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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

**Pentecost Sunday
19 & 20 May 2018**

Assumption: 5:00pm

PRESIDER/PREACHER: Fr. Mark Lane
INTENTION: Clayton Walden
READER: Barbara Slattery
EM: Mary Tucker
MC: Colette Desbas

St. Boniface: 9:00am

PRESIDER/PREACHER: Fr. Michael Callaghan
INTENTION: Gino Biagi
READER: Neil Scriptunas, Dympna Bowles
EM: Nancy Dawes, Tom Janczys
HOSPITALITY: Ann Currier, Colette Price
MC: Br. Mark Amatrucola

Assumption: 10:00am

PRESIDER/PREACHER: Fr. Mark Lane
INTENTION: Pro Populo
READER: Carol Amon
EM: Kevin Chupka, Christopher Leykam
MC: Bill Powers

St. Boniface: 11:15am

PRESIDER/PREACHER: Fr. Michael Callaghan
INTENTION: Pro Populo
READERS: Lena Del Plato, Anna Schiavone, Karla Denalli
EM: Julie Lewis, Rosemary Arena, Mary Ann Gentile,
Julie Fissingner
HOSPITALITY: Christine Janove, Mary Sue Richardson,
Nicole Vaughan, David Mullan
MC: Meg Mazzeo
ALTAR SERVERS: William, Matthew, Nate

St. Boniface: 6:00pm

PRESIDER/PREACHER: Fr. Michael Callaghan
INTENTION: Richard Farrell
READERS: Angela Loguercio, Jorge Corona
EM: Dona Laughlin
HOSPITALITY: Margarite Halaris, Ed McLaughlin
MC: Sara Thermer

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, 21 May
Weekday

Assumption: 8:00am
INTENTION: Tom Reynolds
St. Boniface: 12:10pm
INTENTION: Vita Gould

Tuesday, 22 May
Weekday

Assumption: 8:00am
INTENTION: Dr. Maximiano Rallon
St. Boniface: 12:10pm
INTENTION: Marilyn Gliatta

Wednesday, 23 May
Weekday

Assumption: 8:00am
INTENTION: Tom Reynolds
St. Boniface: 12:10pm
INTENTION: Special Intention Dolores Zambrano

Thursday, 24 May
Weekday

Assumption: 8:00am
INTENTION: Helen Fischer
St. Boniface: 12:10pm
INTENTION: Conchita Mallari

Friday, 25 May
Weekday

Assumption: 8:00am
INTENTION: Jean Torrell Hughes
St. Boniface: 12:10pm
INTENTION: Fr. Patrick's Ordination Anniversary

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

Assumption, Prayers For Those Who Are Sick: Paige Anglisano, Kim Manzi, Dorothy and Ray Soluri.

Assumption, Prayers For Those Who Have Died: Tom Reynolds, Helen Fischer, Leonard Fazio.

St. Boniface, For Those Who Are Sick: Peter Grivas, Ambrogio Guastaferrero, Lori Weiss, Sam Hall, Cherry Gordon, Joanne Bianco, Mary Jane Jones, Edie Brown, Christopher Hayes,

St. Boniface, For Those Who Have Died: William Kopatish, Charles Cole, Lloyd Eddings, Emilia Sophia McDonald.

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

Mother's Day Mass Remembrance (In Memorial)

Bettina Acerra, Dorothy Amon, Margaret Anglisano & Family, Adele Bagley, Rita Collins, Katherine Conde, Gertrude Conway, Pamela Dalton, Veronica Dalton. Lillian Daniel, Frances DelPlato, Eleanor Diehl, Cora Ellis, Carmela Fioravanti, Mary Gallagher, Mary Gallardo, Louisita Gonzalez, Fe F. Genabe, Mary Hahn, Joyce Hercules, Mazie Hector, Carolina Ibelli, Mary Jean Kelley, Rosemarie Kitchingham, Antoinette Largo, Lucy Macchiarola, Soledad Macapagal, Patricia E. McGrath, Mildred M. McGrath, Olga Pieck, Rosalia Pluchinotta, Florence Reynolds, Helen Romalewski, Margaret Slattery, Anna Sokola, Belle Solomon, Opni Torno, Anna Vacek, Evelyn Wagner, Margaret Winn, Erleen Youngblood, Dorothy & Camel.

