

## Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary



Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

### Thank You

Our thanks again to the children, teens, parents and catechists who were part of the Children's Christmas Pageant.

Thank you to all parishioners who helped in the decorating of the church last Sunday. The results, as always, are beautiful and appreciated by all who come to Mass at Queen of All Saints.

### The Octave of Christmas

The Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord is celebrated each day from December 25th through January 1st. These eight days are referred to as the Octave of Christmas.

On the eighth day, or the Octave Day of Christmas, January 1<sup>st</sup>, we also celebrate the Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God. The Mass schedule for this holy day of obligation is the same as the usual Sunday schedule:

Tuesday, December 31: 5:00 PM

Wednesday, January 1: 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM

I hope that you will make every effort to attend one of these Masses. It will also be the best way to begin the new year!

God's blessings always on you and your loved ones. Happy New Year!

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**THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH.**

Sunday, December 29 at 8:30am

Wha Yoang, Raymond Suh and Family

10:30am Pro Populo

Monday, December 30 at 8:30am

Open

Tuesday, December 31 at 8:30am

Open

Wednesday, January 1<sup>st</sup> at 8:30am

Open

Thursday, January 2<sup>nd</sup> at 8:30am

Open

Friday, January 3<sup>rd</sup> at 8:30am

Open

Saturday, January 4 at 5pm

Open

Sunday, January 5 at 8:30am

Angelina Riccardelli

10:30am Pro Populo.

**PARISH OFFERING**

*The offering to the parish last Sunday was not available by the time of printing.*

**Thank you for your generosity and your support of Queen of All Saints!**

**PARISH WEEKLY GOAL**

*Thank you for your sacrificial giving each week. Please remember that in order for us to meet our ordinary expenses, we need a minimum of \$7500 in each Sunday's offering. Please continue to be as generous as you can. If you miss a week for any reason, please try to make up for it the following week or when you return. This is especially true on holiday weekends and during the summer months. Thank you again for your understanding.*

**Jubilee Year Indulgence at Brooklyn Visitation Monastery**

**Pope Francis has announced a Jubilee Year in honor of the 100th anniversary of the canonization of St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, who is known as the "Messenger of the Sacred Heart."**

**Catholics can gain a plenary indulgence by visiting a Visitation Monastery chapel between now and Oct. 17, 2020. You are invited to do this by coming on certain dates to our Visitation Monastery at 8902 Ridge Blvd, Brooklyn. For more information, go to [www.brooklynvisitationmonastery.org/jubilee](http://www.brooklynvisitationmonastery.org/jubilee)**

**QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS PRAYER LIST**

**The Prayer list for the sick:**

**Linda Vital, Alison and Ken Sardinha, Chimene Jean Paul, Abeba Makonnem, Clara Morehead, Clarence McGhie, Ronnie Pierre, Ramesh Khudan, Debbie Khudan, Solange Faroul Kernizan.**

***(Please, call the Rectory to add the names of parishioners and close relatives of parishioners who are ill or who have died).***

**MEMORARE**

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known, that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession, was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins my Mother. To thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen.



**Women - Need a Few Days Alone with God?**

**Why are we so distracted from the important things in life? How can we regain the inner peace we need to carry on as holy women in our vocation?**

**Come apart and spend some time in the enclosure of the Sisters of the Brooklyn Visitation Monastery and share their daily life of prayer, enriching yourself in the presence of God. The retreat area can accommodate a maximum of four women for a private retreat of a week, weekend, or day of recollection. See the EWTN interview of Fr. Mitch Pacwa, S.J. and one of our sisters, "The Purpose of a Retreat with the Visitation Sisters" at <http://bit.ly/359HIm9>**

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