

THE BROOKLYN ORATORY OF ST. PHILIP NERI

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“We live [our] faith by coming together to share our diverse gifts.”

—from the Assumption mission statement

“Blessed by God’s strength, we sustain our community through gifts of time, talent, and treasure.”

—from the St. Boniface mission statement

**Sunday of Divine Mercy
7 & 8 April 2018**

Assumption: 5:00pm

PRESIDER/PREACHER: Fr. Joel Warden
INTENTION: For the the Children of the Parish
READER: Jeff LaMarre
EM: Mary Tucker
MC: Br. Jim Simon

St. Boniface: 9:00am

PRESIDER/PREACHER: Fr. Anthony Andreassi
INTENTION: Merina Colageo
READERS: Lina DelPlato, Ramona Candy, Glen Gregorio
EM: Katie Meleney, MaryAnn Gentile
HOSPITALITY: Maureen Stewart, Douglas Currier
MC: Dory Hottensen

Assumption: 10:00am

PRESIDER/PREACHER: Fr. Joel Warden
INTENTION: Pro Populo
READER: Reena Raggi
EM: Bridget Farrell, Immaculada Genabe
MC: Jim Connell

St. Boniface: 11:15am

PRESIDER/PREACHER: Fr. Anthony Andreassi
INTENTION: Pro Populo
READERS: George Garber, Lisa Martinez, Marita Downes
EM: Carole VerEecke, Rosemary Arena, Patrick O'Reilly,
Nancy Dawes
HOSPITALITY: Tom Janczys, Christine Janove,
Tom Gubanich, Carmen Garcia
MC: Bill Vinicombe
ALTAR SERVERS: Katiana, Diego, Teddy

St. Boniface: 6:00pm

PRESIDER/PREACHER: Fr. Anthony Andreassi
INTENTION: Manuel E. Enes
READERS: Angela Loguercio, Justin Ahdoot
EM: Greg Cellini
HOSPITALITY: Whitney & Kelly Neitzel-Chin
MC: Brandon Phillips

READINGS: Acts 4:32-35, 1 Jn 5:1-6, Jn 20:19-31

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, 9 April

The Annunciation of the Lord
Assumption: 8:00am
INTENTION: Cho Family (In Thanksgiving)
St. Boniface: 12:10pm
INTENTION: N DeSousa

Tuesday, 10 April

Easter Weekday
Assumption: 8:00am
INTENTION: For the Sick of the Parish
St. Boniface: 12:10pm
INTENTION: Jahnvi DeSousa

Wednesday, 11 April

St. Stanislaus, Bishop & Martyr
Assumption: 8:00am
INTENTION: Matthew Spataro
St. Boniface: 12:10pm
INTENTION: Emilio DeSousa

Thursday, 12 April

Easter Weekday
Assumption: 8:00am
INTENTION: Oratorian Vocations
St. Boniface: 12:10pm
INTENTION: Margaret DeCiantis

Friday, 13 April

Easter Weekday
Assumption: 8:00am
INTENTION: Intentions of Joe Longo & Family
St. Boniface: 12:10pm
INTENTION: Rosa Colon

WEEKDAY READINGS: <http://www.usccb.org/>

Assumption, Prayers For Those Who Are Sick: William Livesey, Paige Anglisano, Maria Fe Liwag, Dorothy and Ray Soluri, Tom Reynolds.

Assumption, Prayers For Those Who Have Died: Anne Luna, Jean Torrell Hughes, Fr. John Baran, Father Sean Cunneen.

St. Boniface, For Those Who Are Sick: Sam Hall, Marguerite Khouri, Cherry Gordon, Jean Levy, Irma Coles, Edward Stephens, Charles Cole, Joanne Bianco, Mary Jane Jones, Edie Brown, James Leung, Catherine Crowley, Christopher Hayes, Lisa Gonzales, Anne Canterbury.

St. Boniface, For Those Who Have Died: Fr. John Baran, Janine Collorafi, Father Sean Cunneen, Roy McKenzie, Raul Navarro, Joseph Creech, Alex Ramos, Kat Bagley.

Confessions at Assumption: Saturdays, 4:30pm- 4:45pm or by appointment.

Confessions at St. Boniface: Wednesdays and Fridays, 11:45am - noon or by appointment.

Note: Names on the Prayer List for the Deceased are left on for two weeks. Names on the Prayer List for the Sick are left on for three.

