

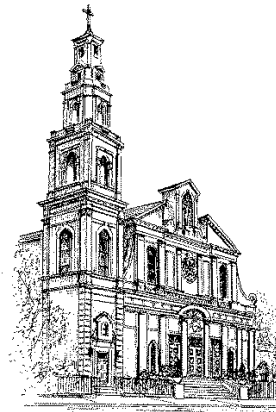
St. Rosalia - Regina Pacis Parish

BROOKLYN, NEW YORK

February 19, 2017 - SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



St. Rosalia Church
6301 14th Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11219



Basilica of Regina Pacis
1230 65th Street
Brooklyn, NY 11219

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We are a Catholic faith community
who believes in God
– Father, Son, and Holy Spirit –
and who follows Christ's teaching
of love and service.

As a parish founded by immigrants,
we recognize that we continue to be
a multi-ethnic parish.

We welcome everyone
by ministering to their various needs
and provide all with the opportunity
to grow intellectually in Christ.
Through our sacramental life,
we are empowered to build up
the Body of Christ
and to become a more vibrant
and faith-filled community.

MASS SCHEDULE

Basilica of Regina Pacis

Monday - Thursday: 7:30 am & 8:30 am
Friday: 7:30 am
Saturday: 5:00 pm
7:30 pm (Spanish)
Sunday: 8:00 am
9:15 am (Spanish)
10:30 am
12:00 pm
7:00 pm

St. Joseph Chapel [Lower Basilica]

Friday: 8:30 am
Saturday: 8:30 am
Sunday: 9:00 am (Italian)
11:30 am (Chinese)

Holy Days: Please consult the bulletin.

Regina Pacis Rectory

**1230 65th Street
Brooklyn, NY 11219**

Phone: 718-236-0909

Fax: 718-236-5357

Email: reginarectory@aol.com

Website: www.basilicaofreginapacis.org

Administrative Office Hours:

Monday -

Friday: 9:00 am to 12 noon
1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Saturday: Closed

Sunday: Closed

For an appointment with a priest,
call the Rectory at any time.

Office of St. Joseph Chapel and Columbarium

(located in the Lower Basilica)

Office Hours:

Monday—Friday
10:00 am to 4:00 pm

**Call for an appointment with
Theresa Landy
who will handle all requests.
718-236-0909 Ext. 1013
stjosephcolumbarium@gmail.com**

Pastor

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Regina Gift Shop

*Inside the Basilica
Conference Center*

(enter through the Church lobby)

Phone: 718-234-0140

Fax: 347-492-0217

Website: www.reginagiftshop.net

Business Hours:

Monday: Closed

Tuesday - Saturday:

10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Sunday: 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

Are You New to the Parish? WELCOME! Please stop into the rectory office and register!

**SACRAMENTAL CELEBRATIONS
AND OTHER INFORMATION**

Confessions: Every weekday morning after Mass in the Basilica you may ask the Priest for confession. Saturdays from 4-4:45 p.m. in the Basilica.

Marriage: Couples must arrange their wedding ceremony at least 6 months beforehand. Every couple must attend a Pre-Cana meeting. Log on to: www.pre-cana.org for dates and registration.

Sacrament of the Sick: If you know you are going to be hospitalized, consider receiving the Sacrament of Anointing beforehand at any weekday Mass. Ask the priest before Mass in the sacristy.

Communion to the Homebound: Our Eucharistic Ministers are happy to bring Holy Communion to the homebound. To arrange this, please call the Rectory.

Baptism: Parents wishing to celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism with their children must attend a "Registration and Instruction Session" on the **First Saturday of any month at 11 am in the Basilica Conference Center**. At these sessions it will be necessary for both parents to attend, and to bring a copy of the baby's birth certificate. Necessary registration forms will be completed, the required instruction will take place, and the Baptism will be scheduled. Remember, both Godparents must be Catholic, 16 years old, and must have received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Godparents may attend these sessions but are not required to do so. Baptisms are celebrated in **English on the third Saturday of each month at noon in the Basilica**. **Once this session is completed, you may schedule the ceremony for any month.**

Those who speak **Spanish** and wish to have a Spanish language ceremony, will have their registration and instruction session on the **First Saturday of each month after the 7:30 pm Mass in the Basilica**. **Spanish Baptisms are celebrated at the Spanish Mass on Saturdays at 7:30 pm in the Basilica.**

It is no longer necessary to come to the Rectory Office to set up a Baptism celebration.

You may call the rectory for *Chinese* or *Italian* Baptisms.