Mother's Day Mass Remembrance (Living)

Julita Alarcon, Susan Casper, Valerie Coburn, Susan Coburn, Sue Coburn, Rosita Estrella, Patricia Hedderman, Lydia Hernandez, Kari Heggstad, Donna LoRusso, Patti Leary, Cullen & Filusch, Mary H. O'Connell, Hallie Tuminello, Alice Tuminello, Petrina Ramdath, Sofiya Ramdath, Rheanna Ramdath, Christine Ramdath.

Invitation to Serve on the Assumption Parish Pastoral Council

- The Council is a consultative body of 12 members who provide parishioners' input, advice and assistance to the pastor/administrator on a variety of issues. The Council helps develop plans and makes recommendations regarding the mission and direction of the parish in collaboration with the pastoral staff. The selection of four new members to the Council will take place in early June. We are seeking nominations of a broad range of parishioners willing to serve a three-year term. Meetings are held once a month from September through June. You may nominate yourself, or another person who you have contacted and will agree to serve, by sending the nominee's name and contact information either to the pastor, Fr. Joel Warden, at jm.warden@gmail.com or to the Council President, Ed Hein, at mucknagh@gmail.com by May 26. You may also wish to consult with any of the Council members. Their names are listed in the Parish Staff page of this bulletin.

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.

PENTECOST [b] (May 19-20)

The readings for Mass can be found in the hymnal at margin #921

Opening Hymn: #443, Come Holy Ghost

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

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

Responsorial Psalm: #921

Gospel Acclamation: #262

Apostles Creed: #148, second page

Preparation of Gifts: #521, O Breathe on Me O Breath of God

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: #424, Festival Canticle

Closing Hymn: #438, Come Down O Love Divine

Blessed Mother Candle In Memory of Jean Torrell Hughes by Annette Anglisano, May 1-14.

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.

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 presiders 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: May 20; June 3, 17, 24

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

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

No Coffee Hour today. Enjoy the picnic!

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.

Interested in Serving on the Parish Pastoral Council?

The Council is comprised of a diverse group of elected and appointed members drawn from our Faith Community. Acting as liaison between the community and the Oratory clergy and staff, the Council assists the pastor and staff with the development of programs and ministries that foster the spiritual, intellectual, moral and material well-being of our parish and the community at large. Nominations and elections to the Council are taking place now. If you are interested in exploring the possibility of serving as a Council member, please contact PPC Vice-Chair Laurie Chaumont (lauriechaumont@gmail.com) or feel free to speak to any Council member with whom you may be acquainted.

SHARED EVENTS

Book Club will not meet on May 20 so as to enjoy the St. Philip's Picnic instead. The Book Club's annual closing meeting/ pot luck will be Tuesday night June 19 in Newman Hall at 6:30 with Mary Gordon's book *There Your Heart Lies* as the read. The original June Selection: *The Dubliners* will be listed for another time.

CAFE for Men ages 22-39 - Interested in learning more about a group of Catholic young men who come together regularly to pray, to discuss what it means to be a Christian in a post-modern city and to perform practical acts of service and charity? We call ourselves CAFE (Catholics/Coffee and Fake Eggs) because we meet before work in the morning twice monthly over coffee and egg whites (real men need both caffeine and protein). Contact Fr Anthony at aandreassi@oratorychurch.org

Little Oratory takes place on the first Thursday of each month. The Fathers and Brothers will be inviting the larger community to join us for Oratory Prayer in the church from 6:30 to 7:30pm. Oratory Prayer consists of song, scripture readings, and quiet reflection and is the prayer that Fathers and Brothers partake in each day in our house chapel. If you have any questions, please contact Fr. Anthony.

The Immigration Committee is a subcommittee of the Social Justice Committee and works to educate ourselves and others on immigration and refugee issues, support our NY immigrant community through direct actions, and advocate for immigration reform. We have started a google group to communicate and share information and opportunities for actions. If you would like to join the google group please contact Ann Currier at fotannet@gmail.com

Zen Meditation/Christian Spirit - Wednesdays, 6:15pm, 111Willoughby St. (Newman Hall), beginners welcome, instruction provided, starts on time, sign-up or regular attendance not required. Info: Christopher Smith 646-228-8520.

Low-gluten Hosts Available: In the effort to ensure that all parishioners are able to participate fully in the liturgical life of the Church, we have low-gluten hosts available for those whose health may require this. For more information about this, please see one of the Fathers before Mass.

