

St. Robert Bellarmine Roman Catholic Church

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Pastor:

Rev. Gabriel Lee

Senior Priest:

Rev. Msgr. Martin T. Geraghty

Associate Pastor

Rev. John Hwang

Rev. Godofredo Felicitas

Permanent Deacon

Deacon Michael Brainerd

Rectory

Rectory Phone: 718-229-6465

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Mon-Fri: 9am - 12 noon; 1-8pm

Saturday: 10am - 2pm

Sunday: 10am - 2pm

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SICK AND EMERGENCY CALLS AT
ANY TIME

Director Music Ministry

Catherine Kim

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Faith Formation

Director of Faith Formation

Ms. Lisa Sampson

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Sunday School 9AM - 11:45AM

Faith Formation and Sacramental
Preparation programs for children
grades 1-12

RCIA Programs for Adults/Teens



December 10, 2017
Second Sunday of Advent
"A Stewardship Parish"

Baptism:

2nd & 4th Saturday of the month at 12:30 pm - Baptismal Instruction Obligatory for Parents. Godparents are encouraged to attend and must provide Baptismal, Confirmation & Sponsorship certificates - Class 1st Thursday of the month, Rectory 7:00 pm. All Godparents MUST be practicing Catholics. NO Baptisms during Lenten Season.

Consolation Ministry: Diane Fugalli

718-229-6465 or 917-748-4534

Marriages: Arrangements must be made at the Rectory at least 9 months in advance. Please log on to www.pre-cana.org for complete information about marriage preparation in the diocese.

Pastoral Care: In case of dangerous illness or accident, please call the Rectory immediately -718- 229-6465. Upon request, Communion will be brought by Ministers of Holy Communion to the home of any bedridden, homebound, or chronically ill parishioner.

Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass Schedule:

Saturday Evening Mass 5:00 pm *
8:45pm (Korean)

Sunday: 8:00, 9:15 (Korean),
11:00am & 12:30 pm

Weekday Masses:

Monday - Friday 7:00 & 9:00 am

Saturday 9:00 am

Confessions: Saturdays: 4-4:45pm

Holy Day of Obligation - Vigil Mass
the night before at 7:30PM. Day of
Masses are at 7:00 AM and 9:00AM

Parish Membership

Every parishioner should register at the Rectory upon moving into the Parish.

Alcoholics Anonymous

Open meetings every Monday evening at 7:15 pm in the Parish Hall.

Senior Citizens

Wed: 1-3:30 pm (School Auditorium).

Prayer Group meets Tuesdays,

9:45 am in the Rectory Basement.

St. Vincent DePaul Group

In case of need please call the Rectory.

Knights of Columbus

2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month,
7:30 pm in the Parish Hall.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

2nd Friday, 8PM

Call for location, 718-423-6434

Filipino - American Community

3rd Tuesday of the month, 7:30 pm
Rectory Basement, 718-279-1083

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QueensDeanery5.org

MASSES OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY - DECEMBER 10TH

8:00 Denise Savignano - Family
11:00 Alexandria Dunne - K. Roginski
12:30 Vito A. Santarsiro - Eileen Maloney

MONDAY - DECEMBER 11TH

7:00 Maria Lin - Ping Chen
9:00 Joseph Rizzi - Jenny Rizzi & Sons

TUESDAY - DECEMBER 12TH

7:00 All Souls - Wenmey Ting
9:00 Marguerite Cox

WEDNESDAY - DECEMBER 13TH

7:00 Gwen Hannafee
9:00 Sungsil Lee - Susan Kown

THURSDAY - DECEMBER 14TH

7:00 Frances Ferrari - Parents
9:00 Marybeth Riordan - Noemi Mascarenas

FRIDAY - DECEMBER 15TH

7:00 Paul Canestro - Mary Butler
9:00 Mercedes Ferreira - Neva

SATURDAY - DECEMBER 16TH

9:00 Msgr. Conrad Deitz - Eileen Maloney
5:00 Ethel & Frances McGrath - Pat & Tom McNulty

SUNDAY - DECEMBER 17TH

8:00 Anna & Vincenzo Ferrante - Son
11:00 Pat Hannon/John Redington - Family
12:30 Helen & Joseph Iaccino - Children

CHANGE OF CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

There will be a change in the Mass schedule for Christmas Day. We will combine the 11:00AM and 12:30PM and Mass will start at 12:00PM with caroling.

St. Robert Bellarmine Advent Evening of Prayer

Please join us for an Advent Evening of prayer on Monday, December 11th at 7:30 pm in the Church. Sr. Ave Clark will lead us in reflection and prayer. Love offering accepted.

Tri – Diocesan Advent Reconciliation

Advent Reconciliation will be celebrated on Monday, December 18th from 3 pm – 8 pm. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available in all Roman Catholic Churches in the Dioceses of Brooklyn & Rockville Centre and the Archdiocese of New York. Our parish December Reconciliation schedule remains the same, 4 pm – 4:45 pm on Saturdays.

