



CHURCH OF ST. CHARLES

644 CLAWSON STREET, STATEN ISLAND, NEW YORK 10306

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SEPTEMBER 19, 2021 TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Schedule

Saturday Evening-4:00 PM and 5:30 PM

Sunday-8:15 AM, 9:30 AM, 10:45 AM,
12 Noon and 1:15 PM

Monday - Friday at 8:30 AM and
12 Noon

Saturday at 8:30 AM

Holy Day Masses

Vigil Mass - 7:30 PM

8:30 AM, 12 Noon and 6:00 PM

Confessions

*Saturday: 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM, 5:00 - 5:30 PM,
and after Mass on the Eve of a Holy Day.*

Adoration

Monday - Friday 12 Noon - 5:00 PM

First Mondays at 7:30 PM

First Fridays at 7:00 PM

*Call Jeannette Burrell (718-979-0034) or
Lois Galvin (718-948-8193) for information*

Rosary and Novenas

*The Rosary is recited each weekday at 8:10 AM
and 11:30 AM.*

*The Miraculous Medal novena prayers are said af-
ter the 8:30 AM and 12 Noon Masses on Mondays.*

Baptisms

*Second Sunday of the month at 2:30 PM. Parents
should call the rectory to register for a baptism
class. SPONSOR CERTIFICATES REQUIRED
for Godparents and also a copy of the child's birth
certificate.*

Marriages

*To arrange a marriage at St. Charles, consult with a
priest or deacon at least six months prior to the pro-
posed date and before social arrangements. Attend-
ance at Pre-Cana and Natural Family Planning
Classes is required.*

Anointing and

Communion of the Sick

*Regular administration of the Sacraments should be
arranged for shut-ins by calling the rectory. Emer-
gency sick calls anytime.*



Pastoral Staff

Rev. Patrick F. Buckley, *Pastor*

Fr. Jeffrey Pomeisl, *Parochial Vicar*

Rev. Ruwandana Mendis, *Parochial Vicar*

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Mr. Paul Light, *Director of Music*

Mr. Frank Castelao, *Sacristan*

Rectory Office

9:00 AM - 4:00 PM (Monday - Friday)

10:30 AM - 2:30 PM (Saturday)

9:00 AM - 2:00 PM (Sunday)

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Saint Gennaro
Feast Day -
September 19

St. Gennaro is the patron saint of Naples. Several late and mainly legendary accounts of his martyrdom survive, but beyond the fact of his death in the neighborhood of Naples, nothing is known of him. It is believed that every year the blood in his relic liquifies, preserved in a small glass phial. A vast crowd gathers in the cathedral at Naples to witness the ceremony. St. Gennaro is the patron saint of those who suffer from blood diseases. Please pray for all those who suffer from blood diseases.

St. Michael the Archangel is the patron saint of police officers and military personnel. In Catholic writings and traditions, he acts as the defender of the Church and chief opponent of Satan and assists persons at the hour of death. The world can use prayers against the wickedness of Satan. Below is the Prayer to St. Michael.

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray. O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

God's Word for Children

Jesus told his disciples if anyone wanted to be first they should be the servant of all.
 God is very pleased when we serve others.
 Circle four things that are in the top picture but not the bottom one.

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Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 The letters below have been scrambled in pans.
 Arrange them into words that describe God's wisdom.
 If you need help, read the scripture on the eggs.

James 3:17

efm i c r p u
 e i r u e u

l n g p c a l e
 e e t e b a e e

LITURGY CORNER

MONDAY - SEPTEMBER 20

8:30 - Vincenzo & Eugenia Ammatuna - Mem.
12:00 - Mary & Jim Ingleterra - Mem.

TUESDAY - SEPTEMBER 21

8:30 - Kitty Fagan - Mem.
12:00 - Eileen & John Coleman - Mem.

WEDNESDAY - SEPTEMBER 22

8:30 - Paul DeCesare - Mem.
12:00 - The Palmeri & Sarullo Families - Mem.

THURSDAY - SEPTEMBER 23

8:30 - Robert Yauch - Mem.
12:00 - Rosina Frangelli - Mem.

FRIDAY - SEPTEMBER 24

8:30 - Patricia Dillon - Mem.
12:00 - Vita & James Ursillo - Mem.

SATURDAY - SEPTEMBER 25

8:30 - Maria Spadafino - Mem.
4:00 - Jennie Rosso - Mem.
5:30 - Charles Russell - Ann.

SUNDAY - SEPTEMBER 26

8:15 - Vincent Puglia - Mem.
9:30 - Parishioners of St. Charles
10:45 - Nick Voglio - Mem.
12:00 - Irene Braza - Mem.
1:15 - Mildred Mazzella - Mem.

