



Our Lady of Peace Church

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FRANCISCAN FRIARS & SISTERS
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The Most Holy Body And Blood of Christ, June 7, 2015
Domingo de Corpus Christi, 7 de Junio, 2015

PARISH STAFF

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OUR LADY OF PEACE CONVENT

Hermanas Franciscanas de la Inmaculada Concepción
209 First Street Brooklyn, N.Y. 11215
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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:

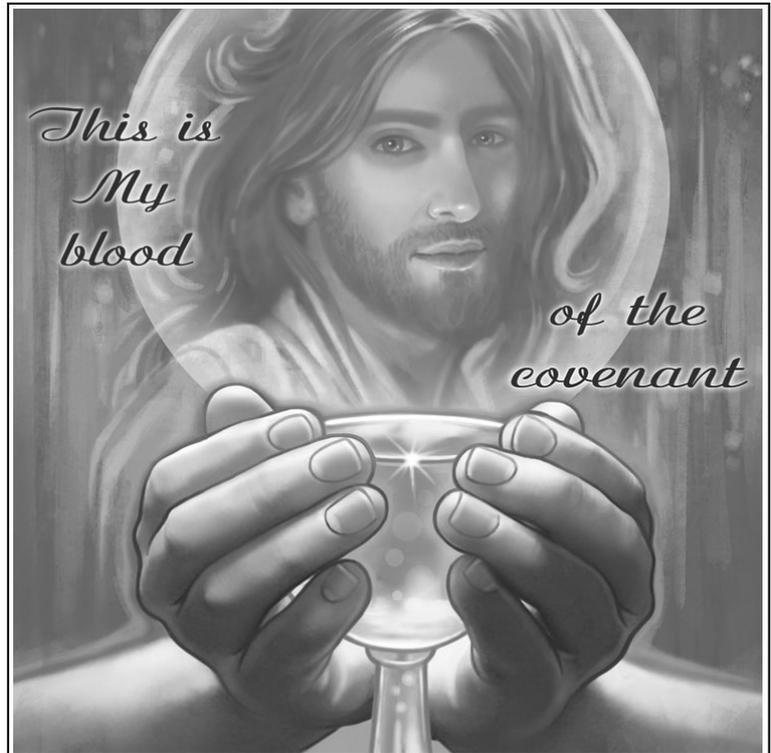
9:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon & 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Thursday 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 Noon ONLY .

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
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From the Pastor's Desk . . .

This Sunday, the Church commemorates the *Feast of 'Corpus Christi,'* which is Latin for the *'Body of Christ.'* Here in the United States, this feast is celebrated on the Sunday following the Feast of the Most Holy Trinity on the previous Sunday. Although the Easter season officially concluded on the Feast of Pentecost, and we have returned to the season in the Church referred to as *'Ordinary Time,'* there are these special feasts that follow each year on the Sundays following Pentecost.

As I shared last week, the commemoration of the *Feast of the Most Holy Trinity* on the Sunday following the *Feast of Pentecost,* makes logical sense. On Pentecost we celebrate, and renew ourselves, in the *'gift'* of the Holy Spirit. This *'Spirit,'* as promised by Jesus to be with us for all time until the end of time, was the third manifestation of our God. With this gift of the Holy Spirit, we hold in faith, our belief in a *'triune' God . . . Father, Son and Holy Spirit.*

This second Sunday after Pentecost we commemorate the *Feast of Corpus Christi,* which celebrates the *'gift'* of the Holy Eucharist, and renews our belief in the real presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. Now, Holy Thursday, is the day that most of us think about when we speak of the *'gift'* of the Eucharist, for indeed, that was the occasion when the gift of the Eucharist was given to us at the *'Last Supper.'* Holy Thursday *'should'* therefore be a more joyful and festive celebration, given the nature of the *'gift'* that was given. However, such festival is precluded during Holy Week by the sad and sorrowful memories of the day and what followed . . . the betrayal of Judas . . . Christ's agony and arrest . . . Peter's denial . . . and the events that would ultimately lead us to Calvary.

