OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CHURCH

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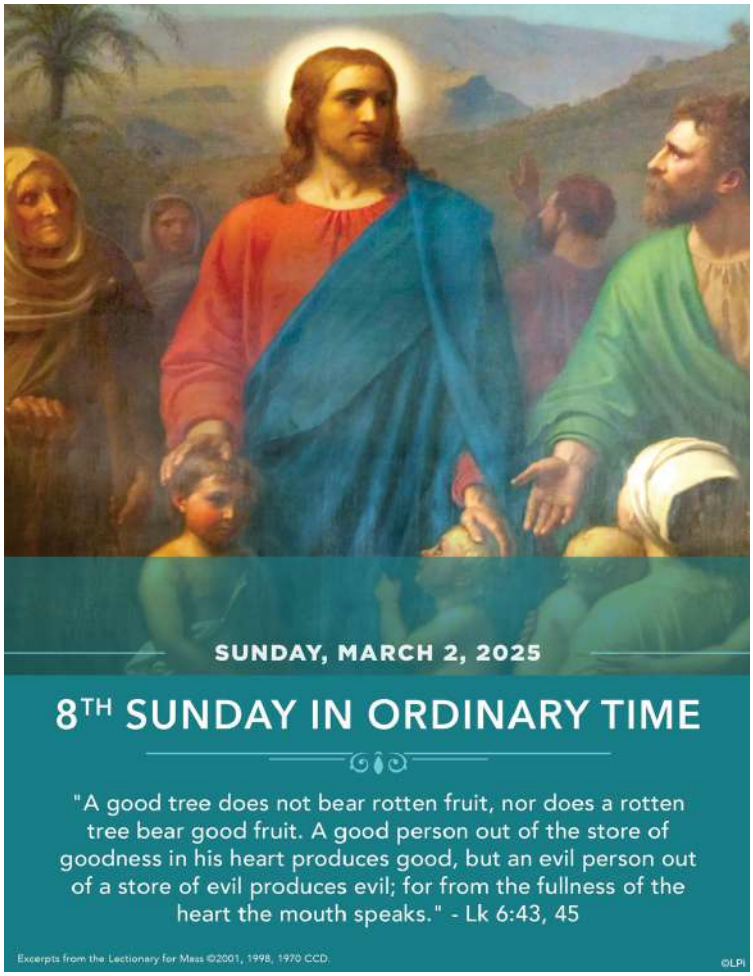
Mass Times

Saturday	5:00 PM (Vigil Mass)
Sunday	Main Church: 8:00 AM (English) 9:30 AM (Bilingual) 11:00 AM (English) 12:30 PM (Spanish) 3:00 PM (Vietnamese) Chapel: 9:00 AM (Italian)
Weekdays	8:00 AM and 12:00 Noon
Saturday	8:00 AM
First Fridays	7:30 PM (Spanish)
Holy Days	8:00 AM, 12 PM (English) and 7:30 PM (Bilingual)
Holidays	Only one Mass at 9:00 AM

Live-streamed Masses can be accessed on our website



Confessions:

Saturday 3:30pm—4:30pm (Chapel)

Church Hours:

Weekday: 7:00am—7:00pm
Saturday: 7:00am—6:00pm
Sunday: 7:00am—4:00pm

Office Hours

Weekday:
9:00am—12:00 Noon
1:00pm—8:30pm

Saturday:
9:00am—5:00pm

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Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, MARCH 1
5:00pm Mary Kerrigan *(12th Anniversary),* Amalia Lanteri, Deceased Maryknoll Priests, Dina Molitano, Joseph Ogbodo *(Living)* Pearl Odu *(For her return to the faith),* James Cordova *(living the Jornada Retreat this weekend)*

SUNDAY, MARCH 2 *(Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time)*
8:00am Manuel, Camila & Mariano Sanchez
9:00am Giuseppina & Vincenzo Barretta and Family
9:30am The Living & Deceased Members of Our Parish's Rosary Society
11:00am Unborn Nacinovich Children
12:30pm Rafael Gomez Dominguez *(5to Aniversario),* Lucia Puente, Reyna Gonzalez Lucero, Iris Margarita Martinez, Jose Falvio Santos, En agradecimiento a Jesus por el favor recibido, Justina Mercedes Di Leones & Miguel de los Santos Fernandez, Thomas de Jesus Fernandez, Gregorio Fernandez, Benilda Rodriguez *(Living– 90 Años)*
3:00pm For the People of the Parish

