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SEVENTH SUNDAY OF *Easter*

MAY 24, 2020

Rejoice to the extent that you share in the sufferings of Christ, so that when his glory is revealed you may also rejoice exultantly.

1 Peter 4:13

Rev. William A. With, Pastor

Rev. Michael C. Gribbon, Parochial Vicar

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Resurrection Parish Mission Statement

We, the Body of Christ of Resurrection Parish in Gerritsen Beach, Brooklyn, 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

Rectory

2331 Gerritsen Ave. Brooklyn, New York 11229

Phone: 718-743-7234 Fax: 718-743-0152

Website: resurrection-brooklyn.org

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.

Good Shepherd Catholic Academy

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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 9:00a.m.-4:00p.m. or complete a

registration form, found in Church, and drop off at the Rectory.

Vocations

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 vocations@diobrook.org.

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 Pre-cana info visit www.bqonlineformation.org/precana

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 the Rectory and leave your name and phone number.

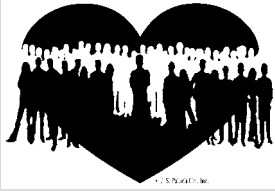
Devotions

The Miraculous Medal Novena & Rosary are recited after the 8:30 a.m. Mass every Monday. The Rosary is recited everyday after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

Holy Hour every First Friday following the 8:30 a.m. Mass

Roman Catholic Diocese of Brooklyn Catholic Cemeteries

Please contact 718-894-4888 for more information.



**Seventh Sunday of Easter
May 24, 2020**

“They have kept your word.”
— John 17:6b



**Mass Intentions
for the Week**

**SUNDAY, MAY 24:
SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY**

Mary Comey (Remembrance)
The People of the Parish

No intentions requested for 11:00am Mass

**MONDAY, MAY 25:
SAINT BEDE THE VENERABLE; SAINT GREGORY VII
SAINT MARY MAGDALENE DE' PAZZI**

Rosaria, Albert, Ralph & Vito Pece

**TUESDAY, MAY 26:
SAINT PHILIP NERI**

No intentions requested for the 8:30am Mass

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 27:
SAINT AUGUSTINE OF CANTERBURY**

James Brandow, Sr. (Birthday)

THURSDAY, MAY 28:

The Palumbo & Donlon Families

**FRIDAY, MAY 29:
SAINT PAUL VI**

George C. D'Amato (Birthday June 3rd)

SATURDAY, MAY 30:

Mary Sexton (Anniversary)

FATHER, GLORIFY YOUR SON

The Gospel reading is from a beautiful prayer/message of Jesus to God the Father. Today's passage has two distinct portions. In the first section, Jesus is summoning courage and strength as he knows "the hour has come." He has done everything that he can to glorify God on earth and is saying that he is ready to return to God, to the glory he had "before the world began." If one remembers, the Gospel of John starts with "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God."

Try to imagine what mixed emotions Jesus must have had at this time. He came, he was human, he did God's will, he laughed, he cried, he got angry, he suffered, he had successes and he had setbacks. He had taken the plan as far as he could. Now it was time to let go. To let someone else take over. On the one hand there must be sorrow and sadness in letting go, but he is also ready to "come home." Think of what it is like when you have not seen a parent or family for a long time. There is much anticipation and excitement, as well as a bit of anxiety. It is hard to fathom where Jesus may be going, and what that reality would even look like. Perhaps it may sound strange, but this author is envisioning a second-generation CEO who is giving a farewell speech. He is acknowledging what went before him when the company was founded, what he accomplished during his time there, and now recognizes that it is time for new energy and vision to take the company to the next level.

Today's Readings: Acts 1:12-14; Ps 27:1, 4, 7-8; 1 Pt 4:13-16; John 17:1-11a

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**You are all in our prayers
during this trying time.**

**Praying that you and your
loved ones are well & stay safe.**



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

No Intentions Requested

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

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36ab; Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25

Sunday: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23



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PLEASE PRAY *for* THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Fr. Mike Gribbon, Msgr. John Tosi, Lori DeMario, Teresa Samuelsen, Margie Ahearn, Aniya Ardon, Efrain (Al) Arroyo, Lyndon Balter, Lilianna Biscone, Bob Canzanella, Carol Cartmel, Marisol CharemSook, Ellen Collins, Charles Comi, Patricia Cox, Carissa D'Alba, Claire Denver, Laura Durant, Justine Erikson, Natalie Ferber, Riley Ferguson, Teresa Ferrier, Edward French, Judy French, Christopher Gari, Gerard Gribbon, Joan Hope, Mary Hose, Janet Jemec, Kevin Michael Kelly, David Kennedy, Ilene Klein, Geraldine Kopp, Patricia Kopp, Stacey Lakiotes, Nancy Lawrence, Vivian Levesi, Lisa LoBosco, Kim Loccissano, Dominca Lombardi, Patricia Lombardi, Michael Thomas Loughran, Basha Mahajan, Andrea Martin, Edward McCarthy, Mary McCormick, Kevin McDonald, Kevin McDonough, Patty McDonough, Carmen Delia Mejia, Marilyn Meyer, Celia Mikos, Ann Mollo, John E. Mueller, David Muncie, Carmela Naimoli, Emily Grace Nevara, Diane Ng, baby Nolan, Laura O'Brien, Kimberly Palmo, Caridad Del Pozo, Jose Ramirez, Ela Reyes, Nicholas Rodick, Evan Romano, Jane Romo, Charles Sabatino, Robert Sansone, Rosa Maria Santos, Moira Sharkey, Anthony Siconolfi, Ann Smith, William Smith, Angel Soto, Janet Springer, Barbara Stilp, baby Vivian, Stephen Wiegand, Helen Zwosta

Kindly notify the Rectory with any updates.