So, it was a humble nun in Belgium, who first suggested, and then advocated for, a special feast in honor of the Blessed Sacrament to be celebrated on a day other than Holy Thursday. The principal founder of the Feast of the Body of Christ was an Augustinian nun, Saint Juliana. St. Juliana looked upon the Holy Eucharist with great reverence, and desired to have a feast within the Church devoted specifically to its honor. She petitioned her bishop to designate a feast day to honor the most Blessed Sacrament and in 1264, Pope Urban IV, set a universal feast called *'Corpus Christi'* to honor belief in the body and blood of Jesus Christ and his *'real presence'* in the Eucharist. St. Thomas Aquinas was commissioned to compose the liturgy for the celebration and his explanation of the *'change of substance from bread and wine to Christ's body and blood,'* is still studied and marveled at today. The belief in the *'real presence'* of Jesus in the Eucharist was never so eloquently elucidated for the faithful as was accomplished by this brilliant and devout Dominican friar and *'Doctor of the Church.'*

By 1325, the feast had been adopted throughout all of Europe and England. In many churches today, a procession with the Blessed Sacrament, will accompany the mass. In Rome, our Holy Father will preside over a procession that begins at the Archbasilica of St. John Lateran and then makes its way to the Basilica of Saint Mary Major, where it concludes with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Sincerely, Fr. Pat

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St. Anthony

Celebrate the Feast of Saint Anthony

Join us this week as we celebrate and honor Saint Anthony of Padua. This *Tuesday, June 9th, will be the "13th" and final Tuesday* in the special novena of "13 Tuesdays" that we began praying back on March 17th! Next Saturday, June 13th is the Feast Day of Saint Anthony. Listed here are the special times, masses and events that will take place on Tuesday and Saturday. *Please note that the Vigil Mass on Saturday has been moved from 4:30 to 5:00!*

Tuesday, June 9th

"The Last of the Thirteen Tuesdays!"

Masses

8:00 a.m.

12:00 noon

7:00 p.m.

Saturday, June 13th

"The Feast of Saint Anthony!"

Masses:

8:00 a.m.

12:00 noon - followed by the Procession of St. Anthony with the Italian Band

4:15 - Blessing with the Oil of Saint Anthony

5:00 p.m. - This mass will fulfill the Sunday obligation.

(Please note the change in mass time from 4:30)

"Raffle Drawing" will take place following the 5 o'clock mass!

On both days . . .

the Church will remain open all day, the **Religious Article Store** will be open, and **St. Anthony's Bread, Lilies, Medals & Blessed Oil** will be available throughout the day.

"Free Balloons" for all the children!

**- Presentation by Fr. Anthony Ciorra -
+ A Vision for the Church, the World &
Your Life for the 21st Century +**

Monday, June 8th

7:30 P.M.

St. Augustine Parish / St. Monica Hall on Sterling Place
Fr. Anthony Ciorra is a leading expert on Catholic spirituality. He is the author of numerous works on mysticism, spirituality, and moral theology. His experience has included parish life, teaching, administration, retreat work, preaching and formation ministries.

For more information: www.staugustineparkslope.org



Father's Day

+ Father's Day Novena +

As we did for our mothers during the month of May, this month we will conduct a *'Father's Day Novena of Masses'* to remember the men of our families, both living and deceased.

The novena will begin on the weekend of **June 21st, 'Father's Day!'** There

are Father's Day cards in the rear of the Church, both in English and in Spanish. Simply complete the *'outer'* envelope with the name(s) of those men, living or deceased, that you wish to have remembered in the Novena, and along with your offering, place the completed *'outer'* envelope in the collection basket. The *'inner'* Father's Day card, is yours to present to those fathers who are living. Please return the intention (*outer*) envelope by **June 14th** in order to have the names acknowledged in our Sunday Bulletin. The intention envelopes will then be placed on the altar on *'Father's Day!'*



Baptism

"Congratulations" & "Welcome!"

