



Church of Our Lady of Angels

Brooklyn, New York



FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT – DECEMBER 3, 2023

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: 8:30am, Vigil: 5:00pm

Sunday: 9:00am, 10:30am (Spanish) & 12:00pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday-Friday: 6:45am, 8:30am & 11:45am,

RECTORY HOURS

Monday-Friday: 9:00am - 5:00pm

Evenings & Saturdays by appointment only

Sundays & Holidays: Closed

OLA Human Resources Center & Food Pantry

Located at 336 73rd Street.

Telephone number is 718-680-6344.

Hours of operation are Wednesdays,
from 9:30 AM to 1:30 PM.

Al-Anon Meetings

Thursdays at 7:00pm in the Msgr. Cavanagh Room
4th Avenue Entrance

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Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 11:00am - 12 Noon & 3:30pm - 4:45pm

Sacrament of Baptism

Celebrated at 2:00pm (English)
on the Second Sunday of the month

Celebrated at 2:00pm (Spanish)
on the Fourth Saturday of the month

Baptismal Preparation

Class on First Saturday of the month at 1:00pm
(English & Spanish) in the auditorium of the school
(Please bring child's birth certificate to interview).

Anointing of the Sick

Following the 8:30am Mass on First Saturday
of each month. For an **emergency**, please speak
to the priest on Duty.

Weddings

The Sacrament of Matrimony.
The couple should meet a Priest at least
6 months in advance.

Rectory: 7320 Fourth Avenue, Brooklyn, N.Y. 11209

Tele: (718) 836-7200 / Fax: 718-238-2466 / Website: www.ourladyofangelsparish.org

Rectory Office Hours: Mon.-Fri. 9am to 5pm., Evenings and Sat. by appointment only.

Sundays & Holidays Closed. Email: ourladyofangelsbrooklyn@gmail.com

Rev. Kevin P. Abels, Pastor

Rev. Msgr. Kevin B. Noone, Pastor Emeritus
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Rev. Osmin Vargas, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Mark Simmons, Parochial Vicar
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Once again, with Father Kevin's encouragement, The Advent Trees will be going up the first weekend in Advent. Please take a tag/s, wrap gift/s with tag visible on present/s and return by Sunday, December 17. Gifts will be distributed to the following: 1. Catholic Charities 2. Our Lady of the Presentation Church 3. St. Joseph's Housing for men and women 4. Our Lady of Angels - Spanish Tom Kramer, and his scout group, along with volunteers, yearly pack 1500 plus gifts to bring God's love to others. God always blesses a generous giver. Thank you. Amen

The Gifts of Bread and Wine in Memory of Joan Spietzer, Has been donated by Ann Marie Gregory



Sunday, December 3rd, 2023
(FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT)

SATURDAY, December 2nd

8:30AM In Loving Memory of Steven Loff
5:00PM The D'Onofrio Family

SUNDAY, December 3, FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

9:00AM Anthony Avolio - 100th Birthday!
10:30AM Emma Rose Velez-Living-Por su Cumpleaños
12PM James Brody & Patricia Collins Wolf-Anniv.

MONDAY, December 4th (Advent week day)

6:45AM Orlando L. Rivera & Alexis Rosario (RIP)
8:30AM Patricia Jack
11:45AM Nick Venito - 20th Anniversary

TUESDAY, December 5, (Advent Week)

6:45AM Purgatorial Society
8:30AM Martin Fox
11:45AM Ann Kancelaric
7:00PM Gregorio, Ines & Valentina Diaz & Delfino Gonzalez Eterno Descanso

WEDNESDAY, December 6, (Advent Week)

6:45AM Nayat Cristo
8:30AM Fred M. Gorra - Happy 55th Anniversary
11:45AM Giovanna De Leonibus
7:00PM Diacono Emilio Arteaga

THURSDAY, December 7th (Saint Ambrose)

6:45AM Edwin & Angela Alsing
8:30AM Mary & Fred Brecht
11:45AM Regina Winters
5:00PM VIGIL IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
(Vigilia Immaculada Concepcion)

FRIDAY, December 8th (THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY)

