

ST. ANDREW THE APOSTLE

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

A community that is centered in Jesus,
gathers in worship, witnesses the Gospel, and
ministers to the spiritual and material needs
of the people.



LIVE STREAM @ ST ANDREW

We will be streaming Mass on Sundays (9am, 11am and 12:30pm) and weekdays at 9am. Go to our website www.standrewbrooklyn.com or our Facebook page St. Andrew the Apostle. If you have any questions, please call our office 718-680-1010 Ex 10

Served by:

Rev. Gregory A. Stankus, Pastor
Ann Smyth, Director of Religious Education
Rosa Nava Leon, Asst. for Religious Education (Latino's)
Susan Georgini, Coordinator of Parish Ministries
Patricia Corbett, Parish Secretary
Nina Varone, Parish Secretary
Sergio Sandí, Music Director

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 15, 2022

ALL ARE WELCOME! ¡TODOS SON BIENVENIDOS!

Parish House Office: 6713 Ridge Boulevard, Brooklyn, New York 11220, 718-680-1010, Fax: 718-680-3160
Parish House e-mail: standrewrc@gmail.com Join our Facebook page: St Andrew the Apostle
Parish website: www.standrewbrooklyn.com
Wifi Access in church: theapostle-guest Password:standrew2020

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily: 9am
(9am Thursdays: Communion Service)
Saturday Vigil: 5pm (Except June, July and August)
Sunday: 9am, 11am and 12:30pm (Spanish)
Holy Days: 9am

MORNING PRAYER

8:45am

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms In English: Fourth Saturday each month at 2pm (except during Lent and August). To register, call for an appointment at the Parish House to arrange for Baptism. Birth Certificate is required.

Marriage Couples should speak with a priest at least six months before the desired wedding date.

Confessions At Parish House anytime. Make an appointment by calling 718-680-1010 during office hours. Also before or after any Mass.

Eucharist for the Homebound Eucharistic Ministers are available to bring communion to the homebound. Call the Parish House to make arrangements.

For emergencies and to make arrangements for sick calls, wakes or funerals, call the Parish House at any time.

SACRAMENTOS

Bautismos En español: El tercer sábado de cada mes a las 2pm (excepto durante la Cuaresma y agosto). Para registrarse, llame para una cita a la Casa Parroquial y organizar el bautismo. Se requiere un certificado de nacimiento.

Matrimonio Las parejas deben hablar con un sacerdote al menos seis meses antes de la fecha de la boda deseada.

Confesiones En la Casa Parroquial en cualquier momento. Haga una cita llamando al 718-680-1010 durante el horario de oficina. También antes o después de cualquier misa.

Eucaristía en el Hogar Ministros de la Eucaristía están disponibles para llevar la comunión a los inválidos. Llame a la Casa Parroquial para hacer arreglos.

En caso de emergencia y para hacer los arreglos para visitas a los enfermos, velatorios o funerales, llame a la Casa Parroquial en cualquier momento.

PARISH HOUSE OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday: 9:30am to 4:00pm
Friday: 9:30am to 2pm
Saturday and Sunday: Closed

ST. ANDREW THE APOSTLE PARISH, BROOKLYN, NY

REFLECTION

*As I have loved you, so you also should love one another.
This is how all will know that you are my disciples,
if you have love for one another.*

This new commandment of Jesus in Sunday's Gospel is much easier said than done. Just think how Jesus has loved: He loved to his death on a cross, and, along the way, he loved well beyond local norms. He loved the poor, the disabled, the sick and dying. He loved Roman soldiers and Samaritan men and women, enemies of his people. He loved prostitutes and tax collectors, people considered to be of ill repute, disparaged and rejected. He loved uneducated fishermen and children considered worthless and bothersome. He loves us despite our faults, prejudices, sins, and inadequacies. That's how he invites us to love—to love regardless of class, ability, ethnicity or religion, occupation, age, or any other category used to discriminate. Can we do it? Will we be recognized as his disciples? Let's give it a try!

Pax Christi Metro New York!

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Sixth Sunday of Easter: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29;
Psalm 67:2-3, 5-6, 8; Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23; and
John 14:23-29

REFLEXIÓN

Como yo los he amado, así también ustedes deben amarse los unos a los otros. Así conocerán todos que son mis discípulos, si tienen amor los unos por los otros .

