

# Church of Our Lady of Angels

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**THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ✦ JANUARY 24, 2021**

## A NEW DAY DAWNS



Today we hear how Jonah, sent by God to warn the people, storms through the streets of Nineveh, scaring the citizens out of their wits. And it works! God has a change of heart, seeing “by their actions” how the people turn from evil (Jonah 3:10). A new day dawns. Next we hear Paul telling the Corinthians, “The world in its present form is passing away” (1 Corinthians 7:31). He calls for a change of heart. Stopping short of telling them to stop carrying out their everyday activities, he urges them—rather mysteriously—to live “as though” they aren’t doing the things they are doing. A new day has dawned. Finally, Jesus stands on the shore and cries, “The kingdom of God is at hand!” (Mark 1:14). Simon and Andrew abandon their nets—and even their father—and follow him. A new day had dawned. Everyone has to change when a new day dawns: the Ninevites, the Corinthians, the apostles, even Jesus! Didn’t a new day dawn today for us as well?

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**WEEKEND MASSES**

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm

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

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

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

Saturday: 8:30am

**RECTORY HOURS**

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

Evenings & Saturdays by appointment only

Sundays & Holidays: Closed

**SACRAMENTS:**

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

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

In the Chapel

**Sacrament of Baptism**

Celebrated at 12:30pm (English) and 1:45pm (Spanish) - on the Second Saturday of the month.

Celebrated at 1:30pm (Spanish) - Third Sunday of the month.

Celebrated at 1:30pm (English) - on the Fourth Sunday of the month.

**Baptismal Preparation**

Class on First Saturday of the month -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.

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**PARISH SERVICES**

**Our Lady of Angels 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.

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Saint Thomas Aquinas



**Sunday, January 24, 2021  
Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**SATURDAY, January 23rd**

8:30am Pasquale & Antoinette (*Anniv. In Heaven*)

5:00pm Susan B. Murphy (*1st Year In Heaven*)

**SUNDAY, January 24th**

9:00am Thomas & Lisa Kenney

10:30am Por la salud de: Fr. Benito, Fr. Arturo, Yolanda, Francisco y Richard. Y por el Eterno Descanso de: Felicitas Lopez y Antonio Rivera Lopez

12:00pm Michele McNulty

**MONDAY, January 25th**

6:45am O.L.A. Parishioners

8:30am Donald J. Trump

11:45am Peter Dolan

**TUESDAY, January 26th**

6:45am Rose & Peter Reilly & John Duane

8:30am Gabriel Diaz (*Dec.*) & Joseph Diaz (*Spiritual Enlightenment*)

11:45am Thomas O. Jones

**WEDNESDAY, January 27th**

6:45am Pasquale Anthony Gusmai (*Birthday*)

8:30am Richard Conley

11:45am James Brody (*Birthday in Heaven*)

**THURSDAY, January 28th**

6:45am Purgatorial Society

8:30am Robert Donnelly & Richard Blacklock

11:45am Michael Shea (*15th Anniversary*)

7:00pm Spanish Mass

**FRIDAY, January 29th**

6:45am Elizabeth Keane

8:30am Henry Mahnken

11:45am Frances & Mary Koren (*Big Birthdays*)

**SATURDAY, January 30th**

8:30am Isabelle & Raymond Salamo

5:00pm Thomas & Kate Sullivan

**SUNDAY, January 31st**

9:00am John Hume

10:30am Eduardo Altiles

12:00pm Ann Vislocky

Conversion of Saint Paul



## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

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Dear Parishioners,

As you may know our Holy Father, Pope Francis, has declared in the church a year to St Joseph, from December 8 2020 to December 8 2021. The year dedicated to St Joseph recalls the 150th anniversary of the declaration of St Joseph as

Patron of the Universal Church. In observance of this year dedicated to him, I have decided this plan for the parish. Since Wednesday is a day dedicated to St Joseph, beginning Wednesday, Jan 27, the weekday masses of (6:45am, 8:30am and 11:45) will be celebrated in honor of St Joseph. We will be using the Votive mass in honor of St Joseph. All the prayers at mass, unless it's a feast, will be for St Joseph. The closing prayer to the Prayer of the Faithful, beginning on January 27, will be to St Joseph. Also, on the feast of St Joseph, March 19, we will have a special mass at 11:45am. At this mass we will begin a 33 day consecration to St Joseph for those who might be interested. If you are interested in making this consecration, please call and leave your name at the rectory so I can order the small books for those who might be interested. The cost of each book is \$14.95. Checks can be made out to Our Lady of Angels church (St Joseph book in memo). The deadline for ordering the book is Thursday, February 25. Those who make the 33 day consecration will be invited to mass on Sunday, April 25 at 12noon for a final blessing.

I want to thank all of you for your generous support of the 2020 Annual Catholic Appeal. Last I heard this week, we were short \$1,661 of our goal of \$110,899. I sent in the remaining balance from our operating account to the diocese to bring our goal up to date. I can't thank you enough for the support that you gave to this Appeal especially during this very difficult year that we all had. You are all the best!! Again, thanks for all the support that you give to our parish!!