We fly to your protection, O Holy Mother of God;
Do not despise our petitions in our necessities but
deliver us always from every danger,
O Glorious and Blessed Virgin.



Jesus, Savior of the world, sanctify Thy Priests and Sacred Ministers. Pray for:

- Sun. May 24: Rev. Willy Ndi
Seminarian Juan Jose Luna
- Mon. May 25: Rev. Johnson Nedungadan
Seminarian Kevin Dell'Osso
- Tues. May 26: Rev. Christopher O'Connor
Seminarian Luis Marquez
- Wed. May 27: Rev. Peter Nguyen
Seminarian Marcos Daniel Gonzalez
- Thurs. May 28: Pray for All Priests & Seminarrians
- Fri. May 29: Rev. John O'Connor
Seminarian Marcos Acosta
- Sat. May 30: Msgr. Kevin Noone
Seminarian Gerardo Tlatelpa



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

The Church will remain closed until further notice.

The Rectory will remain closed until further notice. Phone calls will be answered. NO FUNERALS, BAPTISMS OR WEDDINGS ARE PERMITTED AT THIS TIME.

This week we are happy to rejoice in these special anniversaries:

May 25th - 1st Anniversary of Diaconate Ordination of Mr. John C. Hardy and Mr. James Giorgio.

May 27th - 48th Anniversary of Priestly Ordination of Fr. William With and his class.

May 30th - 50th Anniversary of Priestly Ordination of Bishop Nicholas DiMarzio, Bishop of Brooklyn.

May God continue to bless and strengthen with His grace all those He has called to serve Him and His holy Church. Amen



Pentecost Sunday May 30th

concludes our 50-day Easter celebration.

Together we pray for an intense outpouring of the Holy Spirit with all His manifold gifts on the whole Church and the whole world.

VOCATION CORNER

"They received the Holy Spirit." The Blessed Virgin Mary intercedes for your faithfulness to the vocation to which the Spirit is leading you. If you think God may be offering you the grace of serving Him and His people as a priest or in the consecrated life, Contact the Vocation Office at 718-827-2454 or email: vocations@diobrook.org.



Our Goal for 2020: \$42,312.00

a/o 5/18/20

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**NO Office Hours until further notice
 ALL CLASSES CANCELLED UNTIL
 FURTHER NOTICE**

First Holy Eucharist has been postponed.
 The staff of the Secretariat for Evangelization & Catechesis of the Diocese of Brooklyn is collaborating with other Diocesan offices & outside agencies to provide resources & guidance to assist parents, family members & catechists in areas related to religious education during this pandemic.
 To access these Resources, including videos to use at your own pace go to
<https://dioceseofbrooklyn.org/get-involved/religious-education-resources/>
 and search **FAMILY MINISTRY**.



RESURRECTION - 1250 CLUB
THE NEXT DRAWING
WILL BE ON JULY 19, 2020
(FOR MAY & JULY)



2019 PARISH SUPPORT PROGRAM
 All parishioners are asked to use the weekly offertory envelopes. Please register at the rectory.

May 24	Weekly Offering
May 24	Communications
May 31	Weekly Offering
May 31	Air Conditioning

All Public Masses Suspended
 Parishioners can watch the celebration of the Eucharist on NET-TV. **NET-TV can be seen in the New York City area on Spectrum (Channel 97), Optimum (Channel 30), and FIOS (Channel 48). Viewers can also tune in online at www.netny.tv.**
 The Mass schedule in English is as follows:

- **Monday thru Friday - 8:00 am** from St. Joseph
- **Saturday – 6:00 pm** Vigil Pre-recorded from Immaculate Conception Church in Jamaica
- **Sunday – 11:00 am** Live from St. James Cathedral in Downtown Brooklyn

To read the latest updates regarding coronavirus concerns in the Brooklyn Diocese, go to <https://thetablet.org/coronavirus>.

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.

Community Advocate, Dimple Willabus, in participation with a group called “Stalwarts” will deliver free groceries for persons over 60 years of age who are unable to get out. For more information, please call 347-470-8288

From Senator Andrew Gounardes’ Office
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Please call St. Vincent de Paul at 718-491-2525 to donate your old or neglected vehicle.

Online giving with



We would like to remind you that our parish accepts online donations through GiveCentral.

You can use givecentral.org to make paperless donations to our church. You can give using a credit or debit card, or electronic checks, for either one-time or recurring donations.

GiveCentral is a secure, online system that allows you to give whenever and however you like—from home or on the go with your phone.

We understand that most transactions today are done electronically.

We want to provide you with that same convenient option at our church.

Here's how to sign up for GiveCentral:

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