



Our Lady of Peace Church

522 CARROLL STREET BROOKLYN, NY 11215-1030
FRANCISCAN FRIARS & SISTERS
Established 1899

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 15, 2015
Trigésimo Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
15 de Noviembre de 2015

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Patrick Boyle, O.F.M. - Pastor
Rev. Orlando Ruiz, O.F.M. - Parochial Vicar
Rev. Brian Jordan, O.F.M. - In residence
Lilian M. Flores - Office & Parish Manager
Sister Irix Mejia, H.F.I.C. - Parish Secretary - Superior
Sister Luvia Martinez, H.F.I.C. - Parish Secretary
Sister Adali Ulloa, H.F.I.C. - Parish Secretary

OUR LADY OF PEACE CONVENT

Hermanas Franciscanas de la Inmaculada Concepción
209 First Street Brooklyn, N.Y. 11215
Sr. Margarita Barrera, H.F.I.C.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass - 4:30 p.m. &
7:15 p.m. - Neo-Catechumenal Way
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. - English
9:30 a.m. - Latin Tridentine Mass (also every 3rd
Saturday of the month at 1:00 p.m.)
11:00 a.m. - Spanish
Weekday Masses: Monday through Friday - 8:00 a.m.

SACRAMENTS:

RECONCILIATION: Saturdays: 3:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.
and by appointment at the Rectory.

BAPTISMS - By appointment

MARRIAGES - Arrangements should be made first with
the parish at least six months in advance. Couples
must show readiness, attend Pre-Cana classes and
receive special instruction at the Rectory.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK - Anytime

OFFICE HOURS: Mon, Tues, Wed and Friday:

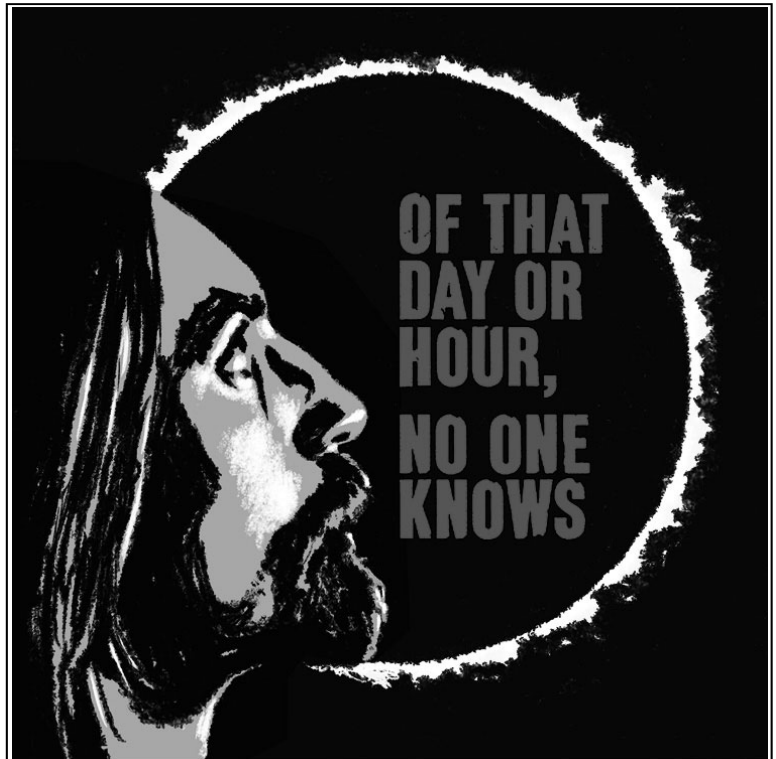
9:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon & 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Thursday 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 Noon ONLY .

NEO-CATECHUMENAL COMMUNITY

Directors: Andres & Miladys Torres - (917) 562-2732

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (C.C.D.)

Lilian M. Flores - Director. Classes are held on Saturday
mornings, October through May, from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m.



DEVOTIONS:

Holy Hour - 'First Friday' of each month, beginning with the
8:00 a.m. mass, and continuing with Exposition of the
Blessed Sacrament & Benediction.

SAINT ANTHONY DEVOTIONS - every Tuesday following the
8:00 a.m. daily mass.

GOLDEN AGE CLUB

The Senior's club meets every Thursday at 11:00 a.m.,
September through June in the gym.

