



St. Mark

Masses: Saturday Evening: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 AM, 12:30 PM
Weekdays: 8:30 AM
Confessions: Saturday 3:30 to 4:30 PM

St. Margaret Mary

Masses: Sunday 11:00 AM
Weekdays: Wednesday 9:00 AM

Administrator: Rev. Robert Mucci
Parochial Vicar: Rev. Ebenezer K Abban
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Mr. Ronald Brigando, Coordinator (718) 769-6095

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Ms. Stephanie Rizzo, Coordinator (718) 743-5338

Rosary Society:

Kathy Fackovec President (718) 934-7964

Devotions:

Miraculous Medal Novena every
Wednesday after the 8:30AM Mass
Litany of the Sacred Heart every
First Friday 8:20AM (Each month *before* Mass).

Marriage:

Please make arrangements by calling the Rectory at least
6 months in advance. Please log on to www.precana.org for complete information about marriage
preparation in the Diocese, according to Diocesan
Regulations. Please make your music selections with
our organist Pat Marvella at (917) 650-5704.

Appointment to see a Priest:

If you desire an appointment to see a Priest of the
Parish please call the Rectory (718) 891-3100 during
office hours: Mon. - Fri.: 9:00 AM — 5:00 PM.

Anointing of the Sick

Anointing of the Sick takes place every first
Saturday of the month at the 8:30 AM Mass.

Confessions: every Saturday 3:30PM to 4:30PM

Baptisms: take place on the Fourth Sunday of each
month at 2:00PM. Baptism classes take place on the
Third Sunday of each month at 9:30AM in the Rectory
Conference Room. Call the Rectory two (2) months
prior to the Baptism during office hours to make an
appointment with a priest.

“With God all things are possible”

Mass Intentions for the week

Nov 9 – Nov 16

Saturday, November 9

5:00PM Migdalia Sanchez , Kenneth Alequin for Conversion

Sunday, November 10

8:00AM For the People of the Parish

9:30AM Angelina & Alfred Monaco

11:00AM Rolando Chirino

12:30PM Carmella & Nicholas Gozo

Monday, November 11

8:30 AM Roberto Mendez

Tuesday, November 12

8:30AM Joseph Caffaro (Birthday)

Wednesday, November 13

8:30AM Guiseppe Grimeni

Thursday, November 14

8:30AM In Thanksgiving to Jean Hogan for all your support

Friday, November 15

8:30AM Deceased members of Russo & Sana Families

Saturday, November 16

8:30AM Marie Danner & Lucy Isadore



St. Margaret Mary Church

Sunday, November 10

11:00AM Living & Deceased members of Chille and Cione families

Wednesday, November 13

9:00AM Peppino Manna

Sunday, November 17

11:00AM Members of Clay, Franznick & Fitzgerald Family

Miraculous Medal Novena: Wednesday after the 9AM Mass.

Homebound in Manhattan Beach:

To have a Eucharistic Minister visit and administer Holy Communion, please call Gilda at 718-769-1312.

Also, please advise Gilda of any sick parishioner who wishes to be included in the Prayer of the Faithful at Sunday Mass.



MEMORIALS:

Altar Bread in offering for Victor, Joseph and Michael Perrotta. Req by Mary Perrotta

Purgatorial Society

Joseph Palomba

Maria Antonia Frustaci

Inagio John Giaimo

John Petrizzo

Pete Kunik

Jasmine Calix

Nicholas D'Angelico

William A Seidenfaden

Elizabeth E. Zahra

John Schwarz

Frank Rella

Bridget Griffin

Joyce Doll

Geraldine White

Weekly Offering

Sunday Collection

St. Mark

November 3, 2013

1st Collection: \$ 5,247

Holy Day Collection:\$1,721 All Saints Day

Avg. Weekly Expenses: \$7,531.00

Attendance: 735

Envelopes Returned: 243

Envelopes Mailed Out: 763

St Margaret Mary Church

1st Collection: \$ 586.00

Holy Day Collection: \$ 44.00 All Saints Day

Attendance:75

Envelopes Returned: 19

2013 Annual Catholic Appeal

Thank you for your generous contribution to the Annual Catholic Appeal.

