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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of St. Catherine of Genoa parish, “Home of Faith Away From Home”, is to carry out evangelization, to help each and everyone to know and live God’s love in faith and hope, according to the teaching of the Catholic Church.

OFFICE HOURS

Weekdays 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Saturday 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Sundays & Holidays by appointment only.

PARISH STAFF

Pastor - Rev. Raphael Munday Kukana
Parochial Vicar - Rev. Peter Mawusi
Secretary - Mrs. Bernadette Johannes
Director of Religious Education - Ms. Agnes Mills
Email: catherinereligious@outlook.com

EUCCHARISTIC LITURGIES

Weekends: Saturday: 5:00 PM (*English*)
Sunday: 8:00 AM & 11:00 AM (*English*)
1:00 PM (*French & Kreyol*),
5:00 PM (*Twi*)
Weekdays: Monday-Saturday 9:00 AM
Holy Days: 9:00 AM & 7:30 PM (*English-French*)

Catholic Cemeteries: for information and availability
please call (718) 894-4888.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP:

Catholics should be officially registered in a Parish.
Call the Rectory to register and use the offering envelopes as a sign of your commitment.

PARISH WEBSITE:

<https://stcatherinegenoabrooklyn.com>
See what’s new and get the information you may need.

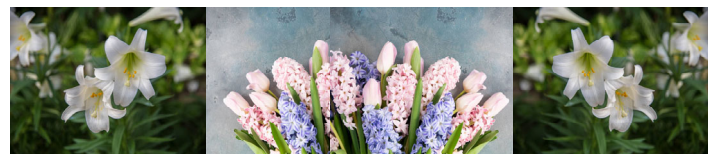
Easter Sunday

March 31, 2024



“This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad”.

Ps 118:24



SACRAMENTS: are celebrations of the faith community. It is important that our members be registered and participate fully and regularly in the sacramental life of the parish.

R.C.I.A. is the Adult Preparation for Sacraments. For more information please call the Rectory (718) 282-7162.

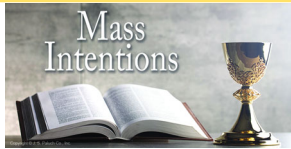
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: (**CONFESSION**) Saturday at 4:00 PM or by Appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:

Marriage arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the wedding date. Please contact the rectory for complete information about marriage preparation in the Diocese.

BAPTISM: is celebrated every 3rd Saturday of the month at 2:30 PM. Baptism Class is offered on the 2nd Saturday of the month for parents and godparents in the rectory basement at 12 Noon. Please call the rectory to register for baptism.

March 31, 2024 - Easter Sunday - Year B



HOLY SATURDAY, MARCH 30

9:00 AM Morning Prayer — No Mass
 8:00 PM EASTER VIGIL

SUNDAY, MARCH 31 EASTER SUNDAY

8:00 AM PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
 11:00 AM PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
 1:00 PM 100 yrs., B.B. Ermence Dorcena — family
 1:00 PM Action de grâces pour Marie Chantal Obas —
 Rudolphe Mathieu Aubry
 1:00 PM Remerciement à la Ste. Trinité —
 Rudolphe Mathieu Aubry
 1:00 PM Josy Mathelier (d) — Jean Mathelier
 1:00 PM Jacques Mary Mayard (d) — Myrtha Mayard
 5:00 PM

MONDAY, APRIL 1

9:00 AM Martin Douglas (d) — Jeanette King

TUESDAY, APRIL 2

9:00 AM For peace and civil rest in Haiti
 9:00 AM André Mbasi (d)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3

9:00 AM Reynold Bishop (d)

THURSDAY, APRIL 4

9:00 AM Rev. John S. Wtulich (d)
 9:00 AM André Mbasi (d)

FRIDAY, APRIL 5

9:00 AM In thanksgiving — Eulalee Bartlay
 9:00 AM Reynold Bishop (d)

SATURDAY, APRIL 6

9:00 AM Rev. John J. Garkowski (d)
 5:00 PM Mathiel Baker (d), Mathilde Baker (d) —
 Marco Charles

SUNDAY, APRIL 7

8:00 AM In thanksgiving — Eulalee Bartlay
 11:00 AM
 1:00 PM Action de graces pour Marie Therese Felix —
 Serge Felix (fils)
 1:00 PM Healing of Jocelin Mangurat — French Choir
 1:00 PM Bertha Desrosier (d) — Jean Claude Desrosier
 5:00 PM

**SPONSORSHIP
 OF CHAIRS & TABLES**

Parishioners who would like to sponsor a chair or table are invited to do so.