Thanks for your support!

Fr. Abels

**\*\*Bible Study will take place Sunday Feb 7 at 1:15pm in the auditorium. Please call the Rectory and reserve your place.**

## Del escritorio de su pastor

Mis queridos amigos:

¡Quería que supieran que hemos comenzado la construcción de un santuario para El Divino Niño! Como se hizo con la Virgen de Guadalupe, voy a convertir el confesionario junto al santuario de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe en un santuario para el Divino Niño!

Espero que podamos bendecir la imagen del Divino Niño el 2 de Febrero a las 7 de la noche, cuando celebremos la fiesta de la presentación del Señor. Hablando de ello, tendremos una misa especial en honor a la Presentación del Señor, que viene 40 días después de nuestra celebración de la Navidad, el martes 2 de febrero a las 7pm. Por favor, marquen sus calendarios y digamos presente.

Quería agradecer una vez más a Soraida Puente por sus excelentes años de servicio a nuestra Comunidad Hispana! Le deseamos lo mejor en su nueva posición como Directora de Educación Religiosa.

Les prometo que seguiremos sirviéndoles lo mejor que podamos. Doy gracias a Dios por nuestra Comunidad Hispana y espero servirles muchos años más. Gracias a todos!

Si necesitan ayuda, favor de llamar a la Rectoría y pregunten por Alma Méndez que estará coordinando el ministerio a la comunidad hispana durante la semana. Si necesita hacer una cita o si tiene una pregunta por favor llame a la rectoría y el menú le dirigirá a ella. ¡Gracias por su apoyo! Dios les bendiga siempre!

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Fr. Abels

## Prayer to Overcome Racism

Mary, friend and mother to all, through your Son, God has found a way to unite himself to every human being, called to be one people, sisters and brothers to each other.

We ask for your help in calling on your Son, seeking forgiveness for the times when we have failed to love and respect one another.

We ask for your help in obtaining from your Son the grace we need to overcome the evil of racism and to build a just society.

We ask for your help in following your Son, so that prejudice and animosity will no longer infect our minds or hearts but will be replaced with a love that respects the dignity of each person.

Mother of the Church, the Spirit of your Son Jesus warms our hearts: pray for us. Amen.

**Religious Education**  
**Educación Religiosa**



### IMPORTANT MEETING/IMPORTANTE REUNION

All parents whose children will be receiving First Communion are required to attend a meeting on Tuesday, January 26, at 7:00pm in the Auditorium. You will receive information via email about social distancing protocols for this meeting.

Todos los padres de niños que van a recibir la Primera Comunión este año, su presencia es necesaria en una reunión el martes, 26 de enero a las 7:00PM en el auditorio de la escuela. Ustedes recibirán información en su correo electrónico sobre los protocolos de distancia social para esta reunión.



### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Do you know someone not baptized or baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition, who is curious about what it means to become Catholic? Do you know someone already Catholic but has not yet received Confirmation & Communion? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a place to ask questions and seek understanding.

For more information please stop by the Religious Education Office or call 718-748-6553  
Email: [olacatholic11209@gmail.com](mailto:olacatholic11209@gmail.com)  
Office Hours: **Wednesday 3-7pm or Saturday 9am-12pm.**

## Por favor use una mascara

\*Friendly Reminder that the Diocese continues to require, in consultation with the CDC guidelines, the wearing of masks in public spaces and houses of worship (churches) at all times.  
Thank you for your cooperation.



We are live streaming  
Daily Mass at 8:30am &  
Sunday at 9:00am  
(English) and 10:30am  
(Spanish) on Facebook. It  
can also be seen on our  
parish website.

Goal: \$110,066.00  
Pledged: \$96,059.00  
Paid: \$93,468.77  
Donors: 171



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January 16th & 17th, 2021—\$4,205  
 Attendance: 567  
 January 18th & 19th, 2020—\$7,503  
 Attendance: 797

*I really appreciate the treasure that you give to help meet all our parish expenses. God bless your kind generosity—Fr. Kevin*



### YEAR OF SAINT JOSEPH

To you, O blessed Joseph, do we come in our afflictions, and having implored the help of your most holy Spouse, we confidently invoke your patronage also.

Through that charity which bound you to the Immaculate Virgin Mother of God and through the paternal love with which you embraced the Child Jesus, we humbly beg you graciously to regard the inheritance which Jesus Christ has purchased by his Blood, and with your power and strength to aid us in our necessities.

O most watchful guardian of the Holy Family, defend the chosen children of Jesus Christ; O most loving father, ward off from us every contagion of error and corrupting influence; O our most mighty protector, be kind to us and from heaven assist us in our struggle with the power of darkness.

As once you rescued the Child Jesus from deadly peril, so now protect God's Holy Church from the snares of the enemy and from all adversity; shield, too, each one of us by your constant protection, so that, supported by your example and your aid, we may be able to live piously, to die in holiness, and to obtain eternal happiness in heaven. Amen.

