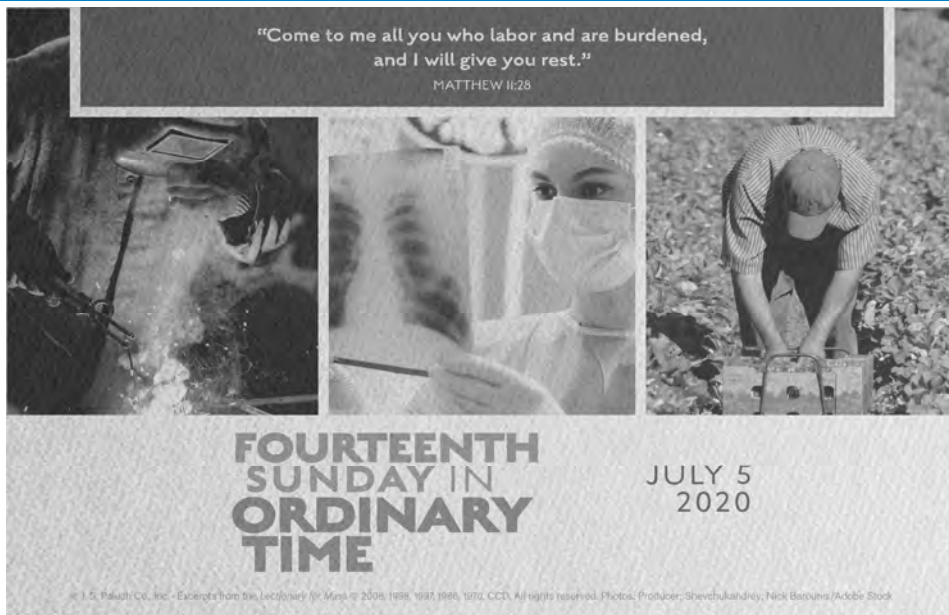


# RESURRECTION ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



## 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***

**Rev. William A. With, Pastor**

**Rev. Michael C. Gribbon, Parochial Vicar**

**Deacon John C. Hardy, Permanent Deacon**

**Mrs. Margaret Foti, Director of Faith Formation:**

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**Resurrection Sports Association: 718-743-7234**

**Also Ministered by:** The Sisters of St. Joseph, Brentwood

### Rectory

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

Website: [resurrection-brooklyn.org](http://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](mailto: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](http://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.



**Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
July 5, 2020**

“Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest.”  
— *Matthew 11:28*



**Mass Intentions  
for the Week**

**SUNDAY, JULY 5:**

**FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Saturday 5:00 p.m. - Fr. William With  
9:00 a.m. - The People of the Parish  
11:00 a.m. - Fr. Mike Gribbon

**MONDAY, JULY 6:**

**SAINT MARIA GORETTI**

8:30 a.m. - Denis Sheehan (16<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)

**TUESDAY, JULY 7:**

8:30 a.m. - Michael Zwosta, Sr.  
(66<sup>th</sup> Birthday in Heaven)

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 8:**

8:30 a.m. -

**THURSDAY, JULY 9:**

**SAINT AUGUSTINE ZHAO RONG & COMPANIONS**

8:30 a.m. - All who have died from the Coronavirus

**FRIDAY, JULY 10:**

8:30 a.m. - Deacon John Hardy  
(prayers for continued healing)

**SATURDAY, JULY 11:**

**SAINT BENEDICT**

8:30 a.m. -

**Meek and Humble God**

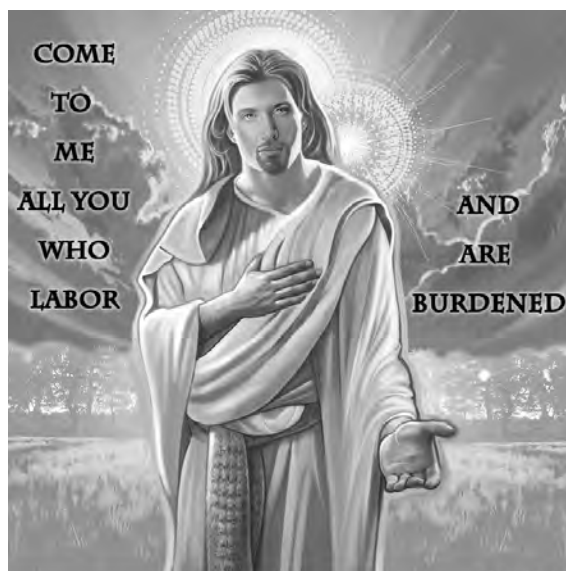
Jesus tells us in today’s Gospel that he is “meek and humble of heart.” Yet just a few lines before this, he says that he is equal to his Father, the almighty God. So how can the Son of God be both meek and mighty?

