
CHURCH OF SAINT GREGORY THE GREAT

242-20 88TH AVENUE, BELLEROSE, NY 11426

Week of March 22, 2020
THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT



ALL PARISH MEETINGS, EVENTS
AND ACTIVITIES ARE
SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE
CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE.

Parish Mission Statement:

St. Gregory the Great Parish, established in 1936, is a welcoming Catholic community serving the people of Bellerose, Floral Park, and environs. Pursuing holiness through the Eucharist, we strive to live out Jesus Christ's mandate of service, evangelization, and establishment of justice for all. Embracing the diversity and talents of our members, we seek the participation of everyone on the journey.

Parish Staff:

Msgr. Edward A. Ryan, Pastor
Rev. Johnson Nedungadan, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Szymon Galazyn, Parochial Vicar
Deacon Arthur Cutter
Deacon Robert Zeuner
Sr. Patricia Anglin, O.P., Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation
Ms. Lynn Alaimo, Academy Principal
Mr. Bart Haggerty, Director of Music Ministry
Rev. Joseph Cunningham, Pastor Emeritus
Mr. John Reh, Civil Trustee
Mrs. Patricia Brandt, Civil Trustee

Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00PM
Sunday: 8:00AM; 9:15AM; 11:00AM; 12:30PM; 5:15PM
Weekdays:
Monday 9:00AM & 7:00PM
Tuesday - Friday: 7:00AM & 9:00AM
Saturday Morning: 9:00AM
Holydays: Vigil Mass: 7:30PM
7:00AM; 9:00AM; 7:30PM



Eucharistic Devotion: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place every Tuesday from the conclusion of the 9:00AM Mass until 10:30AM. Every First Friday of the month, there will be Eucharistic Adoration for Divine Mercy from the conclusion of the 9:00AM Mass until 10:30AM.

Contact Information:

Parish Office:

242-20 88th Ave.
Phone 718-347-3707
Fax 718-347-0583
Parish Website: saintgregorythegreat.com
Parish Email: stgregoffice@aol.com
Mrs. Lois Brady, Parish Receptionist
Miss Jennifer Kalin, Parish Receptionist
Mrs. Patricia McMenamin, Parish Secretary
Mr. Peter Varol, Parish Bookkeeper
Office Hours:
Monday-Thursday 9:00AM - 7:00PM
Fridays 9:00AM - 6:30PM
Saturdays 9:00AM - 11:00AM
Sundays 7:30AM - 1:00PM

Office of Faith Formation

Gregorian Hall
Phone 718-347-0525
Sr. Patricia Anglin, O.P., Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation
Ms. Kathy LaVache, Secretary
Office Hours:
Tuesday 10:30AM - 3:30PM
Wednesday 10:30AM - 3:30PM
Thursday 10:30AM - 3:30PM
Sunday 10:15AM - 11:30AM

St. Gregory the Great Catholic Academy of Bellerose

Address 244-44 87th Ave.
Phone 718-343-5053
School Website: sgtgca.org
Ms. Lynn Alaimo, Principal
Mrs. Camille Gunning, Secretary

Baptism: Baptism is celebrated on the Second Sunday of each month at 2:00PM and on the Fourth Saturday of each month at 12:00Noon. Please call the Parish Office to make an appointment to meet with Deacon Zeuner.

Sacrament of Penance: The Sacrament of Penance is offered each Saturday at 1:00PM. and at other times by appointment with one of our priests.

Marriage: A couple planning marriage must make an appointment with one of our priests or deacons at least 6 months in advance of the marriage.

**ST. GREGORY THE GREAT
CATHOLIC ACADEMY**

**SGTGCA IS CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER
NOTICE.**



FAITH FORMATION

**CLASSES ARE SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER
NOTICE.**

Any questions, please contact Sr. Patricia Anglin at the Office of Faith Formation 718-347-0525.

ALTAR SERVERS

**AT THIS TIME ALTAR SERVING
IS SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

RCIA - Have you received all your Sacraments of Initiation? If you are an adult, 18 years or older and interested in completing your Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion) now is the time to register. Please contact Sr. Patricia Anglin at 718-347-0525 to make an appointment.

**THE FOLLOWING GROUPS & SOCIETIES
WILL NOT MEET UNTIL FURTHER
NOTICE:**

**BOOK CLUB
CRAFT GROUP
CUB SCOUTS
GOLDEN AGE LEISURE CLUB
GOLDEN AGE GHT (THURSDAY) CLUB
PRAYER SHAWL & QUILTING
QIGONG
RCIA
RENEW - LIVE LENT**

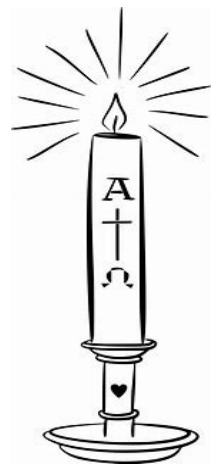
PENANCE - Individual confession will be heard by appointment only. Please call the Parish Office at 718-347-3707 if you wish to make an appointment with one of the priests.

