SEPTEMBER 11, 2016

Resurrection Roman Catholic Church



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Rectory

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Masses

Weekday: 8:30 a.m. Saturday (Vigil): 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Rectory Office Hours

Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. & 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. (Closed on Saturday & Sunday)

Confession

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Other times: By arrangement with Priest at Rectory.

Anointing of the Sick

Anyone scheduled to enter the hospital or is sick should be anointed. The anointing of the sick is held every Saturday after the 8:30 a.m. Mass. Just ask the Priest and he will pray with you and administer the Sacrament of the Sick.

Parish Membership

Every parishioner should be formally registered with the parish. Likewise, parishioners are encouraged to use the Sunday collection envelopes. We invite you to register at the Rectory Monday - Friday from 9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m. or complete a registration form, found in Church, and drop off at the Rectory.

<u>Resurrection Parish</u> <u>Mission Statement</u>

We, the Body of Christ of **Resurrection Parish in** Gerritsen Beach. Brooklvn. proclaim our service to God, our Church, and our Community. We celebrate the sacramental life of the Church to serve the needs of our parishioners and neighbors always with faith, hope and charity to grow in love and service to God and one another. As a community of believers we will build up our parish as Jesus proclaimed that He is "The Resurrection and the Life."

I am the Resurrection and the Life

<u>Vocations</u> Are you being called to the Priesthood or Religious Life? Speak with a Priest or Religious or contact the Vocation Office at 718-827-2454 or <u>vocations@diobrook.org</u>.

Baptisms

Usually, on the second Sunday of the month at 12:15 p.m. Parents wishing to have their child baptized must attend a class prior to the Baptism. Classes are usually held the first Saturday of the month at 10:30 a.m.. Please call the Rectory to register.

Marriages

Arrangements must be made with the Priest at least 6 months prior to the wedding. One party should be a parishioner. For information on pre-cana, visit www.pre-cana.org

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Instructions for non-Catholic adults interested in becoming Catholics are held during the year. Instructions for Catholics who have not received the Sacraments of the Eucharist and Confirmation are also given. Anybody interested is asked to call Jim Giorgio at 718-648-6234.

Devotions

Miraculous Medal Novena, Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet recited after 8:30 a.m. Mass Mondays. Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet is recited on Thursdays after 8:30 a.m. Mass. The Rosary is recited after the 11:00 a.m. Mass each Sunday.

Roman Catholic Diocese of Brooklyn Catholic Cemeteries Please contact 718-894-4888 for more information.



Requested by: Their Loving Children and Grandchildren

The Eucharistic Gifts of Wine & Altar Breads for the Weekday Liturgies have been offered for:

Robert Cartmel, Jr. (Anniversary Remembrance) Requested by: Carol and Bob Cartmel

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Because Moses interceded, the LORD relented and did not punish the people (Exodus 32:7-11, 13-14).

Psalm — I will rise and go to my father (Psalm 51). **Second Reading** — Paul expresses his gratitude for being appointed to the ministry (1 Timothy 1:12-17). **Gospel** — There is great rejoicing in heaven when a sinner repents (Luke 15:1-32 [1-10]).

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9/11 REMEMBERED

Fifteen years ago, the continuing TV coverage of the imploding twin towers of the World Trade Center in New York was unbearable for me, as were accounts of the crashes and destruction in Washington and the hills of Pennsylvania. The immense devastation of human life was incomprehensible. Visiting the site in New York some five years later reopened searing wounds, and overimmense whelmed me with sadness. An incursion on our soil, carefully planned and executed by foreign elements, had shattered my cherished sense of security, and provoked a frightening sense of God's absence.

How could my Catholic faith tradition enable me to endure this tragedy? I knew that neither vengeance nor sweeping animosity was an option for me.

You have left us crushed . . . covered us with darkness. We are bowed down to the ground (Psalm 44:20, 26).

O LORD of hosts, restore us; Let your face shine upon us (Psalm 80:4).