Chair \$50 Table \$150

Donations received thus far **\$6,380.00**



Easter Offering

Mass	#	March 23rd & 24th		Amount \$
Saturday	31	5:00 PM	ENGLISH	593.00
Sunday	102	8:00 AM	ENGLISH	2,323.00
	86	11:00 AM	ENGLISH	1,126.00
	71	1:00 PM	KREYOL	872.00
	33	5:00 PM	TWI	548.00
			Mail-In	166.00
TOTAL	323			\$5,628.00

Please remember that our parish needs your weekly support. **Our weekly expenses goal is \$5,432.00.** You may mail-in, give online or drop-off your contributions at the rectory. Thank you for your generous support.

**APRIL MONTH SPONSORSHIP OF
 BREAD & WINE**



◇ Ghanaian Apostolate

SANCTUARY LAMP

burns this week in memory of



◆ The deceased of the parish

EASTER OCTAVE

Easter Sunday

Acts 10: 34a, 37-43, Ps 118: 1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3: 1-4 or 1 Cor 5: 6b-8; Jn 20: 1-9 or Mk 16:1-7 or Lk 24:13-35 (evening Mass)

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-23; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22; Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Lk 24:13-35

Thursday: Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2a, 5-9; Lk 24:35-48

Friday: Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27a; Jn 21:1-14

Saturday: Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1, 14-15, 16ab-21; Mk 16:9-15

Next Week: Sunday of Divine Mercy

Acts 4:32-35; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; 1Jn 5:1-6; Jn 20:19-31

From the Pastor's Desk



My dear parishioners,

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Christ is risen.
He is risen indeed!

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad (Ps. 118:24). We celebrate Easter, the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. After suffering the agony in the garden of Gethsemane, and suffering death in Golgotha, and being buried in the tomb, the Lord Jesus is risen from the dead. He is alive and he has conquered death.

The Gospel of this Sunday tells us the story of the empty tomb. Early in the morning of the first day of the week, which is Sunday, Mary of Magdala went to the tomb. The Gospel of Mark and the Gospel of Luke say that Mary Magdalene was accompanied by other women who were following Jesus, and they went to the tomb with spices and perfumed oil used for the burial. Since the body of Jesus was taken down from the cross and buried in haste before the sabbath, Mary and other women wanted to give a proper burial to the Lord according to their customs.

But in the Gospel of John, Mary of Magdala is rather alone in the tomb. She sees that the tomb is empty and reports the whole affair to Peter who was the head of the Apostles. And Peter and John went to the tomb to check out the story. The Gospel says that they saw the empty tomb and they believed.

It is that faith displayed by Peter, John, the women and all other disciples that keeps us going and that brings us together every time we gather to celebrate Mass. It is the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ that gives meaning to our faith and fills us with hope that we too will share the glory of the resurrection. St. Paul says in the second reading of this Easter Sunday, *"For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ your life appears, then you too will appear with him in glory"* (Col. 3:3-4).

The resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ brings about our own resurrection. Christ conquered evil and death, so that we may have new life in him. Death no longer has power over us and the devil is defeated on the Cross.

Let us continue to rejoice in the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ, and like the disciples, proclaim to the world that Christ is risen; he is risen indeed. *Happy Easter to all and God bless you always.*

Fr. Raphael Munday
Pastor

**Called to Communion,
Participation & Mission**

**Annual Catholic
Appeal 2024**
DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN

Parish Goal: \$46,139.00

The 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal has begun.
We encourage everyone to view the 2024 ACA Video online at: www.CFBQ.org/ACAVideo.

Let us pray for the success of the 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal, envisioning a triumph that not only empowers us to extend love to those in need but also enables our hearts to respond to Jesus, who calls us to be in Communion, Participation, and Mission.

