

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.

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

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

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



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

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

 **JOIN THE PARISH**
Scan for parish registration
information and form

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

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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 12 p.m. No office hours Sundays

Masses for the Week

Saturday, June 3

Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions

8 a.m. All Souls in Purgatory

12:05 p.m. Fabian and Scudellari families

5 p.m. Lillian Clarke

Trinity Sunday, June 4

9 a.m. **Family Mass** celebrated for the parishioners of Our Lady Queen of Martyrs

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Monday, June 5

Saint Boniface

8 a.m. Joan Trignano

12:05 p.m. Felina Calleja

Tuesday, June 6

Saint Norbett

8 a.m. Joan Trignano

12:05 p.m. Lynn Mazur Stauffer

Wednesday, June 7

8 a.m. Paula C. Loiola

12:05 p.m. Loretta and Frank Tortora

Thursday, June 8

8 a.m. Leon Jeunier

12:05 p.m. Mary A. Petrocelli

Friday, June 9

Saint Ephrem

8 a.m. Frank DiMarco

12:05 p.m. Robert Donald Scudellari

Saturday, June 10

8 a.m. Antonin Kocurek, Sr.

12:05 p.m. Carlo Orlando

5 p.m. Jean-Charles Milord

Main Events of the Week

Trinity Sunday, June 4



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

2:30 a.m. *church*: Baptisms

Monday, June 5

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

Miraculous Medal Novena

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

St. Anthony of Padua Novena Begins

7 p.m. *Zoom*: "Through the Word" Bible Study

Tuesday, June 6

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

7:30 p.m. *church choir loft*: Choir Rehearsal

Wednesday, June 7

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

Thursday, June 8

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**

Saturday, June 10

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

UPCOMING

Sunday, June 11

Corpus Christi Procession and Celebration

Begins at 3 p.m. at nearby Our Lady of Hope.

Details and sign-up form on page 6.

Saturday, June 17

**Installation of Very Rev. Francis J. Passenant, V.F.,
as Pastor at the 12:05 p.m. Mass**

Remember Our Sick

Marylou Bagasan, Adolfo Baquero, Antonio Cordova, Elizabeth Cordova, Luigi Cotumaccio, Tracy Cuva, Cesar DeLeon, Norman Doucette, Baby Luka Dudashvili, Catherine Egan, Robert Engel, Annette Fridas, Jacqueline Gagliano, Domingo Galicia, Liza Gjinaj, Kathy Halston, Mary Hughes, Ana Inzirelli, Terrence Jackson, Rocelina Jaquez-Cruz, Msgr. Paul Jervis, Elizabeth Ann Jiyun Kim, Tommy Jorge, Cipriana Jorge, Elaine M. Kuzlik, Jean Leonard, James Leung, Martha Padilla, Richard Perl, Louis Petulo, Aracelis Phansaithong, Alicia Revutin, Victoria Ruiz, Dr. Anthony Sarro, Robert Sorsaia, Sam Stafford, Giovanni Wong, Teresa Wong—and all parishioners currently in nursing homes, hospitals or confined to their homes

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.

Remember Our Deceased

Nelia Acoba

Cesar Castillo

Antonia Genoa de Roca

Pedro Guzman

Marie Danielle Morisset

Fernando Navarro

Bonnie Post

William Rocheleau

Rev. Emilio J. Salerno



**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.**

This Week's Reflection

from Catholic Teaching



The Eucharist: Source and Summit of the Christian Life

Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst." (John 6:35)

REFLECT: "The Eucharist is the source and summit of the Christian life. The other sacraments, and indeed all ecclesiastical ministries and works of the apostolate, are bound up with the Eucharist and are oriented toward it. For in the blessed Eucharist is contained the whole spiritual good of the Church, namely Christ himself, our Pasch.

"The Eucharist is the efficacious sign and sublime cause of that communion in the divine life and that unity of the People of God by which the Church is kept in being. It is the culmination both of God's action sanctifying the world in Christ and of the worship men offer to Christ and through him to the Father in the Holy Spirit.

"Finally, by the Eucharistic celebration we already unite ourselves with the heavenly liturgy and anticipate eternal life when God will be all in all. In brief, the Eucharist is the sum and summary of our faith: Our way of thinking is attuned to the Eucharist, and the Eucharist in turn confirms our way of thinking. . . .

"At the heart of the Eucharistic celebration are the bread and wine that, by the words of Christ and the invocation of the Holy Spirit, become Christ's Body and Blood. Faithful to the Lord's command, the Church continues to do, in his memory and until his glorious return, what he did on the eve of his Passion: 'He took bread. . . .' 'He took the cup filled with wine. . . .' The signs of bread and wine become, in a way surpassing understanding, the Body and Blood of Christ; they continue also to signify the goodness of creation. Thus, in the Offertory we give thanks to the Creator for bread and wine, fruit of the 'work of human hands,' but above all as 'fruit of the earth' and 'of the vine'—gifts of the Creator." (Catechism of the Catholic Church)

ACT: Pray the Corpus Christi Novena. Make frequent Eucharistic visits; Christ waits for us in the Tabernacle.