The Psalmist cries a lament, expressing the mourning of the Israelite people, the chosen of God, who had regarded themselves as untouchable and above reproach, now hurled into misery. The lament expresses a nation's agony, dares to complain against their divine protector, may even own some complicity in the misery, and finally pleads with God for deliverance.

In the midst of lamenting, the faith of Israel endured, as must ours. We are as vulnerable as they were to the violence and hatred that seem to encircle us. Our demand for a divine explanation goes unheeded. Yet we have learned of the selfsacrificing heroism of many, witnessing to the finest character of our nation and of our Christian heritage. Dying for one's friends is a sacred theme in our story, epitomized in Jesus, our Savior, and extended through centuries in the grandest and noblest acts of men & women in all circumstances. In 2001 we came together as one nation under God, sharing the grief, the disillusionment, and the promise to rebuild. As today we lament our honored dead and wounded, shall we translate such agonizing emotion into a persistent pursuit of worldwide reconciliation and peace?

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THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Lyndon Balter, Janet Behrens, Lilianna Biscone, Helena Carney, Vinny Cavallero, Charles Comi, Anthony Crudo, Diana Hardy Cummings, Claire Denver, Anna DiMattei, JoAnn DiSarno, Genevieve Duffy, Natalie Ferber, Riley Ferguson, Edward French, Christopher Gari, Lilly Beth Hanson, Billy Hensch, Mary Hose, Chester Irvin, Janet Jemec, Sophie Jemec, David Kennedy, Carmen Kokolus, Geraldine Kopp, Olivia LaSpina, Nancy Lawrence, Dominca Lombardi, Pasqualino Lombardi, Patricia Lombardi, Robert Magee, Andrea Martin, Edward McCarthy, Mary McCormick, Carmen Delia Mejia, Thomas & Marilyn Meyer, Sr. Francesca Morelli, O.P., Carmela Naimoli, Megan Nally, Emily Grace Nevara, Jefferson Nieto, Laura O'Brien, Sana Razzano, Nicholas Rodick, Evan Romano, Theresa & Warren Samuelsen, Ann Serini, Anthony Siconolfi, Janet Springer, John Stilp, Summer Wagner, Jane Wallace,

Mary Zajac

Kindly notify the Rectory with any updates.



William Francis Sheehan

Thomas Goodheart, Jr.



POWER OF PRAYER

Please pray this week for the following Priests of our Diocese:

Sunday: Monday: Tuesday: Wednesday: Thursday: Friday: Saturday: Fr. Peter A. Mahoney Msgr. John H. Maksymowicz Msgr. Joseph P. Malagreca Fr. John P. Maloney Fr. John W. Maloney Fr. Francis J. Mann Fr. Francis J. Manzo

Please also remember in your prayers Bishop Octavio Cisneros

2016 Baptism Dates (2nd Sunday of the month at 12:15 pm) September 11, October 9, November 13, December 11

2016 Baptism Class Dates

(1st or 2nd Saturday of the month at 10:30 am) October 8, November 5, December 3

Please call the rectory to register

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

CROWN NURSING HOME VISITS

There are a small number of Eucharistic Ministers who have been committed to the ministry of visiting the sick at home and in Crown Nursing Home. They bring Our Lord Jesus Christ to the patients who cannot join us in the communal Celebration of the Mass.

In the Gospel of Matthew 25:40, Jesus says,

"Truly I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brothers, you did it to me.

"Would you answer Jesus's call to visit the sick and home bound?"

Please call the Rectory and leave your name and phone number and Donna Byrnes will get in touch with you. Thank you.



Ushers are needed at all Masses.

If you would like to serve as a Minister of Hospitality, by becoming an usher, please see Fr. With or Fr. Edwin



Resurrection would like to invite Catholic boys and girls, 4th grade and up, to become a Parish Altar Server.

