

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church

Sunday, November 10, 2024

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Staff

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Schedule of Masses

Saturday Vigil - 5:00 PM
Sunday - 8:45 AM & 11:45 AM & 4:30 PM (Urdu)
Weekdays - 8:45 AM

Confessions

Saturday - 4:00PM. By appointment for all other times.

Devotions

Miraculous Medal Novena, Mondays following the 8:45 AM Mass.
St. Anthony Novena, Tuesdays following the 8:45 AM Mass.
Recitation of the Rosary following weekday morning Mass.
Eucharistic Adoration, every third Saturday of the month from 3:30PM-4:30PM

Baptism

Parents should call the rectory to make an appointment. Please note that there are no baptisms during the season of Lent.

Marriage

Please call the rectory to schedule an appointment with a member of the Parish Staff. Marriage arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the intended wedding date. In addition, please log on to www.pre-cana.org for complete information about marriage preparation in the Diocese.

Parish Registration

All are welcomed and invited to register at the Parish Office and participate in our parish.

Rectory Office Hours

Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Sunday 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

To see a particular Staff Member, please call for an appointment.



PARISH MISSION STATEMENT:

With confidence that the Immaculate Heart of Mary will guide us, our parish is:

- A faith community proclaiming the Word of God as preached by Jesus Christ
- Strengthened by the Eucharist and striving to live in faith, hope and charity
- A loving family that works collaboratively to establish and develop ministries that address the diverse needs of our community

Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish welcomes all who wish to join us in our journey of faith.

East 4th Street Entrance





ANNOUNCED MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2024

Veterans' Day – Rectory Closed

Ti 1:1-9 Lk 17:1-6

8:45 James Pettit

By Patrick & Denise Collins

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2024

Ti 2:1-8, 11-14 Lk 17:7-10

8:45 Catherine & Thomas Vento

By Niece, Judith Carpenzano

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2024

Ti 3:1-7 Lk 17:11-19

8:45 Frances & Sal Affe

By Cantone Family

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2024

Phmn 7-20 Lk 17:20-25

8:45 Raymond P. Carlock

By Sister, Donna Slivoski

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2024

2 Jn 4-9 Lk 17:26-37

8:45 Anne D'Amato

By Dona Foley

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2024

3 Jn 5-8 Lk 18:1-8

8:45 Barbara Whelan

By Carol Segarra

5:00 Jose Nain Angeles

By Celia Rosa Angeles

Baldemiro Luciano

By Celia Rosa Angeles

Laura Rivera Silvestre

By Benny Rivera

In Thanksgiving for Our Lady of Aparecida

By Marie Claude Jean Baptiste

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2024

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dn 12:1-3 Heb 10:11-14, 18 Mk 13:24-32

8:45 Paul Anthony Lopez

By Michelle Whittingham

11:45 Monthly Mass Enrollment

4:30 Urdu Mass

IN MEMORIAL WEEK OF NOVEMBER 10, 2024



The candle at the IHM Statue is being offered *for Healing of Helen Gonzalez* requested Joyce Jones.



The candle at the St. Joseph Statue is being offered *for Special Intention* by Benny Rivera.



The candle at the Sacred Heart Statue is being offered *for Special Intention* requested by Joyce Jones.



The candle at the St. John Paul II statue is being offered *for Special Intention* requested by Deacon Jim & Mary Noble.



The candle at the Our Lady of Guadalupe picture is being offered *for Special Intention* requested by Joyce Jones.



The red rose at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Statue is being offered in loving memory of *Pasquale Perrotta* requested by his family.



Please remember our men and women serving throughout the world in the US Military in your prayer.



*The sick and the homebound
Immaculate Heart of Mary*

WEEK 1	WEEK 2	WEEK 3
Phool Manhuri Chandra	Gerri Bartolomeo	Vincenza Iuliano
Jorge Escalante	Brian Bohn	Jerome Khokhar
Laura Garcia Martinez	Jose Perez Cruz	Joseph Paloscio
John Hannigan	Anthony Deredita	Albi Ruocco
Mary Mooney	Laura Leach	Anita Valentino
Maria Plasencia	Eileen O'Neill	Tony Valentino
Joseph Palmer Delia		



And our faithful departed loved ones

Clifford Bowen





Dear Parishioners,

Sunday, November 10, 2024, at 4:30 PM, we will hold a **Healing Mass**. We invite you to join us with your family and friends to experience the healing power of Jesus Christ. May His peace be with you.

On Monday, November 11, 2024, we will observe Veterans Day to honor our servicemen and women for their dedicated service to our country and the people of the United States. We will place a wreath before the Blessed Mother and pray for them, their families, and their loved ones. We salute them for their sacrifices to keep us safe and free. May the Lord continue to bless them and their families!

We invite you to our **Holiday Vendor Fair** on Saturday, December 7th, and Sunday, December 8th, 2024, at Brooklyn Prospect Charter School Yard and Gym from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Please join us to support local vendors. Admission is free, and there will be raffles and 50/50 drawings. Vendors will offer a variety of crafted goods, baked items, confections, toys, jewelry, antiques, and more. I've heard Santa may make a special appearance both days! Special thanks to our fundraising committee for their hard work. If you know of any interested vendors, please have them contact the rectory by Wednesday.

