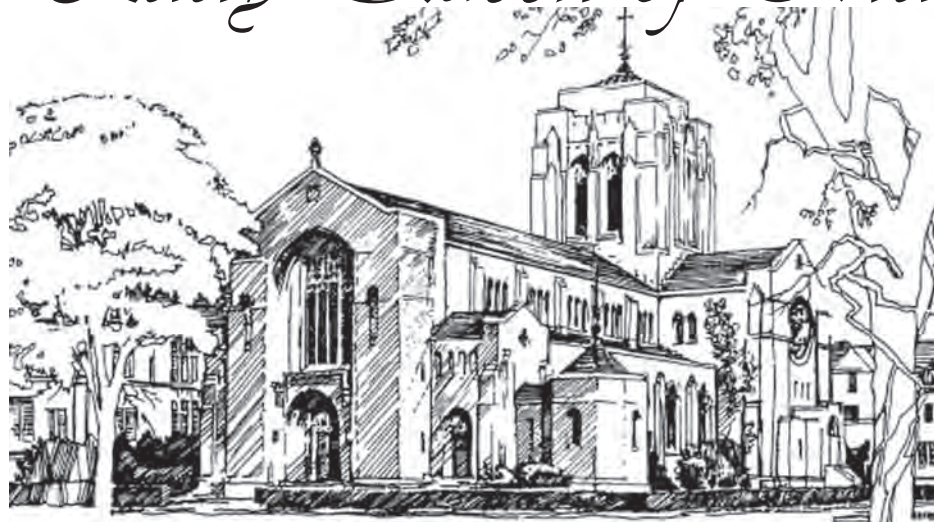


# Our Lady Queen of Martyrs



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**SUNDAY MASSES**  
Saturday: 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 a.m., 1:00 p.m.

**WEEKDAY MASSES**  
8:00 a.m. and 12:05 p.m.

**HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION**  
Vigil Mass at 7:00 p.m.  
Masses at 8:00 a.m. and 12:05 p.m.

**CONFESSIONS:** Monday through Friday at 11:30 a.m.; Saturday at 12:45 p.m.

**ROSARY and CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY**  
Monday through Saturday after the 12:05 p.m. Mass

**MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA**  
Mondays after the 8:00 a.m. and 12:05 p.m. Masses

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**  
Thursdays from 12:40 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

**THE HOLY HOUR**  
Third Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. (except July and August)

**CHILDREN'S CONSECRATION TO OUR BLESSED MOTHER and**  
**FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS TO OUR LADY OF FÁTIMA**

First Saturdays after the 12:05 p.m. Mass

**CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM**  
First Sunday of each month at 2:30 p.m.

**CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE**  
Arrangements should be made at least **six months** in advance,  
**prior** to the proposed wedding date.

## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

*Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Parish is a vibrant Catholic Faith Community in Forest Hills, New York. We are one parish family seeking to be the welcoming and warm presence of Jesus Christ to the diverse peoples of the area.*

*Our parish life is centered on celebrating the Holy Eucharist, proclaiming and teaching God's Word, faith formation through our school and religious education programs, and ministering to and serving the pastoral needs of the faithful.*

*In thanksgiving to God for all that has been, for all that we are and for all that we will be, we support vocations and lay leadership development, strengthening stewardship, and fulfilling the mission of the New Evangelization to bring Christ into the world.*

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**OFFICE HOURS**  
Monday to Thursday 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.  
Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
(closed for lunch from noon to 1 p.m.)  
Saturday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.  
No office hours on Sundays

## Masses for the Week

*Saturday, September 20*

**Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gon and Paul Chong Ha-sang and Companions**

8:00 a.m. Savioa Gaudiosi

12:05 p.m. John Hutter

5:00 p.m. Guillermo Cogorno, Elena DeLaPaz and Amparo Cocheuanca

*Sunday, September 21*

10:00 a.m. Mass celebrated for the parishioners of Our Lady Queen of Martyrs

*Children's Liturgy of the Word*

*Monday, September 22*

8:00 a.m. Patrick McShane

12:05 p.m. Andrew Martorano

*Tuesday, September 23*

**Saint Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)**

8:00 a.m. Msgr. Joseph A. Funaro

12:05 p.m. Jusette & James Meaney [wedding anniv. living]

