



Church of Our Lady of Angels

Brooklyn, New York



SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT – DECEMBER 10, 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 Monsignor Cavanaugh Room
4th Avenue Entrance

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.

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

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*The Gifts of Bread and
Wine in Memory of
Maria Giovanna D'Onofrio
Has been donated by
Her Loving Son Harry & Daughter in
Law Jennifer and Family*



Sunday, December 10th - 2023
(FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT)

SATURDAY, December 9th (Advent Week day)

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

SUNDAY, December 10th (Second Sunday of Advent)

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

MONDAY, December 11th (Advent week day)

6:45AM Purgatorial Society
8:30AM Cecilia Truchanowicz
11:45AM In Loving Memory of John Moran 26th Anniv.
11PM VIGIL MASS OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE
VIGILIA NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE

TUESDAY, Dec 12th (Our Lady of Guadalupe Feast)

6:45AM For Peg, 1st Anniversary
8:30AM Maria Guarino Mancuso
11:45AM Meadhbh Moran- In Loving Memory
7:00PM Banquete a Nuestra Señora de
Guadalupe/Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

WEDNESDAY, December 13th (Saint Lucy)

6:45AM Halina Papis
8:30AM Kiara Lopez & Family
11:45AM Eccleston Conway, & Riley Families
7:00PM Patricia Y Javier - Vida

THURSDAY, December 14th (Saint John of the Cross)

6:45AM Thanksgiving for all our blessings
8:30AM In Loving Memory of Evelyn & Louis Celi
11:45AM Barbara Roach
7:00PM En Memoria de Raquel Mendez

FRIDAY, December 15th (Advent Weekday)

6:45AM Gerardo y Rodrigo Sanabria- Eternal Rest
8:30AM Maria Glanton
11:45AM Raymond Miller/Jackie Blacklock

SATURDAY, December 16th (Advent Weekday)

8:30AM Mike Kerrigone - 10th Anniversary
5:00PM Christopher Lambert

SUNDAY, December 17th (Third Sunday of Advent)

9:00AM Ilenia Colon Birthday!
10:30AM Alexis y Luca Rosario, Cumpleaños
12PM Reverend James Sullivan - Anniversary

PASTORS COLUMN-Dear Parishioners

Today (Sunday) at 4pm we will have **Lessons and Carols** followed by the lighting of our outdoor Angels, Wreaths and Trees!

Please come as we continue to prepare for Christmas!!!

Our Spanish community will be celebrating **The Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe** with an 11pm Mass on Monday evening, Dec.11 and at 7pm on Tuesday December 12!

I thank the members of the Spanish Community for decorating our Church so beautifully as they do each year!

Next Sunday our children will be decorating their Christmas trees in preparation for Christmas!

Monday, December 18, is Reconciliation Monday. **Confessions will be heard from 2pm to 4pm and again from 6pm to 8pm.**

Please take advantage of this sacrament before Christmas!

Our children, from our Parish will perform the Christmas pageant at 3:30pm, before the 4pm mass on Christmas Eve.

Our Christmas Masses are: Christmas Eve Dec.24 at 4pm and 12midnight and 9am, 10:30am (Spanish) and 12 noon on Christmas Day. On Christmas Eve at 11:30pm we will have Christmas Carols sung by our music ministry! Come Celebrate!

QUERIDOS FELIGRESES! Hoy (Domingo) a las 4PM tendremos lecciones y villancicos seguidos de la iluminación de nuestros Angeles, Coronas y Arboles de Navidad! al aire libre! ¡¡Por favor venga y celebre con nosotros, mientras continuamos preparándonos para la Navidad!!

¡Nuestra comunidad hispana celebrará **La Fiesta de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe** con una Misa a las 11pm el Lunes 11 de Diciembre por la noche y a las 7pm, el martes 12 de Diciembre!
¡Agradezco a los miembros de la Comunidad Hispana y a todos los que ayudan a decorar nuestra Iglesia tan hermosamente como lo hacen cada año!

¡El próximo domingo nuestros niños decorarán sus árboles de Navidad en preparación para la Navidad!

El lunes 18 de Diciembre es Lunes de Reconciliación. **Las confesiones se realizarán de 2pm a 4pm y nuevamente de 6pm a 8pm.** ¡Aproveche este sacramento antes de Navidad! Los niños de nuestra parroquia realizarán el desfile navideño a las 3:30pm, antes de la misa de las 4pm, en Nochebuena.

