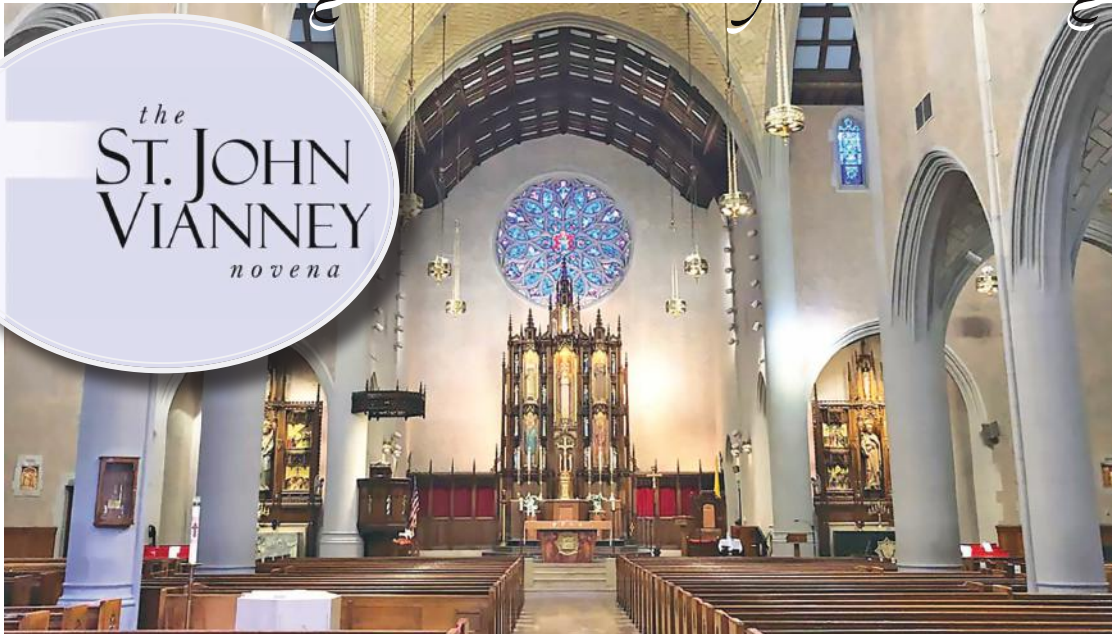


Our Lady Queen of Martyrs



Most Rev. Paul R. Sanchez, D. D. — **PASTOR**
Very Rev. Francis J. Passenant, V. F. — **ADMINISTRATOR**
Rev. Antonin Kocurek — **PAROCHIAL VICAR**
Rev. Msgr. Joseph L. Cunningham — **SENIOR PRIEST IN RESIDENCE**

DEACON
Deacon Greg Kandra

**OLQM CATHOLIC
ACADEMY PRINCIPAL**
Anne Zuschlag

SUNDAY MASSES
Saturday: 5 p.m.
Sunday: 9 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 1 p.m.

TRUSTEES
Roger Aguinaldo
Veronica McCarthy
**DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS
EDUCATION**
Deacon Thomas Jorge

WEEKDAY MASSES
(Monday–Saturday)
8 a.m. and 12:05 p.m.

PASTORAL CARE DIRECTOR
Dennis Francis Portelli

MUSIC DIRECTOR
David Close
FINANCE COMMITTEE CHAIR
Lorna Stark

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION
Vigil Mass at 7:30 p.m.
Masses at 8 a.m. and 12:05 p.m.

CONFESSIONS
Tuesday and Thursday at 11:30 a.m.; Saturday at 12:45 p.m.

ROSARY & CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY
Monday–Saturday after the 12:05 p.m. Mass

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA
Mondays after 8 a.m. and 12:05 p.m. Mass

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

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



JOIN THE PARISH
Scan for parish registration
form and instructions

WATCH SUNDAY MASS ONLINE
11:15 a.m.
ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/webcast

GIVE NOW
Scan for online
parish giving



110 - 06 Queens Boulevard
Forest Hills, New York 11375
tel 718-268-6251; fax 718-793-2584
rectoryolqm@aol.com | ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org
OLQM Catholic Academy; tel 718-263-2622



OFFICE HOURS
Monday–Tuesday 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Wednesday–Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
(closed for lunch from noon to 1 p.m.)
Saturday 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. No office hours Sundays

