you to know that 100% of the donations you make through GiveCentral come to the parish. Donations can be made using a bank account or credit card, scheduled in advance to occur on a recurring basis, or as individual one-time gifts. With your first donation you can create a confidential username and password, allowing you to edit your donation schedule at any time. GiveCentral makes it easy for you to give.

Please consider choosing one of the following options to set up your gift to St. Clare Parish today as we all work together to minimize the spread of coronavirus COVID-19.

From your computer or tablet: Visit our parish giving page at givecentral.org/stclare-queens
From your smartphone, text the keyword SUNDAY to our parish number:712-217-1018 update contact information so we can stay in touch with you in the upcoming weeks. A simple form for just updating your contact information and emails (no giving required): <http://givecentral.org/short-form/674>

Your contributions make a tremendous difference in our ability to fulfill our mission and serve our community—thank you!

YOU ARE ALWAYS IN OUR PRAYERS

THE NEW MISSION STATEMENT OF ST. CLARE PARISH

COME AND ENCOUNTER THE LIVING CHRIST WITH US

LIVE STREAMING IN OUR PARISH CHURCH

Live streaming refers to online [streaming media](#) simultaneously recorded and [broadcast](#) in real time. It is often referred to simply as **streaming**.

We have installed Live Streaming where parishioners can partake in Masses, Monday to Saturday at 9:30am and on Sunday at 10:30am. All Mass intentions shall be prayed. Every private Mass that is celebrated, will be broadcasted online through our Website: <https://www.stclare-queens.org>. or through our Facebook page.

There is also a **Donate** button where you can make your weekly contribution on the website

THE PARISH DEPENDS ON YOUR DONATIONS

SCAM ALERT

Please be aware of a scam that is happening right here at St. Clare Church. Some of you may have received a text from Fr. Andy asking you to do him a favor.

THIS IS A SCAM

Neither Fr. Andy nor the parish office of St. Clare would ever make such a request. The matter has been reported to the police and they are working on the case right now as this is a citywide problem.

If you or anyone you know have been affected by this scam, please call the Rectory as soon as possible .

FAITH FORMATION

Dear Families,

I hope you are as well as you can be during this time of change and uncertainty. Our Lord tells us "Do not be afraid I am with you always".

Yes, during this time he walks with us as he walked with the two disciples on the way to Emmaus. They recognized him in the breaking of the Bread, then talked about their experience of encounter with the Lord.

As parents and family we are called to share our experience of encountering the risen Lord to our children. Just as they share their experience of encounter with the risen Lord with you.

Let us call this time a period of encounter with God and one another. Perhaps, a blessing to share on such a deep level.

The Diocese has provided us with many resources to help families with Faith Formation. I have included two videos hosted by Deacon Matt Halbach from Sadlier publication.

The other link is a good guide on how to watch and engage the family viewing live streaming Mass. At St Clare Masses are lived streamed at 9:30 am daily. Sunday 10:30 am stclare-queens.org

I miss you and would love to hear from you. Please confirm you have received this e mail. Peace, love and joy. **Ms. Lorena**

How To:

<https://dioceseofbrooklyn.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/How-to-Pray-the-TV-Mass-From-Home.pdf>.pdf

Video 1

<https://dioceseofbrooklyn.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Making-your-home-a-prayerful-space-brooklyn-video.mp4>

Video 2

<https://dioceseofbrooklyn.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Faith-Formation-tips-and-Prayer.mp4>

A New Covid-19 Crisis
Domestic Abuse Rises Worldwide
St. Clare Women's Ministry



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Invites you to a virtual Presentation
Unravelling the threads of Domestic Violence

When: Saturday June 27th, 2020

Time: 11:00am



Meeting ID: 833 0086 7609
Password: 389283
Dial- 1-646-558-8656

St. Clare Women's Ministry
 Contact us at stclarewmm@gmail.com



FOOD DISTRIBUTION
(GRAB & GO)

EVERY THURSDAY
(12-2 PM)

ST. CLARE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
137-35 BROOKVILLE BLVD.
ROSEDALE, NY 11422



CDC AND DIOCESAN GUIDELINES WILL BE ENFORCED. EVERYONE MUST WEAR A MASK.

FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED

FOR MORE INFO, PLEASE CONTACT RECTORY
(718) 341-1018, PAT (516) 398-5674,
PETER (646) 828-8919 OR E-MAIL:
STCLARE@ROSEDALEFOODPANTRY@GMAIL.COM



FATHER’S DAY REMEMBRANCE takes place this Sunday Father’s Day, June 21st at the 10:30am Mass. This is a beautiful way of remembering our fathers, living or deceased, with a special Mass intention. Father’s Day offering envelopes can be dropped off in the Rectory today. Please return your offering in the collection or at the Parish Office



Father Andy
Veronica Richards
Barbara Roberts
Margaret Cummings
June Tanghow
Colin Croft
Milan Williams
Alice Hall
Irania Caruso
Lillian Fortunado
Alisia Thompson Reid
Bernadette Ezissi

Natasha Brunson
Gabrielle Arthurton
Alex Maxwell
Lisa Maxwell
Eugene Mitchell
Annie Andrews
Georgia Sarlis
Olga Daniel
Iris McMillan
Heather Smith
Nancy Joseph
Richard Sealy

INTERESTED IN ST. CLARE CATHOLIC ACADEMY FOR THE 2020—2021 SCHOOL YEAR?



Please contact us for a virtual tour at [**Jpinnock @stclarecatholicacademy.org**](mailto:Jpinnock@stclarecatholicacademy.org)

YOU CAN VISIT US AT WWW.STCLARECATHOLICACADEMY.ORG FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO DOWNLOAD A REGISTRATION PACKET

ST. CLARE CATHOLIC ACADEMY IS LOCATED AT 137-25 BROOKVILLE BLVD. ROSEDALE NY 11422

Holy Virgin of Guadalupe

Queen of the Angels and Mother of the Americas. We fly to you today as your beloved children. We ask you to intercede for us with Your Son, as you did at the wedding in Cana.

Pray for us, loving Mother, and gain for our nation and world, and for all our families and loved ones, the protection of your holy angels, that we may be spared the worst of this illness.

For those already afflicted, we ask you to obtain the grace of healing and deliverance. Hear the cries of those who are vulnerable and fearful, wipe away their tears and help them to trust.

In this time of trial and testing, teach all of us in the Church to love one another and to be patient and kind. Help us to bring the peace of Jesus to our land and to our hearts.

We come to you with confidence, knowing that you truly are our compassionate mother, health of the sick and cause of our joy.

Shelter us under the mantle of your protection, keep us in the embrace of your arms, help us always to know the love of Your Son, Jesus. Amen.

OUR MINISTRIES

**FAMILY LIFE MINISTRY, YOUTH MINISTRY
ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY, WORSHIP 4 LIFE
MUSIC MINISTRY, HOLY NAME SOCIETY
BIBLE STUDY GROUP , CONSOLATION MINISTRY
FLOWER MINISTRY, WOMEN’S MINISTRY**

After this crisis is over, we the Ministries of St. Clare, welcome all parishioners interested in becoming members of any Ministry.

Our ministries extend the work of the Catholic Church in one way or another. Whether enhancing weekly mass with music or visiting with those in need of our thoughts and prayers, ministry makes God's kingdom alive in our community today.

STAY SAFE, STAY INDOORS