6:45AM OLA Parishioners
8:30AM Kathleen Jennings
11:45AM In Loving Memory of Marianne Meagher & Thomas P. Martin
7:00PM Frangely & Naygeli Gonzalez

SATURDAY, December 9th (Advent Week day)

8:30AM Yolanda Gonzalez Rodriguez
5:00PM John Gerard Barra-51st Bday in Heaven

SUNDAY, December 10, (SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT)

9:00AM Frank Deegan
10:30AM Familia Nava Leon
12PM In Loving Memory of Grace & Dean Marchese

PASTORS COLUMN – My Dear Parishioners, Today is the First Sunday of Advent and the start of our season of waiting for the many comings of the Lord. I hope you had a wonderful Thanksgiving with your family. Thanks to your generosity we were able to raise a total of \$24,318 for our Thanksgiving Food cards for those in our community in need.

Thank you again! Next Saturday, Dec 9, we will have an Advent Morning of Prayer beginning with Mass at 8:30am followed by breakfast and a reflection in the Monsignor Cavanagh Room. Please call the rectory if you are planning to attend.

Sunday, December 10, we will have Lessons and Carols at 4pm followed by the Lighting of our Parish Christmas Tree. Lessons and Carols, through song and scripture, traces the coming of the Lord through the Old and New Testament. After, we will have the lighting of our tree. All are welcomed! Also next weekend, Dec 9 and 10, we will have the blessing of the bambino at all of our masses. Please bring your bambinos from home. If you don't have one we will give you a small one to bring home. We have some masses available if you would like to sponsor the trumpet and Timpani. Please call the rectory for more info.

NOTE: VESPERS WILL BE PRAYED EVERY SUNDAY DURING ADVENT AT 4PM

Queridos Feligreses, Hoy es el Primer Domingo de Adviento y el comienzo de nuestra temporada de espera por las muchas venidas del Señor. Espero que hayas tenido un maravilloso Día de Acción de Gracias con tu familia. Gracias a su generosidad pudimos recaudar un total de \$24,318 para nuestra comida de Acción de Gracias, para aquellos en nuestra comunidad mas necesitados. ¡Gracias de nuevo!

El próximo sábado, 9 de Diciembre, tendremos una Mañana de Oración de Adviento que comenzará con la Misa a las 8:30AM, seguida de un desayuno y una reflexión en el Salón Monseñor Cavanagh. Por favor llame a la rectoría si planea asistir.

El domingo 10 de Diciembre tendremos lecciones y villancicos a las 4PM, seguido del encendido de nuestro árbol de Navidad parroquial. Lecciones y villancicos, a través de canciones y escrituras, revela la venida del Señor a través del Antiguo y Nuevo Testamento.

Después, tendremos el encendido de nuestro árbol. ¡Todos son bienvenidos!

También el próximo fin de semana, 9 y 10 de Diciembre, tendremos la bendición del bambino en todas nuestras misas. Por favor traigan a sus bambinos de casa. Si no tienes uno te regalamos uno pequeño para que te lo llesves a casa. Tenemos algunas misas disponibles si desea patrocinar la trompeta y los timbales.

Por favor llame a la rectoría para obtener más información.

NOTA: LAS VÍSPERAS SE REZARAN CADA DOMINGO DURANTE EL ADVIENTO A LAS 4PM

MISAS DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE:

LUNES 11 DE DICIEMBRE: 11PM – MARTES 12 DE DICIEMBRE: 7PM

Seguida de una Recepción.



COME CELEBRATE THE BIRTH OF JESUS

AT THE BAMBINELLI BLESSING

Our Lady of Angels invites everyone to join us for the blessing of the Bambinelli. You are invited to bring **your own Baby Jesus** from home to be blessed. We will also provide a Baby Jesus to **any child** who wishes one and we will bless that Jesus also.

When: Saturday, December 9 at 5 pm mass

Sunday, December 10 at the 9, 10:30 and 12 o'clock masses.