Este nuevo mandamiento de Jesús en el Evangelio del domingo es mucho más fácil decirlo que hacerlo. Basta pensar en cómo ha amado Jesús: amó hasta la muerte en una cruz y, en el camino, amó mucho más allá de las normas locales. Amó a los pobres, a los discapacitados, a los enfermos y a los moribundos. Amaba a los soldados romanos y a los hombres y mujeres samaritanos, enemigos de su pueblo. Amaba a las prostitutas y a los recaudadores de impuestos, personas consideradas de mala reputación, menospreciadas y rechazadas. Amaba a los pescadores sin educación y a los niños considerados inútiles y molestos. Él nos ama a pesar de nuestras faltas, prejuicios, pecados e insuficiencias. Así es como nos invita a amar, a amar sin importar clase, habilidad, etnia o religión, ocupación, edad o cualquier otra categoría utilizada para discriminar. ¿Podemos hacerlo? ¿Seremos reconocidos como sus discípulos? ¡Hagamos un intento!

LECTURAS PARA EL PRÓXIMO DOMINGO

Sexto Domingo de Pascua: Hechos 15:1-2, 22-29;
Salmo 67:2-3, 5-6, 8; Apocalipsis 21:10-14, 22-23; y
Juan 14:23-29.

ON THE CALENDAR

- Monday, May 16
7pm Jornada Group Meeting (KH)
- Wednesday, May 18
9:30am Miraculous Medal Novena (CHU)
10am Communion & Liberation (CHUU)
9:45am SVDP Food Distribution (KH)
- Thursday, May 19
9:30am Rosary (CHU)
3:45pm Religious Ed Classes (KH, CHU, PHLR)
- Friday, May 20
10am 50th Anniversary Closing Mass Set-up (CHU)
7pm Religious Ed Classes (KH, CHU, PHLR)
- Saturday, May 21
9:30am Rosary (CHU)
10am Religious Ed Classes (KH, CHU, PHLR)
10am 50th Anniversary Closing Mass Set-up (CHU)
2pm Baptisms in Spanish (CHU)
5pm Mass
- Sunday, May 22
Masses at 9am, 11:45am 50th Anniversary Closing Mass (bilingual)
10:15am Rosary (CHU)
2pm 50th Anniversary Gala Dinner Dance @ Gargiulo's

SECOND COLLECTION FOR PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAMS

Next Weekend - May 22

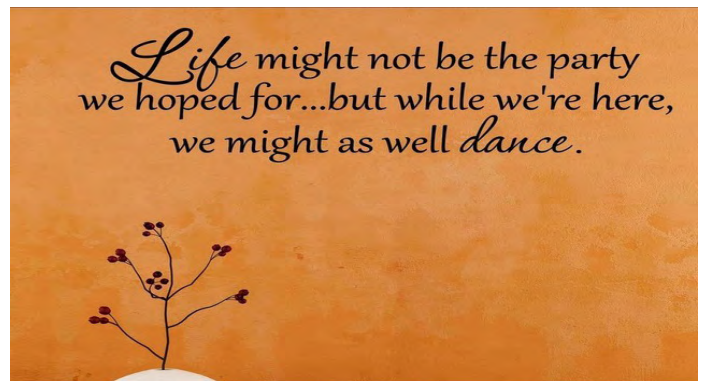
The collection will provide much needed funds to continue the programs associated with faith formation.

**PLEASE NOTE
BEGINNING JUNE 4, THERE WILL NOT BE A
5PM SATURDAY VIGIL MASS FOR THE MONTHS OF
JUNE, JULY AND AUGUST**

**SATURDAY VIGIL MASSES WILL RESUME
SEPTEMBER 10, 2022**

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

*Life might not be the party
we hoped for...but while we're here,
we might as well dance.*



FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

50TH ANNIVERSARY NEWS

HAPPY 50TH ANNIVERSARY

PLEASE JOIN US AT OUR 50TH ANNIVERSARY
CLOSING MASS ON SUNDAY, MAY 22ND AT 11:45AM.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

FELIZ 50 ANIVERSARIO

ÚNASE A NOSOTROS EN NUESTRA MISA DE
CLAUSURA DEL 50 ANIVERSARIO EL
DOMINGO 22 DE MAYO A LAS 11:45 AM.

¡TODOS SON BIENVENIDOS!