MONDAY, MARCH 3 *(Saint Katherine Drexel)*
8:00am The Infant Prague
12:00pm Mary & Carmelo Cini

TUESDAY, MARCH 4 *(Saint Casimir)*
8:00am Anna Doan Hat
12:00pm Joseph & Joan Ricci

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5 *(Ash Wednesday)*
8:00am Jessica Mennona (11th Anniversary)
12:00pm Msgr. Celsus Collini
7:30pm Joseph Scarola

THURSDAY, MARCH 6
8:00am Gaspare Barretta
12:00pm Ida Petrolino

FRIDAY, MARCH 7 *(Saints Perpetua & Felicity)*
8:00am Purgatorial Society
12:00pm Rocco, Assunta & Rachele D'Angelo
7:30pm Luis Herminia Dume

SATURDAY, MARCH 8 *(Saint John of God)*
8:00am Ed Moser
5:00pm Msgr. Perfecto Vazquez, Nikola Telesmanic *(4th Anniversary),* Pearl Odu

SUNDAY, MARCH 9 *(First Sunday of Lent)*
8:00am Mariela Gasca & Familia
9:00am Maddalena Giampino
9:30am Basilio Rosario
11:00am Alfred Caridi
12:30pm Zaida Palaguachi, Manuel Jesus Mayancela, Zoila Lliguichuzhca, Rand Edwards
3:00pm For the People of the Parish

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTION

March 9, 2025- There will be a second collection after communion for Black & Indian Missions. Thank you for your generosity.

MEMORIAL OPPORTUNITIES

The Altar Candles are being offered for ***Vincenzo & Giuseppa Barretta and Family,*** *offered by Ida Barretta,*
The Sanctuary Lamp is being offered for ***Ilse Littek*** *by Martha Mosler*
The Altar Bread and Wine are being offered for ***Nikola Telesmanic,*** *by Matilda, Angelo & Nicholas*

The Tree of Life: (east wall of the church vestibule)
Gift categories include:

Silver Leaf:	$ 500.00
Gold Leaf:	$1,000.00
Gold Rock at Base of Tree:	$2,500.00
Weekly Altar Flowers:	$100.00
Weekly Altar Bread and Wine:	$40.00
Weekly Sanctuary Lamp:	$30.00
Weekly Altar Candles:	$20.00

INFANT BAPTISM/ BAUTISMOS

Please call the office to make an appointment to speak with Deacon Jacob to register your child for Baptism. Please bring the birth certificate to the initial meeting.

Preparation Meeting Tuesday—6:00pm—Institute	**Baptism Ceremony 12:00pm—Upper Church**
March 18, 2025	March 22, 2025
NO CLASS AVAILABLE	*NO ENGLISH BAPTISMS*
May 20, 2025	May 24, 2025
June 24, 2025	June 28, 2025
Reunion de Preparacion Martes—6:00pm—Instituto	**Ceremonia de Bautismo 12:00pm—Iglesia de Arriba**
4 de Marzo 2025	8 de Marzo 2025
8 de Abril 2025	12 de Abril 2025
NO CLASE DISPONIBLE MAYO	*NO BAUTISMOS EN MAYO*
10 de Junio 2025	14 de Junio 2025

GROUPS AND SOCIETIES AT OUR PARISH INSTITUTE

Sunday, March 2

9:00am—1:00pm	Rosary Society	*Lourdes A/B*
9:30am—11:00am	Grupo de Amistad #5	*Assumption*
10:00am—11:00am	Grupo de Amistad #9	*Balcony*
10:00am—12:00pm	Spanish OCIA	*Upper Room+ Fatima*
10:00am—12:30pm	Cursillo	*Guadalupe A*
10:00am—1:00pm	Czech Community	*Guadalupe B*
11:30am—3:00pm	San Diego– Venta	*Gym*
2:00pm—3:00pm	Grupo de Amistad	*Fatima*

Monday, March 3

7:00am—5:00pm	TYWLS	*Gym*
6:00am—9:00pm	Practica de Coro	*Guadalupe A/B*
6:00pm—9:00pm	CYO	*Gym*

Tuesday, March 4

7:00am—4:00pm	TYLWS	
5:30pm—7:00pm	Mariachi	*Balcony*
6:00pm—9:00pm	CYO	*Gym*
6:00pm—9:00pm	Marriage Encounter	*Guadalupe A/B+ Fatima*
7:00pm—9:00pm	Coro #1	Nazareth