BAPTISM 2018: Please be in touch with Fr. Joel for more information on arranging to be part of a baptism group at the Oratory Parishes. **June 10, 11.15 AM** Mass at St. Boniface, Fr Joel, ext. 103;Fr. Joel: jm.warden.co@gmail.com. The schedule for the next pastoral year will be available shortly.

SHARED EVENTS

Prayer to St. Philip Neri

O holy St. Philip Neri, patron saint of joy, you who trusted Scripture's promise that the Lord is always at hand and that we need not have anxiety about anything, in your compassion heal our worries and sorrows and lift the burdens from our hearts.

We come to you as one whose heart swells with abundant love for God and all creation, hear us we pray especially in this need.... (pause)

Keep us safe through your loving intercession, and may the joy of the Holy Spirit which filled your heart St. Philip, transform our lives and bring us peace. Amen

Joan Sexton Memorial Women in the Church Lecture for 2018-2019

The Oratory Church of St. Boniface and The Church of St. Francis Xavier are thrilled to partner in bringing **JOAN CHITTISTER**, OSB, PhD, to Brooklyn!

Sister Joan will invigorate your mind, stir your heart, move your spirit, and inspire you to action ... all in the name of Love.

Passion for God – Passion for Justice – Passion for Life

This FREE event is a gift from both parishes and the women in the church.

The first two hundred parishioners and friends to sign up online are guaranteed admission.

When: **Sunday, September 30, 2018**
1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Where: **The Oratory Church of St. Boniface**
190 Duffield Street
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Sign Up: <https://goo.gl/forms/cMGobuciLYdyMPBU2>

Questions: affc@oratorychurch.org

www.joanchittister.org

SUMMER SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE: Starting the weekend of June 16/17 and running through Labor Day Weekend (September 1/2) the Oratory Parishes will shift to the Summer Sunday Mass schedule. Please note the shift in venue for the early Mass and later Mass on Sunday mornings this year. Starting the weekend of June 16/17 there will be an early Mass at **8.30 AM** in **Newman Hall** at **St. Boniface** and a later Mass at **10.30 AM** in the church at **Assumption**. This summer some extensive work will be done in the church at St. Boniface including fixes to the ceiling, church floor and the organ which will necessitate clearing the space as much as possible for ease of access for construction workers and for all of our safety. In preparation for this work, more robust air-conditioning will be installed in Newman Hall but the capacity of Newman Hall will not allow for more than 160 people to be in the room at once safely. Traditionally the early Summer Sunday Mass has had less attendance than the Mass later in the morning, so the smaller space we have access to this summer (i.e., Newman Hall) will host the early Mass and the space where we can host more generously sized crowds (the church at Assumption) will provide the setting for the later Mass. Note that the 5.00 PM Mass on Saturday at Assumption and the 6.00 PM Mass on Sunday at St. Boniface are in no way affected by this shift in schedule, as they have never been. They remain at the same time and in the space place as throughout the rest of the year.

Confirmation of Young People from the Oratory Parishes

On Saturday, May 6, sixteen young people from the Oratory Parishes along with candidates from St Charles Borromeo and St Joseph High School received the Sacrament of Confirmation by Bishop Raymond Chappetto, Vicar General of the Diocese of Brooklyn at a Mass at St Charles Borromeo Church in Brooklyn Heights. We ask that you continue to keep this young people in prayer now that they have received the Gifts of the Holy Spirit and are now fully empowered to live as mature Catholic Christians in their daily lives as they preach and live the Gospel in both word and in deed.

Confirmandi from the Oratory Parishes:

Stella Brown, Georgiana Ciccone-Verdillo, Matthew Craven, Anna Gazzo, Ruby Germack, Esteban Hidalgo Gonzalez, Sophia Katinos, Max Kipiniak, Cate Lambert, Saniah Leon, Caterina Matone, QiQi McGoldrick, Yamila McLaughlin, Nick Morgan, Kennedy Patrick, Margot Schmeltz.

Welcome, Visitors! Now, What is the Oratory?