LEARN: Read what the Catechism says about the Eucharist, starting with paragraph 1322 (at <https://bit.ly/42khpaA>).

To learn more about legislative issues that affect 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

Trinity Sunday

Cycle A—Choir Mass 11:15 a.m.

ENTRANCE

Missal #712—"Come Now, Almighty King"

Missal #858—GLORIA: Latin Chant Mass

MASS PARTS: Mass of Creation (*Haugen*)

FIRST READING

Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: *Glory and praise forever!*

SECOND READING

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

GOSPEL

John 3:16-18

HOMILY

OFFERTORY

"I Bind Unto Myself"—*Choir; soloist*

COMMUNION

Organ Meditation

"The Heavens Are Declaring" (*L. van Beethoven*)—*Choir*

Missal #335—"Taste and See"

CLOSING HYMN

Missal #710—"O God, Almighty Father"

11:15 A.M. SUNDAY MASS LIVESTREAM

ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/webcast

CONGRATULATIONS!

The winner of the Sacred Music Society Sweepstakes is Heather T. Zimmermann (ticket #14).

Second Collections

- » Today's second collection is for summer maintenance.
- » Sunday, June 11, the second collection is for faith formation materials for our Religious Ed programs. There is also an envelope for Father's Day Mass Remembrances.
- » At any time, use the special envelope to contribute to the Parish Endowment Fund (ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/blue-envelope). If using the Parish Giving portal online, select Blue Envelope from the pull-down menu.
- » **Traveling this summer?** Remember to mail in your weekly offertory, use the Catch-Up envelope, or use online Parish Giving.
- » For online [Parish Giving](#) technical support, call 866-307-7140, Mon–Fri, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Mass Remembrance Envelopes for Father's Day

You can remember or honor your loved one, living or deceased, with a Mass Remembrance. All Father's Day Mass Remembrance envelopes will be placed on the altar and the names and intentions remembered in the Masses on Father's Day weekend (June 17/18).



Photo courtesy Roger Aguinaldo

We extend congratulations to these 53 young people from our parish Religious Education program, the OLMQ Catholic Academy, and RCIA who received the Sacrament of Confirmation at a 4 p.m. Mass on Pentecost Sunday, May 28. (*Their confirmation names are given in italics.*) May the Holy Spirit guide and inspire them, and let the Spirit renew the face of the earth!



CONFIRMATION CONGRATULATIONS!

Madison *Elizabeth* Adams
Cecelia *Julia* Aguinaldo
Alexander *Thomas* Alouidor
Lorenzo *Lorenzo* Avila
Benicio *Matthew* Babinsky
Mila *Joan* Baez
Owen *Francis* Bantum
Christine *Isabel* Baranello
Doreen *Catherine* Barrios
Jacqueline *Teresa* Boehm
Alexandra *Clare* Camacho
Daniel *Raphael* Capra
Gabriela *Maria* Chan
Jack *Louis* Clark
Richard *Peter* Collins
Carlo *Pedro* De Guzman
Lea *Anna* Dobrzynski
Chloe *Anne* Fallon

James Joseph *Anthony* Felice
Olivia *Rose* Fury
Emma *Celia* Granadillo
Chance *John* Hoskins
Owen *Patrick* Howley
Gianpaolo *Ignatius* Jones
Stefano *Sebastian* Jones
Valentina *Joan* Jones
Ahrene *Regina* Kim
Addison *Clare* Koda
Kyle *Lorenzo* Kong
Emilie *Anne* Killian
Richard *Patrick* Laboe
Anna *Catherine* Lee
Christopher *Christopher* Louk
James *Thomas* Lukose
Paloma *Rose* Lulgjuraj
Yvette *Joan* Manalo

Mary Anne *Veronica* McGovern
Isabella *Joan* Ochart
Armando *Sebastian* Ojeda
Allan *Augustine* Palacios
Jacob *Francis* Perez
Kassandra *Mary* Pugliese
Amelia *Therese* Roca
Daniel *Thomas* Rodriguez
Johan *Joseph* Rodriguez
Briana *Katherine* Romero
Isaac *Isaac* Santana
Landon *Bernadette* Santana
Martina *Elizabeth* Sigler
Adrian *Peter* Surita
Catherine *Faustina* Tarbutton
Julia *Francisca* Tyrk
Nicole *Theresa* Vallejo

RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults



If you are 18 or older, are interested in becoming Catholic, or need to complete your Sacraments of Initiation, RCIA is the answer to your prayers. RCIA guides you through discernment, prayer, and education. Contact olqmrcia@gmail.com or call 718-268-6251, ext. 27, and leave a message (include a callback number). All emails and calls will receive a response.

Annual Catholic Appeal: Have You Pledged Yet?

Our parish goal is to raise \$114,568 for the 2023 Annual Catholic Appeal. As of May 30th, 212 donors have pledged \$101,994. *Help us reach our pledge goal before summer ends!* Prayerfully consider a pledge payable through December 31st. Use a pledge envelope (near church doors); donate online at AnnualCatholicAppeal.org; or text DONATE to 917-336-1255.