Wednesday, March 5

7:00am—4:00pm	TYWLS	*Gym*
4:00pm—7:30pm	Religious Education	*All Rooms*
7:30pm—9:00pm	CYO	*Gym*

Thursday, March 6

7:00am—5:00pm	TYWLS	*Gym*
10:00am—11:30am	Legion of Mary	*Guadalupe B*
5:30pm—7:30pm	Religious Education	*All Rooms*
7:30pm—9:00pm	CYO	*Gym*

Friday, March 7

7:00am—4:00pm	TYWLS	*Gym*
5:00pm—10:00pm	CYO	*Gym*
6:30pm—9:00pm	Practica de Instrumentos	*Fatima*
6:30pm—9:00pm	OLMC Youth Group	*Guadalupe A/B*
7:00pm—9:00pm	OCIA Class	*Lourdes A/B*

Saturday, March 8

9:00am—9:00pm	CYO	*Gym*
9:00am—12:30pm	AA Meeting	Guadalupe *A/B*
10:00am—12:00pm	Spanish Children's Choir	*Fatima*
3:00pm—5:00pm	Confirmation Meeting	*Guadalupe A/B*
5:00pm—7:00pm	Bilingual Choir Practice	*Nazareth*
5:00pm—7:00pm	Ministerio de Consolacion	*Fatima*
6:00pm—7:30pm	Porque Ser Catolico?	*Lourdes A/B*
6:00pm—9:00pm	Via Crucis Choir	*Guadalupe A/B*

PRAYER FOR POPE FRANCIS

The priests and faithful of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church unite with everyone worldwide in prayer for our Holy Father, Pope Francis, as he undergoes medical care for a critical illness. We lift him up, asking the Lord to grant him strength, healing, and peace. May Our Lady keep him safe under her loving protection.

ORACIÓN POR EL PAPA FRANCISCO

Los sacerdotes y fieles de la parroquia de Nuestra Señora del Monte Carmelo se unen en oración con todo el mundo por nuestro Santo Padre, el Papa Francisco, quien atraviesa un momento delicado de salud. Pedimos al Señor que le conceda fortaleza, sanación y paz. Que Nuestra Santísima Virgen lo cubra con su manto y lo proteja.

MASS ATTENDANCE RECORD

Weekend of February 22-23	Number of Attendees
5:00pm English Vigil	132
8:00am English	105
9:00am Italian	28
9:30am Bilingual	146
10:00am Czech	22
11:00am English	333
12:30pm Spanish	340
3:00pm Vietnamese	69

WEEKLY MASS OFFERINGS

REGULAR CONTRIBUTIONS FOR FEBRUARY 22 & 23

Last Sunday: $5,466 Same Week Last Year: $5,123

(Does Not Include Faith Direct)

ROSARY SOCIETY NEWS

The next Rosary Society meeting will take place on **March 2, 2025** at the conclusion of the bilingual Mass in the Lourdes Room in the Parish Institute. $3.00 per person is the donation for refreshments. Yearly dues are $10.00 per person. All ladies over age 15 are invited to join. Bring a friend!

FIRST FRIDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Spiritual writers speak of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament as "the Mass held in contemplation." As a way of encouraging devotion to the Eucharist, we invite all parishioners to come and spend some time before the Real Presence of the Lord on **Friday, March 7, 2025**. Exposition and Adoration will take place right after the 8:00am Mass and will conclude with Solemn Benediction before the start of the 12 Noon Mass.

FROM THE PASTOR'S HEART

March 2, 2025

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

The holy season of Lent will begin with this week's Ash Wednesday celebration. This season offers us, as Catholics, an opportunity to engage in the meaningful tradition of self-denial. It is a time when we consciously choose to abstain from certain pleasures and habits, not merely as an act of discipline but as a profound gesture of aligning ourselves with the sacrificial spirit of Christ. This act of "giving up" serves multiple purposes: it teaches us self-control, redirects our focus from material pursuits to spiritual enrichment, and most importantly, signifies our repentance for our sins and our longing to walk more closely with Christ.

I am reminded of a poignant story about a father who encouraged his children to go beyond the usual practice of giving up sweets for Lent. He urged them to renounce a sinful habit instead. Halfway through Lent, he inquired about how they were doing with their Lenten promises. One son, who had vowed to stop fighting with his siblings, replied, "I'm doing pretty good, Dad—but boy, I can't wait until Easter!" This response, while endearing, reveals a partial understanding of the true essence of Lent. Lent is not just a temporary pause from sin; it's about a profound and lasting conversion. It calls for a complete transformation of our lives to embody the ways of Christ, abandoning sin not just for a season but forever.

