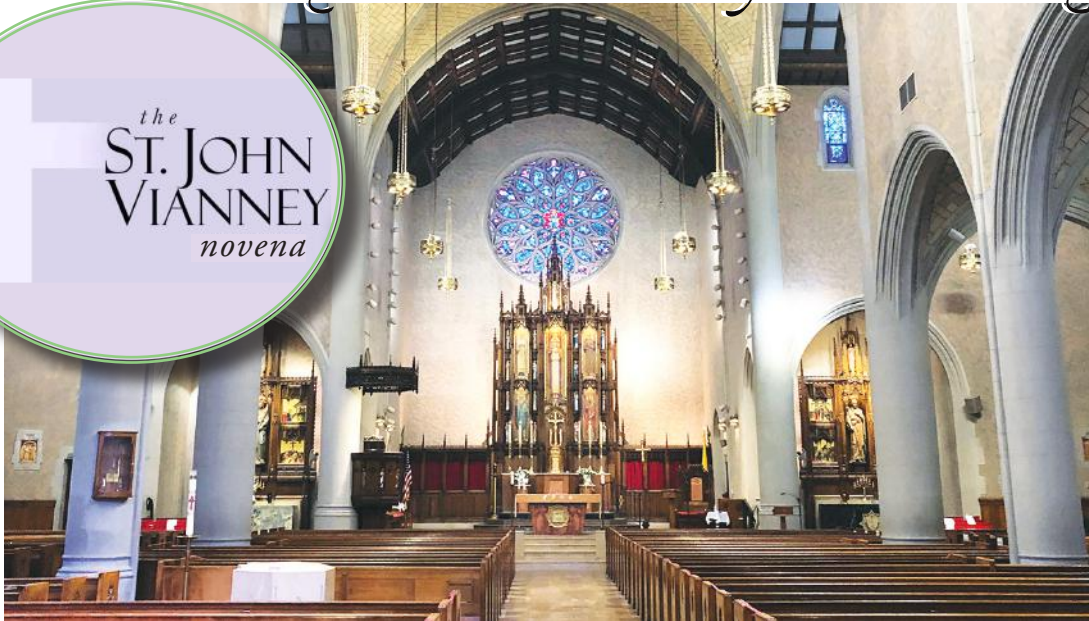


# Our Lady Queen of Martyrs



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**SUNDAY MASSES**

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

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

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

**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. (use Queens Blvd church entrance)

**ROSARY AND CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY**

Monday through Saturday after the 12:05 p.m. Mass

**MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA**

Mondays after the 8 a.m. and 12:05 p.m. Mass

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Thursdays from 12:40 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

**WATCH SUNDAY MASS ONLINE**

[ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/webcast](http://ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/webcast)

**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

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**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 2 p.m. No office hours Sundays

## Masses for the Week

*Saturday, July 24*

**Saint Sharbel Makhluf**

8 a.m. Geraldine Casserly

12:05 p.m. Josephine Orlando

5 p.m. Raymond F. Preston

*Sunday, July 25*

Parishioners of Our Lady Queen of Martyrs

*Monday, July 26*

**Saints Joachim and Anne**

8 a.m. General Jonathan M. Ureta

12:05 p.m. Anna DeNapoli

*Tuesday, July 27*

8 a.m. Josephine and Thomas Clements

12:05 p.m. Blanche Aeppli

*Wednesday, July 28*

8 a.m. Dr. Ekkehard Schwarzkopf

12:05 p.m. Mario Samulare

*Thursday, July 29*

**Saint Martha**

8 a.m. Marie Morgan [living]

12:05 p.m. Gigi O'Neill

*Friday, July 30*

**Saint Peter Chrysologus**

8 a.m. Jack Sexton

12:05 p.m. John Castino

*Saturday, July 31*

**Saint Ignatius of Loyola**

8 a.m. Tom Aughey

12:05 p.m. Brigid Lawlor

5 p.m. Francesca Pacchiano

## Remember Our Sick

Marylou Bagasan, Sonia Baxter, Taylor Calder, James Cardone, Jeffrey Carrasquillo, Geraldine Casserly, Martha Catel, Shania Brennan Clemente, Mary Rose Crow, Tracy Cuva, Maria Daulo, John DiBiasi, Mary Dillon, Melinda DiMurro, Norman Doucette, Carol Drew-Dwyer, Baby Luka Dudashvili, Estrela Feliciano, Farnel F. Flores, Helen F. Flores, Christina T. Flores, Pat Gmerek, Alex Gutierrez, Graciela Guzman, Elizabeth Hansen, Tommy Jorge, Cipriana Jorge, Concepcion Kane, Bob Keegan, Victor Kun, Herbert Lempel M.D., James Leung, Ann Longobardi, Jason M., Nancy Martin, Liz Maryon, Artur Mavashev, John Nikol, Connie Panella, Ferbian T. Penafior, Maureen Piatt, Bonnie Post, Gloria Rodriguez, Beatriz Sainz, Dr. Anthony Sarro, Scaturro family, Tony Simomes, Robert Sorsaia, Frank Soriente, Remington Stafford, Lacey Straeghtly, Jorge Vasilescu, Maria Viesta, Teresa Wong, Brittany Zaita—and all parishioners currently in nursing homes, hospitals or confined to their homes