Where: Our Lady of Angels Church



WE WILL HAVE THE
COLLECTION
NUMBERS IN
NEXT'S WEEKS BULLETIN

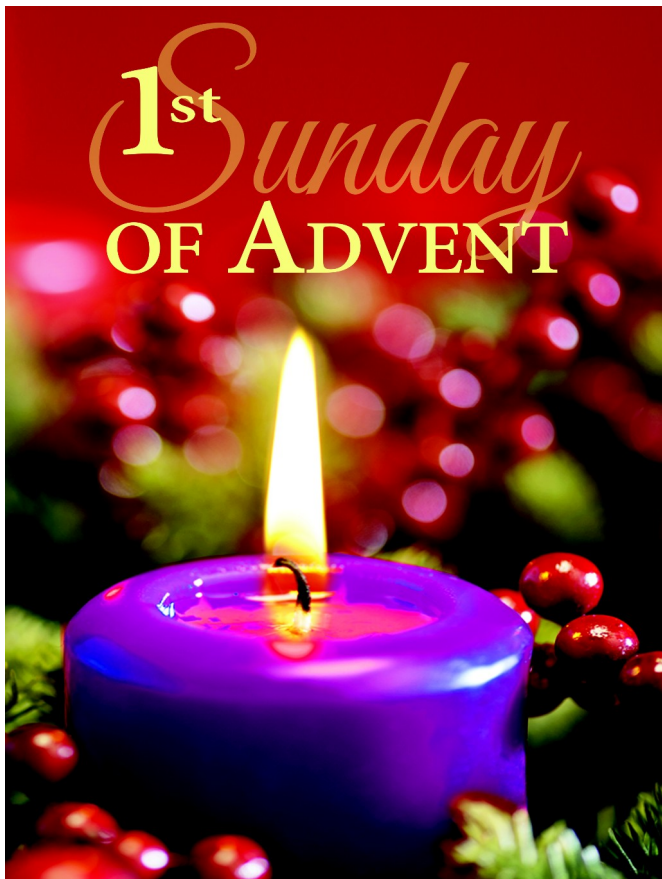
Goal: \$104,563
Pledged: \$107, 739
Received: \$103,511
Donors: 179



Our Lady of Angels Caregivers' Support Group

Emotional Support, Social Outlet,
Information & Resources

First Tuesday of Each Month -Time: 1:00 - 2:00pm
OLA Cavanagh Room
(contact person: Arlene- 718-238-9089)



Purgatorial Society Las Almas del Purgatorio

*Maria D'Onofrio
Dianne Mendez
Irma Carrasquillo
Raquel Mendez
Roki Black Colon
Charles Postler
Angela Mancusi
Rose Panarella
John McAuliffie*

*May They Rest in Peace
Que en Paz Descansen*



Children's Craft Activity

Join us in making a Christmas craft card for Jesus on December 10 after the 9, 10:30 and 12 o'clock masses. All materials will be provided. On December 10th children are invited to place their ornament on a special tree after the tree lighting ceremony or at mass on December 17*. Children can bring their cards on Christmas and place them in the Intentions Basket. COME CHILDREN AND Say Happy Birthday to Jesus!

Who: Children accompanied by an adult When:
December 10 after the 9AM
10:30AM and 12 o'clock Masses
Where: Monsignor Cavanaugh Room

Holy Families Encounters

Holy Family Encounters (Mark 10:13-16)

"Let the children come to me;
do not prevent them, for the kingdom of God
belongs to such as these."

Families come to the **St. Joseph Room 336-73rd
Street at 3:00pm**

Let's get together the first Saturday of every month:
Nov. 4, Dec. 2, Jan. 6, Feb. 3, Mar. 2, Apr. 6, May
4, June 1

Activities include: Family prayer, children's
bible stories, cartoons on the teachings of Jesus
Christ, Saints' lives of the month, family crafts and
more. **Contact Cynthia via
email: holyfamilyencounters@gmail.com**

SAVE THE DATE!
Sunday, December 10th
CHRISTMAS FAIR!
Vendors call:
Frances 917-903-4149

REMINDER: Please remember that Sunday, December 10 at 4:00 pm will be Lessons in Carols, followed by our annual tree lighting.

Your Christmas flyers are in the mail, but they are also around the church for you to take and put in your wreath, tree, or light order.