I'd like to think of Lent as a time to recognize and relinquish the control that certain behaviors or inclinations have over us. It's about allowing God to take the reins of our lives. The concept of "detachment" is often discussed during this period. It implies that by being less occupied with worldly matters, we make more room for God in our lives. Apart from the traditional abstinence from meat on Fridays, Lent provides a chance to give up various other things: excessive television watching, compulsive gossiping, unhealthy eating habits, or any vice that impedes our spiritual growth, like laziness, procrastination, lack of spiritual zeal, or the tendency to exert control or influence over others, etc. It's about identifying our personal struggles and focusing our Lenten discipline on overcoming them.

Contrary to being solely about sacrifice, Lent is equally a time for positive transformation and growth. It can be about adopting better habits: responsible use of money and time, moderation in food and drink, maintaining a healthy sleep schedule, enhancing personal organization, reducing internet usage or dependency on social media, and engaging in daily prayer and Scripture meditation. These practices are not only beneficial for our physical well-being but also immensely nourishing for our souls.

The austerity of Lent, however, does not preclude us from experiencing joy and celebration. It's about pausing our relentless pursuit of pleasure and allowing ourselves to be surprised by joy in its purest form. A significant aspect of Lent is the Sacrament of Reconciliation. I encourage you to visit our parish or other churches to partake in Confession. Remember, God's transformative work in our lives begins when we open our hearts to His grace. As St. Paul reminds us, *"now is the acceptable time, now is the day of salvation"* (2 Cor 6:2). Let us not delay in embracing this sacred opportunity and the incredible joy that it brings.

Wishing you a Lenten season full of joy and renewal, I remain

Faithfully yours in Christ,

Msgr. Cuong M. Pham

DEL CORAZON DEL PASTOR

2 de marzo, 2025

Queridos hermanos y hermanas,

Con el Miércoles de Ceniza, damos inicio a la Cuaresma, un tiempo sagrado de reflexión y conversión. Como católicos, este período nos invita al autosacrificio, no solo como un acto de disciplina, sino como un camino para acercarnos más a Cristo. Durante la Cuaresma, elegimos conscientemente renunciar a ciertos placeres o hábitos que nos distraen, no solo para fortalecer nuestra voluntad, sino para profundizar nuestra relación con Dios. Al hacerlo, aprendemos a controlar nuestros impulsos, priorizamos nuestro crecimiento espiritual y expresamos nuestro sincero deseo de alejarnos del pecado.

Recuerdo la historia de un padre que animó a sus hijos a ir más allá de simplemente renunciar a los dulces y, en su lugar, dejar un mal hábito. Uno de ellos decidió evitar pelear con sus hermanos, pero a mitad de la Cuaresma confesó: *"Me va bien, papá, ¡pero ya quiero que llegue la Pascua!"* Su respuesta nos hace sonreír, pero también nos recuerda que la Cuaresma no es solo una pausa temporal, sino un llamado a una conversión auténtica y duradera. Se trata de transformar el corazón y los hábitos no solo por cuarenta días, sino como un paso hacia la santidad.

Este tiempo nos brinda la oportunidad de examinar nuestra vida y reconocer aquello que nos aleja de Dios. Más allá de la abstinencia de carne los viernes, la Cuaresma nos llama a dejar atrás actitudes y costumbres que afectan nuestro crecimiento espiritual: la impaciencia, la pereza, el uso excesivo del teléfono, el chisme, la falta de oración, la procrastinación o el deseo de controlar a los demás. Es un momento para hacer espacio en nuestra vida para Dios, aprendiendo a depender más de Él y menos de las distracciones del mundo.

Sin embargo, la Cuaresma no se trata solo de sacrificio, sino también de renovación y crecimiento. Así como renunciamos a ciertos hábitos, también podemos adoptar otros que nos ayuden a mejorar: organizar mejor nuestro tiempo, ser más pacientes con los demás, ayudar al prójimo, practicar la gratitud, cuidar nuestra salud o fortalecer nuestra vida de oración. Estas prácticas no solo nos enriquecen personalmente, sino que fortalecen nuestra relación con Dios.

Aunque es un tiempo de austeridad, la Cuaresma no nos impide experimentar la alegría. Al reducir la búsqueda constante de placer, nos abrimos a la posibilidad de descubrir la felicidad en su forma más pura. Cuando vivimos estos momentos de gozo, los reconocemos como regalos de Dios. Por ello, la Cuaresma no se trata únicamente de renuncia, sino también de incorporar actos de bondad en nuestras vidas y en las de los demás, alineándonos con las enseñanzas de Jesús.