*Wednesday, September 24*

8:00 a.m. Frances and Nello Buchetti

12:05 p.m. Mile Carvalho

*Thursday, September 25*

8:00 a.m. Jere F. Ryan

12:05 p.m. Jorge Bonilla

*Friday, September 26*

**Saints Cosmas and Damian**

8:00 a.m. Frank J. Passenant

12:05 p.m. William C. Vogel

*Saturday, September 27*

**Saint Vincent de Paul**

8:00 a.m. Walter Luhr

12:05 p.m. Ann Calvacca

5:00 p.m. Frank Criscola

## Remember Our Deceased

Rev. Msgr. Edward J. Breen

Maureen Clarke

Frank Nobiletti

Yolande R. Malebranche

Agnes F. O'Brien

Henry S. Wang

## Remember Our Sick

Svetlana Abramova, Baby Blue Bagasan, Donna Cospito, Pedro Diaz, Ronni Hamilton, Nadine Johnson, Helen P. Kuzlik, Chip Mandala, Joan Pressler, Iracema Galvani Quinete—and all our parishioners currently in nursing homes, hospitals or confined to their homes

### TWO CHANGES OF NOTE:

- We are updating the prayer list for the sick and will be removing names approximately every 6 weeks. To request a name be added, please call the rectory.
- Our rectory office hours have changed: Friday hours are now 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

## Main Events of the Week

*Sunday, September 21*

1:00 p.m. Mass: **Feast of Korean Martyrs Celebrated**  
followed by reception in McLaughlin Hall

*Tuesday, September 23*

12:40–2:15 p.m., church/rectory: **Pastoral Care meeting**

7:00–9:00 p.m., St. Benedict room, rectory:

**Endow Women's Study Group**

**Topic: St. Catherine of Sienna**

*Wednesday, September 24*

10:15 a.m., nursing home: **Fairview View Nursing Home Mass**

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

7:00 p.m. church: **Opening Liturgy (all levels)**

*Thursday, September 25*

After the 12:05 p.m. Mass, church:

**EXPOSITION AND ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**  
**7:30 p.m. BENEDICTION**

7:00–8:30 p.m., rectory main meeting room: **RCIA**

*Friday, September 26*

5:30–9:30 p.m., McLaughlin Hall:

**Martyrs Active Youth Organization**

7:30 p.m., rectory main meeting room:

**Charismatic Prayer Group**

*Saturday, September 27*

9 a.m. to noon, McLaughlin Hall: **Virtus workshop**  
(registration required; see p. 5)

3:15 p.m., church: **WEDDING**

**Lorin Bona/Daniel Simone**

## We pray for the men and women of our Armed Forces serving in the U.S. and abroad

Eric Böhm, David Borrero, Sergio Borrero, Thaddeus Buenaventura, Bobby DiTroia, Armando Fellin, Andrew Gonzalez, A. Jay James, William (Will) Klos, Michael Le Floch, Julio Lopez, Louis Mannino, Jean-Marc Moïse, Robert Morales, Brian Quinn, Justin Pabse, Adam Rearick, Rodney Ross, Raymond Rucci, Victoria Tissler-Bacca, Charles Torres, Gonzalo Vallecillos, William Youssef, Phillip Whitley, Jeff Zabala

Please pray for all who risk their lives for our safety, including police, fire, corrections and military personnel.

### 2014 Annual Catholic Appeal

### Fulfill Your Pledge by December 31

We are grateful to the 452 people who've pledged. Your assistance will benefit many people throughout Brooklyn and Queens. Please complete the payment of your pledge before December 31. Whatever is given over our goal remains in our parish for our needs here. May God bless you all!—Bishop Sanchez and Father Passenant

September 21, 2014 - **Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## Sunday Mass Assignments