MUSIC MINISTERS

Michael Ancona Brittany Stetson
Maria Schwab

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From the Pastor's desk . . .
**"He's making a list . . .
 checking it twice!"**

I hate to jump on the bandwagon of store merchants who are already decorated for Christmas, and who are already promoting Christmas sales and bargains even before we celebrate Thanksgiving, but you have to admit, **Christmas is right around the corner!** To that end, I just want to apprise you of several services and celebrations that will be taking place throughout the 'Advent' season (**The first Sunday of Advent is just two weeks from today! It begins on Thanksgiving weekend.**) I hope as you plan your family and social activities that are part of the season, you'll also mark your calendars for these special celebrations as well. More details will follow, but for now, **mark your calendars!**



'The Miracle of Christmas'

Saturday, December 5th. Bus trip to the 'Sights & Sounds Theatre' to see the production of 'The Miracle of Christmas!' See the flyers in the church for additional information.

Feast of the Immaculate Conception & the Annual 'Shower for Mary'

Tuesday, December the 8th, is the 'Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception,' which is observed as a 'holy day of obligation' here in the United States (*Our Blessed, under her title of the 'Immaculate Conception,' is the patroness of the United States.*) At the evening mass, beginning at 7 o'clock, we will conduct our 'Shower for Mary,' which has become an annual event here at Our Lady of Peace. So many organizations reach out to you for donations at this time of year, to help those who are less fortunate, ('Toys for Tots' being one of the more popular campaigns,) and here at Our Lady of Peace we are asking you to assist those organizations that reach out to un-wed mothers, and who provide the basic necessities for both mother and child. Just like a 'baby shower,' in attending, you are asked to bring a gift for a child and/or expectant mother that will be given to a local agency that addresses their needs. A list of 'items' they can use will be published in next week's bulletin, but if you want to start shopping, the babies can use clothing (infant and toddler sizes), dippers, formula, little toys, etc. The mother's can use any an all types of toiletries.



Novena, Feast & Procession for Our Lady of Guadalupe



Friday, December 4th, a 'Novena' to 'Our Lady of Guadalupe' will begin, and will be prayed each evening at 7 o'clock.

Saturday, December 12th, is the feast day of 'Our Lady of Guadalupe,' (who is the 'Patroness of the Americas') and early in the morning, musicians will be in the church (**beginning at 4:00 am until 6:00 am,**) for the traditional 'Serenata' ('Serenade') to Our Lady, which consists of songs, prayers and hymns in her honor.

Sunday, December 13th, following the 11 o'clock Spanish

Mass, there will be a 'Street Procession' through the parish, and a 'convivium' (social gathering) in the gymnasium that will include music and entertainment, food and beverages.

Reconciliation Monday



Monday, December 14th, every church

throughout the Diocese of Brooklyn will be open from 4 o'clock in the afternoon, until 8 o'clock in the evening, for those who would like to go to 'Sacrament of Reconciliation' (Confession) in preparation for Christmas. At 7 o'clock that evening, we will also conduct a 'Communal Reconciliation Service.'

Breakfast with Santa!

Saturday, December 19th, our first ever 'Breakfast with Santa!' The children in our 'Religious Education Program' will gather for a morning mass at 9:30 am before they break for the Christmas vacation. Following the mass, those who would like to stay, are welcome to join in a 'Breakfast with Santa!' immediately following the mass in the gym. Parents are welcome to join us along with any "little ones" (infants and toddlers) who are still too young to be in our Religious Education Program. And don't forget to bring your cameras, i-pads and cell phones to take a picture with Santa Claus!



Annual 'Lessons & Carols' Service

Sunday, December 20th - This annual 'Lessons & Carols' Service is our 'Christmas Gift' to the parish and neighborhood. Beginning at 7 o'clock in the evening, join us, and bring a friend, to hear the Christmas Story told through readings from sacred scripture, and then raise your voice in singing some of our favorite Christmas carols. There is no fee for this concert.



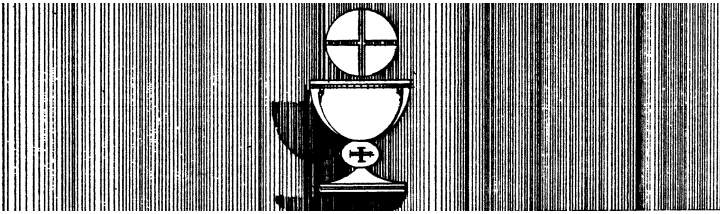
This is such a busy time of year, and following next week's celebration of 'Thanksgiving,' the season of Christmas will be ushered in at full throttle. Hopefully, with a little planning, we can celebrate all the wonderful aspects of Advent & Christmas seasons without all the stress that usually accompanies the holidays.