Masses for the Week

Saturday, July 30

Saint Peter Chrysologus

8 a.m. Julita Ilaio Uriarte

12:05 p.m. Dida Cruz [anniversary]

5 p.m. John Castino

Sunday, July 31

9 a.m. **Family Mass** celebrated for the parishioners of Our Lady Queen of Martyrs
Children's Liturgy of the Word

Monday, August 1

Saint Alphonsus Liguori

8 a.m. Huguette Butler

12:05 p.m. Eugene Scollan

Tuesday, August 2

Saint Eusebius of Vercelli

Saint Peter Julian Eymard

8 a.m. Joann Lafaso

12:05 p.m. George Smith

Wednesday, August 3

8 a.m. Thomas Trott

12:05 p.m. Manuel Miguel

Thursday, August 4

Saint John Vianney

8 a.m. Elizabeth Mary Horak

12:05 p.m. Intentions of the St. John Vianney Novena

Friday, August 5

Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major

8 a.m. Mary-Anne Schultz

12:05 p.m. Fermin Manalo, Sr.

Saturday, August 6

Transfiguration of the Lord

8 a.m. Muriel De Maria

12:05 p.m. Nelia Encarnacion

5 p.m. Joseph Grosso

Main Events of the Week

Sunday, July 31

10 a.m. *Zoom*: Sunday Morning Bible Study

11:15 a.m. *Mass*: *guest celebrant*: Fr. Andrew Tsui

Followed by St. John Vianney Novena & First Blessings

2:30 p.m. *rectory*: Baptism Instruction

Monday, August 1

After 8 a.m. & 12:05 p.m. *Masses church*:

Miraculous Medal Novena

Monday Evening Bible Study

Resumes on September 12 at 7 p.m. with a new topic

Tuesday, August 2

11:30 a.m. *church*: Confessions

Wednesday, August 3

7:45–9 p.m. *Zoom*: Catholic Charismatic Prayer Group

Thursday, August 4

11:30 a.m. *church*: Confessions

12:05 p.m. *Mass church*:

St. John Vianney Novena Concludes

After 12:05 p.m. *Mass*

Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

7:30 p.m. *church*: **Benediction**

Saturday, August 6

12:45 p.m. *church*: Confessions

The Wine and Hosts
are offered in loving memory of

Huguette Butler

—requested by her sister Nicole Hamburger

Remember Our Sick

Gustavo Aguilar, Kim Bach, Taylor A. Calder, Jeffrey Carrasquillo, Karen Chesleigh, Baby Matthew Cristian and Maria Lujan Cristian, Christopher Cunningham, Tracy Cuva, Deacon John DeBiase, Frank Dioguardi, Norman Doucette, Baby Luka Dudashvili, Domingo Galicia, Mary Hughes, John Imperante, Tommy Jorge, Cipriana Jorge, Patricia Patane, Richard Perl, Peter Purpura Sr., Annabelle Resitano, Dennis Roberts, Dr. Anthony Sarro, Lily Shan, Robert Sorsaia, Karl Wick, Teresa Wong, James Yhap, Brittany Zaita—and all parishioners currently in nursing homes, hospitals or confined to their homes

ABOUT THE PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Because of space constraints, we must periodically update our list. Names will be removed from the sick list after six (6) months, unless our office is notified.

Remember Our Deceased

Tess Dela Paz Castro

Razelo De Asis

Maureen Heyer Piatt



Evelyn Stallone

Fr. Gregory Stankus

Bruna “Bunny” Yonkers

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

Eric Böhm, Sergio Borrero, Thaddeus Buenaventura, Ricardo Cantillo, Bobby DiTroia, Armando Fellin, Andrew Gonzalez, A. Jay James, William (Will) Klos, Michael Le Floch, Louis Mannino, Gabriella Mattson, Justin Pabse, Rodney Ross, McNeely Royal, Jose J. Vaz, Mollie Rae Whitley, William Youssef, Phillip Whitley. **Please pray for all who risk their lives for our safety, including police, fire, corrections, and military personnel.**

WELCOME! Sound-enhancing assistive listening device is available if you have trouble hearing during Mass. Visit the sacristy for information. If a disability makes it difficult for you to fully participate at Mass or other activities of our parish, please contact our Parish Advocate for Persons with Disabilities, Karen Mongiello, at disabilities.olqm@gmail.com, to make your special needs known.