We invite you to stand with St. Catherine of Genoa in supporting the 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal.

To donate, visit www.AnualCatholicAppeal.org or text DONATE to 917-336-1255.

**Healing
Mass**

Anointing of the Sick will
be available after Mass.

Heal me, LORD, that I may be
healed; save me, that I may be
saved, for you are my praise.
— Jeremiah 17:14



MONTHLY HEALING MASS

APRIL	27	9:00 AM
MAY	25	9:00 AM
JUNE	22	9:00 AM

Healing Mass will take place on the above Saturdays.

If you know someone who is in need of healing, please invite them to the Mass.



Easter Flowers

Rebecca Marfo; Jocelyn David; Rosemene Jacques;
 Yvonne Moore; Carmen Sayers-Walker; Merle Gibbs;
 Pamela Morris; Anne Nicholas; Joseph Charles;
 Yvette Dabel; Dukerns & Renée Jean-Louis;
 Alexia Jerome; Marie France Leazard; Doris St. Rose;
 Veronica Antoine; Francis Baidoo;
 Gladys Bernier; Raphaela Charles; Mary Cornwall;
 Edward Frank; Rosa Hamilton-Dobbs;
 Alexandra James; Octavia Leonce-Bertin;
 George Lowah; Wendy Saunders; Rosalie Spencer;
 Yverose Theodore-Dupont; Marie Tse-Valcin;
 Philip Wells; Kelly & Imelda Williams;
 Rose Marie Clervil; Euphemie Tse; Veronica Davis;
 Alistine Aikins; Clescina Ackie; Veronica Alexander;
 George & Alousa Antwi; Laura Antoine;
 Veronica Appiah; Mary Attikese; Marthe Aurelien;
 Gail Ann Bishop; Albert Benjamin;
 Marie Veronique Cadet; Francine Deroise;
 Marjorie Edwards-Patron; Sophie Drigo;
 Jean Gauthier; Felicity George;
 Lawrencia Gyapong-Owusu; Yolande Joseph;
 Cheryl Kanhai; Theresa Appia Kubi; Anne Marie Piard;
 Agnes Osei Poomaa; Yaw Boachie-Ansah;
 Hazel Hercules; Michael Elliot; Lillian Francis;
 James Abebrese; Yaa Akyaa; Yanick Belmont;
 Kofi Boateng; Lesslie Correia; Ann-Marie Forde;
 Mathias Glantey; Nancy Gyim;
 Georgina Sekyere Ghanney; Patricia Gordon;
 Gail-Ann Greaves Venzen; Francillia Harris;
 Brenda Henry-Offor; Edward McKoy; Emelia Mornah;
 Bernadette Noray; Matha Owusu-Afriyie;
 Kwasi Owusu-Afriyie; Evelyn Peprah-Mensah;
 Mary Koranteng Quashie; Ghislaine St. Preux;
 Comfort Sawyer; Magloire Sylvester; Martin Sarkodee

We thank everyone who by their generous contributions have allowed our church to be so beautifully decorated for the Easter season.

Happy Easter!

Diocesan Eucharistic Revival



Join the **2024 Diocesan Eucharistic Revival** at Louis Armstrong Stadium **on Saturday, April 20, 2024 from 8AM to 3PM. Tickets are limited and are on a first requested first received basis. Only 50tkts/parish.**

Sign-up!! Please use the book at the entrance of the church.

Deadline March 31, 2024.

You must provide the full name, email address and telephone number of each person who will be attending.

Transportation to and from the event will be provided by the parish. Bring your own lunch.