St. Mark Pledges:234

St. Margaret Mary 91

Goal:\$40,125

Goal:\$2,354

Amount Pledge:\$45,742

Amount Pledge:\$5,050

Amount Paid:\$37,88700

Amount Paid:\$5,174



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Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 10, 2013

My steps have been steadfast in your paths, my feet have not faltered. I call upon you, for you will answer me, O God.

Psalms 17:5-6a



I love the season of Autumn: the cool, crisp air, the brilliant colors of the changing leaves, the mums, pumpkins and gourds which adorn our sanctuary. But the days grow ever shorter, the leaves wither and fall off the trees, the corn stalks dry out, grass turns to straw and plants decay and die. As our liturgical year draws to a close we are reminded of our own mortality, and we remember in a special way our dearly departed loved ones. To bury the dead is one of the seven corporal acts of mercy, and to pray for the living and the dead is one of the seven spiritual acts of mercy.

As our first reading this Sunday shows, praying for the dead and the hope of resurrected life go back to the Old Testament. And Jesus confirms this hope in our Gospel when He says: "That the dead will rise even Moses made known in the passage about the bush ...He is not God of the dead, but of the living, for to Him all are alive." Jesus is the fulfillment of the promise of resurrected life. As St. Paul says, Christ is the first born of the dead, and by virtue of our baptism we are baptized into his death so that one day we might share with him the glory of His Resurrection.

My brothers and sisters, though we are in the world, we are not of the world. We are pilgrims on a journey toward our true home of heaven. During this month of November as Veterans' Day approaches let us remember all those who sacrificed their lives in defense of our country. Let us pray in a special way for all our beloved dead, that if they are not already fully united with Our Lord they will soon attain that goal helped by the merits of our prayers, and let us pray for each other so that we may we keep our eyes fixed on that crown of glory that one day awaits us in heaven. Amen. Fr. Bob



SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS CONCERT,

Wednesday, December 4, 2013 8PM

Following the great success of last year's New York Tenor's Spirit of Christmas Concert at Carnegie Hall, please consider joining us on the parish bus which will leave from St. Mark Church. Please contact the rectory and leave your name if you are interested so we may purchase enough tickets and hire a bus for transportation to the concert. Thank you for all that you do to help promote the good work of **Futures in Education**. **Tickets prices: Prime Parquet \$125, Parquet \$100, Dress Circle \$75, Center Balcony \$55, Balcony \$45.** A generous benefactor has agreed to cover the cost of the bus, so the only cost to you will be the price of your ticket. For tickets purchase please call (212) 247-7800 **Please Join Us!**

FOOD COLLECTION

November 16 & 17, 2013

Make a Difference. Please Help Stop Hunger in Our Community,

Give What You Can. Thank You for

your continued Support. St Vincent

De Paul Society will be collecting Dry Foods,

Hygiene items and Money. God Bless you



Pray for the Sick

Marilynn Heath

Joseph Cumella

Lucy Tagliaferro

School News

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School News:

On Saturday, November 9th our Eighth Graders took the TACH exam. We are all hoping that they did well and will receive good news in January about their choices of Catholic High School for next year.

Before you know it we will have completed our First Trimester of school. Trimester exams will be upon us shortly and we will be receiving our Report Cards on Dec. 5th.

Congratulations to the following students who have been recognized as Student of the Month for October because they have demonstrated great effort and diligence to their studies.

Nursery: Victoria Chen;
Pre Kindergarten: Olivia Demange;
Kindergarten: Lily Estrada;
Grade 1A: Michael Garelick;
Grade 1B: Justin Costanzo;
Grade 2: Jalen Lulanaj;
Grade 3: Mariya Karabaza;
Grade 4: Jonathan Kupersmidt;
Grade 5: Leslie Hakim;
Grade 6: David Machin;
Grade 7: Marcus Fontaine;
and Grade 8: Malicia Fong.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: St. Martin of Tours; Veterans Day
Tuesday: St. Josaphat
Wednesday: St. Frances Xavier Cabrini
Friday: St. Albert the Great
Saturday: St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude; Blessed Virgin Mary



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Office of Faith Formation

Office Hours:

Phone: 718 769-6311

Sunday 9AM - 2PM

Wed. & Thurs. 9AM - 2PM

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Any adult who has not received the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist or those who were baptized in another faith, and would like to participate in the process to become fully initiated members of the Roman Catholic Church is asked to contact Ms. Pino at 718-769-6311.