## Main Events of the Week

*Sunday, July 25*

10 a.m. Zoom: Bible Study

*Monday, July 26*

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

Miraculous Medal Novena

7 p.m. Zoom: "Life in the Spirit" Bible Study

*Tuesday, July 27*

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

12:05 pm. Mass: St. John Vianney Novena Begins

*Thursday, July 29*

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

After 12:05 p.m. Mass

**Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

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

*Friday, July 30*

7:30 p.m. Zoom: OLQM Catholic Charismatic

Prayer Group meeting

*Saturday, July 31*

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

The **Wine and Hosts**

are offered in memory of

**Donald F. Gildea**

—requested by his loving wife, Jo Patti Gildea

The **Sanctuary Lamp**

is offered in loving memory of

**Mario Samulare**

—requested by Vita Maria Mattiace

## Remember Our Deceased

Regina D. Bautista

Cesar Gonzales

Deacon Arthur J. Griffin

Evaristo Labuguen

Deacon Gustavo Medina



Philippe J. A. Morency

Mary Noto

Shuxiong Pan

Ana Gloria Rodriguez

## 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, Jean-Marc Moise, Brian Quinn, Justin Pabse, Adam Rearick, Rodney Ross, McNeely Royal, Victoria Tissler-Bacca, Charles Torres, Jose J. Vaz, Mollie Rae Whitley, William Youssef, Phillip Whitley, Jeff Zabala. **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, contact our **Parish Advocate for Persons with Disabilities**, Karen Mongiello, at [disabilities.olqm@gmail.com](mailto:disabilities.olqm@gmail.com), to make your special needs known.

## This Week's Reflection

from Catholic Social Teaching

### Summer with the Saints:

#### Saints Joachim and Anne (Feast Day July 26th)

*Joachim and Anne, how blessed a couple! All creation is indebted to you. For at your hands the Creator was offered a gift excelling all other gifts: a chaste mother, who alone was worthy of Him. (St. John Damascene)*

**REFLECT:** “Mary grew up in the home of Joachim and Anne; she was surrounded by their love and faith: in their home she learned to listen to the Lord and to follow his will. Saints Joachim and Anne were part of a long chain of people who had transmitted their faith and love for God, expressed in the warmth and love of family life, down to Mary, who received the Son of God in her womb and who gave him to the world, to us. How precious is the family as the privileged place for transmitting the faith!” (Pope Francis, July 26, 2013)

“A second point for reflection comes from [the] liturgical commemoration of Saints Joachim and Anne, parents of Our Lady, and therefore, grandparents of Jesus. This occasion makes us think of the subject of education which has an important place in the pastoral work of the Church. In particular, it invites us to pray for grandparents, who, in the family, are the depositories and often witnesses of the fundamental values of life. The educational task of grandparents is always very important, and it becomes even more so when, for various reasons, the parents are unable to provide their children with an adequate presence while they are growing up. I entrust to the protection of St. Anne and St. Joachim all the grandparents of the world and bestow on them a special blessing. May the Virgin Mary who, according to a beautiful iconography, learned to read the Sacred Scriptures at her mother Anne’s knee, help them always to nourish their faith and hope at the sources of the Word of God.” (Pope Benedict XVI, July 26, 2009)

**ACT:** Pray for our grandparents (<https://bit.ly/3vaFhfD>). Bless your own parents, perhaps using the USCCB “Blessing of Grandparents” at <https://bit.ly/3pMdelj>.

**LEARN:** Read *Amoris Laetitia*, On Love in the Family, and reflect on the part grandparents make, at <https://bit.ly/3gqFWnG>.

To learn more about the 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 New York State Catholic Conference: [www.nyscatholic.org/nys-catholic-conference-action-center](http://www.nyscatholic.org/nys-catholic-conference-action-center)

## Order of Mass

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Cycle B*

### ENTRANCE

*Missal #310—“Table of Plenty”*

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

### FIRST READING

Kings 4:42-44

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.*

### SECOND READING

Ephesians 4:1-6

### GOSPEL

John 6:1-15

### HOMILY

### OFFERTORY

*Missal #339—“God’s Holy Gifts”*

### COMMUNION

Organ Meditation

*Missal #320—“Gift of Finest Wheat”*

### CLOSING HYMN

*Missal #616—“Alleluia! Raise the Gospel”*

### Sunday Mass Online

9 a.m. Livestream

[ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/webcast](http://ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/webcast)

### Daily Mass Online

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

[netny.tv/masses](http://netny.tv/masses)

## Second Collections

» Today’s second collection is church grounds maintenance. There is also a “catch-up envelope” for those who are on vacation.