This Week's Reflection

from Catholic Social Teaching

Third Commandment:

Remember to keep holy the Lord's Day

*This is the day the LORD has made; let us rejoice in it and be glad.
(Psalm 118:24)*

REFLECT: “The third commandment of the Decalogue recalls the holiness of the sabbath: ‘The seventh day is a sabbath of solemn rest, holy to the LORD’... The precept of the Church specifies the law of the Lord more precisely: On Sundays and other holy days of obligation the faithful are bound to participate in the Mass... The celebration of Sunday observes the moral commandment inscribed by nature in the human heart to render to God an outward, visible, public, and regular worship as a sign of his universal beneficence to all. Sunday worship fulfills the moral command of the Old Covenant, taking up its rhythm and spirit in the weekly celebration of the Creator and Redeemer of his people.

“The Sunday celebration of the Lord’s Day and his Eucharist is at the heart of the Church’s life. Sunday is the day on which the paschal mystery is celebrated... The Sunday Eucharist is the foundation and confirmation of all Christian practice. For this reason, the faithful are obliged to participate in the Eucharist on days of obligation, unless excused for a serious reason (for example, illness, the care of infants) or dispensed by their own pastor. Those who deliberately fail in this obligation commit a grave sin...

“You cannot pray at home as at church ... where there is something more: the union of minds, the accord of souls, the bond of charity, the prayers of the priests... Participation in the communal celebration of the Sunday Eucharist is a testimony of belonging and of being faithful to Christ and to his Church. The faithful give witness by this to their communion in faith and charity. Together they testify to God’s holiness and their hope of salvation. They strengthen one another under the guidance of the Holy Spirit.” (Catechism of the Catholic Church)

ACT: Keep the Lord’s Day holy. Read the USCCB paper, “Celebrating the Lord’s Day” (<https://bit.ly/3xP6QOU>).

LEARN: See the Catechism of the Catholic Church, starting at paragraph 2168 (<https://bit.ly/3y9IaSz>). Listen to Archbishop Lucas’s reflection, “The Third Commandment: Love the Lord’s Day,” at Discerning Hearts (<https://bit.ly/39KzBUN>).

To learn more about legislative issues that impact us as Catholics and how you can express your opinions to our elected officials, we encourage you to sign up for “Action Alerts” from the NY State Catholic Conference: www.nyscatholic.org/nys-catholic-conference-action-center.

Order of Mass

Eighteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Cycle C

ENTRANCE

Missal #202—“Holy, Holy, Holy”
Missal #539—“Laudate, Laudate Dominum”—Choir

MASS PARTS: Mass of Angels and Saints (*Janco*)

FIRST READING: Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

If today you bear his voice, harden not your hearts.

SECOND READING: Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11

GOSPEL: Luke 12:13-21

HOMILY

OFFERTORY

Missal #505—“We Walk by Faith”
“Now Let Us All Praise God and Sing” (*G. Young*)—Choir

COMMUNION

Organ Meditation
Missal #337—“One Bread, One Body”
“Gloria Festiva” (*E. Crocker*)—Choir

CLOSING HYMN

Missal #421—“Church of God, Elect and Glorious”
Missal #722—“How Firm a Foundation”—Choir

Sunday Mass Online

11:15 a.m. Livestream

www.ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/webcast

Daily Mass Online

8 a.m. & 12 p.m. Livestream Co-Cathedral of St. Joseph

www.netny.tv/masses

Second Collections

- » Today’s second collection is for church grounds maintenance.
- » Sunday, August 7, the second collection is for major repairs.
- » Use the blue envelope at any time to contribute to the Parish Endowment Fund (www.ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/blue-envelope) or select Blue Envelope from the pull-down menu at our Parish Giving portal online.
- » For [Parish Giving](#) technical support, call 866-307-7140, Mon–Fri, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- » **Planning Summer Vacation?** Please remember to mail in your weekly offertory. You can also use online Parish Giving while vacationing or, on your return home, the Catch-Up envelope.

Weekly Offering Envelopes

In this month’s envelope packet, the weekly offering envelope is yellow instead of its usual white. Please be attentive and check the date and description printed on your envelopes for the appropriate collection before you drop them in the basket. Thank you.

Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass
Sat., Sept. 24 @ 11 a.m. Resurrection Ascension (61-11 85 St., Rego Park). All married couples are invited to renew their vows. Bring your family to witness your exchange and commitment to one another. Bishop Robert Brennan will be the celebrant. Contact Christine Georgi at 718-281-9540 or cgeorgi@diobrook.org. There is a \$30 offering, which includes a professional photo with Bishop Brennan. (Form available on our website in the Parish News section.)