As Christmas approaches, we would like to offer the same opportunity as last year, to donate for the following items:

Music at each mass – Trumpets (\$350) and Tinfany (\$350)

15ft Christmas Tree - \$1,500 – will be in front of the church. This may be memorialized as you wish.

10 Angels - \$500 – will be along the front of the church. Each angel may be memorialized as you wish.

PLEASE CALL THE RECTORY TO RESERVE ANY OF THE ABOVE

RADIO CITY CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR

Come celebrate the holidays with us this year again!
Tickets are limited! Only 20 seats left, Schedule as follow:

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14TH

OLA CHURCH - 11AM

(BUS WILL LEAVE SHARP 11AM, BE ON TIME!)

2PM - SHOW - CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR - STARTING THE ROCKETS!

3:30/4PM- FROM RADIO CITY HALL BACK TO BKLYN,

SOFIAS RESTAURANT 8406 THIRD AVE.

4:30PM/5PM - DINNER

**WHICH WILL INCLUDE, APPETIZERS, DINNER AND DESERT,
COFFEE, WATER, SODA OR JUICE,**

(ALCHOL IS NOT INCLUDED BUT CAN BE PURCHASED SEPARATLY)

Care for Creation

Did you miss the showing of "The Letter" last week? You can watch it on

YouTube: theletterfilm.org

Pope Francis will be taking part in the upcoming COP28 Conference on climate change in Dubai and will address the Conference on December 2. The

Pope is widely respected internationally as a voice of faith. In Laudate Deum, he states:

"If there is sincere interest in making COP28 a historic event that honors and ennobles us as human beings, then one can only hope for binding forms of energy transition that meet three conditions: that they be efficient, obligatory and readily monitored," and "May those taking part in the Conference be strategists capable of considering the common good and the future of their children, more than the short-term interests of certain countries or businesses. In this way, may they demonstrate the nobility of politics and not its shame."

Cuidado de la Creación

¿Te perdiste la proyección de "La Carta" la semana pasada? Puedes verlo en

YouTube: theletterfilm.org



El Papa Francisco participará en la próxima Conferencia COP28 sobre cambio climático en Dubai y se dirigirá a la Conferencia el 2 de diciembre. El Papa es ampliamente respetado internacionalmente como una voz de fe. En Laudate Deum afirma:

"Si hay un interés sincero en hacer de la COP28 un evento histórico que nos honre y ennoblezca como seres humanos, entonces sólo podemos esperar formas vinculantes de transición energética que cumplan tres condiciones: que sean eficientes, obligatorias y fácilmente monitoreadas", y " Que quienes participen en la Conferencia sean estrategias capaces de considerar el bien común y el futuro de sus hijos, más que los intereses coyunturales de determinados países o empresas. Que demuestren la nobleza de la política y no su vergüenza".

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OUR LADY OF ANGELS AND OLA SPORTS PRESENTS

Breakfast with Santa

DECEMBER 9TH 9AM - 12PM
OLA GYM

\$10 INCLUDES:
CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST,
CRAFTS, MUSIC & MORE

RSVP BY 12/5/23



**GRUPO DE ORACION
CATOLICO CARISMATICO
NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LOS ANGELES
TE INVITA A UN GRAN RETIRO DE ADVIENTO.
SABADO 9 DE DICIEMBRE DE 9:00 AM A 4:00PM**

**CON EL TEMA
"VOZ DEL QUE CLAMA EN EL DESIERTO:
PREPARAD EL CAMINO DEL SEÑOR
MARCOS 13**



**MINISTERIO DE ALABANZA
VASTAGO ADJ BAND
PREDICA
PADRE OSMIN VARGAS
Y
HNO. MANUEL GONZALES
EN EL AUDITORIO DE LA IGLESIA
7320 4TH AVE BROOKLYN NY 11209**

INFORMACION HNO LUIS #347-654-8944

**LAS POSADAS DE NAVIDAD DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LOS ANGELES 2023
DEL VIERNES 15 DE DICIEMBRE HASTA EL SÁBADO 23 DE DICIEMBRE**

VIERNES 15 DE DICIEMBRE: GRUPO CARISMÁTICO DE ORACIÓN (7:00 P.M.)

