


St. Clare Church
ROSEDALE, NEW YORK EST. 1924

ST. CLARE CATHOLIC CHURCH
137-35 Brookville Boulevard
Rosedale NY 11422
718-341-1018

Website: www.stclare-queens.org



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Sacrament of Baptism

Monthly (except during lent), on Saturdays at 12:30pm, we are pleased to baptize infants and children up to 7 years of age where at least one parent is Catholic. You must participate in two sessions of spiritual formation. Please call the Rectory. Children and Youth from 8yrs to 17yrs of age, who are in need of Baptism, and / or Confirmation or First Holy Communion, call the Faith Formation office at 718-527-6153.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Adults, 18yrs of age or older who are seeking to belong to the Catholic Community of Faith through Baptism or who have never completed their initiation and desire Confirmation and / or Holy Communion, call the Faith Formation Office.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday 3:30pm—4:30pm or by appointment

Sacrament of Marriage

Marriage arrangements need to be made at least six months prior to the wedding date.

Devotions

First Friday: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass concluding with Holy Hour at 7:30pm.

Miraculous Medal Novena: Monday after 8:30am Mass

St. Clare Novena: Saturday after 8:30am Mass

MASSES

Saturday: 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 10:30am & 1:00pm

Monday—Saturday: 8:30am

Holy Days: To Be Announced

Faith Formation Office: 718-527-6153

St. Clare Catholic Academy:

Pre K thru 8th grade

Tel:718-528-7174

Fax: 718-528-4389

PARISH STAFF

Administrator: Rev. Daniel O. Kingsley

Parochial Vicar: Rev. Dominic Pephrah

Deacon Christopher Barber

Deacon Richard Hurst

Faith Formation: Ms. Lorena Defilippis

Secretary / Administration: Mrs. Dianne Sealy-Soon

Music Director: Mr. Michael Zephyrine

Youth Minister: Mr. Peter Damour

School Principal: Mrs. Mary Basile

Rectory Hours

Weekdays: 10:00am -12:00pm: 1:00pm –6:00pm

Saturday: 10:00am—2:00pm

Sunday: Closed

Please call in advance to make an appointment with a Priest or Deacon.

Saturdays and Sundays: By Appointment only

Parishioners at St. Clare worship regularly at Mass, participate in the community life of the Church and make use of the weekly envelopes in support of the parish.

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY OCTOBER 24

5:30pm Birthday Blessings for the 90th Birthday of Roy Farquharson requested by Family

SUNDAY OCTOBER 25

8:00am The People of The Parish
10:30am In Loving Memory of Christiana Ulrich requested by Audrey and Janice
1:00pm In Loving Memory of Yvan Bell requested by the Stephen Family

MONDAY OCTOBER 26

8:30am In Memory of Emilie Larrieux requested by Marie Phillip

TUESDAY OCTOBER 27

8:30am In Honor of St. Jude requested by Kettly Joseph

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 28

8:30am In Loving Memory of Mary Vladich requested by Family

THURSDAY OCTOBER 29

8:30am Birthday Blessings in Heaven for Pierre Elie requested his Daughter & Grandchildren

FRIDAY OCTOBER 30

8:30am Birthday Blessings for Cordelia & Princeton Nwozozu requested by Family

SATURDAY OCTOBER 31

8:30am In Loving Memory of Jean Robert Cupudon requested by his Wife Marie Paule
5:30pm In Loving Memory of Elva Holder requested by the Chung Family

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 1

8:00am In Honor of all the Saints
10:30am The People of The Parish
1:00pm In Honor of all Saints

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME



FALL BACK is the rule of thumb for daylight savings time. At 2:00am next **Sunday November 1st** remember to set your clocks and watches back one hour **before going to bed**

WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sun. Ex 22:20-26, Mt 22:34-40 (148)
Mon Eph 4:32-5:8, Lk 13:10-17 (479)
Tue. Eph 5:21-33, Lk 13:18-21 (480)
Wed. Eph 2:19-22, Lk 6:12-16 (666)
Thur. Eph 6:10-20, Lk 13:31-35 (482)
Fri. Phil 1:1-11, Lk 14:1-6 (483)
Sat. Phil 1:18b-26, Lk 14:1, 7-11 (484)
Sun. Rv 7:2-4, 9-14, Mt 5:1-12a (667)

THIS WEEK

Saturday October 24

5:00pm—After Mass—Religious Articles on Sale

Sunday October 25

8am, 10:30am & 1pm—After Sunday Masses—Religious Articles on Sale

Wednesday October 28

7:30—Zoom Bible Study

Thursday October 29

7:30pm—Prayer Group Call In

Sunday November 1

Turn Your Clocks Back



YOU ARE ALWAYS IN OUR PRAYERS

Veronica Richards Nancy Joseph
Milan Williams Georgia Sarlis
Alice Hall Olga Daniel
Iris McMillan Lillian Fortunado
Alisia Thompson Reid Bernadette Ezissi

ST. CLARE'S CHURCH

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ALL SOULS DAY November 2nd, 2020

On Monday November 2nd, 2020, our Annual All Souls Day Memorial Mass will be celebrated at 7:30pm in St. Clare Church for all the souls of the faithful departed, and for all those who were buried from our Church during the past year. We also remember and pray for the Souls of those buried from other churches but whose family members have a connection with our parish community. We invite you, members of the immediate family, as well as relatives and friends of the deceased to join us as we unite in prayer for them, and ask God's blessing on all of you saddened by the death of a loved one. Please bring a picture of your loved ones who have passed to this Mass where they can be blessed and remembered. Please share this invitation with everyone that you feel would want to attend.