Pray For The Sick

Kofi; Cloude Aimé; George Aimé; Thomas Asante;
 Kwame Adu-Sarpong; Alice Baffoe; Elzire Barosy;
 Emma Bedeau; Ralene Caton; Medel Chavanne;
 Rose Crouch; Albertha Debrostomas; Lydia Desarmes;
 Elizabeth Donkor; Wilma Dufresne;
 Margaret Agyeman Dumfeh; Leila Felix; Lorna Fyffe;
 Ann Marie Gay; Margaret Goddard; Delroy Green;
 Patricia Griffith; Jaylan Henry; Roselaure Jean;
 Renata Jordan; Alice Laguerre; Lincoln Laguerre;
 Reginald Laroche; Jocelin Mangurat;
 Catherine McQueen; Mercy Marboah Mensah;
 Ermance Marcenat; Viviane Paccaud; Colin Palmer;
 April Pearce; Bernard Pearce; Jennifer Perce;
 Lyonel Pearce; Travis Pearce; Eunice Quashie;
 Elwyn Quirk; Marlon Roberts; Roswell St. Talbord;
 Kerby Theodore; Joyce Thomas; Marjorie Thomas;
 Taj Thomas; Kayla & Kaylee Uwuigbe;
 Amy Wiles and Thomas Wiles.

SACREMENTS : Les sacrements sont des célébrations de la communauté de foi. Il est important que nos membres soient inscrits pour participer pleinement et régulièrement à la vie sacramentelle de la paroisse.

R.C.I.A. est la préparation des adultes aux sacrements. Pour plus d'informations, veuillez appeler le Presbytère.

SACREMENT DE RECONCILIATION :

Samedi à 16h00 ou sur Rendez-vous.

SACREMENT DE MARIAGE :

Les dispositions relatives au mariage doivent être prises au moins six mois avant la date du mariage. Veuillez contacter le presbytère pour des informations complètes sur la préparation au mariage dans le diocèse.

PARRAINAGE DU MOIS D'AVRIL

Vous êtes invités à parrainer du pain et du vin pour la messe, des nappes d'autel et le fleurs pour décorer les autels.

Merci à tous.



Commémorez vos proches et participez aux activités financières de la paroisse. Chaque don de **feuilles \$500**. Le paiement peut être effectué en plusieurs tranches.

Inscrit « *À la tendre mémoire de* (nom d'un être cher) *donné par* (personne/famille/organisation/société).

Le cout pour les articles de spécialité **Glands (\$750), Pierres (\$850) ou mini-arbre (\$1000)**.

Aidez-nous à faire pousser notre arbre. Il y reste beaucoup d'opportunités pour participer à cette activité spéciale !



Le 23 & 24 Mars

\$ 5,628.00

La Quête

N'oubliez pas que notre paroisse a besoin de votre soutien hebdomadaire. Notre objectif hebdomadaire est de **\$5,432.00**. Vous pouvez envoyer par la poste, donner en ligne ou déposer au presbytère. Merci pour votre générosité.

Résurrection du Seigneur

Chers frères et sœurs,

Alléluia! Alléluia! Alléluia! Le Christ est ressuscité. Il est vraiment ressuscité !

Voici le jour que fit le Seigneur, qu'il soit pour nous jour de fête et de joie ! (Ps. 117 :24). Nous célébrons Pâques, la résurrection de notre Seigneur Jésus-Christ. Après avoir souffert l'agonie dans le jardin de Gethsémani, et après avoir souffert la mort au Golgotha et avoir été enterré dans le tombeau, le Seigneur Jésus est ressuscité des morts. Il est vivant et il a vaincu la mort.

L'Évangile de ce dimanche nous raconte l'histoire du tombeau vide. Tôt le matin du premier jour de la semaine, c'est-à-dire le dimanche, Marie-Madeleine s'est rendue au tombeau. L'Évangile de Marc et l'Évangile de Luc disent que Marie-Madeleine était accompagnée d'autres femmes qui suivaient Jésus et qu'elles s'étaient rendues au tombeau avec des épices et de l'huile parfumée utilisées pour l'enterrement. Puisque le corps de Jésus était descendu de la croix et enterré à la hâte avant le sabbat, Marie et d'autres femmes voulaient donner au Seigneur un enterrement digne de ce nom, selon leurs coutumes. Mais dans l'Évangile de Jean, Marie-Madeleine est plutôt seule dans le tombeau. Elle voit que le tombeau est vide et raconte toute l'affaire à Pierre qui était le chef des Apôtres. Et Pierre et Jean se rendirent au tombeau pour vérifier l'histoire.