Un aspecto fundamental de este tiempo es el Sacramento de la Reconciliación. Les animo a acercarse a la Confesión, una oportunidad maravillosa para limpiar nuestro corazón y recibir la gracia sanadora de Dios. Como nos recuerda San Pablo: *"Ahora es el tiempo aceptable, ahora es el día de la salvación"* (2 Cor 6,2). No posterguemos la oportunidad de experimentar su misericordia y comenzar de nuevo.

Que esta Cuaresma sea un tiempo de gracia, renovación y mayor cercanía con Cristo. Que el Señor los bendiga y los llene de su paz.

Fielmente suyo en Cristo,

Mons. Cuong M. Pham

FEAST OF SAINT JOSEPH

The Italian Community of Our Lady of Mount Carmel of Astoria, and the Saint Joseph Congregation invites everyone to come and celebrate a Mass in Honor of Saint Joseph on Wednesday, March 19, 2025 at 10:00am. The Mass well be celebrated in Italian. The bread will be distributed after the Mass.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

You are cordially invited to participate in our parish's celebration of the Stations of the Cross/Via Crucis. **This devotion is held in English every Friday during Lent right after the 12 Noon Mass in the chapel.** Booklets will be provided for all participants. Come to retrace the steps of Jesus, to know the depth of His love for you!

YOUTH PILGRIMAGE TO ROME STILL NEEDS YOUR HELP!

The parish **Youth Group are still** raising funds for their **pilgrimage to Rome for the 2025 Jubilee Year.** It is a chance to deepen their faith, explore the heart of the Catholic Church, and experience the beauty of the Vatican, St. Peter's Basilica, and the Holy Doors. For many of them, it will be their first time traveling abroad and diving into such a powerful spiritual journey.

They have been working hard with bake sales, car washes, and events to help make this dream a reality, but they still need your help them meet their goal! **Every dollar counts and even if you can't donate, sharing this campaign with friends and family could help.** Thank you for supporting our journey!

PLEASE VISIT THE LINK FOR OUR GOFUND ME PAGE: https://gofund.me/396964c1

LEGION OF MARY

OUR LADY OF THE MOST BLESSED TRINITY
NORTHWEST QUEENS CURIA
59th ACIES

Acies is 'a ceremony in which the legionaries as a body assemble to renew their fealty to Mary, Queen of the Legion, and from her to receive strength and blessing for yet another year's battle with the forces of evil.'

ALL ARE WELCOME!

1:30 PM- 3:30 PM, SATURDAY, MARCH 22, 2025
In celebration of the Queenship of Blessed Virgin Mary
ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH
39-38 29TH STREET, LONG ISLAND CITY, NY 11101
REV. FATHER ROBERT M. POWERS, ACIES PRESIDER
REV. FATHER ROBERT M. POWERS, CELEBRANT

Annual Catholic Appeal 2025

DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN

Each year, our parish partners with the Diocese of Brooklyn in the Annual Catholic Appeal, which funds essential Catholic programs across Brooklyn and Queens. This initiative profoundly impacts countless individuals and families in our communities while benefiting our parish. Through the Annual Catholic Appeal, we support vital programs that no single parish could sustain on its own.

Why is your participation important?

As disciples of Jesus**,** we recognize that our commitment to our parish extends to the diocese, which unites us with the broader Catholic community as one body in Christ.

When one part of the body is absent, the whole body feels the impact, making it harder to thrive. In the same way, your participation in this Appeal—beyond your regular Sunday offering—directly affects our parish's ability to carry out Christ's mission while ensuring we receive the essential support that connects us to the larger Catholic Church.

We invite you to stand with us as a Church united in communion and charity across Brooklyn and Queens by making a pledge to the Annual Catholic Appeal today at AnnualCatholicAppeal.org or by texting **DONATE** to **917-336-1255**.

The Annual Catholic Appeal aims to raise a minimum of $8 million to fund essential programs and ministries across the Diocese while supporting the local initiatives of parishes like ours.