Weekly Offerings

September 12, 2021

\$8,780.32

September 13, 2020

\$7,582.72

Flowers, Wine & Hosts and Oil



*The Oils & Candles for the week of September 19,-
September 25, 2021 are offered in loving memory of **The
Sarullo Family at the request of the family.***

*If you would like to make arrangements to have the flowers
for the main altar, the wine & hosts or oils used for the
Mass Candles in memory of a loved one or a special occa-
sion, please, call the rectory.*

**Welcome to the Parish of St. Charles.
We hope that you feel at home in our
parish and strive to become an active
member of our faith community. Please
fill out this form and place it in the bas-
ket and we will contact you to complete
your membership in our parish family.**

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

DIGITAL PRAYER TOOLS

FORMED.org (parish code XQ43Q3)
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PARISH HAPPENINGS



*All Parishioners are invited
to the
Installation of
Fr. Patrick F. Buckley
as Pastor of
St. Charles Church*

On Sunday, October 3rd - 1:15 PM Mass

*Reception to Follow in the
School Gymnasium
Entrance on Peter Avenue*

WELCOME BACK TO OUR RELIGIOUS ED STUDENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES

Loving God, thank you for the rest and relaxation we enjoyed over the summer. Today, we pray for our children as they begin their new school year. Bless them with joy at seeing friends, excitement at new experiences, and a love of learning more about You, Lord Jesus. Watch over all who learn replacing fear with the joy of knowing You more each day. Grant teachers wisdom, patience and joy in serving You. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

GOOD HEALTH GOOD NEIGHBORS

If you are not yet comfortable with the eased mask requirements, we have sectioned off part of the church (section nearest the tabernacle) for those who wish to continue to wear a mask and maintain 6 feet social distancing. Everyone who sits in this section **MUST** wear a mask. Those who wish to receive Holy Communion on the tongue are asked to come up at the end of Communion. Thank you for being good neighbors and helping keep everyone safe.



**SAINT JOSEPH'S
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Please welcome Timothy Mulranen, a seminarian from the Diocese of Camden, New Jersey who is studying at St. Joseph's Seminary. He will speak at all the Masses next weekend to update us on his studies at the Seminary. We will conduct our annual collection for St. Joseph's Seminary as well. Envelopes can be found in your envelope packet. Your generosity is very much appreciated.

Lector Ministry



LECTORS NEEDED

We are in need of lectors for our Sunday Masses. If you are interested in lecturing, please call the rectory and leave your name and phone number with the secretary (718-987-2670).



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place **in the church** Monday through Friday immediately following the 12 noon Mass until 5:00 PM. Benediction will take place at the conclusion of adoration.



A big **“thank you”** to all of those participating in online giving with WeShare! Online giving has been a big help to our parish. No matter how you give, your gifts are always appreciated! If you have not yet made the switch to online giving, we invite you to consider doing so. Online giving offers our parish a stable, sustainable future.

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September 19, 2021
Month of the Seven Sorrows of Mary
Year of St. Joseph

Dear friends in the Lord:

Among the many letters I receive from parishioners, none delight me more than when I read how much the faithful love their priests. And as you know, almost all of them were educated and formed at St. Joseph's Seminary, Dunwoodie, which celebrates its 125th anniversary this year.

Our seminarians are not only the future shepherds of our flock, but they will also be spiritual guides and leaders in our wider communities. We must be sure that they are as well prepared as possible to serve the Church in New York. And for the last century and a quarter, Dunwoodie has been that place of formation. Thousands of holy, dedicated and faithful priests have been ordained over these years. It is nationally renowned, held in the highest regard by bishops from around the country. Each year, other dioceses and religious orders send their candidates to our priestly formation program.

As I write to you today, and express my gratitude for last year's contribution of \$221,733.85, I ask you to consider in your own prayer, a sacrificial gift to the *Annual Seminary Appeal*. It will be collected on the weekend of September 26, 2021. Your support will provide tuition, room and board, academic training and spiritual formation for our archdiocesan seminarians and the others who are studying there and help prepare these young men to become great priests who will inspire future letters of admiration.

The priesthood is a life of sacrifice and service. As you know, we do not have as many men making the commitment to serve as priests as we did years ago, and I am so grateful to those who accept the Lord's call. I ask you to pray for priestly vocations, and help me in providing for our seminarians who will hand on the life and traditions of the Church one day. To learn more, visit www.dunwoodie.edu.

