

LENT

“Queen of Peace is a parish of many cultures, living one Catholic faith, united to glorify God, and striving to provide a spiritual home for the members of our diverse community.”

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In addition to our Parish Office, the rectory is also home to the Priests of the parish. Please respect their home by calling in advance to make an appointment with a priest or deacon

Our Lady, Queen of Peace, Pray for us

Queen of Peace bells peal each day at 3:00 pm The Great Hour of Divine Mercy. Recite“ Jesus, I trust in You” every day during the pealing of the bells.

4th Sunday of Lent

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 8:30AM & 11:00AM

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

8:30 AM Monday- Saturday
Mass in Spanish every Friday

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday:
9:00 AM TO 12:00 PM
1:00PM TO 4:00PM
Office closed Saturday & Sunday

LEGION OF MARY

Tuesday 10:30AM
Parish Center

EVENING HOURS BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

BAPTISMS In English at 2pm on the 3rd Saturday of the month. Baptisms in Spanish on the 3rd Sunday of each month at 2:00pm. Please call the Rectory to register.

PENANCE Confessions are heard each Saturday 4:00- 4:45. Confessions anytime by appointment.

MARRIAGES Arrangements should be made at least (9) months in advance. Please call the Rectory for an appointment with a Priest/Deacon

CARE OF THE SICK Communion is regularly brought to the sick by our Eucharistic Ministers, Deacons and Priests. Please let us know when a parishioner is unable to come to church due to serious illness or age. Anointing of the sick is celebrated on the first Saturday of each month during the 8:30 Mass.

Eucharistic Adoration Wednesday 9AM-Noon First Friday 9AM - Noon concludes with Midday Prayer & Novena

March 22, 2020

MASST INTENTIONS

SUNDAY **March 22nd Glorious Mysteries**
 8:30 A.M. Olga Ortiz
 11:00 A.M. Kasper Family

MONDAY **March 23rd Joyful Mysteries**
 8:30 A.M. Marash Ivezaj

TUESDAY **March 24th Sorrowful Mysteries**
Collective Intention
 8:30 A.M. People of Queen of Peace Parish
 Krzysztof Picheta
 Barbara Picheta
 Barbara Salwa
 Tadeusz Salwa

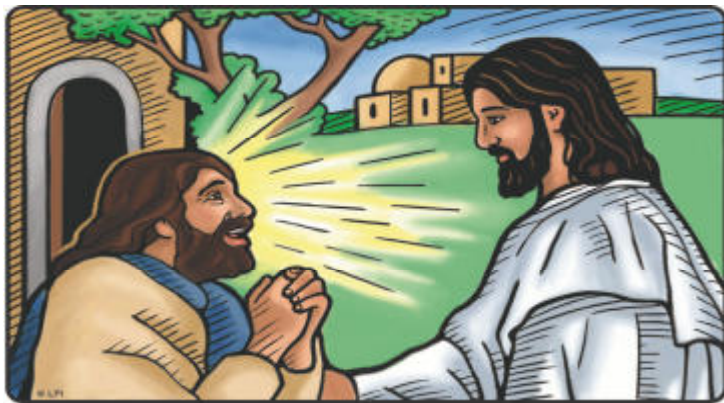
WEDNESDAY **March 25th Glorious Mysteries**
 8:30A.M. Hernando Diaz & Josefina Diaz

THURSDAY **March 26th Luminous Mysteries**
 8:30A.M. Gabriel Salwa

FRIDAY **March 27th Sorrowful Mysteries**
 8:30A.M. Piotr Salwa
 7:30P.M. Spanish Mass

SATURDAY **March 28th Glorious Mysteries**
 8:30 A.M. Przemek Salwa
 5:00P.M. Faltynowics Family

SUNDAY **March 29th Glorious Mysteries**
 8:30A.M. Marta Salwa
 11:00 A.M. Hylla Rebello



Readings for the week of March 22, 2020

Sunday: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7
 Monday: Is 65:17-21 Jn 4:43-54
 Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12 Jn 5:1-16
 Wednesday: Is 7:10-14 Lk 1:26-38
 Thursday: Ex 32:7-14 Jn 5:31-47
 Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22 Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
 Saturday: Jer 11:18-20 Jn 7:40-53
 Next Sunday: Ez 37:12-14 Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45