SABADO 16 DE DICIEMBRE: COMITÉ GUADALUPANO (7:00 P.M.)

DOMINGO 17 DE DICIEMBRE: ROSA MÍSTICA (7:00 P.M.)

LUNES 18 DE DICIEMBRE: COMITÉ GUADALUPANO (7:00 P.M.)

MARTES 19 DE DICIEMBRE: GRUPO DE ROSA MÍSTICA (7:00 P.M.)

MIÉRCOLES 20 DE DICIEMBRE: GRUPO PRO SANTIDAD (7:00 P.M.)

JUEVES 21 DE DICIEMBRE: GRUPO DE JESÚS EL GRAN PODER (7:00 P.M.)

VIERNES 22 DE DICIEMBRE: GRUPO CARISMÁTICO DE ORACIÓN (7:00 P.M.)

SABADO 23 DE DICIEMBRE: TODOS LOS GRUPOS (7:00 P.M.)

NOTA: ALGUNOS DÍAS LA POSADA ESTARÁ ACOMPAÑADA DE LA MISA EXCEPTO LOS DÍAS VIERNES 15, SÁBADO 16, DOMINGO 17, LUNES 18 Y VIERNES 22 DE DICIEMBRE.

Narrows Community Theater Presents Its 2023

Holiday musical production,

"A Christmas Carol", Fridays and Saturdays, December 1st, 2nd, 8th and 9th, at 8PM, and Sundays, December 3rd and 10th, at 2 pm, at the Fort Hamilton Army Base Theater, 101st St and Ft Hamilton Pkwy, Brooklyn, NY. (State issued ID required!) Address is 403 John Warren Ave, Brooklyn, NY 11209 for directions.

(Please note, on Friday December 1st only, the Ft Hamilton Pkwy entrance will not be open for cars, only walk-ins, due to Holiday fair. Please use 92nd St and 7th Ave entrance if driving in) Tickets: \$30 Adults, \$25 Seniors/students(21 and under), and \$20 children (12 and under) For group sales of 15 or more call (718) 482 3173, (tickets will be \$20 each and must be paid in advance).

Email NCT@nctheatery.com,

or visit their website at

www.NarrowsCommunityTheater.com to order online for best reserved seats, but tickets may also be purchased at the door.

ADVENT DAY OF PRAYER: DECEMBER 9TH

8:30AM MASS - 9AM BREAKFAST - 9:30AM TALK

Morning of Recollection:

"Making Room for Jesus Christ." In the popular Christmas carol "Joy to the World," we sing, "Let every heart prepare Him room." Our joy will be more robust and vibrant if Jesus is at the heart of our Christmas celebrations. Otherwise, we risk the emptiness of the secular understandings that increasingly are bordering on syncretism. This presentation will analyze the challenging distractions Christians face as they seek to make Jesus a priority and Christmas a religious holy day.

Music Notes

Dear Parishioners/Queridos Feligreses,

Next week, we begin a new liturgical year and the season of Advent. Each Sunday of Advent, there will be additional community prayer opportunities at 4pm to help deepen our Advent journey.

Dec. 3 Solemn Vespers
Dec. 10 Lessons & Carols (Bilingual)
Dec. 17 Solemn Vespers (Gaudete Sunday)
Dec. 24 Christmas Eve Mass

I hope you will join us this weekend in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament as we celebrate Vespers (Evening Prayer).

La próxima semana comenzamos un nuevo año litúrgico y el tiempo de Adviento. Cada domingo de Adviento, habrá otras oportunidades de oración comunitaria a las 4 p. m. para ayudar a profundizar nuestro viaje de Adviento. Espero que se unan a nosotros este fin de semana en presencia del Santísimo Sacramento mientras celebramos las Vísperas (Oración de la Víspera).

**For information on joining one of our choirs, scan the QR code or go to <https://choir.ourladyofangels.church>.
Para obtener información sobre cómo unirse a uno de nuestros coros, escanee el código QR o visite <https://choir.ourladyofangels.church>**

Scott A. Battaglia
Director of Music
Our Lady of Angels, Brooklyn

