

May 30, 2021- Most Holy Trinity Sunday

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.



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

WEEKDAY MASSES
(Monday–Saturday)
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)

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.

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

WATCH SUNDAY MASS ONLINE
ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org



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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, May 29

Saint Paul VI

8 a.m. Rafaela Lopez

12:05 p.m. Dr. Heleny Giacoman

5 p.m. Grace Plank and Felice and Francesca Pacchiano

Sunday, May 30

Parishioners of Our Lady Queen of Martyrs

Monday, May 31

Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8 a.m. Mary Margaret Yorke

12:05 p.m. David Stevenson

Tuesday, June 1

Saint Justin

8 a.m. Vincente Delmiguez Lustre, Sr.

12:05 p.m. Rita Toscani

Wednesday, June 2

Saints Marcellinus and Peter

8 a.m. Ana Ramirez

12:05 p.m. Rose Ventrice

Thursday, June 3

Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions

8 a.m. Harvey and Irwin Kalter

12:05 p.m. Holy Souls in Purgatory

Friday, June 4

8 a.m. Joanie Molina

12:05 p.m. John Bonavita

Saturday, June 5

Saint Boniface

8 a.m. Sofia Morales [living]

12:05 p.m. Deanna Condino [living]

5 p.m. Lillian Clark and Alice Wilfonger

Remember Our Sick

Marylou Bagasan, Alexander Berardino, Peter Berardino, Taylor Calder, James Cardone, Jeffrey Carrasquillo, Geraldine Casserly, Martha Catel, Shaina Brennan Clemente, Tracy Cuva, Mary Dillon, Norman Doucette, Carol Drew-Dwyer, Baby Luka Dudashvili, Estrela Feliciano, Farnel F. Flores, Helen F. Flores, Christina T. Flores, Pat Gmerek, Concepcion Kane, Bob Keegan, Victor Kun, Maria Lau, James Leung, Ann Longobardi, Jason M., Nancy Martin, Liz Maryon, Artur Mavashev, John Nikol, Connie Panella, Ferbian T. Penaflor, Maureen Piatt, Bonnie Post, Gloria Rodriguez, Dr. Anthony Sarro, Scaturro family, Tony Simomes, Robert Sorsaia, Frank Soriente, Remington Stafford, 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, May 30

10 a.m. Zoom: Bible Study

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

3 p.m. church: Wedding

Nora Martini and Arton Lulgjuraj

Monday, May 31

MEMORIAL DAY

★★★ Remember and Honor ★★★

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

Miraculous Medal Novena

Rectory Office Closed for Holiday

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

Tuesday, June 1

11:30 a.m. church: Confessions

Thursday, June 3

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 5

At 12:05 p.m. Mass church: St. Anthony Novena Begins

12:45 p.m. church: Confessions

Sunday, June 6

General Dispensation Lifted

Mass Attendance Obligation Reinstated

After 1 p.m. Mass church campus: Corpus Christi Procession

2:30 p.m. and 4 p.m. church: School Confirmation

Weekday Masses and Confessions: Use the ramp entrance at Queens Blvd Mon-Sat for the 8 a.m. and 12:05 p.m. Masses. Confessions are heard in the confession room next to the Blessed Virgin Mary altar on Tue and Thu at 11:30 a.m., Sat at 12:45 p.m. Following each Mass the church will be closed. For private prayer or to light a candle, the church vestibule at Ascan Avenue is open.

Remember Our Deceased

Mary Davis
Elida Gomez



Lenore Katan
Luiz Carlos Neves Ribeiro

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 Moïse, Brian Quinn, Justin Pabse, Adam Rearick, Rodney Ross, McNeely Royal, Victoria Tessler-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! 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, to make your special needs known.

This Week's Reflection from Catholic Social Teaching Pope Francis on the Trinity

The revelation in Christ of the mystery of God as Trinitarian love is at the same time the revelation of the vocation of the human person to love.

(Compendium of the Social Doctrine of the Church)

REFLECT: “Today, the Feast of the Holy Trinity, the Gospel of St John gives us part of the long farewell discourse pronounced by Jesus shortly before his Passion. In this discourse, he explains to the disciples the deepest truths about himself, and thus he outlines the relationship between Jesus, the Father and the Holy Spirit....

“But the mystery of the Trinity also speaks to us of ourselves, of our relationship with the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. In fact, through baptism, the Holy Spirit has placed us in the heart and the very life of God, who is a communion of love. God is a family of three Persons who love each other so much as to form a single whole. This divine family is not closed in on itself, but is open. It communicates itself in creation and in history, and has entered into the world of men to call everyone to form part of it. The trinitarian horizon of communion surrounds all of us and stimulates us to live in love and fraternal sharing, certain that where there is love, there is God.

