

Blessed Sacrament Church

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Mass Schedule

Monday - Friday

7:00 am Spanish
9:00 am English

Saturday

9:00 am English
5:00 pm English
8:00 pm Spanish

Sunday

7:00 am Spanish
8:30 am English
10:00 am Spanish
12:00 pm English
1:30 pm Spanish



Rectory Office

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Hours: Monday-Friday
9:00am - 12noon
1:00pm - 5:00pm
7:00pm - 9:00pm

Saturday
9:00am - 12noon
1:00pm - 4:00pm

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Phone: (718) 639-6159

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Hours: Monday - Friday
9:00am - 12noon
1:00pm - 5:00pm
Thursday
7:00pm - 9:00pm

Saturday
9:00am - 12noon

Adoration - Adoración

Exposition: Monday, Thursday, First Friday at 9:30 am

Benediction: Monday, Thursday, First Friday at 4:45 pm

Baptisms - Bautizos

English: Third Saturday every few months.

Spanish: El segundo y el ultimo sábado del mes.

Confessions - Confesiones

Saturday: 11:00 am - 12:00 noon & 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

5TH SUNDAY OF LENT

SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend, the Second Collection will be our **Maintenance & Repair Collection** to help with the repair and restoration of the parish. Thank you for your generosity and support.

EASTER GIFT TO THE PARISH

Next weekend the 2nd Collection is your **Easter Gift** to the Parish. Twice a year at Christmas and Easter, we ask you to consider making a gift to celebrate the most important feast days of our Church. Would you consider a gift of **\$25** or more in honor of this feast of our salvation - the Resurrection of Christ. Thank you and Happy Easter!!

EASTER FLOWERS

Each year we invite you, the parishioners of Blessed Sacrament, to consider helping us decorate the Altar for Easter with Flowers. If you would like to donate a plant in memory of a family member or in the name of your family, please fill out the form at the bottom of the page and return it with your donation to the Rectory Office or put it in the collection basket. Thank you.

RECONCILIATION MONDAY

On **Monday, March 25th** all churches in New York, Brooklyn, Queens and Long Island will be open from **3:00pm to 9:00pm**. During that time there will be priests available to hear individual confessions. We invite you to come and be reconciled and renewed with the Lord before the celebration of Easter.

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

All couples celebrating their 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th Anniversary and above are invited to a special Mass at Immaculate Conception Church (86-45 Edgerton Blvd., Jamaica, NY 11432) on **Saturday, April 27th at 11:00am**. Bishop DiMarzio will be the main celebrant. Each couple will receive a personalized certificate and a picture with the Bishop. Please call the Parish Office to register by Monday, March 25th.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you wish to be anointed on **Saturday, April 6th at the 9:00am Mass**, please contact the Rectory and leave your name and phone number.

YEAR OF FAITH



The relationship between the faith and charity resembles that between the two fundamental sacraments of the Church: Baptism and Eucharist. Baptism (*sacrament of faith*) precedes the Eucharist (*sacrament of charity*), but is ordered to it, the Eucharist being the fullness of the Christian journey. In a similar way, faith precedes charity, but faith is genuine only if crowned by charity. Everything begins from the humble acceptance of faith ("knowing that one is loved by God"), but has to arrive at the truth of charity ("knowing how to love God and neighbor"), which remains for ever, as the fulfillment of all the virtues.

(Benedict XVI-Lenten Message 2013)

SACRED TRIDUUM LITURGIES

We are happy to inform you that we will be honored to have two of our bishops celebrate liturgy with us. **Bishop Nicholas DiMarzio** will be the celebrant of our Easter Vigil and **Bishop Frank Caggiano** will celebrate the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Volunteers are needed to teach our children about our Catholic Faith in preparation for receiving their Communion and Confirmation. Would you consider helping us next year? Sr. Lizbeth will train you. All that is needed is good will. Volunteers must be 21 years of age. If you would like to know more, please call Sr. Lizbeth at 1-718-639-6159.

BLOOD DRIVE

On **Sunday, April 28, from 9:30 am to 3:30**, the New York Blood Center will conduct a Blood Drive in front of the Church. Please consider donating a pint of blood to save a life. Many people say "I don't have time to donate" while the people who need the blood say "I don't have much time to live."



EASTER FLOWERS



Tulips: \$15

Small Lilies: \$20

Large Lilies: \$25



I would like to donate a plant in memory of: _____

I would like to donate a plant for my family: _____

My Name is: _____ Phone #: _____

Please cut along dotted lines and bring it to the office or put it in the basket with your donation. Thanks ☘



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, March 16th

9:00 am Angela Baez
5:00 pm Margaret Callaghan
8:00 pm Dolores Narváez
María & Jaime Pichardo
Jerry Vizhnay (bienestar)
Sr. De la Justicia (Acción de Gracias)

Monday, March 18th

7:00 am Accion de Gracias Al Santisimo
9:00 am Florence Bolson

Dn 13:1-9/Jn 8:12-20

St. Cyril

Tuesday, March 19th

7:00 am Rosa Matute (bienestar)
9:00 am Juan Lopez

2Sm 7:4-5/Lk 2:41-51

St. Joseph, spouse
of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Sunday, March 17th