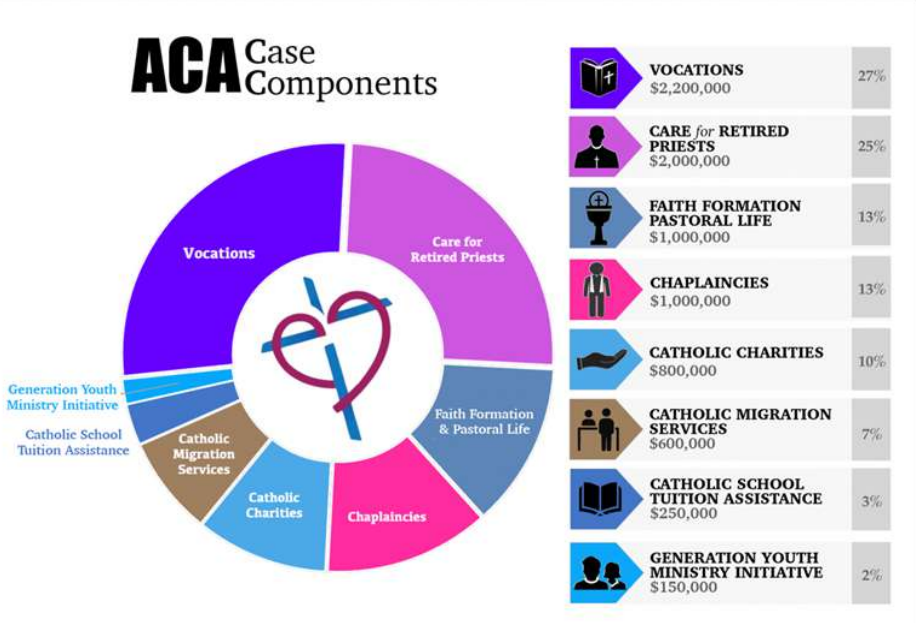
At our parish, the goal is **$67,831.**

Once we surpass this goal, 100% of the additional funds raised will be returned directly to our parish.

If you have any questions about the Annual Catholic Appeal or would like to schedule an appointment to make a contribution, please contact the Parish Office at **718.278.1834.**

Jubilee of **Hope**, **Renewal** of **Faith** and **Charity**

What does the Annual Catholic Appeal Support?



Annual Catholic Appeal 2025

DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN

Cada año, nuestra parroquia se une a la Diócesis de Brooklyn en la **Campaña Católica Anual**, que financia programas esenciales en toda Brooklyn y Queens. Esta iniciativa tiene un profundo impacto en innumerables personas y familias dentro de nuestras comunidades, al mismo tiempo que beneficia a nuestra parroquia. A través de la **Campaña Católica Anual**, apoyamos programas vitales que ninguna parroquia podría sostener por sí sola.

¿Por qué es importante su participación?

Como discípulos de Jesús, reconocemos que nuestro compromiso con la parroquia también se extiende a la diócesis, que nos une con la comunidad católica en su totalidad como un solo cuerpo en Cristo.

Cuando una parte del cuerpo está ausente, todo el cuerpo lo siente, dificultando su crecimiento y fortaleza. De la misma manera, su participación en esta Campaña—más allá de su ofrenda dominical regular—impacta directamente la capacidad de nuestra parroquia para llevar adelante la misión de Cristo, al tiempo que garantiza el apoyo esencial que nos conecta con la Iglesia Católica en su conjunto.

Le invitamos a unirse a nosotros como **una Iglesia unida en comunión y caridad** en Brooklyn y Queens haciendo su compromiso con la **Campaña Católica Anual** hoy en **AnnualCatholicAppeal.org** o enviando un mensaje de texto con la palabra **DONATE** al **917-336-1255**.

La Campaña Católica Anual tiene como objetivo recaudar un mínimo de $8 millones para financiar programas y ministerios esenciales en toda la Diócesis, al mismo tiempo que apoya las iniciativas locales de parroquias como la nuestra.