Nuestras Misas de Navidad son: Nochebuena el 24 de Diciembre a las 4pm y 12 de la Media noche y el 25 de Diciembre 9am, 10:30am (español) y 12pm. En Nochebuena a las 11:30pm nuestro ministerio de música cantará villancicos, acompañenos!





December 3, 2023

Attendance: 937 - Collection: \$11,420
Online Giving: \$1,020
Total Collection: \$12,440

LAST YEAR

Attendance: 915
Collection: \$9,068

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



Afternoon Book Club

Monday, January 8, 2023 at 1:00pm
in the Monsignor Cavanaugh Room



The book is:
"The Wager" By David Grann

CHILDRENS BULLETINS!

There are Children's Bulletins in both the back and front of the church. These bulletins have activities about this week's Gospel and a saint of the week.

Please take one for your child or for a child you know.

Hay boletines para niños tanto en la parte trasera como en la delantera de la iglesia. Estos boletines tienen actividades sobre el Evangelio de esta semana y un santo de la semana. Por favor lleve uno para su hijo o para un niño que conozca.

Our Lady of Angels Caregivers' Support Group

Emotional Support, Social Outlet,
Information & Resources

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

Purgatorial Society Las Almas del Purgatorio

*Charles Postler
Angela Mancusi
Rose Panarella
John McAuliffe
Rita Costello
Anthony Russo
Richard Meserola
Patrick Dufficy
William Raymond Delahanty
Eugene Rudy
Caroline Guerriero*

*May They Rest in Peace
Que en Paz Descansen*

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

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

OUR LADY OF ANGELS YOUTH MINISTRY

Hello. My name is Barbara Powers and I am the new youth minister here at Our Lady of Angels Church. I am very excited to be starting up this program for the youth in our parish and am inviting all young people in grades 6 - 12 to join. Youth Ministry is a place where teens will learn about God and authentic Catholic Church teaching, make new friends, socialize, participate in games and activities, have fun, have snacks, and learn to pray in a safe, comfortable, and inviting atmosphere.

My goals for this program are:

- 1) To empower young people to live as disciples of Jesus Christ in our world today.
- 2) To draw young people to responsible participation in the life, mission, and work of the Catholic faith community.
- 3) To foster the total personal and spiritual growth of each young person.

The middle school group (grades 6-8) will meet from 5:00 - 7:00 PM. The high school group (grades 9-12) will meet from 7:00 - 9:00 PM. Both ages groups will meet on Fridays – Sept. 29th, Oct. 27th, Nov. 17th, Dec. 15th.

Service credit for Confirmation will be given to any student that attends all meetings, but, anyone can join at any time.

We will meet in the Our Lady of Angel's St. Joseph's Center located at: 336 73rd Street.

If you have any questions or require any further information, you can email me at ym101144@diobrook.org

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**

Care for Creation

Shopping for Christmas? Respond to "the cry of the earth" and "the cry of the poor" by purchasing Fair Trade products, avoiding plastics, or giving to organizations that work to protect the environment. Which one will you do this year?



Cuidado de la Creación

¿Compras para Navidad? Responda al "grito de la tierra" y al "grito de los pobres" comprando productos de Comercio Justo, evitando los plásticos o donando a organizaciones que trabajan para proteger el medio ambiente. ¿Cuál harás este año?

Religious Education Office Hours

Wednesday 3:00pm-7pm and Saturday 9am-12pm

Telephone #: 718-748-6553

Email:olacatholic11209@gmail.com

Coordinator: Mrs. Rocio Castillo-Siegel

CLASSES FOR SEPTEMBER 2023-JUNE 2024

We are pleased to announce that registration for this upcoming catechetical year is now open. All the children in Our Lady of Angels Parish who are in Grades 1-8 attending public, charter or private schools should be enrolled in Religious Education classes yearly in order to grow in our faith and prepare to receive the Sacraments. Registration will only be completed in the Religious Education Office (located in the school building in the 9/11 courtyard) during office hours. If you are registering in our program for the first time, please bring your child's birth certificate and baptism certificate. There is also a \$50 registration fee.



LAS POSADAS DE NAVIDAD DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LOS ÁNGELES 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.





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>

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