A Message from the Pastor

Last week we celebrated the feast of St. Joseph, the Husband of Mary and the legal father of Jesus. Pope Francis has a statue of the Sleeping Joseph on his night table and his advice is that if you have something that concerns you that you write it on a piece of paper and slip it under the statue of St. Joseph. I have that same statue and custom, by the way. Why "sleeping" people ask? Joseph was like his namesake in the Book of Genesis, a master dreamer! Joseph the Carpenter had angels appear to him in dreams to announce the Christ Child's birth and to warn of the evil intentions of King Herod, and finally, to tell him when it was safe to return from Egypt. Even when sleeping St. Joseph is taking care of the Church!

Today is the Fourth Sunday of Lent, traditionally called Laetare (Rejoice!) Sunday and the priest wears rose colored vestments. We rejoice because Lent is more than half over and Easter will soon be here. Our Lady, Undoer of Knots, Pray for us! *MJH*



Palm Sunday Regular Schedule with Procession with Palm

April 6 Reconciliation Monday Confessions from 7am to 9pm

Holy Thursday Morning 8:30 Morning Prayer

The Sacred Triduum

*Holy Thursday
 Evening Mass of The Lord's Supper 7:30pm
 Good Friday*

*Tenebrae 8:30am
 Bi-Lingual Stations of the Cross 12Noon
 Meditations on the Seven Last Words of Jesus 1pm
 Service of the Passion 3pm in English 6pm in Spanish*

*Holy Saturday
 Tenebrae 8:30am
 Blessing of Easter Food 10 am
EASTER
 Solemn Vigil of Easter 8pm
 Easter Sunday 8:30 and 11am*

Marian Anthem For the Lenten Season

Ave Regina Caelorum Hail Queen of Heaven

Hail, queen of heaven, Hail lady of the angels.
Hail, root, hail gate, From which the light of the world was born. Rejoice, glorious Virgin, Fairest above all. Fare thee well, most beautiful one, And plead for us to Christ.

St. John's University Speech and Hearing Center HEARING AID HELP through May 4th, 2020 . This FREE service is available for anyone who has a hearing aid and is experiencing difficulty caring for it or using it. Please call 718.990.6480 to schedule an appointment. The Center is located at 15211 Union Turnpike, really just down the block. From us.

ALSO The Center is offering FREE speech and hearing screenings through May 4th. Please call for an appointment

Annual Catholic Appeal 2020

Thank you for your prayerful consideration of a pledge and your participation in the 2020 Appeal. Our goal is \$20,748 so please be as generous as you can! I've already made my pledge!

The Prayer Corner

O Flaming Mountain, O Chosen Sun, O Full Moon, O Bottomless Well, O Unattainable Height, O Brightness Beyond Compare, O Wisdom Without Measure, O Mercy Unsurpassed, O Might Irrestible, O Crown of All Glory, Your lowly creature sings Your praises!

*Mechtild of Magdeburg
Died 1282*

Is God calling you or someone you know to proclaim the coming of the kingdom as a priest, deacon, religious sister or brother? email: vocations@diobrook.org.

Queen of Peace bells peal each day at 3:00 pm **The Great Hour of Divine Mercy**. Re-cite "Jesus, I trust in You" every day during the pealing of the bells.

Do you know someone who has a problem with drugs and wants to stop using? The Corona Self Help Center can help. 718 458 0108 www.daamerica.org