7:00 am Elvira & Leopoldo Coronel
Lizzette Rodriguez
Ariosto & Tarsila Mendez
Angeline Perez (bendicion de 3 años)
Ntra. Sra. De Guadalupe (Accion de gracias)
8:30 am Liboria Henning
Fr. Patrick G. Burns (well-being)
10:00 am Ruben Martell
Jose Inga
Carlos Jimenez
Jorge Fiallo
En Accion de Gracias
12:00 pm Esperanza Dacalos
Deeraj Brijkumar
1:30 pm Felix Veras
Eduardo Chiquillo
Carlos Jimenez
Leonardo Llanos
Ricardo Mendez

Is 43:16-21/Jn 11:1-45

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Wednesday, March 20th

7:00 am María Belez
9:00 am Leonel Martinez

Dn 3:14-20/Jn 8:31-42

Thursday, March 21st

7:00 am Rigel A. Gandia
9:00 am Fr. Patrick G. Burns (well-being)

Jb 19:21-27/Lk 10:1-12

Friday, March 22nd

7:00 am Obispo Valero (bienestar)
9:00 am Tony & Janet Kraus

Jb 38:1-12/Lk 10:13-16



A TITHING PARISH

Thank you for sharing your gifts with the parish.

Sunday Collection

Last week: \$8,964 Last year: \$9,284

Second Collection

Last week: \$2,901

UNA PARROQUIA QUE DIEZMA

Gracias por compartir sus dones aquí en su parroquia.

SPIRITUAL THOUGHT

"Faith consists, not in ignorance, but in knowledge, and that, not only of God, but also of the divine will"

John Calvin

PENSAMIENTO ESPIRITUAL

"La no consiste en la ignorancia sino en el conocimiento y no solo en Dios sino también en la voluntad divina."

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Fr. Patrick Burns	Rita Gunther	Renata Prestrelska
Edgar Calvache, Jr.	Ann Lehr Hamilton	Margaret Quigley
Agnes Dollard	Mary McKenna	Fr. Emilio Salerno
Virginia Dumadag	Sr. Alma Murtha	Laura Salinas
Mary Gallagher	Deacon Orozco	Bishop Valero
Joseph Grabowski	Margaret Perea	

ROGUAMOS POR LOS ENFERMOS



PRAY FOR THE DEAD

May they rest in Peace

Olga Urrutia, Leonso Mendez, Dora Rodriguez, Ediverto Lopez, Mary Colletti, Florence Bolson, Johanna Rodriguez, Maria Portillo, Eulalia Perez, Bridie Lydon, Joseph Unger, Luis Castro, Mary Heelan, Nazareno Cedrone, Teresa Mauro, Alcira Somonte, Lillie Conlon, Rev. George Lutjen, Members of the US Armed Forces

Que descansen en Paz

OREMOS POR LOS FALLECIDOS

2013 Baptisms

These children were baptized on Saturday, March 9th. We congratulate them and their families, and we welcome them as new members of our parish family.

Cortes, Melina
Espinoza, Yahaira S.
Marsilla, Mila R.
Minchala, Carol R.

Ojeda, Christian A.
Ortega, Jonny A.
Puma, Justin M.

Rodriguez, Hailey E.
Taveras, Scarlett R.
Zhumi, Jonathan J.

Bautizos-2013

Estos niños fueron bautizados el Sábado 9 de Marzo. Les felicitamos a ellos y a sus familia y les damos la bienvenida como miembros de nuestra familia parroquial.

SEGUNDA COLECTA

Este **Fin de Semana** la Segunda Colecta es para el **“Mantenimiento & Reparación”**. Esto nos ayuda con el arreglo y restauración de la Iglesia. Agradecemos su generosidad y ayuda.

REGALO DE PASCUA PARA LA IGLESIA

El próximo fin de semana la 2da colecta es el **“Regalo de Pascua a su Parroquia”**. Dos veces al año se sugiere un regalo para la parroquia, en Navidad y en la Pascua, celebrando así las dos fechas más importantes de nuestra Iglesia. Podrían ustedes hacer un regalo de **\$25** o más en el festejo de nuestra salvación - La Resurrección de Cristo. Gracias y Felices Pascuas.

PLANTAS PARA LA PASCUA

Cada año les invitamos, feligreses del Santísimo Sacramento, que consideren ayudarnos a decorar con plantas el Altar para la Pascua. Si desea donar una planta en memoria de un familiar o en nombre de su familia, por favor llene el formulario que está al final de la pagina y entréguelo en la Casa Parroquial o colóquelo en la canasta de colecta. Gracias.

LUNES DE RECONCILIACION

El **Lunes 25 de Marzo**, todas las Iglesias de New York, Brooklyn, Queens y Long Island estarán abiertas de **3:00pm a 9:00pm**. Estarán sacerdotes disponibles para escuchar confesiones individuales. Les invitamos que vengán a reconciliarse y renovarse en el Señor antes de la celebración de Pascua.