ASSUMPTION NEWS & EVENTS

Update on Liturgy of the Word at Assumption

We regret to inform you that Genevieve Toh has decided that she will not be continuing to work with LWC. Genevieve has been a great gift to our community. She has given her love and talents to our children and families through the Liturgy of the Word for Children and Family Choir since Fall of last year. We thank her and wish her well. We are in the process of coming up with new presiders for LWC for the remaining Sundays of this pastoral year which ends in early June.

ABVM Hospitality Ministers Needed

Looking for a way to contribute to the life of our parish? Please consider becoming a Hospitality Minister at Assumption. Hospitality Ministers welcome parishioners to Mass, take up the collection, ensure there are parishioners to bring up the gifts and straighten out the pews after Mass. Adults and children in Grade 5 or higher are welcome to serve in this role. Your commitment will be minimal but your contribution to the life of our parish great! If you are interested, please contact Coleen McGrath at 347-414-0209 or coleen.mcgrath@gmail.com or Dr. Lut Vasquez at lutvasquez@earthlink.net.

Prayer & Devotions

St. Anthony Novena Tuesday mornings following Mass.
The Rosary First Saturdays following the 8:00am Mass and every Thursday except the week of First Saturday.
Holy Hour - First Saturdays following the 8:00am Mass.

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (LOW SUNDAY) [a] (Apr 7-8)

The readings for Mass can be found in the hymnal at margin #903

Opening Hymn: #407, At The Lamb's High Feast

Kyrie Eleison: #215, *Mass of the Resurrection*

Gloria in Excelsis: #216, *Mass of the Resurrection*

Responsorial Psalm: #903

Gospel Acclamation: #262

Apostles Creed: #148, second page

Preparation of Gifts: #398, Christ Is Arisen

Sanctus: #219, *Mass of the Resurrection*

Memorial Acclamation: #220, (We Proclaim), *Mass of the Resurrection*

Great Amen: #223, *Mass of the Resurrection*

Agnus Dei: #224, *Mass of the Resurrection*

At Communion: #102, Let Us Go Rejoicing

Closing Hymn: #669, We Walk By Faith

Blessed Mother Candle Dedication, In Memory of Jean Torrell Hughes by Annette Anglisano, April 1-30.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

If there is someone you know who would like to receive the Eucharist an extraordinary minister can bring it to them, please contact: Annette 718-625-8899 or Mary 347-529-4599.

ABVM PARISH OFFICE UPDATE: To be in touch with the parish office for Mass cards or normal parish business you can call either the number for Assumption (718.625.1161) or St. Boniface (718.875.2096). In case of sacramental emergency, the after-hours emergency pager is 917.727.1254.

ST. BONIFACE NEWS AND EVENTS

Coffee Hour today is hosted by Year One Oratory Confirmation Class. Special thanks to all of you.
If you're interested in hosting coffee hour, contact Marie Bresnahan mariebres@hotmail.com.

Feast Day for Catherine of Siena: - sign up for the last available coffee hour. We have only one date left to complete this year's calendar. Please sign up today for April 29th (feast day for Catherine of Siena). To sign up, contact Marie Bresnahan at mariebres@hotmail.com

Food Pantry - The Social Justice committee collects non perishable not expired food 12 months a year for pick up and distribution by City Harvest for the needy throughout NY City. All donations can be put into the SEAT BOXES in Newman Hall. They are labeled FOOD PANTRY. Thank you in advance.

The Social Justice Committee monthly meeting is held the 2nd Sunday of the month in the Library from 10 am to 11am. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

5 Day Memorial Candles available only through the Parish Office, 109 Willoughby St. Monday- Friday or call the office to make arrangements.

SHARED EVENTS

Buy Your Tickets! CHANTICLEER RETURNS TO THE ORATORY! SAVE THE DATE -Friday, April 27th, 2018. For online ticket sales by using a credit card go to: tinyurl.com/oratorychanticleer2018

Community Yoga with Asha will meet on Sunday, Apr 8th. This will be the last session for the season.

Book Club with Fr. Dennis: April 29 *The Relic Master*, Christopher Buckley; May 20 *There Your Heart Lies*, Mary Gordon; June 18 *The Dubliners*, James Joyce. 1:00pm Aula Maxima.

BAPTISM DATES FOR PASTORAL YEAR 2018: Please be in touch with either Fr. Joel or Fr. Anthony for more information on arranging to be part of a baptism group at the Oratory Parishes. All upcoming dates are Sundays: **May 6**, 10.00 AM Mass at Assumption (contact Fr. Joel); **June 10**, 11.15 AM Mass at St. Boniface (contact Fr. Anthony). 718.875.2096 (Fr Joel, ext. 103; Fr. Anthony, ext. 109) or Fr. Joel: jm.warden.co@gmail.com; Fr. Anthony: adaco28@gmail.com.