Training Provided — Flexible Schedule Friendly Environment

Please contact: Theresa Naimoli 917-626-2961 or Michael Zwosta 646-506-5316

CATHOLIC CHARITIES CALL CENTER

718-722-6001 Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri.: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Thurs.: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

This new service provides callers with the opportunity to speak with a trained worker who will assess needs & provide information and referrals to the Catholic Charities network of programs & services, as well as to programs & services outside of Catholic Charities.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES MAIN WALK-IN CENTER

191 Joralemon Street, 1st Floor Brooklyn, NY 11201 Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri.: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm Thurs.: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm



PARISH CALENDAR

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12: The Most Holy Name of Mary

8:30 a.m.: Daily Mass *(Church)* 9:00 a.m.: Miraculous Medal Novena, Rosary, & Divine Mercy Chaplet *(Church)*

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13: St. John Chrysostom

8:30 a.m.: Daily Mass (*Church*) 7:00 p.m.: Confirmation Practice (*Church*)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14: The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

8:30 a.m.: Daily Mass *(Church)* 7:00 p.m.: Scouts *(Church Basement)* 7:15 p.m.: General Parents Meeting *(Auditorium)*

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15: OUR LADY OF SORROWS

8:30 a.m.: Daily Mass (Church)
9:00 a.m.: Rosary & Divine Mercy
Chaplet (Church)
6:30 p.m.: Wedding Rehearsal (Church)
7:30 p.m.: Music Course (Church)
8:00-9:00 p.m.: Choir Rehearsal (Church)

FIRST FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16: Sts. Cornelius & Cyprian

8:30 a.m.: Daily Mass (Church)

<u>FIRST SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17: St. Robert</u> Bellarmine; Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 a.m.: Daily Mass (*Church*) 3:00 p.m.: Davitt/Khanis Wedding (*Church*) 4:00- 4:30 p.m.: Confessions (*Church*) 5:00 p.m.: Vigil Mass (*Church*)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18: TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 a.m.: Mass (*Church*) 11:00 a.m.: Mass (*Church*) **Catechetical Sunday** -Catechists, Students & Confirmation Candidates

Generations of Faith Reception following the 11:00 a.m. Mass in the School Hall ALL ARE INVITED!

12:00 p.m.: 1250 Drawing 12:00 p.m.: Rosary *(Church)*



2016 PARISH SUPPORT PROGRAM All parishioners are asked to use the weekly offertory envelopes. Please register at the rectory.

September 11Weekly OfferingSeptember 11Catholic UniversitySeptember 18Weekly OfferingSeptember 18Parish AnniversarySeptember 18St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Fund

PARISH NEWS



The music course will resume on Thursday, September 15th for ½ hour sessions 7:30-8:00 PM



RECRUITING NEW MEMBERS All parts are welcome, especially altos and men

Consistent attendance is required every week at Rehearsals Thursday nights from 8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. in the Church beginning September 15th and at the 11:00 a.m. Mass on Sundays.

If you would like to become a choir member, please see Vincent Lee after Mass or leave your name and number at the rectory to his attention.

Weddings Saturday, September 17, 2016 3:00 p.m. Michael Davitt V Marianna Khanis



RESURRECTION - - 1250 CLUB NEXT DRAWING SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2016 AFTER THE 11:00 AM MASS \$10 DONATION GUARANTEED PRIZE \$1,250 \$125 TO SELLER

FOR TICKETS PLEASE CONTACT THE RECTORY SELLERS PLEASE RETURN TICKETS BY SEPT. 16TH



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YARNS OF LOVE All meetings held on Wednesdays from 7:00 p.m. — 8:30 p.m. in the Rectory Basement

Meetings will resume on September 21, 2016 New members welcome-Call Phyllis 917-385-5735



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Women's Club Meetings held usually the 3rd Sunday of the month after the 11:00 a.m. Mass in the School Hall

Meetings will resume September 25th Annual Luncheon-Tues. Oct. 18th-\$55

New members welcome-Call Rose 347-866-1848



2016 - 2017 RESURRECTION FAITH FORMATION 718-891-0888

Mon. 9-12 & 7-8:15, Tues. 9-12 & 1-3 Wed. 9-12 & 1-5, Thurs. 9-12

Re-Registration for 2016-2017

After June 30th: 1 child - \$165, 2 - \$175, 3 - \$185

NEW REGISTRATIONS will need original baptismal certificates and if transferring from another school, proof of attendance and/or dates of sacraments received.