Bus Pilgrimage with Bishop Brennan
Sat., Oct. 22, National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Washington. To request information about bus times and parish locations in Queens, please email pilgrimage@diobrook.org.

LIVESTREAM @ OLQM: We livestream one Sunday Mass weekly at 11:15AM for the benefit of the homebound and the sick who are unable to be in church in person. If you miss a livestream broadcast, the entirety of the Sunday Mass is available on demand using the "past livestreams" link at ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/webcast.

Give Blood, Give Love

BLOOD DRIVE

Sunday, August 14 9:15am to 3:15pm
NY Blood Center Bus Mobile at OLQM Church
(Ascan Ave. entrance)

We need your help! Blood shortages often occur during summer months. Giving blood is practically painless, takes about an hour, and can save up to THREE lives. To prepare, eat well (low fat) and drink fluids the day before. Bring a picture ID with you. Wearing masks is optional for both donors and the NY Blood Center staff. If you have more questions, call the NY Blood Center at 1-800-688-0900.

THANK YOU FOR CARING!

Must be age 17 or older, weigh min. 110 lbs.

Walk-ins accepted or scan the QR code to schedule your appointment time in advance.

After your blood donation, refresh yourself with a light meal and enjoy fellowship with others at our Sunday Potluck Luncheon!



SIGN UP!

Parish Potluck Luncheon Sunday August 14th after 1PM Mass

Meeting in the air-conditioned rectory basement

Entry fee: \$15 or a dish to feed 4 to 6 people

Fill out & tear out this sheet & drop it in the collection basket to let us know you'll join us & what you'll bring. Or email your RSVP to Pastoral Care at dfport@gmail.com.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

I'm bringing: # of People _____

Appetizer _____

Main Dish _____

Side or Dessert _____

pot*luck

/noun/ **1.** meal to which everyone invited brings food to share; **2.** meal for a guest that is prepared from whatever is available; **3.** OLQM Parish summer tradition hosted by Pastoral Care.



11:15 a.m. Sunday Mass

Let's Warmly Welcome Fr. Andrew Tsui

The novena to St. John Vianney, the patron saint of parish priests, will be recited after today's 11:15 a.m. Mass with our visiting celebrant Father Andrew Tsui. Father Andrew was ordained by Bishop Robert Brennan on June 4 and currently is assigned as parochial vicar to St. Bartholomew's in Elmhurst. He is at once humbled and proud to be the first New York City-born Chinese priest to serve in the Diocese of Brooklyn and Queens.

Personal family experiences helped guide him to the priesthood. He credits the Catholic Church and priests from the Salesian order with helping his father early in life. In Andrew's high school and college years, he became active in the Legion of Mary and developed a love for apostolic work. As a Chinese-speaking priest, he hopes to dispel the stigma in the Chinese community that Christianity is for Westerners and show that Jesus is an ally to all people. Interesting fact: Father Andrew has an identical twin brother who he describes as his "biggest cheerleader" when he was becoming a priest.



Receive a First Blessing from Father Andrew Tsui after the 11:15 a.m. Mass, and please pray for the seminarians in our diocese now discerning a priestly vocation.

We've Hit Goal for Pledged! 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal

Parish Goal: \$114,568

Pledged: \$129,997

Donors: 293

Paid: \$102,561

For paid, we are so close! 89.5% of pledges are paid to fulfill our parish goal. Please continue making your pledge payments. Thank you.



Religious Education 2022–2023 Class Registration Open

Our Lady Queen of Martyrs invites all those interested in furthering their children's faith formation to register or re-register NOW for fall classes. Use the online registration form on our website at ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/re. Thank you. May God bless you, your faith, and your families.—Deacon Thomas Jorge, OLQM Director of Religious Education

KEEP UP YOUR INCREASED SUPPORT

	July 24
Weekly Collections	
Candle Offerings	\$ 1,007.00
1st Collection	6,365.00
2nd Collection (air conditioning)	2,231.00
<u>In-Church Subtotal (1,081 attending)</u>	<u>9,603.00</u>
Mail In	2,222.00
Parish Giving Online	4,939.67
TOTAL	16,764.67
Weekly Income Needs*	21,250.00
Surplus/(Deficit)	(4,485.33)

* Amount needed weekly to meet church expenses. Figures unaudited. Totals do not reflect other income sources. Our goal is to cover parish expenses through higher first collections to ensure a fiscally sound position, without having to depend on less reliable income streams.