**THE FOLLOWING EVENTS HAVE BEEN
CANCELLED:**

**ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION - ALL C.Y.O.
SPORTS
BREAKFAST WITH THE EASTER BUNNY
LENTEN SOUP SUPPER
RECONCILIATION MONDAY
STATIONS OF THE CROSS
THE PAPAL STATIONS OF THE CROSS
(Presented by Young Adults)**

CHRIST our LIGHT

***Follow the LORD and
Live in the light of life.***



CALENDAR OF EVENTS
Week of March 22, 2020

**ALL EVENTS PREVIOUSLY SCHEDULED
ARE CANCELLED.**

MASSES FOR THE WEEK
Week of March 22, 2020

**ALL MASS INTENTIONS WILL BE
HONORED AND CELEBRATED BY THE
PRIESTS AT A PRIVATE MASS.**

SUN. MAR. 22ND

8:00AM Antonio Fernandes
9:15 Members of the Purgatorial Society
11:00 Louise M. Barrett (Anniv. Rem.)
12:30PM Simon Andrade
5:15PM All People of the Parish

MON. MAR. 23RD

9AM Deogracias Dayao
7PM

TUES. MAR. 24TH

7AM
9AM John & Maude DiLeonardo

WED. MAR. 25TH

7AM
9AM Marybeth & Marianne Konecni

THURS. MAR. 26TH

7AM James B. Frank III (Anniv. Rem.)
9AM Vincent B. Toner

FRI. MAR. 27TH

7AM
9AM Helen Cosentino (Birth. Rem.)

SAT. MAR. 28TH

9AM
5PM Clara Barrella



LENTEN REGULATIONS:

Abstinence - All the faithful who have reached 14 years of age are required to abstain totally from meat on Ash Wednesday and the Fridays of Lent.

Fasting - All the faithful between the ages of 18 and 59 inclusive are bound to observe the fasting regulations on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. This practice involves limiting oneself to a single full meal and avoiding food between meals. Light sustenance may also be taken on two other occasions during the day.

Easter Duty - After receiving First Holy Communion, all the faithful are bound by the obligation of receiving Communion at least once a year. This precept must be fulfilled during the Easter Season unless for a good reason it is fulfilled at another time of the year. The time period for fulfilling this precept is from the First Sunday of Lent to the celebration of Pentecost on May 31st.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:



FOR THE SICK

Rico Adelan, Maureen Campbell,
Guillermo Dumalaos, Violetta Sibuca,
Loreto Acejo, Modesto Ortiz, Mary &
Patrick McKenna, Vincent Schaub, Cookie
Taormina, Charles Leidner, Pat Grippo,
Geo Rangero, Jeannette Previdi, Alysse &
Massimo Crescenzo, Grace & Kenny Leuze

FOR THE DECEASED

THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Pope Francis' prayer for protection from the COVID-19 virus.

O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey
As a sign of salvation and hope.
We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick.
At the foot of the Cross you participated in Jesus' pain, with steadfast faith.

You, Salvation of all the people,
know what we need.
We are certain that you will provide, so that,
As you did at Cana of Galilee,
Joy and feasting might return
after this moment of trial.

Help us, Mother of Divine Love,
To conform ourselves to the Father's will
and to do what Jesus tells us:
He who took our sufferings upon Himself,
and bore our sorrows to bring us,
through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection.

We seek refuge under your protection,
O Holy Mother of God.
Do not despise our pleas -
We who are put to the test -
And deliver us from every danger,
O glorious and blessed Virgin.

Amen



THE SANCTUARY LAMP AND ALTAR CANDLES burning throughout the week of March 22nd have been donated in loving memory of Helen Cosentino, requested by Barbara Ann Cosentino.



Annual Catholic Appeal 2020
DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN

The 2020 Annual Catholic Appeal to support the mission of the Diocese of Brooklyn has begun.. This effort is vital to keep the services of the diocese in place and meeting the needs of a diverse population.

The incentive to surpass our goal this year is to help defray the cost of replacing the roof on Gregorian Hall, a project that must be undertaken soon due to multiple leaks.

Parish Goal: \$99,015.00
Amount Received: \$ 9,830.00

COLLECTIONS - The collections for the week of March 15th amounted to \$4,472 for the parish. Thank you for your generosity.

2020 CENSUS - It is easy, safe and very important!
Every 10 years, the U.S. Census Bureau conducts a count of every person living in the United States. The 2020 Census helps determine how many representatives each state has in Congress. It informs how billions of dollars in federal funding will be allocated to communities for housing, schools, food assistance, transportation, health care, and other vital social services for the next 10 years. Your information is protected and never shared with law enforcement or any other agency, including ICE. Responses are used only to produce statistics. The Census Bureau does not disclose any personal information. It is short and easy to complete. It will NOT ask about citizenship, legal status, income, or social security number. Every household has the option to respond online, by phone, or by mail and in the language of their choice. Do not miss out on resources for yourselves and your communities. Be counted! For more information, Contact: (Queens) Josefa Castro- Josefa.castro@ccbq.org