*Sincerely,
 Fr. Patrick*

"Let us remember that, as much has been given us, much will be expected from us, and that true homage comes from the heart as well as from the lips, and shows itself in deeds." - Theodore Roosevelt



+ Learning about the Traditional Latin Mass +



Saturday, November 21st

12 noon - 'Class' about the traditional Latin Mass
1:00 p.m. - Sung Mass with Gregorian Chant

The '*Traditional Latin Mass*' is also celebrated every Sunday throughout the year at 9:30 a.m. This special class, and the mass that follows, is conducted on the third Saturday of each month.

www.LatinMassBrooklyn.org

+ Help Erect a Christmas Tree in Park Slope +



Rev. Michael Perry, pastor of Our Lady of Refuge Parish, is heading a campaign, to once again, have a decorated '*Christmas Tree*' erected outside the Armory near Prospect Park, and he has reached out to all the Parishes in our area ('*Deanery*') to help with raising the money to *purchase* the tree. He has received a commitment from the Parks Department, that they will *erect the tree* and *even decorate it . . . we simply need to provide the tree!* There is a '*Donation Box*' in

the church foyer for those who would like to make this happen. Sr. Mary Ann Ambrose, from Immaculate Heart of Mary, is working on putting together a '*Tree Lighting Ceremony*,' that would give us an opportunity to gather and give witness to the celebration of '*Christmas!*'

+ Stewardship of Treasure +

Parish Support for the

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 8th - Totalled: \$ 1,305.61

The previous week's collection for
Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time (Feast of All Saints)
November 1st - Totalled: \$ 1,158.50

*As always, we remain grateful for your generous support,
 "Thank You!"*

+ Please Remember and Pray for the Sick +

"And the prayer offered in faith may make the sick person well"

+ James 5:15

Hector Ortiz, Guadalupe Bautista, James Morganti, Nicholas-Tomsic, Lucille Acocella, Friar Daniel Morey, ofm, Arlene Morganti, Henry Seretta, William Casale, Maria Albanese, Melissa Torres, Molly Meltzer, Salvatore Russo, Carlos Emilio Flores, Friar Ron Bolfeta, ofm, Elaine Vona / Dr. Ray Mustafavi, Dolly Panza, Catherine Scorgia, Sebastian James Diaz, Dante Manzo, Flo Leopold, Vincent Manzo, Isabel Chavarria, Ciro Diaco, Catherine Dashiff, Matthew Anthony Keffe, Gia Florio, Luis Rodriguez, Nicolas Escamilla & Ernestina Martinez Rojas, Maria Teresa Salazar Alava, Luis Cáceres.

Please inform the parish office when it's appropriate to remove someone's name from this prayer list. Thank you.



Masses for the Week

Saturday, November 14, 2015

4:30pm Ricky Sr. & Ricky Jr. Castelvetre (*Dec*)
 7:15pm Neo-Catechumenal Community

Sunday - November 15, 2015

8:00am Mary "*Sue*" Ingegneri (*Dec*)
 9:30am Latin Tridentine Mass
 11:00am Nuestra Señora de la Providencia
 Luis Gomez, Brenda Rivera, y Valentin Paredes

Monday, November 16, 2015

8:00am All Souls Novena (8)

Tuesday, November 17, 2015

8:00am St. Anthony - Joseph Amato Sr. & Joseph Amato Jr. (*Dec*)

Wednesday, November 18, 2015

8:00am All Souls Novena (9)

Thursday, November 19, 2015

8:00am Ana Soto (*Dec*)

Friday, November 20, 2015

8:00am Lilian de Flores (*Dec*)

Saturday, November 21, 2015

1:00pm Latin Tridentine Mass
 4:30pm James Hearn (*Dec*)
 7:15pm Neo-Catechumenal Community

Sunday, November 22, 2015

8:00am For the Living and Deceased members of Our Parish ("*Pro-Popolo*")
 9:30am Latin Tridentine Mass
 11:00am Ileana Perez y Julio Capistran (*Dec*)

**+ Update of the Capital Campaign +
 "Generations of Faith!"**

We continue to welcome pledges to the '*Capital Campaign*,' and as we approach this season of '*Thanksgiving*,' we would like to say "*Thank You*" to everyone who has made a donation and/or pledge. Our goal for the '*Campaign*,' as set by the Diocese of Brooklyn, was **\$90,000.00**. To date, we have received in actual donations, and pledges, a total of **\$138,460.00**, which puts us at **\$48,140.00 dollars OVER our goal!**



+ REMEMBER YOUR LOVED ONES +

+ **Sanctuary Lamp** + All Souls

+ **Altar Bread & Wine** + All Souls

+ **Chapel Lamp** + All Souls