DEVOTIONS, PRAYER GROUPS & MEETINGS

Novena in honor of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal: Mondays after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

Novena in honor of St. Anthony: Tuesdays after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

In Jesus Name Prayer Group: Tuesdays at 1:00 p.m. in the Basilica of Regina Pacis.

Divine Mercy Devotions: every Wednesday at 8:00 a.m. in the Basilica of Regina Pacis.

Prayers for Peace to Our Lady Queen of Peace: Wednesdays after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

The Legion of Mary: Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. in the Basilica Conference Center / Room 1.

Prayers for Vocations: Thursdays after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

Prayers to St. Peregrine-Patron Saint of Cancer Patients: Fridays after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Every Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. in St. Joseph Chapel.

St. Padre Pio Prayer Group: First Saturdays 8:30 a.m. for Mass and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

FRIDAYS OF LENT

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for silent adoration on every Friday of Lent from 9:00 am until 7:00 pm in St. Joseph Chapel. We encourage you to spend some time in prayer as a Friday sacrifice during Lent.

Stations of the Cross will be celebrated in *all four languages* on the Fridays of Lent at 7:30 pm in the Upper Basilica.

You are encouraged to participate in this traditional devotion of Lent with your whole family.



四旬期的每个星期五

在圣若瑟小圣堂，四旬期的每个星期五从早上9:00到晚上7:00 有明恭圣体，我们鼓励你花一些时间来祈祷，也算是在四旬期的星期五做了一点小刻苦。

在四旬期的每个星期五晚上7:30，将在和平之后圣堂用四种语言念苦路经，鼓励你和你们全家人来参加四旬期传统的祈祷

VIERNES DE CUARESMA

El Santísimo Sacramento va a estar expuesto para la adoración para guardar silencio sobre todo, los viernes de la Cuaresma de 9:00 am hasta las 7:00 pm en La CAPILLA DE SAN JOSE. Le invitamos a pasar algún tiempo en la oración como un sacrificio los viernes durante la Cuaresma. La vía crucis se celebrará en los cuatro idiomas durante los viernes de Cuaresma a las 7:30 pm en la Basílica. Se le invita a participar en esta devoción tradicional de la Cuaresma con todo su familia.

I Venerdì' di Quaresima

Ogni Venerdì' di Quaresima nella cappella di San Giuseppe verra' esposto il Santissimo Sacramento dalle ore 9 alle 19. Invitiamo tutti a dedicare un po' di tempo all'adorazione personale come sacrificio quaresimale. La Via Crucis sara' celebrata in quattro lingue ogni Venerdì' di Quaresima alle ore 19:30 nella basilica superiore. Invitiamo tutti a partecipare con le vostre famiglie a questa tradizionale devozione quaresimale.

From the Pastor...

I am looking for some parishioners who might be willing to be appointed to the Parish Pastoral Council and the Parish Finance Council.

Both of these exist to help me manage the administration of the parish and to advise me and our priests on the pastoral needs and programs of our parish.

The Finance Council meets 3 times a year and the Pastoral Council meets every other month.

Please consider volunteering to help.

If you are interested, please contact me to submit your name for consideration.

Rev. Msgr. Ronald T. Marino

PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR PLEDGES

While we are very happy that we went over our goal in the Generations of Faith Campaign, we did so *in pledges*. The parish will not receive any funds for ourselves until the pledge goal is paid.

So far, only 10% of the pledged amount has been paid. We still have a LONG way to go -- about \$400,000 in payments to be made--before we begin to benefit directly. Please try your best.



Altar Server Vestments

We have purchased some new serving outfits for our Altar Servers since they are quickly outgrowing the ones we have. These altar server vestments cost about \$100 a set. I am asking you, if you can, to make a donation to buy new ones for our kids.

You can do this by using a credit card at the back of church to charge your donation or put it in an envelope marked "altar servers" or bring it to the rectory. Any extra amount you give will help the cause.

Thank you to the generous parishioners who have already made donations.

Msgr. Ronald T. Marino

Thank You



Come Home And Experience God's Love For You Again

Wednesday, March 1st is Ash Wednesday -- the beginning of the Holy Season of Lent.

Upper Basilica

Mass in English will be at 7:30am and 8:30am.

Mass in Spanish will be at 7:30pm.

Blessed ashes will be imposed during Masses following the Gospel and will continue throughout the day until 7:00pm.

Our Priests will be available to hear confessions all day until 9:00pm.

Saint Joseph Chapel

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed from 8:00am to 7:00pm for personal and group Adoration.