ANIVERSARIO DE BODAS DIOCESANO

Todas las parejas que estén celebrando sus 25, 30, 40, 50 y mas Aniversario están invitados a una Misa especial en la Iglesia de la Inmaculada Concepción (86-45 Edgerton Blvd., Jamaica, NY 11432) el **Sábado 27 de Abril a las 11:00am**. El Obispo DiMarzio será el celebrante. Cada pareja recibirá un certificado personalizado y una foto con el Obispo. Para inscribirse llame a la Casa Parroquial no más tarde del Lunes 25 de Marzo.

UNCION DE LOS ENFERMOS

Si desea recibir la Unción de los Enfermos el **Sábado 6 de Abril en la Misa de 9:00am**. Por favor llame a la Casa Parroquial para dar su nombre y teléfono.

AÑO DE FE



La relación entre fe y caridad es análoga a la que existe entre dos sacramentos fundamentales de la Iglesia: el bautismo y la Eucaristía. El bautismo (*sacramento de fe*) precede a la Eucaristía (*sacramento de caridad*), pero está orientado a ella, que constituye la plenitud del camino cristiano. Análogamente, la fe precede a la caridad, pero se revela genuina sólo si culmina en ella. Todo parte de la humilde aceptación de la fe ("saber que Dios nos ama"), pero debe llegar a la verdad de la caridad ("saber amar a Dios y al prójimo"), que permanece para siempre, como cumplimiento de todas las virtudes.

(Benedicto XVI, Mensaje para la Cuaresma 2013)

LITURGIAS DEL TRIDUO SAGRADO

Con mucha alegría les informamos que estaremos honrados de tener con nosotros a dos Obispos para celebrar las liturgias en Semana Santa. El **Obispo Nicholas DiMarzio** celebrará la Misa de Vigilia de Pascua y el **Obispo Frank Caggiano** celebrará la Misa de la Ultima Cena del Señor el Jueves Santo.

EDUCACION RELIGIOSA

Se necesitan voluntarios para enseñar a nuestros niños nuestra Fe Católica preparándolos para recibir su Primera Comunión y Confirmación. Consideraría ayudarnos para el proximo año? La Hna. Lizbeth les entrenará. Todo lo que se necesita es el deseo de hacerlo. Los voluntarios deben tener 21 años y más. Si desea más información por favor llame a la Hna. Lizbeth al 1-718-639-6159.

DONACION DE SANGRE



El **Domingo 28 de Abril de 9:30am a 3:30pm** el Centro de Sangre de la Ciudad de Nueva York, pide la colaboración a toda la comunidad para donar sangre, el banco de sangre estará instalado frente a la Iglesia. Por favor donen una pinta de su sangre para salvar una vida. Muchas personas dicen: “no tengo tiempo” para donar, mientras que las personas que necesitan de su sangre dicen: “no tengo mucho tiempo de vida.”

PLANTAS PARA PASCUA



Tulipanes: \$15

Lirios pequeños: \$20

Lirios grandes: \$25



Deseo donar una planta en memoria de: _____

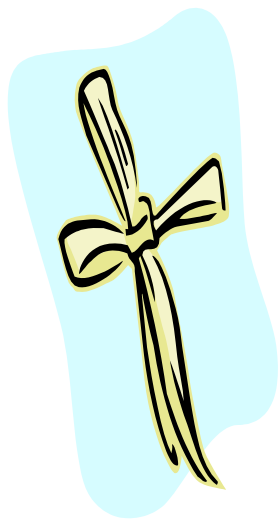
Deseo donar Una planta por mi familia: _____

Mi nombre es: _____ Teléfono #: _____

Corte en la línea punteada y entregue en la Casa Parroquial o colóquela en la canasta de colecta con su donación. Gracias ☘

HOLY WEEK / SEMANA SANTA

PALM SUNDAY, March 23rd - 24th



Saturday, March 30th

5:00pm English

8:00pm Spanish

Sunday, March 31st

7:00am Spanish

8:30am English

10:00am Spanish

10:15am Spanish-Auditorio

12:00pm English

1:30pm Spanish-Church

1:45pm Spanish-Auditorio

HOLY THURSDAY, March 28th

7:30pm Mass of The Lord's Supper (Bilingual)

GOOD FRIDAY, March 29th

MORNING ACTIVITIES

10:00am Dramatization of the Stations
Auditorium (Spanish)

12:00noon Stations of the Cross
Church (English)

1:00pm-2:30pm
Seven Last Words
Church (Spanish)

PASSION OF CHRIST

3:00pm English
Church

LA PASION DE CRISTO

7:30pm Spanish
Church

7:45pm Spanish
Auditorium

HOLY SATURDAY, March 30th

7:30pm Easter Vigil

EASTER SUNDAY, March 31st

7:00am Spanish

8:30am English

10:00am Spanish-Church

10:15am Spanish-Aud.

12:00am English

1:30pm Spanish

1:45pm Spanish-Aud.