GRAND RAFFLE TICKETS

THERE ARE STILL SOME RAFFLE TICKETS
AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE.

Please note that TODAY is your last chance to purchase Grand Raffle tickets. Don't miss out on the opportunity to win \$10,000 and more importantly to support St Andrew in celebrating it's 50th Anniversary.

The drawing will be held at the Gala Dinner at Garguilo's on May 22, 2022.

Take a chance and help St Andrew's continue to serve our community for another 50 years!

THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL

This is the month that we honor our Blessed Mother in a unique way. One of the ways we can honor the Blessed Mother is to share her Miraculous Medal with others so that they also will be blessed with the graces of those who wear the medal. All are welcome to take as many Miraculous Medals as they wish from the gathering space to share with a family member or a friend.

We (Parishioners of St Andrew) have donated \$500.00 to the Association of the Miraculous Medal to date and have taken/distributed 2210 medals since October of 2019.

If anyone would care to request additional miraculous medals in a larger quantity, feel free to contact me.

Victor Guarino: miraculousmedal4me@yahoo.com
917-583-2604

SAVE THE DATE
DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN
CATHOLIC SCHOOL NIGHT
TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 2022
Maimonides Park, Coney Island
"Home of the Brooklyn Cyclones"

JOIN US IN CELEBRATING THE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS!

Featuring a Ceremony honoring Elementary School Valedictorians and Salutatorians

This year's special Bobblehead will be Msgr. David Cassato!

Call Today, Limited Availability
Brooklyncyclones.com 718-37-BKLYN



CARE FOR CREATION



From Oliver Milman's new book, *The Insect Crisis*: "If you want birds, you need insects. If you want fruits and vegetables, you need insects. If you want healthy soils, you need insects. If you want diverse plant communities, you need insects." Three causes of insect decline are pesticides, habitat loss, and climate change.

"Everything is connected." *Laudato Si'*

CUIDADO DE LA CREACIÓN

Del nuevo libro de Oliver Milman, *The Insect Crisis*: "Si quieres pájaros, necesitas insectos. Si quieres frutas y verduras, necesitas insectos. Si quieres suelos sanos, necesitas insectos. Si quieres comunidades de plantas diversas, necesitas insectos". Tres causas de la disminución de insectos son los pesticidas, la pérdida de hábitat y el cambio climático.

"Todo está conectado." *Laudato Si'*

FONTBONNE HALL PRESENTS CHEER WITH THE CHAMPIONS SUMMER CAMP 2022

Train with the Fontbonne Hall Cheer team to learn how to cheer, dance and stunt like a champion!

- WHEN: July 18 - July 22, 2022
- TIME: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm •
- FOR WHOM: Open to girls entering K - 8th grade. •
- WHERE: Fontbonne Hall Gymnasium • Cost: \$250

ONLINE REGISTRATION WILL BE OPEN UNTIL JULY 11, 2022

USE THIS LINK : <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0E4CADAA2AA2F49-2022>

Updates about CHEER WITH THE CHAMPIONS will be posted on the following platforms:

- SCHOOL WEBSITE - FONTBONNE.ORG
- INSTAGRAM - @fontbonnehall
- TWITTER - @fontbonne_hall

For more information, please EMAIL your inquiries to ALL of the following email addresses:

petric@fontbonne.org
Jfraumeni2@gmail.com
Jdibitto23@gmail.com

Members of the Parish Council / Miembros del Consejo Parroquial — Victor Cabanas, Maryann Coluccio, Maryellen Connolly, Maricela Eumana, Christine Kemp, John Kemp, Pierre Lehu, Annemarie Leyden, Senen Martinez, Maria Guadalupe Morales, Eleanor Petty, Yolanda Perez, Alexander Rosado, Maria Saenz, and Lois Seelandt. To contact any a Parish Council member, please leave a message at the Parish House office or send an email to PPCStAndrews@gmail.com. Para contactar a un miembro del Consejo Parroquial, deje un mensaje en la oficina de Oficina Parroquial, o envíe un correo electrónico a PPCStAndrews@gmail.com.