St Philip Neri Feast Block Party: Sunday, May 20

For many years the members of the Oratory Church of St Boniface have gathered on a Sunday near the Feast of St Philip Neri (May 26) to come together to celebrate our patron with food, friendship and fun. We will do this again on **Sunday, May 20** following the 11:15 Mass but would like to expand our gathering. This year we are inviting our neighbors in Downtown Brooklyn, especially those who may find themselves on the margins of our community such as the residents in the Tillary Women's Shelter, the children served by Helen Keller Services and other area group and organizations who serve those in need. This year's celebration will include food, games and activities for kids (e.g. face painting, bouncy castle) and our funny hat contest as well as information about the various groups and services the Oratory provides and information as how to become more involved. We also will have a short performance of the Brooklyn Youth Chorus. The organizing committee will have plenty of hot dogs, burgers (veggie ones too) and drinks. And we are hoping our parishioners (individuals or groups) will bring a side to share with the neighbors we have invited so that they begin to feel welcome in our community not only on this day but in the future also. Please let us know if you plan to come and bring a side or if you would like to help with set-up, clean-up or to help with one of the activities. We can be reached at sbblockparty@gmail.com

Joan Sexton Memorial Women in the Church Lecture with Kaija DeWitt
Sunday, May 6, 2018 at 1:00 pm in St. Boniface Church

Men and women of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary and St. Boniface parishes are invited to hear **KAIJA DEWITT**, Director of Campus Ministry and religion teacher at Xavier High School. Ms. DeWitt is also the Regional Coordinator for Contemplative Leaders in Action, an Ignatian Spirituality and Leadership program for young adults. In March, she was in Rome for the International Voices of Faith symposium - a gathering of women from around the world seeking leadership and voices of women in the Catholic Church.

The Brooklyn Oratory Church of St. Philip Neri has a tradition of recognizing women, both religious and laywomen, for their contributions to the Catholic Church. This annual event was renamed in 2016 in honor of Joan Sexton who was one of the women parishioners who helped form the Brooklyn Oratory 30 years ago. A Reception will be held in Newman Hall following the lecture.

PROGRAMS FOR YOUTH

Liturgy of the Word for Children (LWC)

LWC is a short liturgical celebration for children through gospel storytelling, prayer and song. Children are led from the church with LWC presidors at the start of Liturgy of the Word during Mass and return to their families during the Preparation of the Gifts (all are welcome).

Dates for Assumption are: April 8, 15, 29; May 5, 20; June 3, 17, 24

Dates for St. Boniface are: April 8, 22, 29; May 13, 20; June 3, 17, 24

Family, Faith, and Fun: On Family Fridays we will share a meal and socialize. Parents and extended family members will then discuss the topics and challenges of raising our kids Catholic. Younger kids will play while supervised in another room; teens/preteens will do activities with our Family and Youth Ministers. The dates are as follows: April 20. **6:30 – 8:15pm Newman Hall.**

Sundays at Assumption

Socialize with families over brunch and activities for adults and children in the ABVM Parish Hall. The dates are:

April 22, May 13 -11:00am-12:00pm,
June 9 - 6:00pm-7:00pm.

EVENTS OUTSIDE THE ORATORY

"**Spirituality in a Time of Disruption**" *Commonweal* magazine presents poet **Christian Wiman** in conversation with critic and contributor **Anthony Domestico** on the topic of "Spirituality in a Time of Disruption." The talk, inspired by longtime *Commonweal* columnist John Garvey's writing on prayer and spirituality, will center on how economic and cultural anxieties and growing religious disaffiliation are challenging our traditional senses of spiritual practice, and what may emerge to support or replace our familiar approaches. The event will be held at **7 p.m. on April 30, 2018**, at THE LOFT: **150 West 83rd St, New York, NY**. It is free and open to the public but RSVP is appreciated: <https://pages.commonwealmagazine.org/garveyconversations/>

Contemplative Leaders in Action is currently accepting applications for its 2018-2020 cohort.

Contemplative Leaders in Action (CLA) is a two-year faith formation and leadership development program for young adults (20's and 30's), rooted in the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola. While the program nurtures individual growth, it also strives to develop a cohort of leaders who can bring the dynamics of faith and justice to lead their families, co-workers and communities. The early application deadline is April 25. For more information, visit www.contemplativeleaders.org/nyc2018 or contact NYC Regional Director Kaija DeWitt at kdewitt@contemplativeleaders.org

The Academy of St. Joseph would like to invite you to visit to learn more about our exceptional education and enrichment programs at our Open House Tuesday, April 17th from 9-10am. The Academy of St. Joseph is a Private, Catholic school serving students in grades Pre-K through Eighth-Grade. We are still accepting applications for the fall of 2018-2019. The school empowers and challenges students with a curriculum based on the arts, sciences, and the humanities integrated with the values of the Catholic Church. Please Contact Torsie Judkins, Director of Admissions, tjudkins@aosj.us to RSVP.