“Our being, created in the image and likeness of God, calls us to understand ourselves as beings-in-relationship and to live interpersonal relations in solidarity and mutual love. Such relationships play out... in the sphere of our ecclesial communities, so that the image of the Church as icon of the Trinity is ever clearer. But also, in every social relationship, from the family to friendships, to the work environment: they are all concrete occasions offered to us in order to build relationships that are increasingly humanly rich, capable of reciprocal respect and disinterested love.” (Angelus, 22 May 2016)

ACT: Consider how you will express a trinitarian love of others.

LEARN: Read what the Catechism has to say on the Trinity, at <https://bit.ly/3u3SnM8>. Watch Bishop Barron's video on the Meaning of the Trinity, at <https://bit.ly/3tYvF8f>.

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

The 9 a.m. Sunday Mass is livestreamed weekly at ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org

Order of Mass

Most Holy Trinity Sunday

Cycle B —Choir Mass 11:15 a.m.

ENTRANCE

Missal #696—“Come Now Almighty King”

FIRST READING

Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

SECOND READING

Romans 8:14-17

GOSPEL

Matthew 28:16-20

HOMILY

OFFERTORY

*Missal #697—“All Hail, Adored Trinity”
“I Bind Unto Myself” (Trad. Irish)—11:15 a.m.*

COMMUNION

*“I Bind Unto Myself” (Trad. Irish)—solo
Missal #331—“Taste and See”
“The Heavens Are Declaring” (L. van Beethoven)—11:15 a.m.*

FOR MEMORIAL DAY

Missal #735—“America the Beautiful”

CLOSING HYMN

Missal #698—“O God, Almighty Father”

Watch Sunday Mass Online

9 a.m. Livestream ourladyqueenofmartyrs.org

Watch Daily Mass Online

8 a.m. & 12 p.m. Livestream Co-Cathedral of St. Joseph
netny.tv/masses

Second Collections

- » Today's second collection is for parish youth programs.
- » Sunday, June 6, the second collection will be for summer repairs.
- » Use the blue envelope at any time to contribute to the Parish Endowment Fund (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.

Memorialize a Loved One

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



RCIA NEWS: Five adults were confirmed at the 11:15 a.m. Mass on Pentecost Sunday. May the Holy Spirit guide them today and always! Pictured (left to right)—Oscar Hernandez, Deacon Greg Kandra, Lorena Camacho, Krizja Lascano, Bishop Paul Sanchez, Jessica Wenk, Father Passenanti, and Jose Pena.

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 olqmrca@gmail.com OR call 718-268-6251, ext. *827, and leave a message. All emails and calls will receive a response.

Bereavement Support at OLQM

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 if a holiday weekend) and are being held virtually via Zoom until further notice. All meetings begin at 7:30 p.m. Upcoming meetings are scheduled for **June 7 & 21, July 19, and August 16**, Contact group facilitator and Commissioned Lay Pastoral Leader Yorke Mizelle at ymizelle@gmail.com.

Faith Sharing on Zoom

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

Sunday Morning Bible Study, 10–11 a.m. Discussing St. John's Gospel. Contact Noila Johnson: noilas@hotmail.com.

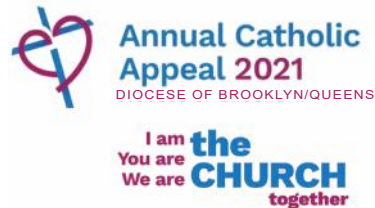
Through the Word, Monday evenings, 7–8 p.m. Catholic bible study that draws from the 73 books of the canon of Scripture, sacred tradition, and teachings of the fathers and doctors of the Church to bring Christ in the word to you. Contact Joseph Terry for the Zoom information: josepherry@gmail.com.

Make a Commitment to the Annual Catholic Appeal

Our Parish Goal: \$114,568

We need your help to meet our parish goal by giving to the 2021 Annual Catholic Appeal. We want to thank the 274 parishioners who have pledged so far and are asking everyone else who is able to make a personal financial gift and support our Catholic Church in Brooklyn and Queens. Please take one of the brochures and pledge cards in church. You can schedule payments from **now through December 31**. If you prefer, you may make your gift online at annualcatholicappeal.org* or **text ACA to 917-336-1255**. You can call 718-965-7375, ext. 1602, and have a pledge card mailed to your home. However you give, in whatever amount, it is important for all of us to participate and support our diocese. Thank you.

