

RESURRECTION ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Solemnity of All Saints

November 1, 2020

Blessed are
the poor
in spirit,
for theirs
is the
Kingdom
of heaven.

Matthew 5:2

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***

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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.

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.

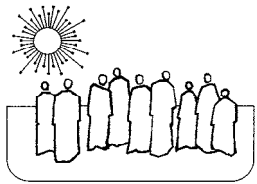
Devotions

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.



**The Solemnity of All Saints
November 1, 2020**

See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God.

— 1 John 3:1



**Mass Intentions
for the Week**

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1:

NATIONAL VOCATION AWARENESS WEEK

Saturday 5:00 p.m. - Daniel & Helen Palumbo
& Family

9:00 a.m. - The People of the Parish

11:00 a.m. - Christopher Gribbon
Jeremiah Sullivan

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2:

**THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL
DEPARTED (ALL SOULS' DAY)**

8:30 a.m. - All Souls' Remembrance

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3:

SAINT MARTIN DE PORRES

8:30 a.m. - All Souls' Remembrance

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4:

SAINT CHARLES BORROMEO

8:30 a.m. - All Souls' Remembrance

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5:

8:30 a.m. - All Souls' Remembrance

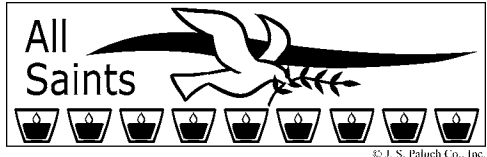
FIRST FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6:

8:30 a.m. - All Souls' Remembrance

FIRST SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7:

BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

8:30 a.m. - All Souls' Remembrance



Know Your Saints

The Gospel for today's feast is always Matthew's account of the Beatitudes. At first they seem to favor the meek, the humble, the merciful. But then Jesus ends with some tough ones, aimed at those who are persecuted, insulted, and slandered. While it may sound negative, Jesus is actually giving us encouragement.

Jesus isn't telling us to make enemies, but not to be afraid if we do. An important part of our faith is the imperative to spread it. Some people do that by sharing their faith during their lunch break. Others teach formation classes to prospective Christians. So there are many ways to spread the faith, and many types of saints who are celebrated today.

Maybe today would be a good day to learn about your favorite saint. What made her special? How did he spread the faith? What persecution did they suffer? Perhaps you could talk about the saints with your children. What saint shares a name with your child? As St. John says in the second reading, we are all God's children (1 John 3:2). As we get to know our favorite saints, their lives can inspire us to face persecution or ridicule for our faith—or at least the courage to talk about our faith, and maybe change someone else's life.

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Today's Readings: Rev 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a



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

Christopher Gribbon

Requested by: Resurrection Faith Formation

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

Father With & Father Mike

Requested by: Patricia Lombardi

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11 or
6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40

Tuesday: Phil 2:5-11; Ps 22:26b-32; Lk 14:15-24

Wednesday: Phil 2:12-18; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14;
Lk 14:25-33

Thursday: Phil 3:3-8a; Ps 105:2-7; Lk 15:1-10

Friday: Phil 3:17 — 4:1; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 16:1-8

Saturday: Phil 4:10-19; Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a, 9;
Lk 16:9-15

Sunday: Wis 6:12-16; Ps 63:2-8; 1 Thes 4:13-18
[13-14]; Mt 25:1-13



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PLEASE PRAY *for* THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Aniya Ardon, Efrain (Al) Arroyo, Lyndon Balter, Lilianna Biscione, Bob Canzanella, Carol Cartmel, Marisol CharemSook, Jacob Chung, Ellen Collins, Charles Comi, Patricia Cox, Carissa D'Alba, Danielle DelDuca, Lori DeMario, Claire Denver, Laura Durant, Justine Erikson, Natalie Ferber, Riley Ferguson, Teresa Ferrier, Edward French, Judy French, Bernadette Gallagher, 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 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, John O'Connor, 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, William Smith, Angel Soto, Janet Springer, Barbara Stilp, baby Vivian, Stephen Wiegand

Kindly notify the Rectory with any updates.



**Theresa Senese
Deacon Edward Smolinski**

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR PRIESTS

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

Posters are hanging on the wall of the Church on either side of the break



Please pray for Vocations

This is National Vocation Awareness Week. Pray for those who are discerning a call to proclaim the hope of the Resurrection as religious brothers, sisters, priests or deacons. If you feel God is offering you the grace of a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life, contact the Vocation Office at 718-827-2454 or email: vocations@diobrook.org.



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



Annual Catholic Appeal 2020
DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN

WE ARE THE CHURCH, TOGETHER

I would like to thank all those generous individuals who made a pledge to the 2020 Annual Catholic Appeal during our In-Pew weekend at Resurrection R.C. Church.

THANKS TO YOUR OVERWHELMING GENEROSITY I AM PROUD TO ANNOUNCE THAT WE HAVE MET OUR GOAL.

Resurrection's goal is **\$42,312** in order to fulfill our mission and provide for all who depend on your generosity and good will.

You may still make a donation on behalf of Resurrection R.C. Church if you wish, online at annualcatholicappeal.org or text ACA to 917-336-1255 or call 718-965-7375 ext. 1602 and have a pledge card mailed to your home. Any amount over our goal comes back to us 100%.

According to the Catholic Foundation report, as of **10/26/20**, **\$33,975.50** has been pledged from **131 donors** of which **\$32,620.58** has already been paid. Together with **\$11,100.00** that was received from the In-pew Appeal has put us over our goal.

