

# St. Mary Roman Catholic Church

10-08 49th Avenue

Long Island City, NY 11101

Hours: Mon-Fri 9 to 12, 1 to 5pm

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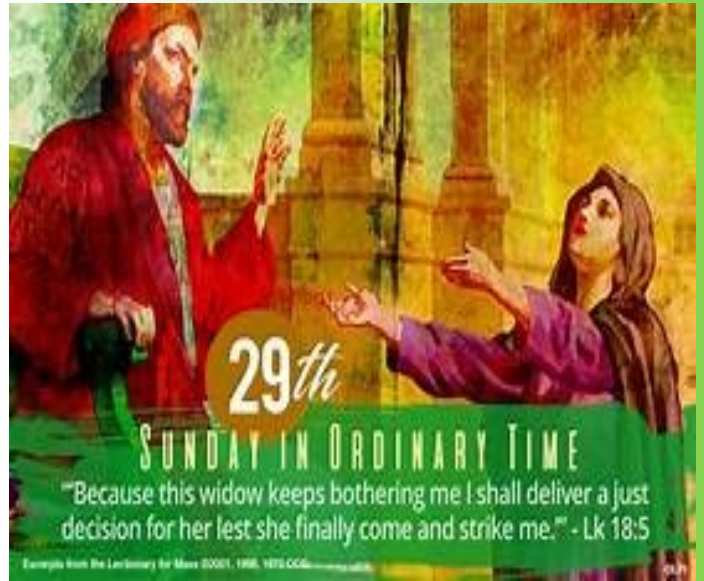
## St. Joseph Center/Religious Education

10-15 49th Avenue

Long Island City, NY 11101

917-832-6104

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## Parish Staff

### **Pastor**

Rev. Christopher J. Turczany

### **Director of Music**

Parker Ramsay

### **Director of Religious Education**

Giovanna Varlese

### **Director of Maintenance**

Ray Rychalski

### **Administrative Assistant**

Marie Gabrielle Diharce

## Schedule of Masses

### **Masses:**

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:30 am and 12:00 pm

Monday-Thursday: 12:15 pm

**National Holidays:** Mass at 9:00 am

**Confessions:** Saturday 4:00 pm to 4:40 pm

**Anointing of the Sick:** First Saturday of the month at the 5:00 pm evening Mass.

## Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**October 20, 2024**

### **RCI Program:**

Are you interested in becoming a Catholic, or are you a baptized Catholic seeking to complete the Sacraments Initiation?

For an application or any questions, please send an email to [dre.stmarylic@gmail.com](mailto:dre.stmarylic@gmail.com) or call 917-832-6104.

### **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:**

Wednesday 11:00 am to 12:00 pm

### **Baptism:**

4th Saturday of the month at 1:00 pm. For courtesy please arrive fifteen minutes earlier.

Please call the Rectory for an appointment with the Pastor.

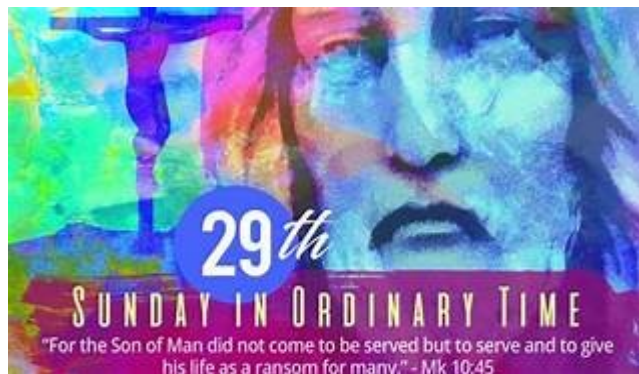
### **Weddings:**

Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance in prior to the wedding date. Please call the Rectory for an appointment with the Pastor. All couples are required to attend the online Pre-Cana and present the certificate when completed.