### Purgatorial Society

Clare Consiglio  
 Anthony Diminno  
 Margaret Glynn  
 Claire Mead

*May They Rest in Peace*



### ST. ANDREW THE APOSTLE CARE FOR CREATION

- If you would like to receive information from the St. Andrew The Apostle Care for Creation Ministry regarding environmental issues and tips, contact Karen Doyle at: [ksoyle712@gmail.com](mailto:ksoyle712@gmail.com).
- **Care for Creation--a message for President Biden**
- From the Global Catholic Climate Movement:
- We strongly urge President Joe Biden to take the following actions immediately:
- Re-enter the Paris Climate Accords.
- Enact key provisions of the Green New Deal, including limiting carbon emissions, providing a just transition for men and women in the energy industry, ensuring environmental justice, and empowering local communities to adapt to the dangers of our warming world. Create a strong bipartisan coalition for climate action, one that will serve our country and its people for years to come.

### Afternoon Book Club

Next meeting will be on  
**Monday, March 1, 2021 at 1:00pm**  
 in the Monsignor Cavanagh Room

The book is: **The Other Einstein**  
 By Marie Benedict

**"SAFETY PROTOCOLS WILL BE FOLLOWED"**

## AVISOS PARROQUIALES

### EL MINISTERIO HISPANO DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LOS ÁNGELES

¡Bienvenidos a la comunidad de Nuestra Señora de los Ángeles!

Nuestra Señora de Los Ángeles llega a la vibrante y creciente comunidad de habla hispana dentro de la parroquia, ofreciendo oportunidades espirituales, educativas, caritativas y sociales.

**Celebración de la Santa Misa:** Domingo a las 10:30am y Jueves inicia a las 6:00pm con Exposición del Santísimo, 6:10pm Rezo del Santo Rosario y Celebración Eucarística a la 7:00pm.

### NUEVO SERVICIO PARA LA COMUNIDAD HISPANA

La señora **Alma Mendez** y la señora **Cynthia Vélez**. Estarán atendiendo en la Rectoría a la **Comunidad Hispana** a partir del **martes 19 de enero 2021**. Atenderán las entrevistas para los bautizos, quince años, citas con los sacerdotes, visitas a los enfermos e intenciones para la Santa Misa.

**El horario sera de lunes a viernes de 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. deben llamar para hacer cita.**

Los sábados y domingos no hay servicio. Solo serán atendidos los que tengan cita previa con los sacerdotes.

**Para los sacramentos de Primera Comunión, Confirmación y RICA. Serán atendidos en la Oficina de Educación Religiosa con la Directora la señora Rocío Castillo.**

**Horario: miércoles: 3:00p.m. – 7:00 p.m. y día sábado: 9:00 a.m. – 12: 00 del mediodía.**

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**Visita a los Enfermos:** Favor de llamar a la Rectoría al Tel: 718-836-7200, para mayor información.

**Quinceañeras:** Requisitos: la joven debe tener los tres sacramentos de Iniciación Cristiana: Bautismo, Primera Comunión y Confirmación. Los padres deben llamar para una cita.

**El Sacramento del Bautismo:** Charla Bautismal el primer sábado del mes. Hora: 1:00pm en el Auditorio de la escuela. El Sacramento del Bautismo se celebra cada segundo sábado del mes a la 1:45pm y cada tercer domingo del mes a la 1:30pm.

### **Preparación y Requisitos Para Recibir el Sacramento del Bautismo en Nuestra Señora de los Ángeles:**

1-Proveer copia del certificado de nacimiento del niño/a  
2-Los padres y padrinos deben asistir a la charla bautismal que se ofrece el primer sábado de cada mes a la 1:00pm en el auditorio de la escuela.  
3-El padrino/la madrina es un buen ejemplo de lo que significa vivir una vida de fe católica.  
Por lo tanto, la Iglesia enseña que los padrinos deben de:

1. Ser Mayor de 16 años.
2. Haber recibido el sacramento del bautismo confirmación y la eucaristía.
3. Practicar la fe católica.
4. Estar casado(a) por la Iglesia o ser soltero(a) y no vivir en unión libre.

**El Sacramento del Matrimonios:** La pareja debe pedir una cita con el sacerdote 6 meses antes de la boda.



### **EL CUIDADO DE LA CREACION**

Del Movimiento Global Católico Climático

Urgimos al Presidente Joe Biden tomar las siguientes medidas de

inmediato:

- Entrar de nuevo a los Acuerdos Climáticos de París
- Promulgar disposiciones claves del Nuevo Trato Verde, incluyendo limitación de emisiones de carbono, proveer una justa transición para hombres y mujeres en la industria energética, asegurar justicia ambiental, empoderar a las comunidades locales para adaptarse a los peligros del calentamiento global
- Crear una coalición bipartidista fuerte para la acción climática, una coalición que le servirá a nuestro país y a su pueblo por muchos años venideros