We would like to extend a heartfelt *'welcome'* to the newest members of our community, who were received into the Christian community through the Sacrament of Baptism during the month of May. We also extend *'Congratulations'* to their parents and families.

- + **Emma Victoria Osorio** - daughter of Paula Andrea Betancur & John Paul Osorio, who was baptized on Saturday, May 9th.
- + **Aniyah Faith Morales** - daughter of Erica Iesha Morales and Kelly Bowers, was baptized on Saturday, May 5th.
- + **Dean Julius Foster** - son of Valerie Nieves & Paul Foster, was baptized on Sunday, May 24th.

+ Stewardship of Treasure +

Parish Support for the
Feast of the Most Holy Trinity - May 31st

Totaled: \$ 1,229.60

The previous week's collection for

Feast of Pentecost - May 24th

Totaled: \$ 829.72

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

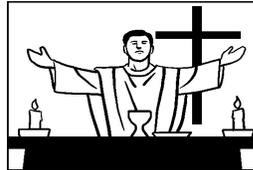
+ Please Remember and Pray for the Sick +

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

+ James 5:15

Lucille Acocella, Elisa DePalma Erazo, Friar Daniel Morey, ofm, Arlene Morganti, Henry Seretta, Friar Robert Artman, ofm, 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 Scorcia, Sebastian James Diaz, Dante Manzo, Alice Brandifino, Flo Leopold, Vincent Manzo, Isabel Chavarria, Ciro Diaco, Catherine Dashiff, Matthew Anthony Keefe, Gia Florio, Luis Rodriguez, Nicolas Escamilla & Ernestina Martinez Rojas, Maria Teresa Salazar Alava, Luis Cáceres, Catherine Scorcia.

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



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, June 6, 2015

- 9:30am Alice Brandifino (*Funeral Mass*)
- 4:30pm María Delia Henríquez (*Dec*)
- 7:15pm Neo-Catechumenal Community

**The Most Holy Body And Blood of Christ
'Corpus Christi Sunday,' June 7, 2015**

- 8:00am For the Living and Deceased members of Our Parish (*"Pro-Popolo"*)
- 9:30am Latin Tridentine Mass
- 11:00am Familia Martinez Henríquez, Laura Morales, y Fausto de Jesus Lugo (*Dec*)

Monday, June 8, 2015

- 8:00am Laura & Anthony Spinelli (*Dec*)

"Thirteenth" of the 13 Tuesdays, June 9, 2015

- 8:00am St. Anthony - Devotees of St. Anthony
- 12 Noon St. Anthony - Anthony Jesse & Carolyn Tuccillo (*Dec*)
- 7:00pm St. Anthony - Edgardo Antonio Gonzalez (*Dec*)

Wednesday, June 10, 2015

- 8:00am Louis Borriello (*Dec*)

Thursday, June 11, 2015

- 8:00am Nicholas Matteo (*Dec*)

Friday, June 12, 2015

- 8:00am Edgardo Antonio Gonzalez (*Dec*)

Saturday, June 13, 2015 - Feast of St Anthony.

- 8:00am** Intention of St. Anthony Devotees
- 12 Noon** Intention of St. Anthony Devotees
- 5:00pm** Intention of St. Anthony Devotees - Anthony Annarumma (*Dec*)

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time, June 14, 2015

- 8:00am Nicholas Matteo (*Dec*)
- 9:30am Latin Tridentine Mass
- 11:00am For the Living and Deceased members of our Parish *"Pro-Popolo"*

+ First Communion Pictures Are Ready +

The pictures that were taken by the photographer that we hired for the *'First Holy Communion,'* were delivered this week. Please call the Office to arrange to pick them up!



+ REMEMBER YOUR LOVED ONES +

+ **Sanctuary Lamp** + Rose Calcagno (*Dec*)

+ **Altar Bread & Wine** + Luis, Jose, & Francisco

+ **Chapel Lamp** + Francisca.