**Funerals:** Monday through Saturday

**October 20, 2024**  
**Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Today is World Mission Sunday, a day on which we bring to mind the missionaries who preach and live the gospel to those who have not yet heard or understood it. Today also marks the beginning of Pastoral Care Week, in which we recognize those who give spiritual care to those in need. But it is also important to realize that every one of us is called to be both a missionary of the gospel and a giver of pastoral care. As Jesus teaches his disciples in today's Gospel, we are all called to serve.



**Mass Intentions For The Week**

**Saturday October 19, 2024**

5:00 pm Ursula, Michael  
And Ronald Buono

**Sunday October 20, 2024**

9:30 am Margaret Cacclia Gavan  
  
12:00pm Giuseppe Evangelista

**Monday October 21, 2024**

12:15 pm Bob Phillips

**Tuesday October 22, 2024**

12:15 pm Harold O'Leary

**Wednesday October 23, 2024**

11-12pm Exposition of the  
Blessed Sacrament  
  
12:15 pm Father Carl Hamman

**Thursday October 24, 2024**

12:15pm Genevieve Roeder

**Friday October 25, 2024**

**No Mass**

**Saturday October 26, 2024**

5:00 pm Primo Iapace

**Statistics October 19, and October 20, 2024**

Count 5:00pm/ 70  
9:30 am/158  
12:00pm/ 168  
**396**

**1st Collection \$1,600**  
**2nd Collection \$ 429**

**Pray for the sick**

Teresa Ortiz, Joe Sullivan, Martha Catel, Jimmy  
O'Neil, Robert Keegan, Joan Pacheco,  
Madelaine Sullivan, Tina Stare, Angela Iorio,  
Diane Hulser-Brue

**Pray for the Deceased**

Joseph Vessillo, Nicholas Correa,  
Ines Cano, Salvatore Caiaccia,  
Elizabeth Crumish DeMartine,  
Emily Loiacono, Joan O'Brien,  
Anthony Walsh Jr., Father Ray Schmidt,  
Catherine Hogan

**Purgatorial Intentions**

Tom DeQuatro, Felino Francisco Alamani, Dorothy,  
Marinelli, Anna Mangino, Anthony DeFelica,  
Evarito Sipin, Frank Carrado, Yolanda Sipin,  
Genevieve Roeder, Pasqual Cafiero, Robert Rohan,  
Tommaso Valese, Leonardo Antonio, Donna Vova,  
Vincenza Rios, Mildred Schifano

## Join Our Religious Education Sunday School Team! Volunteer Teachers / Aides Needed

Are you passionate about making a difference in the lives of children? Do you have a love for teaching and sharing your faith? Our Sunday school program is looking for dedicated volunteers to join our team!

### Why Volunteer?

**Inspire Young Minds:** Help children learn and grow in their faith.

**Build Community:** Connect with other volunteers and families in our church.

**Share Your Talents:** Use your gifts and creativity to make learning fun and engaging.

### Responsibilities:

Prepare and teach engaging lessons based on provided curriculum.

Create a welcoming and supportive environment for all students.

Collaborate with other volunteers and staff to plan activities and events.

Ensure the safety and well-being of all children in your care.



### Qualifications:

A love for working with children.

Patience, kindness, and a positive attitude.

Willingness to learn and follow the Sunday school curriculum.

### Time Commitment:

Sunday mornings from 10:30 AM to 11:45 AM.

Occasional planning meetings and training sessions.

### Classes for All Ages:

We offer Religious Education Classes for children of all ages, from little ones to teenagers.

### How to Apply:

If you're interested in volunteering or want to learn more, please contact Giovanna Varlese at 917-832-6104 (office)

Email: [DRE.StMaryLIC@gmail.com](mailto:DRE.StMaryLIC@gmail.com) or Scan QR Code

We can't wait to welcome you to our team!

**Make a lasting impact in the lives of our children. Volunteer with us today.** 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal, envisioning a triumph that not only empowers us to extend love to those in need but also enables our hearts to respond to Jesus, who calls us to be in Communion, Participation and Mission.