MAY 15, 2022

WELCOME

Our parish has been blessed with new members who were baptized into our church during the month of April. We offer them and their families a loving embrace and pray that Jesus may walk with them and guide them for years to come. St. Andrew's parish joyfully welcomes our newly baptized:

**ABIGAIL MURPHY
JOHN MURPHY
MADELINE MURPHY**

**IGNACIO SANTANA NUNEZ
ISAIAH JEROME TORRES
PENELOPE ROSE VARGAS**

BIENVENIDOS

Nuestra parroquia ha sido bendecida con nuevos miembros que fueron bautizados en nuestra iglesia durante el mes de abril. Les ofrecemos a ellos y a sus familias un cariñoso abrazo y oramos para que Jesús camine con ellos y los guíe en los años venideros. La Parroquia de San Andrés acoge con gozo a los que se han bautizado recientemente:



ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL 2022
Christ is risen; He is truly risen!

This Lent has presented us much to reflect on and many challenges to overcome. I hope you are well and have been able to stay connected to the celebrations of Holy Week through your television, computer or mobile phone, as the Church celebrated the Passion, death and Resurrection of Jesus.

As we work to minister to the faithful in new ways in response to this crisis, your financial support of your parish and the Annual Catholic Appeal is so important. If you are in a position to do so, please explore ways to support your parish, especially through e-giving.

We ask that you also consider a gift to the 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal, which joins you in faith with others in the Church to do good works which continue even in our current circumstances: feeding the hungry, visiting the sick, and imprisoned, giving shelter to the homeless, welcoming the stranger, caring for the elderly, Baptizing, sharing our faith, educating the young, forming deacons and priests and connecting our young people to the Church.

If you have already made your gift to this year's Appeal and have helped your parish toward its parish goal of \$39,688 thank you!

If you are still thinking and praying about how you will participate this year, it may be easier to participate online at annualcatholicappeal.org or on your mobile phone by texting the word ACA to 917-336-1255. Several gift plans are suggested; however, you alone with God's help know what amount is right for you and your financial circumstances at this time. No matter the amount, I ask you to provide your support the best way you can.

Fr. Greg

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL GROUP FOOD PANTRY

Your donations to the pantry of non-perishable food is truly appreciated. Please place your donations in the baskets located in the Gathering Spaces. We are in need of cold cereal, coffee, tea and cups of apple sauce. The next monthly distribution is on **Wednesday, May 18 from 9:45am to 10:45am**, in Kiernan Hall.

La próxima distribución de comida será el **miércoles, 18 de mayo, de las 9:45am a 10:45am.** La documentación no es necesaria.

**ASSOCIATED VINCENTIAN CHARITIES
OF BROOKLYN
(Formerly The Society of St Vincent de Paul)
GIVES BACK**

For each car, truck or van, running or not
The Associated Vincentian Charities will give back to your parish \$100-\$1000 per vehicle. If you, a family member or friend have an old or neglected vehicle that is not being used,

PLEASE CALL 718-491-2525 or visit
SVDPAUTO-BROOKLYNQUEEN.ORG

IRS TAX DEDUCTION
FREE TOWING
ANY CONDITION
THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION



CAREGIVERS SUPPORT GROUP

The Caregivers Support Group meets at Our Lady of Angels the first Tuesday of each month, from 1pm to 2pm, in the Cavanaugh Room. If you need more information, please call Arleen at 718-238-9089 All Are Welcome!

START WITH A SMILE AT smile.amazon.com

Support St. Andrew the Apostle Church when you shop online. Amazon donates 0.5% of the purchase price to St. Andrew's. It's easy to sign up. Go to smile.amazon.com. Then, before shopping, select "St. Andrew the Apostle Church" as the organization you choose to support. Make sure you pick **Brooklyn**. Once you sign up, shop on smile.amazon.com to benefit your parish all year long. Your shopping experience remains the same as shopping at amazon.com.