Our **20th Annual Christmas Tree & Angel Lighting Blessing** will occur on December 7, 2024, after the 5:00 p.m. Mass. Please call the rectory or use the brochures mailed to you to memorialize a tree, wreath, angel, or tree light. Let's bring the joy and brightness of the Christmas season to our homes and community.

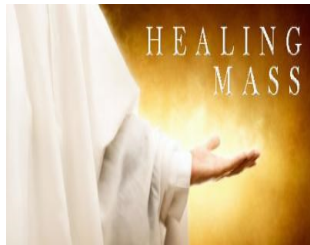
The Respect Life Center extends its gratitude to all of you who returned baby bottles with donations. Your generosity is deeply appreciated, and the center will keep you in its prayers. Your kindness is a blessing to the children and mothers who will benefit from your help.

Finally, I would like to thank each of you for contributing to the **Annual Catholic Appeal**. I am thrilled to announce that we have met our goal! Your donations and pledges have made a significant difference and made Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, the Heart of Brooklyn, shine. Every dollar over our goal comes back to the parish, and we carefully use these funds to maintain our buildings and support our parish needs. Thank you, and may God bless every one of you!

With gratitude,

Fr. Gill

*Healing Mass on
Sunday, November 10th*



4:00 p.m. Rosary (Urdu)
4:30 p.m. Mass begins (English)

Please join Fr. Ilyas Gill to experience the healing power of Jesus.



United in **Communion** ~
United in **Charity**

Parish Goal: \$43,224.00
Pledged to Date: \$46,147.00
Paid to Date: \$44,202.00
Donors: 83

Please be as generous as you can when asked to participate in the Annual Catholic Appeal.



It's Easy to Donate Online
Go to our parish website:
www.ihm-brooklyn.org

Scroll down to Announcements on main page, click on **Annual Catholic Appeal 2024 Diocese of Brooklyn**. This takes you to the ACA webpage; click on

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Rosary Society Annual Sale



Join us on November 23rd & 24th after all the weekend Masses in the church vestibule. Items include rosaries and other religious items, tasty baked goods, children's books, and Christmas decorations.

Thank you for supporting the Rosary Society and helping us grow!



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Once at the site, click on "Register" to establish your account and create your password. Then you can join 'lists' that represent parish ministries and groups at IHM. This is how we communicate news and changes! Please make sure to enter the email address mail@flocknote.com in your email contact list to ensure you will receive all emails.



**OUR OCTOBER 50/50
WINNER:
Nancy Raimondo**



Immaculate Heart of Mary Sewing Group

On Mondays the sewing group will meet at 10:00 a.m. in the Marian Center. All are welcome!!!



The Rectory Office will be closed Monday, November 11, 2024, for Veterans Day. Wreath laying follows the 8:45 am Mass outside of church in grotto by Blessed Mother statue.



Eucharistic Adoration Come and spend An hour with the Lord

IHM Eucharistic Adoration
Saturday, November 16th, 2024
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm in the church.

"When you look at the Crucifix, you understand how much Jesus loved you then. When you look at the Sacred Host, you understand how much Jesus loves you now." ~ Mother Teresa of Calcutta

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available every Saturday from 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm in the church.

Bereavement Support Group

The IHM Bereavement Support Group meets the second Wednesday of each month in the Marian Center from 7:30pm to 9:00pm. The next meeting will be Wednesday, November 14th. This is a support group, not a therapy group. If you would like more information on the group or are interested in attending, please ask Judy (917-617-3812) or Carol (917-921-5155).

*Immaculate Heart of Mary
20th Annual
Christmas Tree & Angel Lighting
December 7, 2024*

Help us illuminate our small corner of Brooklyn once again by memorializing or honoring a loved one with a tree, angel, wreath, poinsettia, or a light on our tree of lights. This really is a beautiful way for our community to remind everyone that Jesus is the light of the world!

**Completed forms should be returned to the rectory
by November 22nd.**

**For more information, contact the rectory office at
718-871-1310 Ext 2.**

IHM SUPER 50/50 RAFFLE

Our Super 50/50 Raffle is underway.
Tickets are \$5 each or 5 for \$20.

Tickets were mailed to registered parishioners. Additional tickets can be purchased in the rectory office. Drawing to be held on Sunday, December 8th, 2024 at 3:00 p.m. at the Annual Holiday Vendor Fair.



La Comunidad Hispana

The next monthly Spanish Mass at Immaculate Heart of Mary will be on Sunday, November 10th at 1:30 pm with hospitality following Mass.

All are welcome!

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La proxima misa en español en el Inmaculado Corazón de María será el domingo, 10 de Noviembre , a las 1:30 pm con hospitalidad siguiendo.

Todos son bienvenidos!