The Brooklyn Oratory

Saint Philip Neri, a 16th century layman, was a native of Florence who lived nearly sixty years in Rome. Always devout, out-going, funny and friendly, Saint Philip often invited friends to his one-room apartment for shared prayer, Bible study and singing. They also began engaging in acts of charity and mercy such as visiting the sick in hospitals, helping pilgrims who had come to Rome, and teaching children the basics of the Catholic faith. These informal gatherings became so popular they had to be moved to successively larger rooms. In time, these quarters began to be described as Oratories, that is, places where prayers were led, the name being derived from the Latin "orare," to pray. The lay men and women who gathered there were rightly called Oratorians, or pray-ers. The success of the Oratory naturally caused it to evolve into a more organized structure. Saint Philip was ordained a priest at age 36 and then several other bright young followers were ordained. They were formally given a church in Rome called the Chiesa Nuova, or New Church, which still stands near the Piazza Navona.

The priests and lay brothers who came to pray, live and eat together were designated a formal congregation - the Oratory - by Pope Gregory XIII in 1575. Their "work" was to assist the first, primary group of Oratorians, the laity. The Oratory priests and brothers were and are different from all other religious communities (e.g. Jesuits and Franciscans) in that they take no vows and remain together fully bound only by charity. Oratorian priests and brothers are therefore members of a Pontifical Congregation who live and work within a diocese free to serve where there is a need and a job. Oratories can be found the world over: in England, France, Italy, Germany, Switzerland, Austria, Spain, Poland, Mexico, South America, Canada, and the United States. The Brooklyn Oratory was established by Pope St. John Paul II in 1988.

Here in Brooklyn, the Oratory's principal ministry is to the parishes of Assumption and Saint Boniface and to the people who live and work in Brooklyn Heights and Downtown Brooklyn and. Oratory priests are their pastor or administrator by contract with the Bishop of Brooklyn. The laity who travel distances to be part of these communities are technically Oratorians also. By request of the Bishop of Brooklyn, the Oratory has also begun a ministry to the thousands of students who attend the several college and universities or who live in these neighborhoods

Another mission of the Brooklyn Oratory is comprised of the varied works of the Breukelein Institute, its secular, not-for-profit arm. Through encouragement of the arts locally, support given to works of charity outside the sphere of the Oratory and a commitment to educational scholarships, the Breukelein Institute allows the Oratory to extend its work into places that might not otherwise be possible for a religious community.

While technically the Provost administers the Brooklyn Oratory under the supervision of Rome, the local bishop is the source of priestly authority. However the bishop's authority does not extend to the internal life of the Oratory or assigning or transferring its priests or brothers. Nor do they move from Oratory to Oratory. Permanence is their hallmark. At present there are five priests and two brothers in the Brooklyn Oratory.

All who have chosen to become Oratorians have embarked on a new journey full of opportunity. Our vision remains what Saint Philip Neri's vision was - the Oratory as a place of prayer, a people of prayer: open, loyal, orthodox, serving, seeking God's grace, promoting peace and justice, and sharing God's Joy!

Parish Staff

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Joseph Vanderpool (Assumption) *Organist*
Stephen Parahus, Cantor; Jennifer Parker-Sparks, Cantor

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Maribeth Flynn (9am and 11:15am Masses at St Boniface); mbflynnoratory@gmail.com
Mary Macchiarola (5pm and 10am Masses at Assumption); mimitee924@gmail.com
Sara Thermer (6pm Mass at St Boniface)

Oratorians in Residence

Very Rev. Dennis M. Corrado, C.O., *Provost*; Rev. Mark J. Lane, C.O.; Br. James Simon, C.O.;
Rev. Joel Warden, C.O.; Rev. Anthony D. Andreassi, C.O.; Rev. Michael Callaghan, C.O.;
Br. Mark Paul Amatrucola, C.O.

Trustees

Trustees (*Assumption*): Robert Buckholz, Thomas Amon.
Trustees (*St Boniface*): Karla Denalli, William Vinicombe.

Finance Committee

Finance Committee (*Assumption*): Robert Buckholz, Thomas Amon, Jeremy Healey
John Morgan, Elizabeth Rogalin
Finance Committee (*St Boniface*): William Weigel *Chair*, Bridget Rohde, Jason Manningham,
Beth Skelley.

Pastoral Council

Pastoral Council (*Assumption*): Ed Hein *President*, Kieran Holohan *Vice-President*, Linda Grove *Secretary*,
Thomas Amon, Lillian Gallardo, Tanner Kroeger, Mary Macchiarola, Olivia Rodrigues,
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Pastoral Council (*St Boniface*): Sara Thermer *Chair*, Laurie Chaumont *Vice-Chair*, Torkil Heggstad *Secretary*,
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