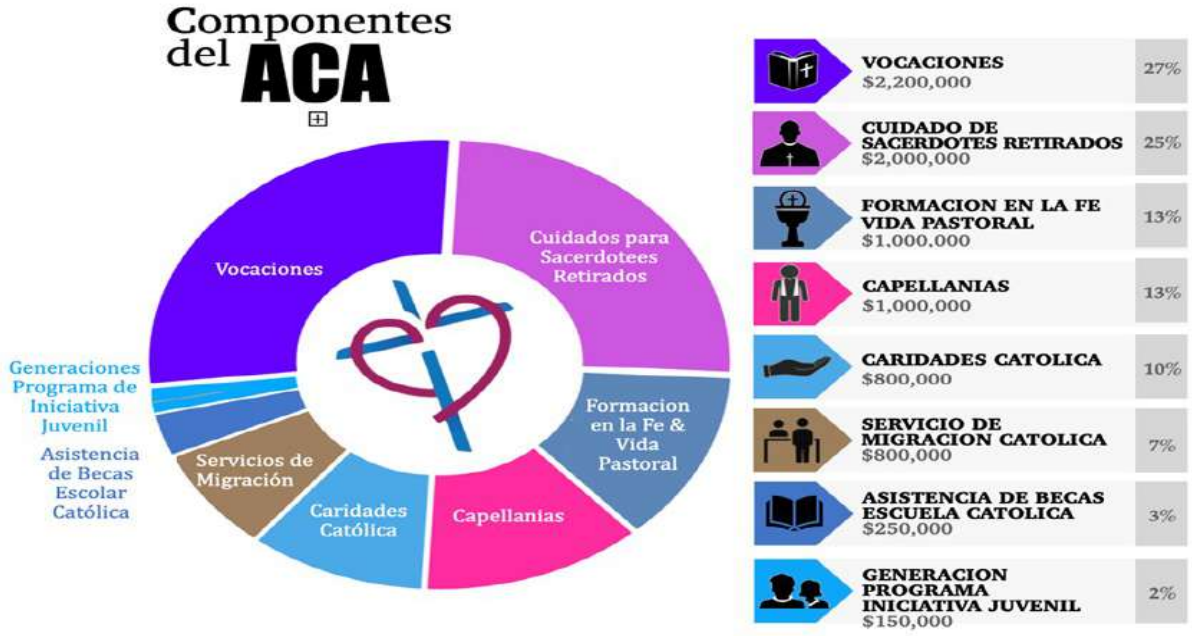
Nuestra meta es $67,831.

Una vez que superemos esta meta, el 100% de los fondos adicionales recaudados serán devueltos directamente a nuestra parroquia.

Si tiene preguntas sobre la Campaña Católica Anual o desea programar una cita para hacer una contribución, comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial al **718.278.1834.**

Jubileo de **Esperanza,**
Renovación de **Fe**
y **Caridad**

¿Cómo se beneficiará nuestra Parroquia?



LENTEN REGULATIONS

The season of Lent begins with Ash Wednesday on March 5, 2025. It is a time of hope-filled renewal as the Church journeys towards Easter. During Lent, the Church calls us to a deeper spirit of penance and conversion. To foster this spirit, we would like to remind everyone of the following obligations:

ABSTINENCE: Catholics age 14 and older are required to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, every Friday of Lent and Good Friday.

FASTING: Adult Catholics age 18-59 inclusive are to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, limiting food to one full meal with minimal food at the other two meals and nothing in between.

ALMSGIVING: Catholics are encouraged to express their Lenten conversion towards God and one another through regular contribution to their parish and support of charities like the diocesan Annual Catholic Appeal.

Those not bound by these regulations, such as young and elderly persons or those who are sick, are encouraged to practice other forms of personal penance and sacrifice.

The faithful are urged to celebrate the Sacraments of the Eucharist and Penances frequently during Lent as well as reading the Word of God, praying the Stations of the Cross, praying before the Blessed Sacrament and performing acts of charity especially to the poor.

NORMAS PARA LA CUARESMA

La Cuaresma es un tiempo de gracia y conversión que nos prepara para la Pascua. Este camino inicia con el Miércoles de Ceniza, el 5 de marzo de 2025, y es una oportunidad para renovar nuestra fe y acercarnos más a Dios. Durante estos 40 días, la Iglesia nos invita a vivir con más intensidad la penitencia, como signo de nuestro deseo de conversión. Para ayudarnos en este camino, recordemos las siguientes obligaciones cuaresmales:

ABSTINENCIA: Todos los católicos a partir de los 14 años deben abstenerse de comer carne el Miércoles de Ceniza, todos los viernes de Cuaresma y el Viernes Santo.

AYUNO: Los católicos entre 18 y 59 años deben practicar el ayuno el Miércoles de Ceniza y el Viernes Santo. Esto significa hacer una sola comida fuerte al día, con la posibilidad de ingerir algo ligero en las otras dos comidas y nada entre ellas.

LIMOSNA: La Cuaresma es un tiempo propicio para compartir con quienes más lo necesitan. Se nos anima a contribuir generosamente con nuestra parroquia y con obras de caridad, como la Campaña Católica Anual de la diócesis, en espíritu de solidaridad y amor fraterno.