**Sunday, November 10, 2024**  
**Thirty-second Sunday In Ordinary Time**  
**1 KGS 17:10-16; HEB 9:24-28; MK 12:38-44**

Today’s First Reading from the First Book of Kings, as well as the Gospel passage from Mark, both center on the actions of two seemingly poor and helpless widows who show themselves to be faith-filled and generous stewards.

In the eyes of the world, particularly in biblical times when there was no life insurance or Social Security, these widows were weak and dependent on others to take care of them. They each found themselves in desperate situations — one in the midst of famine with a child for which to care, and the other clearly impoverished. Yet, each demonstrated strength and generosity that distinguished them from those around them. From where did this strength come?

It came from knowing who they are, and Whose they are. These women must have known their security would not come from a good life insurance policy or connections to someone with a hidden storehouse of flour.

No, their security came from knowing they were daughters of the Most High God and from putting their faith in Him. They had no need to panic in the midst of natural disaster or cling desperately to their menial resources. Their faith in God set them free to trust Him when all seemed hopeless. Their faith kept them detached from material possessions. Their faith allowed them to be brave and generous, to think of others despite their own trials.

These women saw themselves as stewards, not owners, of the resources God gave them, regardless of how much or how little they had. And acting as stewards made them gracious, generous and mighty indeed.

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# Immaculate Heart of Mary November Mass Enrollment

*In Loving Memory of*

*Andrew D'Agostino*

*Glenn D'Agostino*

*Katherine D'Agostino*

*Mary D'Agostino*

*Paul D'Agostino*

*Phil D'Agostino*

*"Big" Phil D'Agostino*

*Robin D'Agostino*

*Rose D'Agostino*

*Salvatore D'Agostino*

*Violet D'Agostino*

*Rose D'Agostino Casulli*

*Ray Casulli*

*Sr. Mary Ann Ambrose*

*Miguel Marquez Davila*

*Joseph & Julie Ross*

*Joseph Sparacio*

*Praying for World Peace*

*Thanking God for all blessings*

*Residents of Palm Garden NH*

*Military & 1st Responders*

*Laura Garcia Martinez (For Healing)*

*By Diane Summers Devanney*

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*By Carol & Jacob Segarra*

*By Wife, Eusebia Marquez*

*By Ross Family*

*By Wife, Ann Ross-Sparacio*

*By Ruocco Family*

*By Ruocco Family*

*By Ruocco Family*

*By Ruocco Family*

*By Catalina Garcia*



## Immaculate Heart of Mary Prayer Group

Meets Tuesdays from 3:30 pm - 5:00 p.m.  
in the Marian Center. All are welcome!

### OPPORTUNITIES TO HELP & VOLUNTEER

*"When I was hungry, you gave me to eat." (Mt. 25)*

*Our pantry is in need of non-perishable items such as: cereals, peanut butter, jelly, canned vegetables, fruits, and soups, tuna fish, crackers, non-refrigerated milk (ex. Parmalat), etc.*

**Our Parish pledged to #WalkwithFrancis—donating to the Food Pantry is a good way to walk.**




**IHM Youth Ministry**  
**Kick-off**  
**Thanksgiving Pot Luck**  
 All 7th -12th graders are Welcome!  
 JOIN US FOR THANKSGIVING DINNER  
 AND GAMES!  
**Friday, Nov 15th**  
**6:00 PM - 8:00 PM**  
**Marian Center**  
 RSVP to John at johnmancuso@IHM-Brooklyn  
 or via text at 646-573-9418

**REGISTRATION LINK NOW ACTIVE!**  
[HTTPS://CATHOLICFOUNDATIONBQ.ORG/EVENTS/BOCYD-NOVEMBER-23RD/](https://catholicfoundationbq.org/events/bocyd-november-23rd/)

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**BROOKLYN & QUEENS**  
**RENEWING**  
**HOPE**  
**CATHOLIC YOUTH DAY 2024**  
 "They that hope in the LORD will renew their strength..." - Isaiah 40:31

MUSIC BY: ALVERLIS  
 MASS WITH: BISHOP BRENNAN  
 KEYNOTE: OSCAR RIVERA

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2024 9 AM - 4 PM**  
**St. Thomas Aquinas Parish**  
 1550 Hendrickson St. Brooklyn, NY 11234

\*\*\* FOR ALL YOUTH IN MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL \*\*\*

**Immaculate Heart of Mary**  
**Holiday Vendor Fair**  
**December 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>**

**BROOKLYN PROSPECT CHARTER SCHOOL**  
**SCHOOL YARD AND GYM**  
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 BROOKLYN, NEW YORK  
 FROM  
**10:00 AM - 4:00 PM**

**RAFFLES AND 50/50**  
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**VENDORS WILL INCLUDE**  
**CONFECTIONS, CANDIES, CRAFTS,**  
**CLOTHING, HANDMADE ITEMS, ART,**  
**JEWELRY, AND MORE!**

**SPECIAL VISITS FROM SANTA!**

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE A TABLE AT THE FAIR, PLEASE**  
**CONTACT JOHN MANCUSO @ 718-871-1310.**



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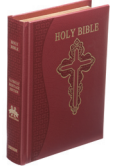
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