The Holy Father speaks...



Love is a patient effort by persons who dedicate themselves to listening and drawing closer to others.

Let us pray for our brothers and sisters who encounter discrimination and pay a personal price for their fidelity to the Gospel.

Christian unity is a priority, because we realize that much more unites us than separates us.

We are disciples, but also missionaries, bringing Christ wherever he asks us to be present.

Holiness is to live by being loving and offering our Christian witness in our everyday lives.

CELEBRACIONES SACRAMENTAL Y OTRA INFORMACION PARA LA COMUNIDAD HISPANA

Confesiones: Los Domingos después de la Misa de la 9:15 de la mañana en la Basílica de Regina Pacis o con cita contactando Padre Juan Ruiz.

Matrimonios: Favor de contactar la rectoría por lo menos 6 meses antes del Matrimonio.

Bautismos: Se celebran el Segundo Sábado de cada mes. Favor de contactar a Valentin Canales.

Instrucción Religiosa para los Niños: Los padres que quieren inscribir sus niños a las clases de catecismo, llamen a Valentin Canales a 347-560-6876.

Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos: Los que necesitan recibir el Bautismo, Comunión y Confirmación por favor de contactar Valentin Canales a 347-560-6876.

Hora Santa Lectio Divina: Todos los Martes a las 7:30 de la noche en la Iglesia de Santa Rosalía - 6301 14th Avenue.

Clases de Iniciación Cristiana: Todos los Miércoles a las 7:30 de la noche Centro de Basílica - 1201 65th Street.

Clases de Teología Bíblica: Todos los Jueves a las 7:30 de la noche Centro de Basílica - 1201 65th Street.

Grupo de Jóvenes -Jornada: Todos los Jueves a las 7:30 de la noche en Centro de Basílica - 1201 65th Street.

Centro Familiar: Todos los Viernes a las 7:30 de la noche en Centro de Basílica - 1201 65th Street.

En Sintonía.***Perdonen a sus enemigos y oren por sus perseguidores.***

Atodos nos resulta fácil querer a las personas con las que somos afines, con las que empatizamos y nos encontramos a gusto, pero amar a los enemigos ya es otra cuestión. Jesús va más allá, nos pide que amemos también a nuestros enemigos. Esto nos sorprende igual que sorprendió a las gentes de su época, pero Jesús ha descubierto que Dios Padre no es violencia, no es rechazo ni castigo, sino que es un Dios de toda bondad. Todos somos iguales, por todo ello, cuando descubrimos en nuestra vida el amor de Dios no podemos introducir en ella la violencia, ni el desprecio por los demás, tampoco el odio o la desidia.

Si hemos dejado entrar en nuestra vida a Jesús no podemos ser enemigos de nuestros enemigos, sino amigos, tenemos que aprender a amarlos, a empatizar con ellos aunque nos cueste. Por lo tanto, debemos erradicar de nuestra vida el ojo por ojo, diente por diente y dejar paso al amor y al perdón porque es la única forma de ayudar a construir un mundo más humano, si actuamos así demostraremos que otro mundo es posible y estaremos dando credibilidad ante los hermanos de que amar al prójimo es amar a Dios a quien sólo vemos a través del hermano. Jesús nos ofrece entonces unas nuevas energías para vivir el amor auténtico, Él siendo verdaderamente humano lo entiende desde nuestra humanidad, pero siendo verdaderamente divino, nos lleva al centro de la Ley que es el amor.

Personas que deseen bautizar a sus hijos en Español, pueden hacerlo el Segundo Sábados de cada mes.

Fechas de Instrucción:

Marzo

Instrucción: Sábado, Marzo 4 - 2017 - Después de la S. Misa

Bautizos: Sábado, Marzo 11 - 2017 - 7:30 pm.

Abril

Instrucción: Sábado, Abril 1 - 2017 - Después de la S. Misa

Bautizos: Sábado, Abril 8 - 2017 - 7:30pm.

Mayo

Instrucción: Sábado, Mayo 6 - 2017 - Después de la S. Misa

Bautizos: Sábado, Mayo 13 - 2017 - 7:30pm.

Junio

Instrucción: Sábado, Junio 3 - 2017 - Después de la S. Misa

Bautizos: Sábado, Junio 10 - 2017 - 7:30pm.

