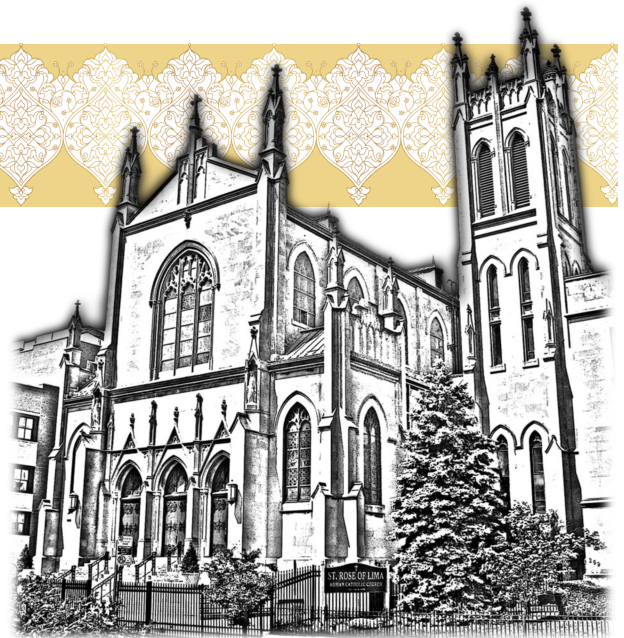


SAINT ROSE OF LIMA CHURCH

February 18, 2024



Apart from the cross, there is no other ladder by which we may get to heaven.



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FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

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Rev. Canon Grzegorz Stasiak
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PARISH STAFF

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Administrative Assistant

Mrs. Marisol Marín
Administrative Assistant

Mrs. Diana Castillo
Religious Education Coordinator

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday
9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Monday & Wednesday
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Friday
9:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Saturday
9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

The rectory will be closed Monday February 19th in observance of Presidents' Day.



MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday

8:30 a.m. (Spanish)
10:00 a.m. (English)
11:30 a.m. (Polish)

Monday - Friday

9:00 a.m. (English)
7:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Saturday

9:00 a.m. (English)
5:00 p.m. Anticipated Mass (English)
7:00 p.m. Anticipated Mass (Spanish)



BAPTISMS

Parents must register and attend a class prior to the child's Baptism. For Baptism in English or Spanish contact the rectory. For Baptism in Polish contact Fr. Grzegorz Stasiak.



MARRIAGES

Please contact the rectory to arrange an appointment with a member of our parish staff. For couples considering marriage, we kindly request that you initiate these arrangements at least six months prior to your intended wedding date. Furthermore, we encourage you to visit www.pre-cana.org for comprehensive information concerning marriage preparation within the diocese.



CONFESSIONS

Available when requested.
Saturdays: 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place every Saturday morning from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Come at any time during this Holy Hour to pray in the presence of the Eucharist. Benediction takes place at 8:50 a.m.



RECITATION OF THE ROSARY

Monday to Friday after 9:00 a.m. Mass and before the 7:00 p.m. Mass. On Sunday before the 8:30 a.m. Mass and after the 10:00 a.m. Mass.



MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Wednesdays after the 9:00 AM Mass.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Sunday morning from 8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. followed by Mass at 10:00 a.m.

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, February 18, 2024

8:30 a.m. People of the Parish

10:00 a.m. ¹In Thanksgiving for Alexandra
²✠ Yves Saint Silver

11:30 a.m. ✠ Boleslaw Mroz

Monday, February 19, 2024

9:00 a.m. ✠ Rita Begley

7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, February 20, 2024

9:00 a.m. ✠ Wanda Siterlet

7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, February 21, 2024

9:00 a.m.

7:00 p.m. Pedro López - Happy Birthday

Thursday, February 22, 2024

9:00 a.m.

7:00 p.m. ✠ Santos Calbo

Friday, February 23, 2024

9:00 a.m. In thanksgiving for Yves Jr. Joseph

9:30 a.m. Stations of the cross (*En.*)

7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross (*Pol. & Sp.*)

8:00 p.m.

Saturday February 24, 2024

9:00 a.m. Purgatorial Society February -
Romano Family, Squire Family,

5:00 p.m. ✠ Rita Begley

7:00 p.m.

(*Sp.*)

GREGORIAN MASSES

You may also request Gregorian Masses for a loved one. Gregorian Masses are a significant tradition in the Catholic Church, named after Pope Saint Gregory I. They consist of 30 consecutive Masses offered for the intention of a soul in Purgatory. These Masses serve to intercede for the deceased person, seeking God's mercy and purification. Their cumulative effect forms a powerful bond of prayer, spanning time and appealing for the soul's journey to Heaven.

MASS INTENTIONS AVAILABLE

February

02/19 - 7 p.m. Sp.

02/20 - 7 p.m. Sp.

02/21 - 9 a.m. En.

02/22 - 7 p.m. Sp.

02/24 - 7 p.m. Sp.

02/26 - All

02/27 - 9 a.m. En.

02/28 - 9 a.m. En.

02/29 - All

03/02 - 8 p.m. Sp.

03/04 - 7 p.m. Sp.