With prayerful best wishes and gratitude to you and your families, I am,

Faithfully in Christ,

†Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan
Archbishop of New York

WE PRAY...WE CELEBRATE...WE REMEMBER

THE GET WELL LIST

Keith Alaimo	Emily Harris
Paul Alaimo Sr.	Timothy Harris
Joan Boragi	Christopher Henrickson
Madeline Buonpane	Luis Herrera
Lee Canning	Cheryl Houss
Marietta Canning	Colleen Kaplan
Nick Castagna	Jeannette Castelao Keane
Frank Castelao	Rosaria Lardaro
Grace Castelao	Anthony Locicero Jr.
Nicholas Christy	Valerie Lopiano
Colleen Comito	Lauren Marie
John Comito	Alfred Merendino
Paul Corrado	Mary Messias
Michael Cosentino	Benita Mitchell
Elaine Cupak	Steven Morvillo
Mary Ann DeCesare	John Orsino
Francis Deegan	Panagiotakis Family
Francis DeMartini	Valerie Parnell
Lillian DeMartini	Pervolarakis Family
Josephine DeSimone	Esther Pompeo
Theresa Dorsch	Emily Rodriguez
Andrew DiPadova	Nancy Rossi
Marilyn Droge	Marie Starita
Mary Ferrares	Abigail Taylor
James Gallagher	Jude Riley Taylor
Nina Giblin	Vincent Truscelli
Lou Gioia	Christopher Wandy
Michael Graziuso	
Fr. Lawrence Gyamfi	
Cathy Harris	

MARRIAGE BANNS

We Celebrate

We ask the family of St. Charles to pray for the following couples who will receive the Sacrament of Marriage

Kassidy DeLeo & Joseph Villarreal
Miguel Lind & Lucy Ruggieri



WE REMEMBER

*Eternal rest grant unto their souls, O Lord.
And let perpetual light shine upon them.
May they rest in peace. Amen.
May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed
rest in peace. Amen*

Paul LaBella
Rosalie Abbadessa
Joseph Aranzullo
Joyce McDonough
Nancy Gallo

WEDDING MUSIC

If you are planning a wedding in the near future and would like to arrange for music, please, call the rectory two months prior to the wedding, and leave a message for Paul Light, our Music Director at (718) 987-2670.



SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love you above all things and I desire to receive you in my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally,
Come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace you as if you were already there
And unite myself wholly to you.
Never permit me to be separated from you.
Amen.

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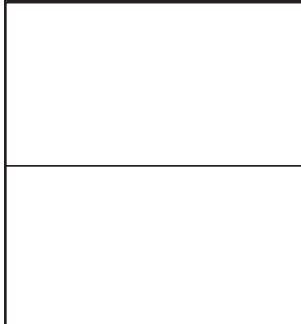
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PARISH AND LOCAL NEWS

Adult Faith Formation

Wednesday - 1:30; rectory

Baptism Classes

First Tuesday of the month at 8:00 PM; rectory



Bereavement Group

Thursday - 7:30; rectory

Book Club

Third Thursday each month at 4:00 PM; rectory

Caregivers Support Group

Thursday - 9:30 - 11:30 AM; rectory

Choir (Adult)

Thursday at 7:30 PM; church

Divine Mercy Devotion

Friday at 3:00 PM; chapel

Eucharistic Ministers

First Fridays at 7:00 PM; church

Legion of Mary

Wednesday at 4:00 PM; rectory chapel

Prayer Group & Holy Hour

First Monday of the month at 7:30 PM; church

Religious Education Classes

Monday 3:45 - 5:15 PM Grades 6 & 7

Wednesday 3:45 - 5:15 PM Grades 1-5

Special Needs: Wednesday 5:10 - 5:45 PM

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Meeting - Second Tuesday of month at 1:30 PM;

Food Pantry open 2nd & 4th Tuesday of every month 11:00 AM -1:00 PM; rectory

Teen Club

Sunday at 7:00 PM; auditorium

BLAUVELT RAFFLES



Sr. Jeanine will be selling raffle tickets at \$5.00 a book after all Masses this weekend. Prizes: 1st - \$3,000; 2nd - \$1,500; 3rd - \$500. Winners are picked on September 25th at 4:00 PM at St. Dominic Convent, Blauvelt, NY. All proceeds are used to help maintain our Infirmary. God Bless You!

MEALS ON WHEELS

Meals on Wheels is a not-for-profit agency whose mission is to provide two nutritious meals each day to the homebound elderly. We are currently serving approximately 1,300 seniors of which 80% are delivered by volunteers. As demand for meals continues to increase, so does our need for volunteer drivers. If you are available two hours, one morning a week, you can deliver meals to elderly neighbors in your community. Please call the office at 718-727-4435 for more information.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE:

September 22 - October 31, 2021

Want to be part of saving lives? All it takes is your prayers and presence. 40 Days for Life is a life-saving prayer campaign that will be held September 22 - October 31. 40 Days for Life is a peaceful initiative consisting of 40 days of prayer and fasting, peaceful vigil at abortion facilities, and educational outreach with the goal of protecting mothers and their children from abortion. More than 18,000 children have been saved from abortion during 40 Days for Life campaigns. To learn more, visit: www.40daysforlife.com or contact Deborah Sucich at 929-218-6502 or 40dayssi@gmail.com.



If you have not already done so, please consider making a donation to the **2021**

Cardinal's Appeal. Thus far, we have reached **94%** of our goal. For your convenience, there is a link on our website to make your donation. Envelopes are in the vestibule of the church.