Registration Fee: 1 child - \$115, 2 children - \$125, 3 or more children - \$135

If you have any questions, please call the Office of Faith Formation at 718-891-0888

2016 - 2017 SCHEDULE

Wed. Sept. 14 GENERAL PARENTS MEETING 7:15 pm (Auditorium) Mandatory for Parents of students in Religious Ed.

Sun. Sept. 18 CATECHETICAL SUNDAY -"Prayer: The Faith Prayed" Catechists & Students of Religious Ed. 11 am Mass

Mon. Sept. 19 Classes Begin Grades 4-7, SSM 7:00 - 8:15 pm All Students meet in the auditorium

Wed. Sept. 21 Classes Begin Grades 1-3, SSW 3:30 - 4:45 pm

Students meet in the yard btw the Church & School



CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES

- Sun. Sept. 11 All Candidates meet 10:45 am for 11:00 am Mass in Church (no shorts) Gown measuring to follow.
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- Tues. Sept. 13 All Candidates meet 7:00 pm in Church. (Please be on time)
- Sun. Sept. 18 All Candidates meet 10:45 am for 11:00 am Mass in Church
- Tues. Sept. 20All Candidates meet 7:00 pm in
Church. Confessions will be heard
- Tues. Sept. 27 Candidates & Sponsors 7:00 pm in Church. An adult must represent you.
- Sat. Oct. 1 CONFIRMATION DAY 11:00 am Candidates & Sponsors 10:15 am in the auditorium.
- Sun. Oct. 2 All students return for 11:00 am Mass-Certificates will be given out



Knights of Columbus Rev. Edward J. Matthews Council # 5989 2882 Gerritsen Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11229

Rev. Edward J. Matthews Council #5989 Cordially invites the Gerritsen Beach Community To join us in prayer as we remember

the 15th Anniversary of 9-11-2001

The Ceremony will be held at Larry Veiling Field On Sunday, September 11th, 2016

Line-up will begin at 6:45 pm, followed by a 7:00 pm ceremony to honor our Fallen Heroes

We Must Never Forget

ROSARY FOR LIFE Monday, October 3, 2016 at 7:30 p.m.

Rosary for Life invites you to join them for their Annual Anniversary con-celebrated Mass at Good Shepherd Church. Most Reverend Frank J. Caggiano will be the Main Celebrant & Homilist. The Rosary will precede the Mass at 7:00 p.m. & enrollment in the Brown Scapular will follow. For more information call Rosary for Life, Inc. at 718-377-6920

AROUND THE DIOCESE

<u>St. Edmund</u> - Triduum in Honor of St. Padre Pio, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday September 21st, 22nd & 23rd at 7:30 PM, 1902 Avenue T. Come lighten the burden of your heart through 3 days of prayer & reconciliation with the Lord as we honor the life of Padre Pio. For more info 718-743-0102

Regis High School of Manhattan - Brooklyn Admissions Information Night, Wednesday, September 21st 7:00 p.m. <u>St. Saviour Church, 611 8th</u> Avenue (6th Street), Park Slope

Contact: Eric DiMichele 212-288-1100 x2057; edimichele@regis.org

<u>Saint Bernard</u> - Defensive Driving Class Saturday, September 24th 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM. Cost \$50. Call Andrea in the Rectory 718-763-5533.

<u>St. Brendan</u> - Installation of Fr. Peter Gillen as Pastor, Sunday October 2nd by Bishop Massa

<u>Regis High School</u> - Open House Monday, Oct. 10th, 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. Call 212-288-1100 x2057

LaSalle Academy - Open House Sat. Oct. 15th 10:00-1:00 pm http://lasalleacademy.org.



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