Jesus’ meekness meant doing the will of God completely. The challenge for us comes in his words “learn from me.” We must learn to do God’s will as completely as Jesus did.

First, to be complete means that we do all that God wants from us. We cannot pick and choose what we want to do and what we want to ignore. For example, we may reserve the right to decide which teachings of the Church we will follow. But doing God’s will completely means doing it without reservation.

Second, we may try to do all that God asks, but give up if something becomes too difficult. We may say we forgive someone, for example, but when they reject that forgiveness, we become even angrier. We can learn from Jesus how to do each part of God’s will to completion, as Jesus did all the way to the cross.

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The People of the Parish

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No Intentions Requested

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22; Ps 145:2-9; Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13; Ps 115:3-10; Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Ps 105:2-7; Mt 10:1-7

Thursday: Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9; Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16; Mt 10:7-15

Friday: Hos 14:2-10; Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-14, 17; Mt 10:16-23

Saturday: Is 6:1-8; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Mt 10:24-33

Sunday: Is 55:10-11; Ps 65:10-14; Rom 8:18-23; Mt 13:1-23 [1-9]



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# PLEASE PRAY *for* THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

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 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,  
 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.**



# FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

## FROM THE OFFICE OF THE VICAR GENERAL Please be aware there is a scam targeting the people of the Diocese of Brooklyn.

Parishioners are receiving text messages purportedly from their Pastors or priests saying that they "need a favor" from the parishioner. They go on to say that the priest needs money and may go on to ask for gift cards.

## WELCOME BACK

**The Rectory is now open**

**Confessions will resume  
Saturday, July 11<sup>th</sup> 4:00-4:30  
and will be held in the Crying room  
in the vestibule of the Church**

**Baptisms will resume  
Sunday, July 12<sup>th</sup> 12:15 pm  
Please call the rectory to schedule**



## Donors Pledges a/o 6/15/20 Total Paid to Date

189	\$629,330.00	\$423,449.00
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**We thank all our generous donors!**

If you are unable to fulfill your pledge or need to reduce your original pledge, please notify Mary Jane at the rectory.

We have already received disbursements from the Diocese in the amount of \$163,720.50. These funds were put towards work already completed (Rectory & Church Roofs, new Lighting around the Church property & a new Sound System in the Church).

According to the Diocese, there is over \$55,000.00 in delinquent payments.

**Please be faithful in paying off your pledges.**



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

Sun. July 5	Msgr. John Powis Seminarist Jeremie Tsonya
Mon. July 6:	Rev. Lawrence Ryan Seminarist Thimote Cherelus
Tues. July 7	Rev. Peter Purpura Seminarist Joseph Danzi
Wed. July 8:	Rev. Joseph Quigley Seminarist Joseph Hadzovic
Thurs. July 9:	Pray for All Priests & Seminarists
Fri. July 10:	Rev. Daniel Rajski Seminarist Joseph Hung Sy Tran
Sat. July 11:	Rev. Anthony Raso Seminarist Joseph Siano



## Please pray for Vocations

"You are in the spirit, since the Spirit of God dwells in you." Is the Holy Spirit leading you or someone you know to serve Christ and His Church as a priest or in the consecrated life? If you are discerning your vocation, contact the Vocation Office at 718-827-2454 or email: vocations@diobrook.org.

# PARISH NEWS

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For all parishioners who are currently using GiveCentral & choose to continue making your weekly donations through GiveCentral, please notify the rectory to stop sending you envelopes. *Thank you.*

Visit our Website at  
**[www.resurrection-brooklyn.org](http://www.resurrection-brooklyn.org)**

Send us your name & email or cell # to [resurrectionbrooklyn@gmail.com](mailto:resurrectionbrooklyn@gmail.com) to be signed up to Flocknotes so we can keep in touch especially during this time.