TOYS FOR THE NEEDY

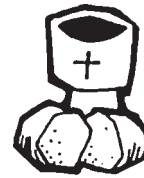
We will be happy to accept and distribute new toys to children in need. We can accept them on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16TH & SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17TH. PLEASE DO NOT WRAP THEM so they can be inspected for safety

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SPIRITUAL BOUQUET

You may have your loved ones remembered at Christmas Day Masses and a Christmas Novena of Masses. Just complete the specially marked envelopes and return it in the collection basket or the Rectory by Christmas Eve.



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LIVING MEMORIAL WEEK OF DECEMBER 10TH BREAD & WINE

IN MEMORY OF SR. MARGARET McMAHON
Requested by the Romanzo Family

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CHRISTMAS WREATHS & PLANTS

The Parents and Friends of Boy Scout Troop 142 will be selling Christmas Wreaths and Plants on Sunday, December 10th from 8:00AM to 1:00PM in front of all Church entrances.

Bring home a beautiful Christmas wreath or plant to brighten your home for the holidays, and help support the Scouting Program sponsored by St. Robert Bellarmine Parish. Merry Christmas and than You for your support.

Breakfast With Santa



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Join the Knights of Columbus for Breakfast With Santa on Sunday, December 10th in the Parish Hall between 8AM–Noon. Breakfast will include pancakes, sausage, orange juice, coffee, and tea. Adults \$8.00, children \$5.00. Bring your camera. Activities will be available

for the children. Buy tickets at the door. For information contact Tim Farrell at 917-692-0876 or Frank Falco at 718-423-3365.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN HOLIDAY DRIVE NOVEMBER 17TH THROUGH DECEMBER 15TH

Please bring your donation to one of our three location. St. Mary's will gladly accept gift cards. Checks (payable to St. Mary's Foundation) or new clothing (pjs, socks, underwear, sneakers) or toys (arts and crafts supplies, musical books, rattles, etc). PLEASE DO NOT WRAP THEM. Sponsored by Martin A. Gleason Funeral Home LLC. 149-20 Northern Blvd., Flushing NY, 10-25 150 St., Whitestone, NY, 36-46 Bell Blvd., Bayside, NY.



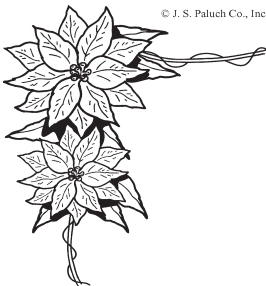
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Come Sing With Us

The Bayside Hills Civic Association is having its annual Christmas tree and Menorah lighting on December 10th at 5 PM, on the Bell Blvd. mall at 53rd Ave. To honor what Christmas is all about, we will gather around the Nativity Scene to sing Christmas carols. There will be Hanukkah songs, holiday songs sung by the children from PS 203, and a visit to Santa when the tree is lit. We hope as many parishioners as possible will come join us to sing and spread holiday cheer.

POINTSETTIAS

Again this year we are offering the possibility of donating a poinsettia plant for our Sanctuary in memory of your beloved deceased. If interested, please fill out the information, enclose your offering and return it in the collection basket or the Rectory by December 17th so that we can be certain of having the poinsettia orders filled for Christmas



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Bambinelli Sunday – Sunday, December 17th

Blessing of the Christ Child

For the past several decades, each year on Gaudete Sunday, the Third Sunday of Advent, children (and adults) bring their Baby Jesus figures from the crib at their homes to St. Peter's Square where the Pope will bless both the people and the figurines during the Angelus.

This year we will celebrate "Bambinelli Sunday" during all of our Masses on Sunday, December 17th. All are invited to bring the Baby Jesus figure from their homes to Mass that morning to be blessed.

REACH

The REACH Program of Regis High School is now accepting nominations. REACH is a free high school prep program that prepares middle school boys for admission to Regis and other top Catholic high schools. To qualify, students must:

1. Be a 5th grade, Catholic boy
2. Have high grades and test scores
3. Live in NYC and come from a family with significant financial need.

For more information, please visit our website at www.regis.org/reach or contact Alan Garcia at 646-657-2061 or agarcia@regis.org.



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PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SERVICEMEN

Lt. Daniel Vorsky



St. Vincent de Paul

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ST. VINCENT DEPAUL CAR PRO- GRAM GIVES BACK VINCENTIAN OUT- REACH PROGRAM

St. Robert's should share in profits. For every car, truck or van running or not. St. Vincent DePaul will give back to our church \$75/\$200 per vehicle. Maybe you don't have a vehicle, but a family member, friend or neighbor has an old or neglected vehicle in their driveway that they would like to dispose of. Please call St. Vincent DePaul at 718-491-2525. Thank you for your participation.



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CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE 2017

CHRISTMAS MASSES

Christmas Eve

Sunday, December 24, 2017

5:00PM Mass

10PM Christmas Carols by choirs

10:30PM Mass Begins

(English/Korean)

Christmas Day

Monday, December 25, 2017

8:00AM, 9:15AM (Korean)

12:00PM

No Evening Mass on Christmas Day

New Year's Eve Mass

Sunday, December 31, 2017

5:00PM Mass and Blessing of Calendars

New Year's Day Masses

Monday, January 1, 2018

8:00AM, 10:30AM (Korean)

12:00PM

No Evening Mass on New Year's Day

SPECIAL CEREMONIES

CONFESSIONS

Saturday, December 9, 2017

Saturday, December 16, 2017

4:00PM to 4:45PM