Pray for our sisters and brothers in the U.S. Military

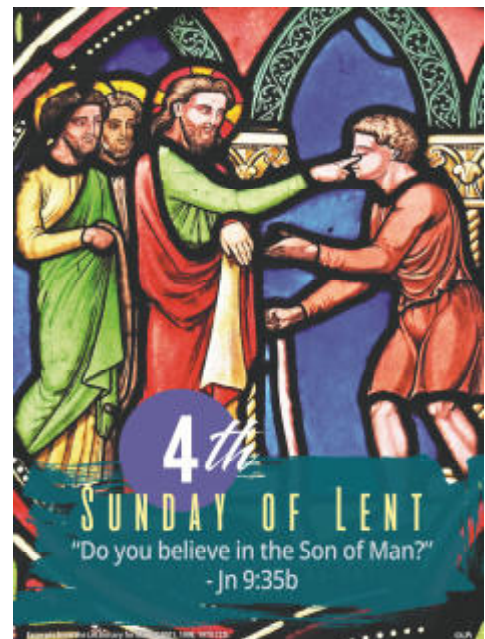
*Fr. (Colonel) James Krische, USA
George Mendez, USA
Fr. (LCDR) David Daigle, USN*

We pray for those who are ill

Mikhail Mampilly, Andrea Almonte

We remember in prayer those who have died

Joseph Pittapilly



Lent at Queen of Peace

Bi-lingual (English-Spanish) Stations of the Cross every Friday at 6.30pm.

Stations of the Cross Sundays following the 11am Mass and Weekdays following the 8.30 Mass on Wednesdays and Fridays.

Confessions will be heard following the 8.30am Mass on Thursdays until 10am and from 3pm to 4.45pm on Saturday

Monsignor Hardiman will be offering a series of presentations on The Psalms on Saturday mornings at 10am in the Parish Center (Convent Basement) and repeated on Sunday mornings at 9:45am in the MARY CHAPEL.

Safe Environment Compliance Statement

Queen of Peace Parish in Kew Gardens Hills complies with all Safe Environment mandates set forth by the Diocese of Brooklyn and the US Conference of Catholic Bishops. All employees and volunteers who have contact with children must attend a VIRTUS session, sign a Code of Conduct and submit to a background search. The Diocese of Brooklyn wishes to do everything possible to see that all people, particularly children, are safe in all pastoral settings. Excuses and rationalizations for such criminal actions will not be accepted. To report sexual abuse involving diocesan personnel — priests, deacons, teachers, catechists, employees, or volunteers — the Diocese has a toll free confidential hot line 1-888-634-4499.

Prayers for the Sick and those in the US Military

We would be happy to include those family and friends who are ill or who are currently serving on active duty in the US Armed Forces here in the Parish Bulletin. Please call the rectory with the names of the sick and the name, service branch, and rank of those you wish to have remembered in the prayers of the parishioners. The sick will remain on the list for three weeks and can be renewed.

Census Day is April 1, 2020

Catholic Charities, Brooklyn and Queens has been selected to work on the New York City Census 2020. They will assist in getting all our residents to be counted and to ensure that our communities are accurately represented in Congress and the allotment of federal government funds for needed services such as, education, housing, social services, and aid for seniors, etc.

SNEAKY LENT

Today is the Fourth Sunday of Lent; how are those Lenten resolutions doing? What is the prayer part of Lent for me? The fasting? Almsgiving?

Did I “fall off the wagon” and say to myself “what’s the use” I failed in those things I said would make Lent special this year.

“Pick yourself up, dust yourself off and start all over again!”

The Great Hour of Divine Mercy

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**Lenten Calendar:
EASTER COUNTDOWN FOR THE POOR**

Starting today each day add an item, or a substitute, to a box at home preparing a food package for Easter for a family in need. Please bring the box to Queen of Peace Church on Sunday April 5. What a great way to remember the poor at Easter and as we prepare for the celebration of The Risen One who invites to "Feed the Hungry."

March 15 Macaroni and cheese

March 16 Can of Fruit

March 17 Canned Tomatoes

March 18 Can of Tuna Fish

March 19 Jar of Applesauce

March 20 Canned Yams

March 21 Can of Soup

March 22 Package of Oatmeal

March 23 Can of Carrots

March 24 Can of Green Beans

March 25 Can of Mixed Vegetables

March 26 Canned Corn

March 27 Can of Peas

March 28 Boxes of Pasta

March 29 Package of Rice

March 30 Chicken Noodle Soup

March 31 Can of Beans

April 1 Pudding Mix

April 2 Parmalat

April 3 Can of Beans

April 4 Jell-O

Food boxes will be given to the St. Nicholas of Tolentine Food Pantry for use at Easter and during the spring.

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