Consider a Legacy Gift

Please remember the Roman Catholic Church of Our Lady Queen of Martyrs in your will and estate planning. You may speak directly to Bishop Sanchez or Father Passenant at 718-268-6251. Thank you for your gracious support. You may also find more information on leaving legacy gift at ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/planned-giving.

Contact Us

BY EMAIL

Rectory Office:
rectoryolqm@aol.com

Pastor's Office:
pastorolqm@aol.com

Administrator's Office:
adm.olqm@yahoo.com

Bulletin Subjects:
olqmmom@aol.com

OLQM Catholic Academy
info@olqmca.org

Pastoral Care Office:
dfport@gmail.com

Religious Education Office:
olqmreled@gmail.com

RCIA Office:
olqmrcia@gmail.com

Deacon Greg Kandra:
dcngreg@gmail.com

Disabilities Advocate:
disabilities.olqm@gmail.com

BY TELEPHONE

Rectory Office:
718-268-6251

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

OLQM Catholic Academy:
718-263-2622

Religious Education Office:
718-263-0907

RCIA Office:
718-268-6251, ext. *827

OLQM Charity Outreach:
718-268-6251, ext. *843

FIND US ONLINE

www.ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org

Facebook, Instagram, Twitter:
[@OLQMChurch](https://www.facebook.com/OLQMChurch)

www.youtube.com/olqmmstewardship

OLQM Catholic Academy:
www.olqmca.org

RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults



If you are age 18 or older and interested in becoming Catholic, or need to complete your Sacraments of Initiation, RCIA is the answer to your prayers. RCIA guides you through the process of discernment, prayer, and education. Contact olqmrcia@gmail.com or call 718-268-6251, ext. 27, and leave a message (including a callback number) to learn more. All emails and calls will receive a response. You may also use the inquiry form at www.ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/rcia.

2023 Holy Land Pilgrimage

Experience the Holy Land with Deacon Greg Kandra and Father Antonin, March 7–18, 2023. For full information, visit SelectInternationalTours.com, call 800-842-4842, or email rebecca@select-intl.com. A flyer is available in the church.

Join our community!

If you regularly attend liturgies at Our Lady Queen of Martyrs, please register with our parish! Formal registration with the parish is important for scheduling sacraments, obtaining certificates, becoming a sponsor/godparent, and getting contribution statements for taxes. It also helps us to schedule our Masses, programs, and activities. On your smartphone, use the QR code on the front of the bulletin to find our online registration form.

ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/parish-registration

Support Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Roman Catholic Church.

When you shop at smile.amazon.com, Amazon donates.

Go to smile.amazon.com

<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/11-1687469>

Back-to-school season and then the holidays will be fast approaching. If you make purchases online, select the Amazon Smile option with Our Lady Queen of Martyrs as your chosen charity. When you shop through Amazon Smile, they donate 0.05% of the purchase price to our church in the process, with no added cost to you. Thank you.



Faith Sharing on Zoom

Are you looking to explore the Bible with others? Join a faith-sharing group.

Sunday Morning Bible Study: 10–11 a.m. Current topic: Gospel of St. Mark. If you would like to join them, contact Noila Johnson by email: noilas@hotmail.com.

Monday Evening Bible Study: 7–8 p.m. resumes September 12. Our *Through the Word* study program explores the Gospels to discover afresh the deeply beautiful and perennial teachings of our Lord. By using both the catechism and Scripture, we discover how the words of Christ lead us to the fullness of life. The group is on a summer break and will start a new program with a new topic on September 12th. Email Joe: josephterry@gmail.com.

Wednesday OLQM Catholic Charismatic Prayer: 7:45–9 p.m. Weekly Zoom prayer meetings with bible study the 3rd Wednesday of the month. Join to pray together and for one another. Learn how God's word is alive and relevant in our daily lives. Meeting ID: 2917352357 (PW: 031011).



WE WILL BE BACK!

MAYO will return and be open to all 7th and 8th graders in fall 2022! Our mission is to bring the youth of the parish together in a safe, nurturing, and fun environment to participate in amazing activities and community service projects while growing in their faith and beginning to develop into the next leaders of our parish.



Manuel Narbuada, MAYO Director