EASTER FLOWER DEDICATIONS IN BEST WISHES ASSUMPTION & ST. BONIFACE PARISHES

Mark Paul Amatrucola, c.o.
Carol & Tom Amon & Family
Joseph & Jacqueline Aguanno
Anthony Andreassi, c.o.
Dominic & Elisa Andreassi
Jillian Battaglia
Nicholas Benton
Charles & Sarah Broas
Burrell Family
Michael Callaghan, c.o.
Richard Carlson
Dennis M. Corrado, c.o.
Elizabeth & Anthony DiGuglielmo
Carole Fabrizio & Family
Elena & Lucas Flores
Maribeth Flynn & Tom Gubanich
Cathleen Harvey
Gerri Hernandez & Torkil Heggstad
Schieber & Jin Families
Marjorie Kavanaugh
Patricia Zak-Kearon
Sook Ja Kim
Mark Lane, c.o.

Andrew & Lisa Line
Christina Matone & Family
Sean McKeown & Family
Virginia Navarro
Brenda A. Nelson
Benjamin Niemczyk
Stephen Parahus
Mary Patterson
Fumiki Morii & Joseph A. Picciano
James Simon, c.o.
Barbara Slattery
Lois Seelandt
Gregory & Roxanne Singer
St. Mark's Parish, Lokitaung, Turkana Kenya
Genevieve Toh
Daniel Treadway
Patrick Turner
Joe Vanderpool
Bill & Nancy Vinicombe
Joel Warden, c.o.
J. Tucker Wheatley
Robert Just & Williams Families

EASTER FLOWER DEDICATIONS IN MEMORIAL
ASSUMPTION & ST. BONIFACE PARISHES

Rose & Edward J. Adieson
Carl & Dorothy Amon
Margaret & James Anglisano
Anglisano Family
Assumption Parishioners
John & Adele Bagley
Edward & Dympna Bowles
Mary Hayes Boyle
Jean C. Boziwick
Hunter & Thelma Bransford
Grace Caliendo
Charles Carlson
Helen Carlson
Marie Carlson
Elaine Chin
Maria Anna Colageo
Colageo Family
Agnes Connolly
George & Glen Coburn
John R. Coburn
Justin Corbridge
Dalton Family
Pamela Dalton
Ken Dray
Dray & Donges Families
Joe Drew
Michael & Vera Fallon
Kevin Farley
Mr. & Mrs. Edward J.S. Farrell
Bonnie & Franco Resta-Flarer
Alice Flautt
Condell & Gallardo Family
Elizabeth Gately
Samuel Ginocchetti
Gowan Family
Gerald Harley
Helen C. Hawkins
Ian Hercules
Joseph & Theresa Hurst
Kay & Frank Just
James & Margaret Killeen
Anne & John Kelleen
Della Kearns
Doxsey & Krevitte Families
Louis Kuhlmann II
Nancy Kuhlmann
Milea Family
Joseph John & Genevieve Lambert
Ugo & Lillian Lancia

Ethel & Robert Little
Martha Lobur
Agnes & Donald A. MacLellan
Frank J. Macchiarola
Romeo & Philomena Marino
Martin Family
Mary & William Monahan
Matthew & Rose Muliere
Muniz Family
Dimas G. Navarro
Raul R. Navarro
Joseph Onufrak
Catherine & Alfred Picciano
Guiseppina & Federico Picciano
Parents of Colette Price
Kathleen Phair
John Piccolo
Silvio & Rosalia Pluchinotta
Sonny Randle
Daniel Redner
Helen Redner
Margaret & Frank Reilly
Diane Romalewski
Linda & Anthony Romalewski
Jerry Romanelli
Flo & Tom Reynolds
Anthony Scanlon
Claire Sciarpelletti
Monahan & Slattery Families
Jerry Slaski
Olga Pieck & Peter & Anna Sokola
Claire Sharpe
Barbara & John Shuart
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Dr. Lamuel Stanislaus
Jerry Slaski
Fran Sullivan
Sugrue Family
Marie & Arthur Torrell
Honorable Sandra Townes
Karen Tyler
Aunt Val
Dr. Gil Vasquez
Alvaro Velez
Walden Family
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