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20**

**5:00 p.m.**

**Celebrant:** Father Cunningham

*Lector:* Raymond Cullen

*Leader of Song:* Cheryl Manrique

*EMHCs:* Joseph Catalanotto, Irene Nash, John Nash

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21**

**8:30 a.m.**

**Celebrant:** Father Antonín

*Lector:* David Lee

*Leader of Song:* Cheryl Manrique

*EMHCs:* Theresa Bryant, Octavia Andrade, Ernie Foli

**10:00 a.m.**

**Celebrant:** Father Passenant

*Lector:* Karlene Reilly

*Leader of Song:* Cheryl Manrique

*Children's Liturgy of the Word:* Theresa Bryant

*EMHCs:* Andrew Pecorini, Pat Nunziato, Lilia Penagos

**11:30 a.m.**

**Celebrant:** Father Cunningham

*Lector:* Charles Tse

*Leader of Song:* Paula Rocheleau Hernández

*EMHCs:* Jacqueline Lakah, Laurie Burghard, Thomas Jorge

**1:00 p.m.**

**Celebrant:** Father Jun Hee-Lee

*Honoring Korean Martyrs*

*Lector:* Marie O'Brien

*Leader of Song:* Paula Rocheleau Hernández

*EMHCs:* Niranjana Fernando, Nelonie Demel, Sandy Singh

*Members of the Altar Server Society at all Sunday Masses*

**Thank You to all those who serve as ushers**

## Order of Mass

**Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*Cycle A—Choir Mass 11:30 a.m.*

### ENTRANCE

*Missal #563* —“Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven”

**MASS PARTS:** Mass of Creation

### FIRST READING

*Missal pg. 211*—Isaiah 55:6-9

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**—*Missal pg. 212*

### SECOND READING

*Missal pg. 212*—Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a

### GOPEL

*Missal pgs. 212-213*—Matthew 20:1-16a

### HOMILY

### OFFERTORY

“Seek Ye the Lord” (*J. V. Roberts*)—*Choir Mass*  
*Missal #591*—“All Good Gifts”

### COMMUNION

“Panis Angelicus” (*C. Casciolini*)—*Choir Mass*  
Organ Meditation  
“*Missal #377*—“Here I Am, Lord”

### CLOSING HYMN

*Missal #195*—“Now Thank We All Our God”

## Second Collections

- This Sunday, September 21, the second collection will help defray the cost of maintaining our grounds. There will be a special collection for Iraqi Catholic relief.
- Next Sunday, September 28, the second collection will be for Religious Education-Release Time.

## WHAT IS A CATECHIST?

Catechists are Catholics who give their time and talent to spread the faith that they have received to others. We are blessed in our parish to have fellow Catholics to come forward and share this faith with all members of our parish. Catechists spread God's love in bible study; they are members of our family Mass dismissal team, our Religious Education program, our RCIA program, our school and our youth program. They are a vital part of our parish.

Catechists are also parents and guardians who spread the faith to their family and friends.

Please take a moment this third Sunday in September, which is designated Catechetical Sunday, to say this prayer for all those who share their faith with others in a teaching role.

God, our Heavenly Father, you have given us the gift of our catechists to be heralds of the Gospel to our parish family.

We lift them up to you in thanksgiving and intercede for them concerning their hopes and needs.

May we be attentive to the presence of your Word in them, a Word that lifts up and affirms, calls forth and challenges, is compassionate and consoles.

We pray that our parish family will always be blessed with those who have responded to the call to share in Christ's prophetic mission as catechists. May we, too, be open to the universal call to service that Christ addresses to all of his disciples, contributing our gifts to the communion of faith, the Church.

We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.



## REGISTER WITH OUR PARISH

### And why it's important

There are good reasons for registering at our parish. Registration is the official way to certify parish membership, to declare your desire to be a part of our Catholic community and to make a commitment to the life of our parish. It is a great way for all parishioners, old and new, to learn about our parish as well as support our various ministries and events. Parish membership also facilitates the process when it is time for scheduling an infant baptism or wedding; registering for school; showing eligibility to serve as a godparent, Confirmation sponsor or RCIA sponsor; and getting donation statements for tax purposes.

If you missed Census Sunday last weekend, our biannual effort to increase parish registration and ensure our records are up-to-date, then it is not too late. Pick up a registration form at the back of the church, fill it out and return it by mail or the collection basket. Ask one of our ushers at Mass for help, if needed, and register today.

### For 8th Graders and Their Parents

#### Fall Open Houses

*Visit these Catholic high schools during the times and dates listed, or contact the schools directly for more information.*

#### **REGIS HIGH SCHOOL (FOR BOYS)**

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#### **THE MARY LOUIS ACADEMY (FOR GIRLS)**

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### Thanking You for Your Generosity

*Bishop Sanchez received this letter of thanks for our parish's support of the summer missionary who visited on the weekend of August 23 / 24:*

The donation of \$3,508 is surely needed and appreciated by the United States Catholic Mission Association. The generous response of Our Lady Queen of Martyrs parishioners is a tangible example of their prayerful and sacrificial participation in the common mission of the universal Church.