## 2019 - 2020 RESURRECTION OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION

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Mrs. Margaret Foti, Director

Please leave a message & your call will be returned as soon as possible  
***First Holy Eucharist has been postponed.***



## RESURRECTION - 1250 CLUB

THE NEXT DRAWING  
WILL BE ON JULY 19, 2020  
(FOR MAY & JULY)

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## 2019 PARISH SUPPORT PROGRAM

All parishioners are asked to use the weekly offertory envelopes. Please register at the rectory.

- July 5 Weekly Offering
- July 12 Weekly Offering
- July 12 Renovation & Repair

# WELCOME BACK WE MISSED YOU

The Most Reverend Nicholas DiMarzio, Bishop of Brooklyn, is pleased to announce that churches in the Diocese of Brooklyn can re-open:

Weekday Mass resumed on Monday, June 29<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 a.m.

Sunday Mass resumes this weekend:  
Saturday, July 4<sup>th</sup> - Vigil Mass 5:00 p.m.

and  
Sunday, July 5<sup>th</sup> 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

COVID-19 safety protocols will be in place, including the requirement that **all who enter a church must bring and must wear their own mask during the entire Mass and maintain proper social distancing.**

Beyond the requirement that parishioners must bring and must wear their own mask for Mass, **churches can only be filled to 25% capacity** to fulfill social distance requirements of six feet between congregants. Families who live in the same household though will be able to sit together.

**The reception of Communion will be different.** It is **strongly recommended** the faithful receive Holy Communion in the hand.

*The communicant should come before the Minister of Communion with the mask on (for the dialogue "The body of Christ. Amen.") and then, moving to the side, lower the mask and consume the Eucharist immediately, then replace the mask and return to their seat.* Communion will only be offered in one form; the Precious Blood will not be distributed to the faithful at this time.

View video at: <https://vimeo.com/430806908>

The dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass remains in effect until further notice. As such, the Diocese urges anyone who feels sick in any way to stay home. Mass will continue to be broadcast live on the Diocesan cable channel, NET-TV, on Spectrum channel 97; Optimum channel 30; and Fios by Verizon channel 48.



## ST. VINCENT de PAUL Car Program Gives Back



For every car, truck, or van (running or not) St. Vincent de Paul will give back to Resurrection \$75 to \$200 per vehicle.

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I need your help. Our Annual Catholic Appeal's network of services has had to be flexible in this unprecedented time, and we anticipate we will need to maintain this response to meet the growing demand for support. Your partnership is critical as we navigate this situation.

Our mission remains the same, but COVID-19 has had a significant impact on our annual needs.

We now serve over **100,00 meals daily across our Diocese** in response to the 300% increase in demand.

Over **120** parishes offer daily **livestream** coverage of **Mass** and **144** parishes communicate daily with parishioners using **social media**.

Our educators were required to quickly implement **innovative distance learning** tools. They remain committed to forming the hearts and minds of our Catholic youth.

We have **30 hospital chaplains** currently deployed across our boroughs consoling the sick and most vulnerable.

And of course, our devoted clergy, who remain at the frontlines of this pandemic. They continue to enrich our lives spiritually and have partnered with our network of support services to address the local needs developing across our Diocese.

As a committed parishioner to **Resurrection**, friend, and Catholic, we need your support to uphold our mission. I am grateful to the **108** people who have made a generous commitment to the 2020 Annual Catholic Appeal. This unwavering support has allowed us to reach **\$29,905.00** of our **\$42,312.00 goal**. We are only **\$12,407.00** away from our goal.

If you have not made a pledge this year and are able to do so, I ask that you join me in demonstrating that **WE ARE THE CHURCH, TOGETHER** by considering a gift to the Annual Catholic Appeal.

You may make your gift online  
at [annualcatholicappeal.org](http://annualcatholicappeal.org)  
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or call 718-965-7375 ext. 1602  
and have a pledge card mailed to your home.

We thank you in advance for making a gift commensurate with your means and circumstances!



Our Goal for 2020: **\$42,312.00**

a/o 6/22/20

<u>Donors</u>	<u>Pledges Made</u>	<u>Pledges Fulfilled</u>
108	\$29,905.00	\$24,879.64
Amount needed to reach our goal \$12,407.00		

a/o 6/15/20

<u>Donors</u>	<u>Pledges Made</u>	<u>Pledges Fulfilled</u>
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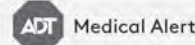
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