L'Évangile dit qu'ils ont vu le tombeau vide et ils ont cru. C'est cette foi manifestée par Pierre, Jean, les femmes et tous les autres disciples qui nous fait avancer et qui nous rassemble chaque fois que nous nous réunissons pour célébrer la Messe. C'est la résurrection de notre Seigneur Jésus-Christ qui donne un sens à notre foi et nous remplit de l'espoir que nous partagerons nous aussi la gloire de la résurrection. Saint Paul dit dans la deuxième lecture de ce dimanche de Pâques : « *En effet, vous êtes passés par la mort, et votre vie reste cachée avec le Christ en Dieu. Quand paraîtra le Christ, votre vie, alors vous aussi, vous paraîtrez avec lui dans la gloire* » (Col. 3:3-4).

La résurrection de notre Seigneur Jésus-Christ entraîne notre propre résurrection. Le Christ a vaincu le mal et la mort, afin que nous ayons une vie nouvelle en lui. La mort n'a plus de pouvoir sur nous et le diable est vaincu sur la Croix.

Continuons à nous réjouir de la résurrection de notre Seigneur Jésus-Christ et, comme les disciples, proclamons au monde que le Christ est ressuscité ; il est vraiment ressuscité.

Joyeuses Pâques à tous et que Dieu vous bénisse.

Père Raphaël Munday
Curé

What is Easter?

March 31, 2024 - May 19, 2024



The word "Easter" comes from Old English, meaning simply the "East." The sun which rises in the East, bringing light, warmth, and hope, is a symbol for the Christian of the rising Christ, who is the true Light of the world. **The Paschal Candle** used during the Easter Vigil is a central symbol of this divine light, which is Christ. It is kept near the ambo throughout Easter Time and lit for all liturgical celebrations.

The Easter Vigil is the "Mother of All Vigils" and Easter Sunday is the greatest of all Sundays. The season of Easter is the most important of all liturgical times, which Catholics celebrate as the Lord's resurrection from the dead, culminating in his Ascension to the Father and sending of the Holy Spirit upon the Church. The octave of Easter comprises the eight days which stretch from the first to the second Sunday. It is a way of prolonging the joy of the initial day. There are 50 days of Easter from the first Sunday to Pentecost. It is characterized, above all, by the joy of glorified life and the victory over death expressed most fully in the great resounding cry of the Christian: Alleluia! All faith flows from faith in the resurrection: "If Christ has not been raised, then empty is our preaching; empty, too, is your faith." (1 Cor 15:14)

"What you sow is not brought to life unless it dies. And what you sow is not the body that is to be, but a bare kernel of wheat, perhaps, or of some other kind;...So also is the resurrection of the dead. It is sown corruptible; it is raised incorruptible. It is sown dishonorable; it is raised glorious. It is sown weak; it is raised powerful. It is sown a natural body; it is raised a spiritual body. If there is a natural body, there is also a spiritual one. So, too, it is written, "The first man, Adam, became a living being," the last Adam a life-giving spirit. But the spiritual was not first; rather the natural and then the spiritual. The first man was from the earth, earthly; the second man, from heaven. As was the earthly one, so also are the earthly, and as is the heavenly one, so also are the heavenly. Just as we have borne the image of the earthly one, we shall also bear the image of the heavenly one." (1 Cor 15:36-37, 42-49)

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops 2024, *USCCB.org website*, accessed 27 March 2024
<<https://www.usccb.org/prayer-worship/liturgical-year/easter>>

HOSPITALITY SUNDAY

DATE	HOSTED BY
April 21	Legion de Marie, French Choir & Disciples in Mission
June 2	Rosary Society

After each Mass on the dates shown above.



Is asking for help with the needs of the Asylum Seekers and Migrants:

The following items are most needed:

Winter clothing for men, women and children (coats,

hats, gloves, scarves)

- New undergarments and socks
- Blankets and sleeping bags

Toiletries:

- soap, shampoo, toothbrushes, hairbrushes and lotion.

Baby items:

- Diapers, wipes, clothes, blankets and strollers

Please bring your donations to the rectory during office hours: 10:00am-4:00pm.