Sincerely,

Rev. Msgr. Joseph P. Nagle, Diocesan Director  
The Society for the Propagation of the Faith

### Come and See: **RCIA** **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults** Classes start **September 25**

Our RCIA program RCIA welcomes all who would like to see what the Catholic Faith is all about and who asks:

What is life all about?

Why are we here—now?

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### Free Hearing Aid Help Available

If you have a hearing aid and need help caring for it or using it, contact St. John's University Speech and Hearing Center (152-11 Union Turnpike). It is offering free service from **September 15 through December 15**. Call 718-990-6480 to make an appointment.

### Contact Us

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Deacon Greg Kandra:  
[dcngreg@gmail.com](mailto:dcngreg@gmail.com)

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**718-268-6251**

**Emergency** (last rites)  
718-810-9788 (*after office hours*)

Parish School:  
718-263-2622

Religious Education Office:  
718-263-0907

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718-793-8933

#### Online

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[facebook.com/OLQMChurch](https://facebook.com/OLQMChurch)

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School: [olqmschool.com](http://olqmschool.com)

**Attention All School Parents and Volunteers Who Minister to Children**

**Virtus Workshop in McLaughlin Hall**

**Saturday, September 27 from 9 a.m. to noon**

The diocese requires all volunteers and staff working with children to attend a Virtus workshop. To register for the upcoming workshop here at Our Lady Queen of Martyrs, please go to [virtus.org](http://virtus.org).

**‘Bridge to Life’ Fundraiser, Sunday, September 28** from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m., at the General Sherman/Fr. Shine Knights of Columbus hall in Flushing. Pasta dinner: \$25 adult, \$10 children. Proceeds support the mission of helping mothers and their families. For tickets: call 718-463-1810 or visit [thebridgetolife.org](http://thebridgetolife.org). Respect Life Month begins October 6.

**Diocesan Lenten Pilgrimage to Spain with Bishop Octavio Cisnero, March 12–20, 2015** To mark the 500th Anniversary of St. Teresa of Avila. Call Lucille at Regina Tours: 1-800-Catholic, x208.

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**SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR THE MIDDLE EAST**

**Catholic Relief Services Asks for Your Help and Compassion**

To express solidarity with Christians in Iraq and elsewhere in the Middle East who face ongoing violence and persecution, the bishops of the United States are taking up a special collection. Dollars from today’s collection will go to Catholic Relief Services for immediate humanitarian aid and pastoral support for our Christian brothers and sisters there. Thank you for responding to this request for charity for the victims of this crisis and assisting Catholic aid agencies. We ask everyone to continue to remember the plight of Christians in Iraq in their prayers.

**On Sunday, September 28 1:00 p.m. Mass Celebration of the Feast of St. Lorenzo Ruiz**

The patron saint of the Philippines and the Filipino people was martyred for his Catholic faith in the 17th century and beatified and canonized by St. Pope John Paul II. Parishioners and friends are invited to a reception after Mass. Be sure to take part in this special occasion. Pictured—*The life-size statue of St. Lorenzo Ruiz was unveiled and dedicated at our parish in 2012 and is enshrined in our saints chapel.*



**Weekly Collections**

**September 14**

Candle Offerings	1,733.00
1st Collection	9,619.38
2nd Collection (school support)	3,050.25
Mail In	983.50
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15,386.13</b>
Weekly Income Needed*	19,350.00
Surplus/(Deficit)	(3,963.87)

\*Amount we estimate we need weekly to meet church expenses. Figures unaudited.

**Special Collection**

Diocesan Catholic Education	1,252.75
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Special collections taken throughout the year do not accrue to our parish and are not included in the weekly collection total.

Please remember the Roman Catholic Church of **Our Lady Queen of Martyrs in your will and estate planning.**

For information, please contact Bishop Sanchez or Father Passenant at 718-268-6251.

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

**Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer.**

Romans 12:12

Pastoral Care will be pleased to bring Communion to your homebound relatives and friends who are unable to attend Mass. Just fill out this form and drop it in the collection basket. Dennis Portelli, Pastoral Care Administrator, will contact them regarding receiving Communion at home and forward their name to our intercessory prayer group members, who will pray with and for them and, if you like, visit with them.

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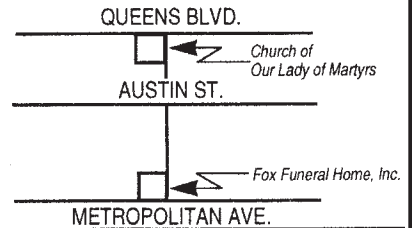
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