» Sunday, August 1, the second collection will be for Major Repairs.

» Use the blue envelope at any time to contribute to the Parish Endowment Fund ([ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/blue-envelope](http://ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/blue-envelope)) or at our Parish Giving portal online, select Blue Envelope from the pull-down menu. For [Parish Giving](#) technical support, call 866-307-7140, Mon–Fri, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

## RCIA

### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Are you interested in becoming Catholic?  
Do you need to complete your Sacraments of Initiation?

RCIA is the answer to your spiritual needs. To find out more, contact us at [olqmrcia@gmail.com](mailto:olqmrcia@gmail.com) OR call 718-268-6251, ext. 27, and leave a message. All emails and calls will receive a response.



The parish bereavement support group offers spiritual support to those who have recently suffered a loss. We offer a caring environment, hope, and comfort; we are nonjudgmental and respect privacy in all aspects of grieving and point toward healing. Meetings are typically the first and third Mondays of the month (except on Monday holiday weekends). The next meeting is **August 16, on Zoom, at 7:30 p.m.** If you are interested in joining, please contact the group facilitator and Commissioned Lay Pastoral Leader Yorke Mizelle ([ymizelle@nyc.rr.com](mailto:ymizelle@nyc.rr.com)). The fall schedule will be announced soon.



## Faith Sharing on Zoom

Are you looking to explore the Bible with others? Join one of our faith-sharing groups.

**Sunday Morning Bible Study meets 10–11 a.m.** The group is currently discussing the Gospel of St. Mark. If you'd like to join them, contact Noila Johnson: [noilas@hotmail.com](mailto:noilas@hotmail.com).

**Monday Evening Bible Study meets 7–8 p.m.** The current theme is "Life in the Spirit." For those interested in exploring the Person and the work of the Holy Spirit and how we can grow in our relationship with Him, join this summer-long program. For more information and Zoom link, contact Joseph Terry: [josephterry@gmail.com](mailto:josephterry@gmail.com).

## St. John Vianney Novena

July 27 through August 4

*Novena times: 12:05 pm Mass weekdays; 11:15 am Mass Sunday*

Every year we ask for the intercession of St. John Vianney to bless our diocese with good parish priests. The novena starts Tuesday, July 27 and concludes on the saint's feast day on Wednesday, August 4. Over the course of the novena we will welcome two guest celebrants to our church to speak about vocations.



Fr. Kuroly

Fr. James Kuroly, rector of Cathedral Prep High School in Elmhurst, will celebrate the 11:15 a.m. Sunday Mass on August 1.

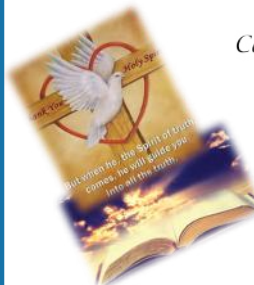
On August 4, newly ordained Fr. Chin Nguyen will celebrate the 12:05 p.m. Mass to close the novena. Born in Vietnam, he came to the US in 2010, studied philosophy at St. John's University, then entered St. Joseph's

Seminary. Fr. Nguyen was ordained by Bishop DiMarzio on June 5 with three other men and is now assigned to St. Luke's in Whitestone.

We also ask you to make one of the seminarians of the Diocese of Brooklyn/Queens your prayer intention for the nine days. In the church we have a sign-up sheet with their names along with a copy of the novena prayer. You can also read or download a novena prayer book at our website. Go to: [ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/st-john-vianney-novena/](http://ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/st-john-vianney-novena/)



Fr. Nguyen



*Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Catholic Charismatic Prayer Group*

invites you to our zoom prayer meeting.  
on Fridays @ 7:30 pm

Meeting ID: 2917352357  
PW: 031011

Please join us in praying together and praying for each other especially during the difficult moments of our lives. Learn how God's word is alive and relevant in our daily lives.

**THERE'S NOTHING ORDINARY ABOUT ORDINARY TIME:** At Christmas Time and Easter Time it is easy to focus on Christ. The other weeks of the church year take us through the life of Jesus as he went about doing good, and challenge us to do likewise. The final Sunday in Ordinary Time is November 21, the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe.