May God Bless You Abundantly,
Fr. With & Fr. Mike

Last week we discovered damage to our Blessed Mother Shrine. The vandalism has been reported and is being investigated. We wish to thank all those who have donated towards her replacement.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the visiting **Missionaries** who were invited to visit each parish in our Diocese this past summer were unable to come and make their appeal. These Missionary groups desperately need our help.

In an effort to help these Missionaries, I have asked every parish to take up a mandatory collection on the weekend of November 7th/8th.

The total amount collected by the Diocese will be evenly divided among the 42 different groups who had been invited to make their appeals.

Asking the Lord to extend His blessings upon our brothers and sisters all over the world, and thanking the faithful of Brooklyn & Queens for their continued compassion. Sincerely in Christ,

Most Reverend Nicholas DiMarzio, Ph.D., D.D.
Bishop of Brooklyn

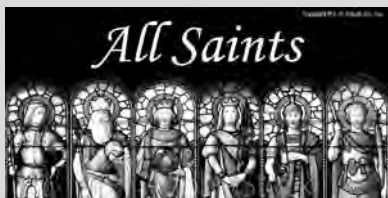
PARISH NEWS

**Rectory Hours: Monday - Friday
9:00am - 12pm and 1:00pm - 4:00pm**

**Confession has resumed in the crying room
of the Church vestibule.**

**Baptisms have resumed.
Only one family at a time with limited
people in attendance.**

Please call the rectory to schedule



All Saints Day will be celebrated on
Saturday, October 31st and Sunday, November 1st
at all Masses.



Monday, November 2nd is
The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed
(All Souls' Day). Mass will be offered at 8:30 am



RESURRECTION - 1250 CLUB
next drawing for the
NOVEMBER 15, 2020 TICKETS
WILL BE HELD ON THE FOLLOWING
MONDAY
\$10 DONATION/PRIZE \$1,250

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ELECTION DAY - NOVEMBER 3RD, 2020

**We strongly encourage those eligible to
exercise their Christian duty & right to vote.**

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MASS UPDATES

We are now in the yellow zone and our Church doors are open once again. There is a 50% restricted capacity.

Weekday Mass: Monday - Saturday at 8:30 a.m.

**Weekend Mass:
Saturday - Vigil Mass 5:00 p.m.
and
Sunday - 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 with 25 persons & must keep a social distance 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.



2019 PARISH SUPPORT PROGRAM

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

November 1	Weekly Offering
November 1	Monthly Offering
November 8	Weekly Offering
November 8	Fuel Offering



**2019 - 2020 RESURRECTION
OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION**

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**Resurrection-Brooklyn.org
Mrs. Margaret Foti, Director**

**Please leave a message &
your call will be returned as soon as possible**



**CONGRATULATIONS
TO ALL OUR
STUDENTS WHO
RECEIVED THE
SACRAMENT OF
CONFIRMATION
ON**

OCTOBER 17, 2020

**Matthew Breslin
Kaitlyn Ciresi
Elisia Giardina
Kevin Greenwood
Kayla Krcic
Jessica McDonough
Denise McNally
Daniel Murphy
Tonimarie Riccardi
Jeremy Schone
Niccaletta Schmidt
Brian Suhr
Andrew Trnka**

**Matthew Brock
Dylan Flood
Matthew Gillson
Juliana Kousis
Jeslyn Lleras
Patrick McGowan
Justin McNally
Julia Phillips
Casey Sarubbi
Gianna Schmidt
Evan Smith
Michael Taylor
Vincent Valenti**

Justin Velasquez



**PLEASE HELP KEEP YOUR
PARISH UP TO DATE**

If you are new to our parish,
please register.

If you have a **new address, phone #**
or have an **email address to add** or
are **moving out of the Parish,**

**please contact the Rectory at 718-743-7234.
or Email ResurrectionBrooklyn@gmail.com**



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**FROM THE OFFICE OF THE CHANCELLOR
Instruction on the Reverent Reception of Holy
Communion during the Time of Pandemic**

- As you approach the Priest, Deacon or Extraordinary Minister maintain six feet of distance from the person before you.
- As the person before you receives, you are asked to make a sign of reverence. This sign is a simple bow of the head.

Receiving in the hand is the **preferred** method of receiving Holy Communion during this time of pandemic. Why? When one receives on the tongue, there is a greater chance of the minister inadvertently touching your tongue. **It is simply easier to avoid inadvertent contact when one receives in the hand.**

- As you approach the minister, extend your hands, the left palm open over the right. If you are left-handed the placement of your hands can be reversed.
- When you come before the minister after bowing, do not move. Wait until the Sacred Host is placed on your palm. Then, move to the side, at least six feet away, lower your mask and place the Host into your mouth immediately. Then replace your mask before returning to your place.
- Do not hold anything in your hand. Do not reach out and take or grab the Host from the minister. Allow the Host to be placed reverently into your palm. Do not extend just one hand to receive.
- Hold your hands high enough so that the minister can place the Sacred Host into your hand with reverence.

ONLINE GIVING WITH GIVE CENTRAL

We would like to remind you that Resurrection accepts online donations through Give Central.

Visit **www.givecentral.org** to make paperless donations to our church. Type **Resurrection** in the search box. Choose an event, enter the amount of your donation, start date & frequency, then click *Add to my Gift Basket*. Checkout, hit continue, then complete profile. 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.

For all parishioners who are currently using GiveCentral, we ask that you please notify the rectory to stop sending you envelopes.

Thank you.

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