Aidez-nous à répondre aux besoins des demandeurs d'asile et des migrants :

Les articles suivants sont les plus nécessaires :

- **Vêtements d'hiver pour hommes, femmes et enfants** (manteaux, bonnets, gants, écharpes)

Sous-vêtements et chaussettes neufs
Couvertures et sacs de couchage

- **Articles pour bébés :**

couches, lingettes, vêtements, couvertures et poussettes

- **Articles de toilette :** savon, shampoing, brosses à dents, brosses à cheveux et lotion.

Veillez apporter vos dons au presbytère pendant les heures de bureau : 10h00-16h00.

MEMORIAL TREE OF LIFE



Memorialize your loved one (s) in our Tree of Life

Inscription reads: “ *In loving memory of* (name of loved one) *donated by* (person/family/organization/ society).

Donations for the various items:

Leaf (\$500). Acorns (\$750), Stones (\$850) or mini-tree (\$1000). **Payments can be made in installments.**

Please call or stop by the office to make your reservation.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Sunday

- 9:00 AM Grenadian Society — April 28
- 10:00AM Rosary Society — April 7
- 3:00 PM French Legion of Mary — Weekly
- 3:00 PM Christian Mothers — April 14
- 6:30 PM Ghanaian Gentlemen — April 21

Monday

- 7:30 PM English Choir Weekly

Thursday

- 10:30 AM **PANTRY** — April 3 & 17
- 8:00 PM HOLY HOUR** – Weekly

Pope Francis has designated this year to Parish Eucharistic Revival. Come recover a sense of awe and adoration before the Eucharist, adore Jesus' real presence.

Friday

- 7:00 PM French Choir

Saturday

- 9:00 AM Healing Mass — April 27
- 10:00 AM Girl Scouts – Weekly Meeting
- 5:00 PM St. Theresa of the Child Jesus — April 27
- 6:30 PM The United Ghanaian Assn — April 13

UPCOMING EVENTS

1. Next weekend, the second collection will be for the parish's Construction fund. Thank you for your generosity!



2. The **Rosary Society** invites you to their **Annual Luncheon on Sat. May 25 from 1:00pm—5:00pm. Tickets are \$60.** Come and enjoy Good Food, Music, Prizes & Surprises.
3. **Please start making your payments to see Daniel, on Saturday, July 6 2024, Sight & Sound Lancaster, PA.** You may either make your payment at the office or by placing in it in a labeled Sight & Sound envelope with your name, in the collection basket at the Mass you attend. **Cost: \$200/ adult, \$150/child. Final payment due weekend of May 4th & 5th.**



4. **Bus Trip to Atlantic City \$70, with a \$35 rebate on May 11, 2024.** Tickets are on sale and are going quickly. Please pick up your ticket after all weekend Masses. **Bus leaves at 8:00am sharp in front of St. Catherine.**

PARISH REGISTRATION

All parishioners are encouraged to register. We are only able to give recommendations to those who are registered for at least **6 MONTHS**. Please register (or update your information if you have recently moved or gotten married) with the form below. Place the form in the collection basket or drop off at the rectory. We will send you weekly collection envelopes every two months.

Family Name: _____

Head of Household: _____

Spouse: _____

Address: _____

Apartment# _____ Zip Code: _____

Telephone: _____

Email Address: _____

New Registration Moving Out of the Parish

Change of Name: _____

New Address: _____

Apartment # _____ Zip Code: _____



The Girl Scouts meet at St. Catherine of Genoa on **Saturdays at 10am in the newly renovated Parish Hall.**

Please contact Mrs. Alistine Aikins at (718) 346-1923.

Ages :Girls Kindergarten to 12th grade

BISHOP'S PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

*(Composed by
The Most Rev. Robert J. Brennan)*

Almighty God, we turn to you at this hour with all our hearts. Hear our prayer as we ask for an increase of vocations to the Priesthood, Diaconate, and Religious Life to serve your Church in Brooklyn and Queens.

May we always have the ministers we need to stand at Your Altars, administer Your Sacraments, and lead Your people on the path to Heaven.

We pray that we will always be attentive to Your Call and that if today we hear Your Voice, we may not harden our hearts; rather, that we have the courage to respond with generosity. *Amen*

**VOCATION OFFICE
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TEL: 718.827.2454 ** FAX: 718.827.2167
Rev. Chris Bethge, Vocation Director**



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