We invite you to stand with St Mary Roman Catholic Church in supporting the **2024 Annual Catholic Appeal.**

To donate, visit [www.AnnualCatholicAppeal.org](http://www.AnnualCatholicAppeal.org) or text **DONATE to 917-336-1255.**

**Invitation to Journey in Faith Registration**  
**Join Us for the Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA) Courses**  
**Sundays, October 22nd through Eastertide**

Are you curious about Catholicism, considering becoming Catholic, or simply want to deepen your faith journey? Join our OCIA courses where you can explore the rich traditions and teachings of the Catholic Church in a welcoming and supportive environment.

**What to Expect:**

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- **Engaging Classes:** Learn about Catholic beliefs, practices, and the journey of faith.
- **Community:** Meet others on a similar journey and build friendships within our parish community.
- **Spiritual Growth:** Deepen your relationship with God and discover how faith can enrich your life.

**Who Should Attend:**

- **Seekers:** Individuals interested in learning more about the Catholic faith.
- **Catechumens and Candidates:** Those preparing to become Catholic through Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist.
- **Catholics Seeking Formation:** Individuals who wish to deepen their understanding of Catholic teachings and practices.

**Schedule: Start Date:** Sunday, October 22nd

- **Time:** 1 pm – 2:30 pm
- **Location:** St Joseph Center 1015 49<sup>th</sup> Avenue Long Island City, NY 11101
- **Contact Information:** For more information and to register, please contact Giovanna Varlese at [DRE.StMaryLIC@gmail.com](mailto:DRE.StMaryLIC@gmail.com) or Scan QR code



**We look forward to journeying with you towards a deeper understanding and experience of the Catholic faith!**



## Pope's liturgical celebrations in November and early December

Pope Francis will preside at five Masses during the period from November to mid-December, according to the schedule released by the Office for the Liturgical Celebrations of the Supreme Pontiff.

### By Vatican News

The Office for the Liturgical Celebrations of the Supreme Pontiff has published the schedule for Pope Francis' liturgical celebrations for November to mid-December.

The Holy Father's first commitment during that period is Mass in suffrage for deceased Cardinals and Bishops who passed away during the year, which will take place on November 4 at 11 AM in St. Peter's Basilica.

On November 17, Pope Francis will celebrate Mass for the [Eighth World Day of the Poor](#), which has its theme this year "The prayer of the poor rises up to God." The Eucharistic celebration will take place at 10 AM in St. Peter's Basilica.

For the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, on November 24, the World Youth Day at the diocesan level will be celebrated, as established by Pope Francis.

That morning, the Holy Father will preside over Mass at 9:30 AM in St. Peter's Basilica.

The first celebration in the month of December will be on Saturday, December 7, for the Ordinary Public Consistory for the creation of new Cardinals, at 4 PM, in St. Peter's Basilica.

The next day, December 8, the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Pope Francis will preside over Mass at 9:30 AM with the new Cardinals and the College of Cardinals.

Keeping with tradition, on the same day at 4 PM, the Holy Father will perform the traditional act of veneration of the Immaculate Conception in Piazza di Spagna.

On December 12, on the occasion of the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Pope Francis will once again celebrate Mass in St. Peter's Basilica at 6 PM.

[The full calendar](#) can be viewed on the website of the Holy See Press Office.



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**Annual Catholic Appeal 2024**  
DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN

**St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church Pledged the Amount \$ 23,947.72 For "The Annual Catholic Appeal 2024"**

- ⇒ Goal: \$16,785
- ⇒ Pledged: \$23,947.72
- ⇒ Received: \$3,185.82



**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**

In person AA Meetings held in St. Mary's Church Basement, gather Mondays at 7:00 pm  
 Wednesday meetings take place via Zoom at 7:30 pm  
 For more information, please visit the website: **Licgroupsaa@gmail.com**  
 Live Hotline from 9:00 am-2:00 am at 212-647-1680  
 Monday-Sunday



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We encourage parents to attend **every Sunday Mass at 9:30 a.m.** alongside their children. Following the Mass, we invite parents to let their **kids explore and grow in their faith** by attending our

**Catholic faith classes for all ages**, which commence at **10:30 a.m.**  
**If you have any questions, please reach out to:** May God bless you and your family abundantly.

Yours in Christ, Giovanna Varlese, Director.

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