## Christ-Centered Missions

Summer Missionary Weekend is scheduled for the last weekend in August. It is an opportunity for our parish to learn about mission areas of the Catholic Church and to offer support to particular mission causes from around the globe. Answering the call of God to serve the poor and the needy is based on Jesus' mission of healing the sick, comforting the afflicted, and bringing the good news of salvation to all. Father Vijayan Joseph of **Love and Care Mission Inc. (LCM)** is invited to make the Summer Missionary appeal this year at Our Lady Queen of Martyrs. He will deliver a homily at all Masses on August 28/29 weekend. LCM provides assistance without discrimination through HIV/AIDS programs, orphan children programs, homes for the aged, drinking water projects, and programs that allow poor students to keep going to school. Last year LCM helped over 6,800 children in India, Nigeria, Kenya, and Ghana. LCM was formed in 2007 and is registered in New York State as a nonprofit. Read more at [loveandcaremission.org](http://loveandcaremission.org).

### Memorialize a Loved One

Consider honoring a deceased loved with a memorial of the **Wine and Hosts, Sanctuary Lamp, or Altar Flowers.** Names of the memorialized will be published in the bulletin. To arrange a memorial of any kind, or to make a Mass request and offering, call or visit the rectory during business hours.



## Parish Feast Day Celebration



**SAVE THE DATE: Wednesday, September 15**  
**(Our Lady of Sorrows)**  
**Evening Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.**

**Praying with St. Joseph in the Year of St. Joseph**

*"Support in Difficulties, Mirror of Patience,  
 Comfort of the Sorrowing"*

*Please plan to join us to thank St. Joseph for interceding for us  
 as a parish family.*

**WATCH OLQM LIVE:** Sunday 9AM Mass weekly. Special liturgies and worship services are livestreamed throughout the year. All streamed services can be viewed at [ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/webcast](http://ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/webcast). If you miss a livestream broadcast, you'll find a link to past livestreams.

### KEEP UP YOUR INCREASED SUPPORT

Weekly Collections	July 18
Candle Offerings	\$ 1,122.00
1st Collection	7,289.18
2nd Collection ( <i>Pastoral Care</i> )	2,386.00
<i>In-Church Subtotal (963 attending)</i>	<u>10,797.18</u>
Mail In	6,437.00
Parish Giving Online	4,415.98
<b>TOTAL</b>	<u>21,650.16</u>
Weekly Income Needs*	21,250.00
Surplus/(Deficit)	400.16

\* 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.

*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.*

For free information on making a will or a bequest to our parish, you may also contact our diocesan representative, Jeanne Farnan Mulry, at the Catholic Foundation office (email [jmulry@cfbq.org](mailto:jmulry@cfbq.org) or call at 718-965-7375 x 1621). The Catholic Foundation supports the ministry of our parish and parishes in Brooklyn and Queens.

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You are  
We are **the CHURCH**  
together

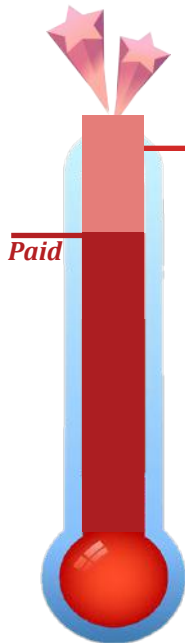
## Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Parish

ACA Goal: \$114,568

Pledged: \$132,559    Paid: \$98,608

as of 7/19/2021

(86% of goal)



**We exceeded our goal in pledges. AMAZING!**

Thank you to the 343 parishioners who have pledged. We are grateful for your generosity and sacrifice. **Please fulfill your pledges!** We need to receive payments in full to bring the 2021 Annual Catholic Appeal to a successful conclusion. We are still accepting donations if you would like to help. See your donation options (below).

**Paid funds received above goal come back to our parish!**

If you have not yet made a pledge, please prayerfully consider making a PLEDGE to this year's Annual Catholic Appeal.

Brochures and envelopes are available in church or donate online through the Catholic Foundation:  
[annualcatholicappeal.org](http://annualcatholicappeal.org)



To donate online  
Text **ACA to 917-336-1255**  
or scan here with your smart phone

### Deanery Corner

*A place to share news and events at nearby parishes*

**Our Lady of Mercy Summer Blood Drive** 📍 Sun, Aug 15, from 8:45am to 2:45pm. Appointment required. Call the New York Blood Center at 1-800-933-2566 to schedule a time. OR go to NYBC.org, click Donate Blood (under the NY Blood Center logo), then Schedule Donation from the drop-down menu. In the Sponsor Name Search tab, enter Our Lady of Mercy and follow the prompts.

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**St. Nicholas of Tolentino Parish** (150-75 Goethals Ave., Jamaica) **Outdoor Flea Market.** Weekends through Nov 20/21. The flea market is located in the church parking lot. Admission and parking are free. For information, phone 718-591-1815.

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