Altar Servers' Great Adventure

Our group returned with souvenirs in tow from their fun-filled day trip on May 25 to Six Flags Great Adventures amusement park. We are so appreciative of the service these young altar servers offer to our parish. They thank YOU, too, for your sponsorship in helping to make their trip possible.

Contact Us

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

YouTube (Sunday livestream):
www.youtube.com/olqstewardship

OLQM Catholic Academy:
www.olqmca.org

LIVESTREAM MASS Sunday at 11:15AM & available in its entirety on demand. Use "past livestreams" link at ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/webcast.

—Weekly Collections—

	May 21	May 28
Candle Offerings	\$1,204.00	\$1,821.00
1st Collection	8,433.00	8,352.28
2nd Collection	(see below)	-
Ascension Thursday (5/18)	2,179.00	-
2nd Collection (pastoral care)	-	2,154.00
School Bldg Maintenance	-	1,033.28
Confirmation (5/28, 4pm)	-	2,095.00
Subtotal - In Church	11,816.00	15,455.56
Online Parish Giving	4,557.00	3,666.00
Mail In	760.00	2,250.00
TOTAL	17,133.00	21,371.56
Weekly Income Needed*	23,150.00	23,150.00
Surplus/(Deficit)	(6,017.00)	(1,778.44)

* Amount needed weekly to meet church expenses; does not reflect other income sources. Our goal is to cover parish expenses through higher first collections, without having to depend on less reliable income streams.

Diocesan Collection: Catholic Communication (5/21) \$2,376.00
Special collections taken throughout the year do not accrue to the parish.

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. You may also find more information on leaving legacy gift at ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/planned-giving.

Bereavement Support at OLQM

The parish bereavement group is a welcoming community of individuals who have faced loss and help one another to better deal with grief. They meet monthly on the 3rd or 4th Monday in the rectory. If you wish to attend the next meeting, **June 26 at 7 p.m.**, please RSVP to the group facilitator Mike Acquilano, at bereave@olqmchurch.org.

Clean Your Closets, Help the Poor

St. Vincent de Paul Clothing Donation Truck will visit OLQM on **Sunday, June 25 from 9 a.m. to noon**. Please set aside clothing items you don't need or wear anymore and bring them to church with you on the designated day and time. The truck will be parked near the church doors on Ascan Avenue. All clothing must be in good, wearable condition ("like new").



QN6 DEANERY GATHERING
CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION
AT OUR LADY OF HOPE
MIDDLE VILLAGE
JUNE 11TH
CORPUS CHRISTI
3 P.M. TO 5:30 P.M.

In place of our customary parish procession, this year we instead invite you to join us at Our Lady of Hope in Middle Village for a remarkable event that will bring together worshippers from the eight parishes of QN6 deanery.

- 3:00 p.m. Exposition
- 3:30 p.m. Eucharistic procession from Our Lady of Hope Church (61-27 71st St.) to Juniper Park and back to OLH
- 4:30 p.m. Benediction
- 4:30-5:30 Picnic and social at Our Lady of Hope

SIGN UP! Complete this form and drop it in the collection basket to let us know if you will attend, or register online: ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org/CorpusChristi2023.

NAME: _____

PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

NUMBER OF PEOPLE: _____

TRANSPORTATION: Participants are responsible for their own transportation to this event.

June 5 to June 13

Saint Anthony of Padua Novena

Prayed at the 12:05 p.m. Masses (Monday–Saturday) & Sunday, June 11 after the 11:15 a.m. Mass

Unfailing Prayer to St. Anthony

“Blessed be God in His Angels and in His Saints”

O Holy St. Anthony, gentlest of Saints, your love for God and charity for His creatures made you worthy, when on earth, to possess miraculous powers.

Miracles waited on your word, which you were ever ready to speak for those in trouble or anxiety. Encouraged by this thought, I implore you to obtain for me (*request*). The answer to my prayer may require a miracle. Even so, you are the saint of Miracles.

O gentle and loving St. Anthony, whose heart was ever full of human sympathy, whisper my petition into the ears of the sweet Infant Jesus, who loved to be folded in your arms. The gratitude of my heart will ever be yours. Amen.

Faith Sharing Groups 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: St. Luke's Gospel. To join the group, contact Noila Johnson: noilas@hotmail.com.

Monday “Through the Word” Bible Study: 7–8 p.m. The Monday evening group is engaged in a year-long study of the Sunday Reading Reflections. To join on Zoom, contact josephterry@gmail.com. Archived recordings of the weekly bible studies can be viewed at www.YouTube.com/@bktheologian.

Wednesday Catholic Charismatic Prayer: 7:45–9 p.m. The charismatic group holds weekly Zoom prayer meetings with bible study on 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).

50th Anniversary Mass & Celebration for the Module Youth Program of Northeast Queens. Sat., June 10, at Holy Trinity Church, Whitestone. Mass @ 6:30 p.m. Dinner, drinks & fellowship 7:30–10:00 p.m. \$50 per person. MYP's mission is to enhance the spiritual growth of Catholic high school youth through discussion and prayer retreats. For more information contact media.mypneq@gmail.com.