

St. Mary Star of The Sea R.C. Church



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**Serving the faithful of South
Brooklyn Since 1851**



ALL ARE WELCOME TO PRAY WITH US!

Parish Staff

Father Chris Cashman - Pastor
Mrs. Debra Russo - Rectory Office Manager
Ms. Deirdre Donovan - Organist/Cantor
Mr. Philip Randazzo - Maintenance/Sacristan

Mass

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday: ■ 9:30 AM
Saturday: ■ 4:00 PM
Sunday: ■ 10:00 AM
Holy Days: ■ 7AM & 9:30 AM - No evening Mass

Baptism

Parents should call the Rectory for an appointment and to learn the date of the next Baptism. A copy of the birth certificate and attendance at Baptism Preparation class are required. Baptism is celebrated several Sundays a year at 11:00 AM.

Reconciliation/Confession

Saturdays after 4:00 pm Mass, by request after weekday Mass, and other times that are mutually convenient for you and Fr. Chris.

Marriage

Couples wishing to marry must contact Fr. Chris at least six months prior to the date they desire. Log on to www.pre-cana.org for info.

The Rectory Office

Hours are:

Monday - Thursday ■ 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM
■ 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Evenings & Saturdays ■ By Appointment Only

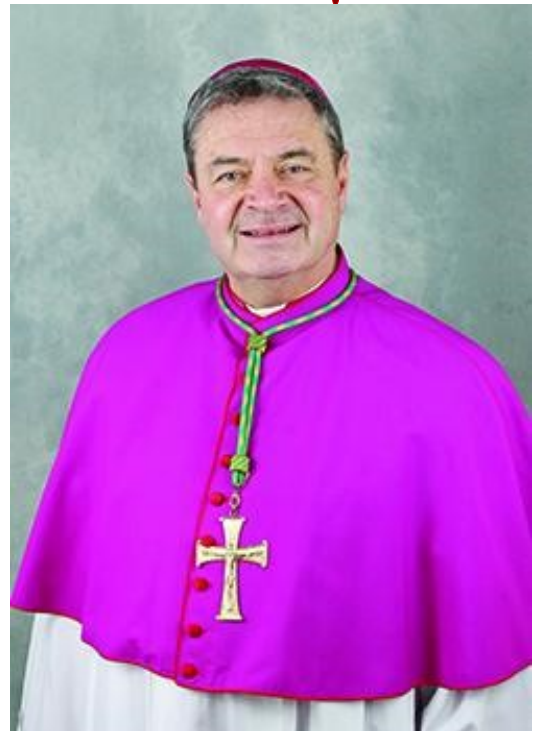
Fridays, Sundays & Holidays ■ Office Is Closed

*Please always call for an appointment during
Rectory Office Hours. Thank you!*



Everyone who regularly worships here should be properly registered. We ask everyone to use our weekly envelope system. We depend upon your communal, spiritual, and financial support. Thank you!

Welcome Bishop Brennan!



On the cover...

I am very happy to welcome Bishop Brennan to Brooklyn. Many of you remember that he came and spoke to us back on April 5, 2017.

The picture on the bottom of the cover is of his installation as Bishop in Columbus Ohio, with Joe Miller, our classmate and close friend. Bishop Brennan is loved in Ohio; they will miss him terribly. The one below that is seminarians Joe Miller, Chris Cashman, and Bob Brennan at the Mets home opener in 1987. The three of us go way back.

Bishop Brennan is intelligent, experienced and compassionate. He is dedicated to the Most Holy Eucharist and prayer. He will be a loving shepherd to us. Please pray for him... Brooklyn is a Diocese with many issues, problems, he will have to tackle head on. Ad multos annos Bishop!

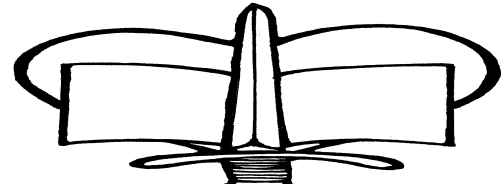
*Please listen to Our Holy Father Pope Francis, who calls getting vaccinated against COVID19 an "Act of Love". The Pope urges **EVERYONE** to get vaccinated NOW!*

*There is **NO** religious exemption for Catholics. The Vatican has deemed that all 3 vaccines are morally acceptable. The surge in illness, hospitalizations, and deaths is among those not vaccinated. The Delta strain is deadly; everyone must do their part to stop the spread!*

If you haven't gotten the vaccine yet, please wear a mask at all times while in Church and keep the social distance. Thank you!

Enjoy a great week,

Fr. Chris ☕



GIFTS

In today's readings, we discover that material wealth alone does not keep us from discipleship. We will see that there are other gifts more important than material wealth, but even so, it is how we use our gifts that matters most.

Today's scriptures point to the value of the gifts of wisdom, trusting in God, and letting our actions reflect the love of God from within. It is not gold that causes us to fall, but rather the desire for gold above all other things. From the readings in Wisdom and Hebrews, we find the source of God's gifts in our lives. Wisdom is more valuable than worldly possessions. In Hebrews, we are challenged to look at our own values and admit honestly what controls our lives.



**The Rectory Office
will be CLOSED on
Monday.**

Pray the Rosary



St. Mary Star of the Sea invites all to join in praying the Rosary, Tuesday through Thursday at 9AM. Praying the Rosary is a beautiful way to start your day!



The Mass Book for the beginning of 2022 is OPEN!

The Mass book for January 2, 2022 to March 31, 2022 is now OPEN.

Please remember that Sunday Mass is a multi-intention Mass and weekday Masses become Funeral Masses when necessary.

REGISTER TODAY!

Catholics who are new to our Parish are asked to please introduce themselves to Fr. Chris after Mass. Registration may be done by dropping the form below in the collection basket or poor box.

“Active” parishioners are those who are registered, join us regularly for the celebration of the Mass and use the weekly donation envelopes. Only in this way can we issue documents attesting to Parish Membership and Catholic practice.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Name _____

Address _____

Zip _____

Email _____

Phone No. _____

Check One:

New Registration/Envelopes _____

Change of Address/ Name correction _____



Mass Schedule

Saturday, October 9th



1 PM Wedding of David Haines and Mariya Kurchuk

4:00 PM ♥ Vincenzo Barone- Family

Sun. Oct. 10th 28th Sun. in Ordinary Time

10:00 AM ♥ Mary Niwinski - Sister, Sylvia

♥ Theresa Rose Mazzella- Niece, Theresa

♥ Joseph Barbera- Paula Comi

Tuesday, October 12th

9:30 AM ♥ Robert Stanislaro- The Randazzo Family

Wednesday, October 13th

9:30 AM ♥ Mary Rauso- Mr. & Mrs. Biaggio Barone

Thursday, October 14th

9:30AM ♥ Andrew & Mary Avitabile - Family

THE BREAD AND WINE IS OFFERED THIS WEEK IN MEMORY OF JOSEPH BARBERA REQUESTED BY TERRY SCOTTO SPINELLI



THE SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS THIS WEEK IN MEMORY OF JOSEPH BARBERA REQUESTED BY JENNIE BIANCO.

THE ALTAR CANDLES BURN THIS WEEK IN MEMORY OF JERRY EICK REQUESTED BY DEBBIE & CHARLES RUSSO



St. Mary Star of the Sea, Pray for Us!