Julio

Instrucción: Sábado, Julio 1 - 2017 - Después de la S. Misa

Bautizos: Sábado, julio 8 - 2017 - 7:30pm

Mass Intentions

**BASILICA OF REGINA PACIS
and ST. JOSEPH CHAPEL (lower Basilica)**

Monday, February 20-PRESIDENTS' DAY

7:30 am All Souls in Purgatory
8:30 am Mary Seifert

Tuesday, February 21-St. Peter Damian

7:30 am Caterina Planti
8:30 am Carmela Rosselli

Wednesday, February 22-CHAIR OF ST. PETER, APOSTLE

7:30 am Francesco & Yvette Russo
8:30 am Members of Regina Pacis Perpetual Mass Assoc.

Thursday, February 23-St. Polycarp

7:30 am Intention Available
8:30 am Gaspare Galante

Friday, February 24

7:30 am Intention Available
8:30 am Luigi & Maria Emmanuele [St. Joseph Chapel]

Saturday, February 25

8:30 am Intention Available [St. Joseph Chapel]
5:00 PM Angelina Vassallo
7:30 PM (Spanish)

Sunday, February 26-8TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 am Intention Available
9:00 am Vincenzo Papandrea (Italian) [St. Joseph Chapel]
9:15 am (Spanish)
10:30 am Angelo & Angela Chiarelli
11:30 am (Chinese) [St. Joseph Chapel]
12:00 PM Angelo Porta
7:00 PM Gladys McCauley



The Sick of the Parish

Steven Anderson,
Vincent A. Aurigemma,
Baby John Paul Munoz,
Baby Arthur William Norris,
Baby Jayden Alfredo
Tlatenchi,
Maria Concetta Conte
Bedessi, Erlinda Borg,
Julia Bruzzese, Grace Marie
Campo, Frances Caridi,
Vincent Castaldo, Judy
Cragnolin, James Essman,
Mary Essman, Rose
Essman, Fortunata
Frangella, Vincent
Giordano, Angelina Jose,
Carmencita Jose,
Zenaida Jose,

Frank & John Lacarrubba,
Mary LaManna, Anna Lanza,
Lelle Lazarek, Mark Malloy,
Charles Manse,
Patricia Mayo, Chloe Melina,
Jean Menna, Eva Meza,
Catherine Mary Moncello,
James Carlos Moncello,
Vincent Moncello,
Vito Moncello,
Howard Passman, Juan
Riollano, Ivan Rodriguez,
Marisa Schiavello,
Rita Sciavello,
Rosemarie & Ira Silverman,
Michael John Staubitz,
Valerie Ann Staubitz,
Achille Tafuri, Tom Vilardo



IN OBSERVANCE OF
PRESIDENTS' DAY
THE RECTORY, FAITH FORMATION
AND ST. JOSEPH CHAPEL OFFICES
WILL BE **CLOSED** ON MONDAY,
FEBRUARY 20, 2017.

**REGINA PACIS GIFT SHOP
WILL BE CLOSED ON
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25
RE-OPEN ON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26**

RCIA

Classes for those adults (over the age of 16) who wish to receive the sacrament of **CONFIRMATION** are ongoing on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 PM in the Basilica Conference Center, Room 2.

You will need the following documents:

- 1) Identification showing DOB,
- 2) Copy of Baptism Certificate and
- 3) Copy of Communion Certificate.

If you have not received the Sacrament of Holy Communion and wish to do so, please let us know.

To register contact Deacon John Dolan at
reginapacisdeacon@aol.com OR
reginapacisfaith@gmail.com

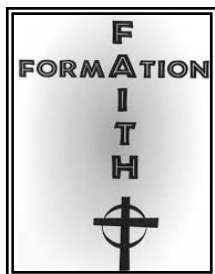
*A Diocesan Pilgrimage to
Fatima and Lourdes
celebrating the
100th Anniversary of the
Fatima Apparitions
Bishop Nicholas DiMarzio
Spiritual Director
August 30—September 8, 2017*

*For a brochure call
The Catholic Tour
1-855-564-1008 or
jimadair@thecatholictour.com*

PRAY FOR OUR SOLDIERS

Andres Uguna
Andrew Arthur Passione





Youth Ministry is meeting on Tuesdays from 6:30PM to 8:00PM in the Regina Conference Center on:

Feb. 7th
Feb. 14th
Feb. 28th



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Come meet new friends and play games!
Come Join us!
If you have questions please contact Mr. Louis Nunez at:
reginapacisym@gmail.com
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First Penance Practice 4:30-5:45pm
Attendance is necessary at all practices

Thursdays - February 23, March 02, March 09
First Penance is Saturday, March 11, 2017 and Saturday, March 18, 2017 at 11:00 am
Please arrive in Conference Center at 10:30 am