* Please make online gifts to the Annual Catholic Appeal through the dedicated website listed above. Do not use online Parish Giving.



Support the Service and Sacrifice of Hospital Chaplains with an ACA Pledge. Hospital chaplains are frontline workers who have faced the COVID pandemic head-on by meeting and praying with and caring for patients, hospital staff, and their families. They ensure that everyone has access to the sacraments of Reconciliation, the Holy Eucharist, and the Anointing of the Sick. Their vital ministry of comforting the sick among us is supported by funds raised through the Annual Catholic Appeal.

Deanery Corner

A place to share news and events at nearby parishes.

Blood Drive ♦ June 6, Shops at Atlas Park (8000 Cooper Ave., Glendale) **9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sponsored by St. Margaret Church.** Donors should schedule their appointment in advance by calling the New York Blood Center at 800-933-2566. Walk-ins will be accommodated only if social distancing precautions can be maintained.

Our Lady of Mercy Food Pantry (70-01 Kessel St.) is open Saturdays, 10–11 a.m. There will be prepared bags to pick up. Masks should be worn and social distancing observed. OLM always needs food to restock its shelves. If you would like to lend support, contact Deacon Dean Dobbins directly at the OLM rectory: 718-268-6143 or ddobbins@diobrook.org.

Effective with Sunday Masses on June 5/6

Reinstatement of the Obligation to Attend Mass

Last week's Pentecost Sunday Confirmation Mass marked the removal of the distancing tape from the pews in the church and the (partial) return of the church choir. As access to vaccines has become more widespread, Bishop DiMarzio believes now is the appropriate time to lift the general dispensation, which has been in effect since March 13, 2020, and require Catholics to return to church to attend Mass on Sunday and Holy Days of Obligation.

The reinstatement of the obligation to attend Sunday Mass (including the Saturday/Vigil Mass) takes effect the weekend of June 5/6, 2021—the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of the Lord (Corpus Christi Sunday).

If you are ill, care for someone who is, or have serious health risk factors, automatic dispensation from the obligation applies, as is always the case. For those individuals and the homebound,

we will livestream Mass on Sunday so they can spend time in prayer with us virtually. The livestream Mass is not intended as a substitute for those who are able to fulfill their obligation to gather in church for a Sunday celebration of Mass. The obligation must be taken seriously. If you have no hesitation about going out to the pub or the gym or the movies, you can attend Mass!

A Sacred Obligation

As we emerge slowly from the restrictions of the pandemic, let us remember the importance of the gift of the Sacred Eucharist. As the Bishops of New York State have reminded us, "The Mass is the greatest gift that Our Lord has given us. It is a sacred moment in which we are truly in His presence, to hear His Word, to receive Him in Holy Communion, and to give Him thanks. The Sunday Eucharist is a remarkable opportunity, not be missed."



NO ONE HAS GREATER LOVE THAN THIS, TO LAY DOWN ONE'S LIFE FOR ONE'S FRIENDS. (John 15:13) A Memorial Day Prayer Remember the men and women of the Armed Services who have died in service to our nation. May God bid them eternal rest and bless the families of our fallen troops.

Spring / Early Summer at OLQM

Sat–Sun, June 5–13: Saint Anthony of Padua Novena

Sun, June 6: Corpus Christi Procession, *after 1 p.m. Mass*

Sun, June 6: School Confirmation, *2:30 p.m. & 4 p.m.*

Fri, June 11: Feast of the Sacred Heart

Sat & Sun, June 19/20: Father's Day weekend. *Special blessing at all Masses*

Sun, June 20: Bring used clothing to church to donate to the St. Vincent de Paul truck, *Sunday morning only, from 9 a.m. to noon*

Because activities may be subject to late changes, always check our website and the bulletin weekly for possible updates.

Weekly Collections

	May 23
Candle Offerings	\$ 909.00
1st Collection	6,029.00
2nd Collection (<i>grounds maintenance</i>)	1,414.00
OLQMCA Building Maintenance	831.00
<u><i>In-Church Subtotal (775 attending)</i></u>	<u>9,183.00</u>
Lobby Box & Mail In	3,130.00
Parish Giving Online	5,361.65
TOTAL	<u>17,674.65</u>
Weekly Income Needs*	21,250.00
Surplus/(Deficit)	(3,575.35)

* 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. Contact Bishop Sanchez or Father Passenant at 718-268-6251.