!! The Giving Tree!!

Another year has gone by so quickly. Once again We will be helping less fortunate children and adults during Christmas.

The Advent giving trees will be displayed beginning Saturday, November 30 through Sunday, December 17.

The trees will be decorated with tags, made by our Children preparing for Confirmation. Each tag will indicate who you are to purchase a gift for.

Your support in the past has been wonderful. Lets make this another wonderful Christmas for others in need.

**Please Wrap Your Gift and Place
The Tag Securely on the outside of your
wrapped gift, then place it under the Tree.
Gift must be returned no later then Sunday
December 17.**

God Bless your giving Heart.

Flatlands Guidance Center,

located at 2037 Utica Avenue - second floor, Brooklyn, NY 11234, provides psychotherapeutic and psychopharmacological therapy as well as individual, group, family therapy, crisis intervention, medication management, case management and collateral sessions. Hours are Monday through Friday 9AM - 8PM - telephone (718) 377-5755.

Society of St. Vincent DePaul Gives Back

St. Mark should share in the profits! For each car, truck or van, running or not, the Society of St Vincent de Paul will give back to our church \$50/\$100 per vehicle. Maybe you don't have a vehicle, but a family member, friend or neighbor does have an old or neglected vehicle in their driveway that they would like to donate. Call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul at (718) 491-2525. Thank you for your participation.

Altar Server

November 2013

Mass Time	5.00pm	8.00am	9.30am	11.00am	12.30pm
Nov., 2/3	Jennifer Falco Gianela Campos Katie Cash Brianna Cash	Jade Quiles Nimhan Randeiya Tiana Randeiya Allison Nicole Louie	Cassidy Andre Christine Andre Michael Frasca Syrina Ganpatt	Gregory Cleland Arthur Camacho Janissa Diaz Jasmine Diaz	Natalia Ozoemena Chloe Jobity Chris Donlan Deondre Thomas
Nov., 9/10	Jennifer Falco Chris Donlan Syrina Ganpatt Katlyn Guidice John Bao	Jade Quiles Allison Nicole Louie Katie Cash Brianna Cash	Nimhan Randeiya Tiana Randeiya Cassidy Andre Christine Andre	Gregory Cleland Arthur Camacho Janissa Diaz Jasmine Diaz	Gianela Campos Natalia Ozoemena Chloe Jobity Deondre Thomas
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Nov., 2324th	Jennifer Falco Chris Donlan Syrina Ganpatt Katlyn Guidice John Bao	Jade Quiles Allison Nicole Louie Katie Cash Brianna Cash	Nimhan Randeiya Tiana Randeiya Cassidy Andre Christine Andre	Gregory Cleland Arthur Camacho Janissa Diaz Jasmine Diaz	Gianela Campos Natalia Ozoemena Chloe Jobity Deondre Thomas
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 Parish Secretary: Ms. Anselma Lopez



World Mission Sunday

Thank you for your generous 2013 World Mission Sunday contribution of \$1,465.00 from the people of St. Mark Parish and St. Margaret Mary.

Again, I send the gratitude of the mission office staff to you for encouraging the missionary spirit of prayer and sacrifice among your parishioners. As always, know that you and they remain in our prayers and in the prayers of the people of the Missions.

Raised By The Church

Raised by the Church chronicles the extraordinary life of Ed Rohs, a bright, mischievous boy who was raised in five institutions of the Catholic orphanage system in postwar Brooklyn, New York, from infancy in 1946 until he was discharged as an adult in 1965.

Ed Rohs will hold a book signing on Sunday, November 17, at 2:00PM in St. Thomas Aquinas Church. The cost of then book is \$20.00

St. Thomas Aquinas will be holding five weeks adult faith formation on Catholicism, based on Fr. Robert Baron's Presentation. All are invited! Catechists will be getting credits for their ongoing faith formation.

Monday, November 18 & 25, December 2,9 and 16. Presentation will be held in the Church.

More information please call (718) 253-4404ext.30