ATTENTION ALL GROUPS AND COORDINATORS: Information for the bulletin must be submitted two weeks prior to the date you want the information in the bulletin. Pulpit announcements must be submitted by Wednesday for the coming Sunday. Send by e-mail to standrewrc6713@gmail.com or call the Parish House Office.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MASS INTENTIONS

	Sunday, May 15
9am	Polesinelli Family
11am	Edward Vincent Cortes
12:30pm	Happy Birthday in Heaven Isabel Laterza
	Monday, May 16
9am	BEYOND THE GRAVE: William J. Carman, Joann Ferri, Eileen Gallagher, Bob & Norma Gulbin, Laura Hiler, Mary Hiler
	Tuesday, May 17
9am	Vincenza Squitieri
	Wednesday, May 18
9am	William Genco
	Thursday, May 19
9am	Communion Service
	Friday, May 20
9am	Carmine Squitieri
	Saturday, May 21
9am	Mary and Eugene Leyden
5pm	Giacomo Rizzo Cascio and Christopher Fagan
	Sunday, May 22
9am	Evelyn Sharp
11:45am	Eleanor Fulcher

MASS AND MEMORIAL INTENTIONS FOR 2022

Please come to the Parish House office to arrange your intentions for 2022. Weekday masses are \$15, Sunday and feast day masses are \$20 and Memorials are \$25. Thank you for your support.

INTENCIONES DE MISA Y CONMEMORACIÓN PARA 2022

Por favor venga a la oficina de la Casa Parroquial para arreglar sus intenciones para el 2022. Las misas entre semana cuestan \$ 15, los domingos y festivos cuestan \$ 20 y los memoriales cuestan \$ 25. Gracias por tu apoyo.

AVAILABLE MASSES FOR 2022

June 26	12:30pm	Oct 2	12:30pm
July 10	12:30pm	Oct 10	9am
July 17	12:30pm	Oct 16	12:30pm
July 24	12:30pm	Oct 17	9am
Aug 21	12:30pm	Oct 23	12:30pm
Aug 28	12:30pm	Oct 24	9am
Sept 4	12:30pm	Oct 26	9am
Sept 25	12:30pm	Oct 28	9am

PLEASE LET US KNOW

Please call the Parish House to let us know if there is someone who is sick and who you would like to be mentioned and prayed for at the Prayer of the Faithful at the Sunday Masses.

IN OUR PRAYERS

Remember the sick of our parish in your prayers.

Leo Cardozo, Patricia DeStasio, Ivette Gonzalez, Denise Homsany, John Lennon, Dorothy Lennon, Patricia Mangani, Philomena McDonagh, John Milisenda, John Niedzielski, Timothy Phillips, Maria Rosado, Sonia Rosado, Nixsa Singh, Henry Soto

Pray for all those who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith.

Remember our service men and women serving around the world and the wounded.

OFFERINGS FOR WEEK OF MAY 15, 2022– MAY 21, 2022

BREAD AND WINE

In Loving Memory of
Mae McAvoy
from the McCarthy Family

TABERNACLE CANDLE

In Loving Memory of
Maria Vangeli
From Mr & Mrs Mark & Maryann Stuczynski

ALTAR CANDLES

In Loving Memory of
Mae McAvoy
from the McCarthy Family

AVAILABLE MEMORIAL OFFERINGS FOR 2022

July 3-July 9	Tabernacle and Altar Candles
July 10-July 16	Altar Candles
July 31-Aug 6	Tabernacle Candle
Aug 7-Aug 13	Bread & Wine Tabernacle and Altar Candle
Aug 14-Aug 20	Bread & Wine Tabernacle and Altar Candle
Aug 28-Sept 3	Tabernacle and Altar Candles
Sept 18-Sept 24	Bread & Wine Tabernacle and Altar Candle

PRAYER NETWORK

The Prayer Network is a group of faithful joined in private and communal prayer to pray for the needs of all who ask. To add a name to our prayer list, or to learn more about the online and telephone system and the Prayer Shawl/Blanket and Comfort Cap Ministry, please contact Maryann Polesinelli at 718-759-0848.

RED DE ORACIÓN

La Red de Oración es un grupo de fieles unidos que se unen en oración privada y comunitaria; se ora por todas las necesidades que tienen los fieles y que lo soliciten. Para agregar un nombre a nuestra lista de oración, o para obtener más información sobre el sistema en línea y telefónico, y sobre el Ministerio de Manto de oración, Frazadas y Gorras de consuelo, favor de contactar a Maryann Polesinelli al (718) 759-0848.

COUPON

Vesuvio Restaurant and Pizzeria is a family-oriented restaurant at 7305 3rd Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 718-745-0222. Vesuvio is participating in a 5% rebate campaign with St. Andrew the Apostle Church. Please present this coupon with your bill and St. Andrew's will receive 5% of your bill as a donation to the church. This coupon is only good for EAT IN dinners on "NON" holiday/special menu days.