Los niños, ancianos y enfermos que no puedan cumplir con estas normas están invitados a ofrecer otras formas de sacrificio y penitencia, según sus posibilidades.

Se recomienda a los fieles vivir intensamente este tiempo asistiendo con frecuencia a la Santa Misa, recibiendo el Sacramento de la Reconciliación, meditando la Palabra de Dios, rezando el Vía Crucis, adorando al Santísimo Sacramento y realizando obras de caridad, especialmente con los más necesitados.

"COURAGE IS CONTAGIOUS" MARCH 25, 2025

Fr Chris Alar, MIC
Hosts EWTN "Living the Divine Mercy", Director, Association of Marian Helpers.

2025 WALK's.
GUEST SPEAKER

Rebecca Kiessling
International Pro-Life Speaker and Attorney, Conceived in Rape.

2025 WALK's.
GRAND MARSHAL

Fr Fidelis Moscinski, CFR
*General Procurator, among the 23 pro-lifers who were unjustly prosecuted by Biden DOJ who unconstitutionally weaponized the FACE ACT. Pardoned by President Donald Trump Jan. 23, 2025 * LUNCH GUEST SPEAKER*

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2025 INTERNATIONAL GIFT OF LIFE WALK-NYC

This year will be the 9th Annual pro-life walk in NYC. Every year we honor the vision of St. John Paul II when he designated March 25, as the International Day of the Pre-born Child. The mission of this Walk is claim the Personhood of all humans at the moment of conception. With that carries the recognition of the worth and dignity of every human being, from conception to natural, true death.

GRAND PRO-LIFE MARSHAL Rebecca Kiessling International Pro-Life Speaker, Conceived In Rape

Rebecca Kiessling has been an international pro-life speaker and adoption speaker since 1995, speaking for various pro-life organizations, including right to life groups, crisis pregnancy center fundraisers, 40 Days for Life events, rallies, churches, high schools, universities, Students for Life, women's conferences, attorney conferences, adoption events, etc., throughout North America, Europe, and Latin America about 50 - 75 times/year. legislators across the U.S., Canada, Europe and Latin America.

SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER, FR. CHRIS ALAR, MIC is a priest with the Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception. Father Chris wrote and produced the popular "Divine Mercy 101" and "Explaining the Faith" DVD series. He is an international speaker and is a regular host and guest on EWTN.Watch his talks and programs on DivineMercyPlus.org.

RALLY & WALK LOCATION:
11AM RALLY
FOLEY SQUARE
148-152 WORTH STREET
NYC, NY 10013

LUNCH @ CARRAGHER'S NYC
TIME: **1:30-4:30PM**
LOCATION:
17 John Street, NY, NY 10038

CALL (631) 487-7578 for BUS information*

JESUS
CALMA LA TORMENTA

HORA SANTA 3:00- 4:30PM

GRUPO DE ORACIÓN:
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RETIRO DE CUARESMA

DÍA 15 DE MARZO 2025
PARROQUIA
N. SRA DE MONTE CARMELO
23-25 NEWTOWN AVE.
9:00AM 4:30PM
INF:347 4847976 - 347 7697723

EN LA PREDICA: LAS HERMANAS :
MARIA ACEVES
NURYS RODRIGUEZ

MUSICA : RODRIGO RIVADENEIRA

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CAMINATA 2025

All youth & families (especially those in Confirmation classes in our Religious Education program) are welcome to participate in this year's Caminata, a walk-a-thon of praise, prayer and worship. This year the Jornada Movement will be walking & evangelizing in the streets of Brooklyn through the Woodhaven & Cypress Hills neighborhoods, making stops at different parishes along the route. Please speak with Luis Sanchez at the parish office for more information regarding this event, and how to attend and receive community service hours, if needed.

April 12, 2025 - ZONE 4

St.Michael/St. Malachy - Brooklyn
237 Jerome St, Brooklyn, NY 11207
9:30AM

Todos los jóvenes y sus familias (especialmente aquellos en las clases de Confirmación) son bienvenidos a participar en la Caminata de este año, un maratón de alabanza, oración y adoración. Este año, el Movimiento de Jornada caminará y evangelizará en las calles de Brooklyn, recorriendo los vecindarios de Woodhaven y Cypress Hills, haciendo paradas en diferentes parroquias a lo largo de la ruta. Por favor, comuníquese con Luis Sánchez en la oficina parroquial para obtener más información sobre este evento, cómo asistir y cómo recibir horas de servicio comunitario, si es necesario.