First Holy Communion Practice 4:30-5:45pm
Attendance is necessary at all practices

Thursdays - March 23, April 06, May 4, May 11, May 18
Banners are due by April 30, 2017.
First Holy Communion is Saturday, May 20, 2017 at 11:00 am
Please arrive in Conference Center at **10:00 am**



Confirmation Service Hours

- Every Sunday after 12:00 pm Mass Confirmandi are asked to help straighten out rooms in the Basilica's Conference Center.
- Thursday afternoons 2/23, 3/02, 3/09 in the Basilica from 4:00-5:15 pm to help with Penance Practice.
- Do **not** forget about the hours you can receive for being a lector, usher, altar server and choir member.



Are You Considering Cremation?

Many people are under the wrong impression that the Catholic Church prohibits cremation. In fact, it does not. What the Church forbids is anything which diminishes the dignity of the human body or reflects a disbelief in the Resurrection of our bodies which we believe will happen no matter where we are resting. Specifically, the Church prohibits the scattering of cremated remains into the air or the sea, the dividing of the remains among family and friends, keeping the remains at home or doing anything with the human remains of a loved one which lacks religious dignity.

The Church requires that the cremated remains of a person be buried in a cemetery grave or kept in a place designed for this purpose – a Columbarium. At Regina Pacis Basilica we are blessed to have a Columbarium in St. Joseph Chapel in the lower level of our beautiful Basilica.

Our Chapel is no ordinary burial place. It is in a functioning Church where Masses and prayers are celebrated. People resting here are interred in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament and surrounded by beautiful etched glass images of many Saints. St. Joseph Chapel is a brightly lighted place of peace and prayerfulness where it is plainly visible that Catholics believe in the Resurrection.

Families can still have a wake and a funeral Mass, and after the cremation, bring the cremated remains to Regina Pacis to have an Inurnment Ceremony in our Chapel. Here, families can come to pray and visit easily and often. The burial niches come in various sizes: single, companion, or family so that a family can provide for future needs now. The niches are glass covered so that the burial urn containing the cremains is visible, and some have beautiful marble fronts which simply indicate the person's name and dates. For information about St. Joseph Chapel and Columbarium, please feel free to visit Regina Pacis Basilica or call the Parish Office at 718.236.0909 for more detailed information.

"To bury the Deceased" has always been a Catholic work of mercy. We are happy to offer this dignified and beautiful Chapel to all.

Senior Housing Opportunity

Progress of Peoples Management Corp. – an affiliate of Catholic Charities Brooklyn & Queens – is pleased to announce the opening of the waitlist for the **Mt. Carmel Apartments, located at 745 Saint Johns Place, Brooklyn, NY 11216.** The building, which includes handicap accessible units, is for elderly residents and couples where the head of household or spouse is 62 or older. Income restrictions apply and are based on Section 8 guidelines.

Applications will be available beginning Monday, February 13, 2017 and will remain available until Friday, March 3, 2017. Completed applications must be mailed to the P.O. Box listed on the application and must be postmarked by Saturday, March 4, 2017.

If you have any questions, please contact the Catholic Charities Call Center: 718-722-6001

Oportunidad de Vivienda para Adultos Mayores

Progress of Peoples Management Corp. – afiliada de Catholic Charities Brooklyn y Queens – se complace en anunciar que **Mt. Carmel Apartments**, localizado en el **745 Saint Johns Place, Brooklyn, NY 11216**, reabrirá su lista de espera. Esta propiedad consta con unidades aptas para personas con discapacidades. Para participar en la lotería de vivienda, aplicantes deben tener 62 años o mayores, parejas casadas (cabeza de familia o esposo(a) deben tener 62 años o mayor, con ingresos regulados según las disposiciones de la Sección 8 de la Ley de Vivienda de los EE.UU. Personas menores de 62 años con discapacidades pueden calificar.

Aplicaciones estarán disponibles a partir del Lunes, 13 de Febrero, 2017 y estarán disponibles hasta el Viernes, 3 de Marzo, 2017. Aplicaciones completas deben ser devueltas por correo postal a la dirección del P.O. Box indicado en la aplicación. Las aplicaciones deben tener sello postal a más tardar del Sábado, 4 de Marzo, 2017.

Importante: Todas las solicitudes para aplicaciones deben de ser hechas antes del Viernes, 24 de Febrero, 2017
Si usted tiene alguna pregunta, por favor llamar al 718-722-6001