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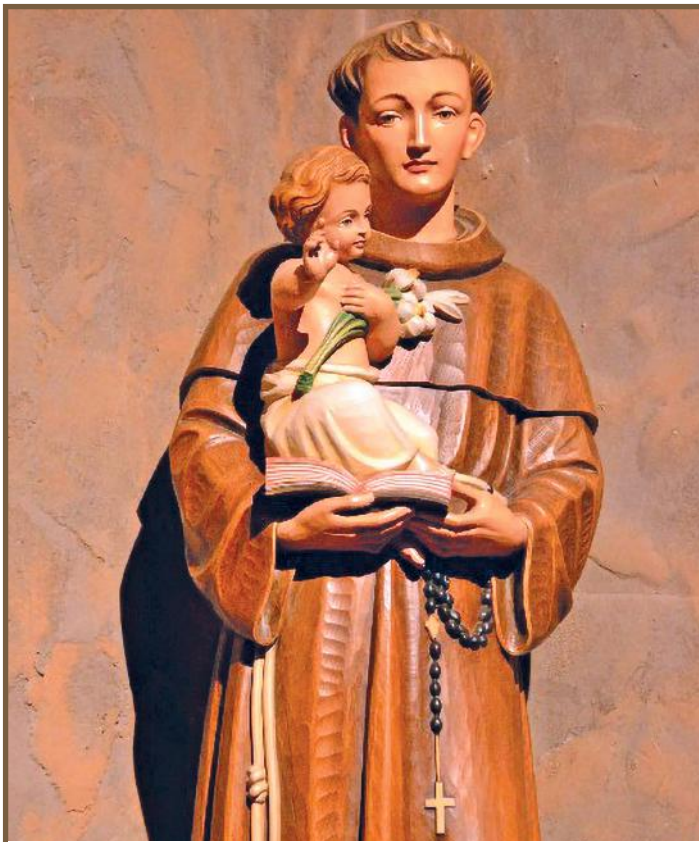
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ONLINE

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Saint Anthony of Padua Novena

June 5 to 13

Find yourself and your way by turning to St. Anthony of Padua, patron saint and finder of lost things. Beginning Saturday, June 5 to Sunday, June 13, we will pray the novena to Saint Anthony at the 12:05 p.m. daily Masses (Mondays-Saturday) and on Sundays, June 6 and 13, 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.

True Love That Lasts Webinar

This **FREE marriage enrichment opportunity** is for anyone interested in strengthening their marriage. The **five-week webinar series is being held on Thursdays, beginning May 27** and then again on the following four Thursdays in June. The webinars are offered twice a day: 2–3:30 p.m. and 7–8:30 p.m. For full details and registration information, please visit <https://TrueLoveThatLasts.us/register.html>.

Jeremiah Project

This high school and college discernment group is for young men who wish to experience Christ through fraternity and prayer. The next gathering is **Friday, June 25** from 5–7 p.m. at Cathedral Preparatory School and Seminary (56-25 92nd St., Elmhurst). If interested, email cdost@diobrook.org or call the Diocesan Vocation Office at 718-827-2454.

Fraternitas

Fraternitas is a **diocesan program for boys (grades 6–9)** that is dedicated to instilling Christian values in young men with the goal of fostering true Catholic gentlemen. The next gathering is **Saturday, June 26** at Cathedral Prep (56-25 92nd St., Elmhurst). The afternoon is dedicated to prayer, catechesis, sports, and the celebration of Holy Eucharist. Parents, if you wish to register your child, email the Diocese of Brooklyn Vocation Office (vocations@diobrook.org) or call Christine at 718-827-2454.

Summer Leadership Program

July 6–July 30. Annual Fr. Troike Leadership Program for young men from the 6th and 7th grades. Mornings dedicated to academic study, including TACHS prep; afternoons for athletics and recreational activities. Held at **Cathedral Prep (Elmhurst)**. Program cost: \$500. For more information or to register, call 718-592-6800, ext 137.

Summer Theology Courses

Expand your understanding of the Catholic faith this summer with thought-provoking lectures offered in a prayerful, collegial setting. Join a class in person or Zoom in from any location. **Graduate theology classes June 1 to July 14** are 50% off tuition for new students. For more information, visit Saint Joseph’s Seminary online at www.dunwoodie.edu.

NY Project Hope: Coping with COVID

Need to talk? If you are experiencing **uncertainty and anxiety about COVID**, call the **Catholic Charities Call Center at 718-722-6001**, Mon–Fri, 9 a.m.–5 p.m. It’s a free, anonymous, and confidential help and information line. You can also visit NYProjectHope.org for other helpful resources.