*We have loved them dearly during life Let us not abandon them in death
We have conducted them by our prayers Into the House of the Lord.*

St. Ambrose of Milan

For all the law is fulfilled in one word, even in this;
Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself.

Galatians 5:14



WELCOME FATHER DOMINIC PEPAH



It is indeed a pleasure for us to welcome Fr. Dominic, to the parish of St. Clare, he will be our new parochial Vicar. Fr. Dominic comes from the Diocese of Obuasi, Ghana and for the last 5 years has been serving at St. Jude Parish in Canarsie. Let us show him how warm and inviting the parishioners at St. Clare Parish are.

DONATE NOW GIVE CENTRAL



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. Your contributions make a tremendous difference in our ability to fulfill our mission and serve our Community, thank you!

THE PARISH DEPENDS ON YOUR DONATIONS

VIRTUAL FAITH FORMATION SESSIONS

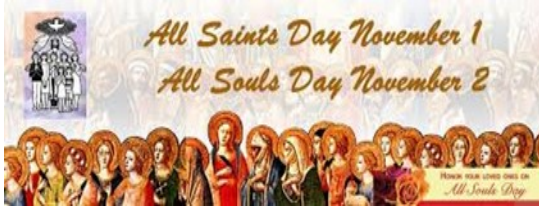
All children and youth who attend public, private or Catholic school are invited to join our Virtual Faith Formation sessions on Sundays after the 10:30 Mass.

Those seeking sacraments are **required** to participate, in order to fulfill requirements of readiness for First Communion and Confirmation.

Please call Ms. Lorena at 718 527 6153 to sign up.

STAY SAFE, WEAR A MASK

ALL SOULS DAY takes place on Monday November 2nd. The Mass schedule on that day will be 8:30am and 7:30pm.



ALL SOULS ENVELOPES

In November we remember and pray for the souls of the dead, especially our family members, friends and fellow parishioners.

Please feel free to write out the names of your beloved dead whom you wish to have prayers offered during the month of November and return the envelope with your offering in the collection basket or at the Parish Office



THE ROSARY

The recitation of the Rosary has resumed following the 8:30am morning Mass, all are invited to sit and pray the Rosary with us.



UPCOMING EVENTS

- October 24th & 25th (Religious Artifacts on Sale)
- November 1st—Turn Your Clocks Back
- November 1st—All Saints Day
- November 2nd—All Souls Day Memorial Day Mass
- November 3rd—Election Day (Office Closed)
- November 6th—First Friday
- November 11th—Veterans Day (Office Closes at 12pm)
- November 21st—Infant Baptism
- November 26th—Thanksgiving Day (Office Closed)
- November 27th—Black Friday (Office Closed)
- November 29th—First Sunday of Advent
- December 4th—First Friday
- December 8th— Solemnity of The Immaculate Conception
- December 19th—Infant Baptism
- December 24th—Christmas Eve
- December 25th—Christmas Day
- December 31st—New Years Eve
- January 1st 2021—HAPPY NEW YEAR

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THE MISSION STATEMENT OF ST. CLARE PARISH

COME AND ENCOUNTER THE LIVING CHRIST WITH US

CHRISTIAN INITIATION

Do you know a family member or friend who is interested in becoming a Catholic? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a wonderful process available to those who feel called to the Catholic Faith. The RCIA is also available for Catholics who have not yet received First Communion or Confirmation.



Please call Lorena Defilippis at the Faith Formation Office

(718-527-6153) for more information

**FOOD DISTRIBUTION
GRAB & GO**

**NOVEMBER 7th & NOVEMBER 21st 12pm—2pm
DECEMBER 5th & DECEMBER 19th 12pm—2pm
ST. CLARE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
137-35 BROOKVILLE BLVD. ROSEDALE NY 11422**

**CDC AND DIOCESAN GUIDELINES WILL BE ENFORCED
EVERYONE MUST WEAR A MASK
(PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING YOUR BAGS)**

FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED

**FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT THE
RECTORY AT 718-341-1018,
PAT 516-398-5674 or PETER 646-828-8919**

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***A request from St. Clare Parish**

“The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.” (Jn 1:5)

With so much uncertainty in the world, the resolve of our priests and religious, ministers and teachers, and all people of faith has only grown stronger in Brooklyn and Queens, but so have the needs.

More than ever, we need your help to spread the light of Christ to our city and neighbors by giving to the **2020 Annual Catholic Appeal**. Your participation joins you in faith with others in the Church to do good works during challenging times in new innovative ways:

- Connecting our young people to the Church
 - Feeding the hungry
- Visiting the sick and imprisoned
- Giving shelter to the homeless
 - Welcoming the stranger
 - Caring for the elderly
 - Sharing our faith
 - Educating the young
- Forming deacons and priests

Parish Goal: (\$55,088.00) Amount Pledged by Parishioners: (\$40,690.00)

You can also make your gift online now at annualcatholicappeal.org or text **ACA** to **917-336-1255** or call 718-965-7375 ext. 1602 and have a pledge card mailed to your home.

Suggested giving amounts:

- \$50 pledge
- \$150 pledge = \$50 a month
- \$250 pledge = \$21 a week
- \$1,000 pledge = \$12 a day
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The LORD is a God of justice, who knows no favorites. Though not unduly partial toward the weak, yet he hears the cry of the oppressed. The Lord is not deaf to the wail of the orphan, nor to the widow when she pours out her complaint. The one who serves God willingly is heard; his petition reaches the heavens.

The prayer of the lowly pierces the clouds; it does not rest till it reaches its goal, nor will it withdraw till the Most High responds, judges justly and affirms the right, and the Lord will not delay.