WEEKLY MASS COLLECTIONS

1st Collection: Your Gift to St. Rose

2nd Collection: Black and Indian mission office



Our Collections

Jan. 27 - Jan. 28 \$2,973

Feb 03 - Feb. 04 \$2,875



givecentral.org/srb

DONATE ONLINE!

Donate to our Parish online via Give Central.

We are most grateful to all who support our Pastoral activities through their donations.

May God reward your generosity!

WINE, HOSTS, AND CANDLES

Donations for wine, hosts, candles, in memory of a loved one is \$50 each, for the month. If you would like to donate any of them, please contact the rectory. Thank you.

Monthly Donations for February



The wine is being offered

In loving memory of Maria Mervova

Donated by Marcela Mervova



The host is being offered

In thanksgiving

Donated by Ernie & Viring Bustamante



The candles are being offered

In loving memory of Teresa, Michael & Ashley
Savage

Donated by Mary (Beth) Savage

There are several Mass intentions available in the Mass book, especially on the weekdays. Please visit the Rectory during the week if you would like to have a Mass offered for a loved one.



Hay varias intenciones de Misa disponibles en el libro de Misas, especialmente entre semana. Visite la Rectoría durante la semana si desea que se ofrezca una misa por un ser querido.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK OF THE PARISH

Nieves Ayala, Katie Hagen, Antoinette Calio, Anoma Wilson, Gladys Iqbal, Eric Iqbal, Aida Medina Lopez, Elizabeth Lopez, Efrain Lopez, Nancy M. Lopez, Monica Savage Kanter, Joyce Johnson, Jean Scarpa, Joyce Wright—Rodriguez, Michael Savage, Veronica Asara, Mitchell, Jouvenel Delbrun, Epifano Morales Jimenes, Inez Agueda C, Huerta, Irena Piatek, Dr. Rosa Carrera, Cicely Charles, Rita Pierre, Olivia Delbrun.

(To add a name to the prayer list please contact the rectory)

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

SPECIAL SAINTS AND OBSERVANCES

Sunday: FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Monday:

Tuesday:

Wednesday: Saint Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Thursday: The Chair of Saint Peter the Apostle

Friday: Saint Polycarp, Bishop and Martyr]



The 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal supports the mission of our parish and the daily work of the Church in Brooklyn and Queens in ways no one parish can accomplish alone by supporting the following ministries:

Catholic Youth Ministry Initiative, Catholic Charities; Hospital, College and Prison Chaplains; Diocesan Vocations Office; Catholic Migration Services; Office of Faith Formation; Bishop Mugavero Residence for infirmed clergy; Futures in Education Scholarship Foundation

All donations made to the ACA above our parish goal are returned directly back to our parish for operations and improvements.

Parish Goal: \$33,447

You may also make your gift online now at:

annualcatholicappeal.org

or text DONATE to **917-336-1255**

or call **718-965-7375**

and have a pledge card mailed to your home.



LENTEN SPIRITUALITY OF PRAYER, FASTING AND ALMSGIVING:

Stations of the Cross will take place at the following times:

- English: After the 9:00 AM Mass on Fridays.
- Polish & Spanish: 7:00 PM on Fridays.
- Spanish Mass: 8:00 PM on Fridays.

LENTEN COIN HOLDERS

Lenten coin holders will be available in the vestibule of the church. You may want to use this as a means of "almsgiving" which is one of the practices we focus on during Lent. If possible, we ask that you change coins into bills when you return the holder.



First Sunday of Lent

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Jesus returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days, to be tempted by the devil." (Luke 4:1) "The truth is that only in the mystery of the incarnate Word does the mystery of man take on light." (*Gaudium et Spes*, # 22, Second Vatican Council)

This ancient practice of setting aside 40 days in order to enter - in Jesus - into the desert places in our own daily lives and confront the temptations and struggles we face is a gift. It comes from the Lord and is offered through the Church who is our mother. The Church as mother and teacher knows just what we need. We all know the truth and need to be honest, particularly so during Lent. We all struggle with disordered appetites and unconverted ways of thinking and living

Adam was expelled from the earthly paradise, the symbol of communion with God.... Now, in order to return to that communion and thus to eternal life we must pass through the desert, the test of faith. Not alone but with Jesus who proceeds us and who has already conquered in the fight against the spirit of evil.



Fast & Abstinence

THE LENTEN SEASON 2024

All Catholics are reminded of the Church's Regulations for Lent and the Easter Triduum; we are reminded of the serious obligation you have to follow the law of the Church in this regard:

- Canon 1250 All Fridays through the year and the time of Lent are penitential days and times throughout the entire Church.
- Canon 1251 Abstinence from eating meat or another food according to the prescriptions of the conference of bishops is to be observed on Fridays throughout the year unless they are solemnities; abstinence and fast are to be observed on Ash Wednesday and on the Friday of the Passion and Death of Our Lord Jesus Christ.
 1. Everyone 14 years of age or over is bound to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and all the Fridays of Lent.
 2. Everyone 18 years of age and under 60 years of age is bound to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.
 3. On these two days of fast and abstinence, only one full meatless meal is allowed. Two other meatless meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted on these two days, but liquids, including milk and fruit juices are allowed. When health or ability to work be seriously affected, the law does not oblige.