



St. Clare Catholic Church

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SUNDAY, MARCH 24TH, 2024 (PALM SUNDAY)

Rectory Hours

Monday—Friday: 9am—12pm, 1pm—4pm

Saturdays: 10am- 2pm

Sundays: Closed

Please call in advance to make an appointment to see either a priest or a deacon.

Parishioners at St. Clare worship regularly at Mass, participate in the community life of the Church and make use of the weekly envelopes in support of the parish.

Parish Clergy and Staff

Rev. John Nimako, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Mr. Christopher Barber, Permanent Deacon

Rev. Mr. Richard Hurst, Permanent Deacon

Ms. Dianne Sealy-Soon, Office Manager

Ms. Lisa Sampson, Director of Religious Education
(718) 527-6153

Mr. Michael Zephyrine, Music Director

Ms. Sachara Valme, Youth Minister

Mr. Richard Sealy, Custodian

St. Clare Catholic Academy

137-25 Brookville Boulevard, Rosedale, NY 11422

Pre-K-Grade 8

Mrs. Providencia Quiles, Principal

Mrs. Deanna Maynard, Assistant Principal

Mrs. Joanne Pinnock, Dean

Mrs. Lucy Diaz, Administrative Assistant
(718) 528-7174

website: www.stclarecatholicacademy.org

Mass Schedule

Monday-Saturday: 8:30am Saturday Vigil: 5pm

Sundays: 8am, 10:30am & 12:30pm

Holy Days: *To Be Announced*

Devotions

Miraculous Medal said on Monday mornings after Mass. St. Clare Novena is said on Saturday mornings after Mass. The Rosary is said daily after weekday Mass, Sacred Heart Novena will be said after First Friday Mass, 20 Decades of the Rosary after First Saturday Mass. First Friday Holy Hour: 7:30pm

Sacraments

Baptism: Monthly (except during Lent and the summer months), on Saturdays at 12:30pm. We are pleased to baptize infants and children up to 7 years of age with at least one parent who is Roman Catholic. Please call the rectory to make arrangements.

First Holy Communion/Confirmation:

For Children and Youth from ages 7 to 17, please call Ms. Lisa Sampson at 718-527-6153

Order of Christian Initiation in Adults (OCIA)

Adults, 18 yrs. and older, who wish to become Catholic or if Catholic and wish to complete their Sacraments of Initiation, e.g., Confirmation & Communion. Call Ms. Lisa Sampson.

Anointing of the Sick: Call the Rectory.

Confessions: Offered every Saturday from 3:30pm—4:30pm or by appointment.

Matrimony: Couples are asked, first, to make arrangements with parish clergy at least six months in advance prior to the wedding date.

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS**SATURDAY, MARCH 23**

5:00pm Birthday Blessings for Rebecca Valentin,
requested by her Godmother, Therese.

SUNDAY, MARCH 24

8:00am For the Continued Success of St. Clare
Catholic Academy

10:30am For You, the People of the Parish,

12:30pm In Loving Memory of Andree & Robes-
pierre Charles, requested by the Charles Family

MONDAY, MARCH 25

8:30am For the Repose of the Soul of Fr. Andy L.
Struzziere requested by Martinez Francois.

TUESDAY, MARCH 26

8:30am In Thanksgiving and a Special Blessing to
me, requested by Martinez Francois.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27

8:30am Belated Birthday Blessings for Michael
Stanley requested by the Stanley Family

THURSDAY, MARCH 28—HOLY THURSDAY

9:00am Morning Prayer

7:30pm—For the Deceased Clergy of St. Clare
Catholic Church

FRIDAY, MARCH 29 - GOOD FRIDAY

9:00am—Morning Prayer

3:00pm—Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

SATURDAY, MARCH 30—HOLY SATURDAY

9:00am—Morning Prayer

8:00pm—The Great Vigil Mass of Easter—
For You, the People of the Parish

SUNDAY, MARCH 31—EASTER SUNDAY

8:00am For You, the People of the Parish

10:30am In Honor of the Resurrection of the Lord,

12:30pm Birthday Blessings to Nicholas Thomas
Diaz, requested by the Diaz Family



**The Holy Father, Pope Francis'
Prayer Intention for:**

MARCH 2024

For the New Martyrs

We pray that those who risk their lives for
the Gospel in various parts of the world in-
flame the Church with their courage and
missionary enthusiasm.

GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING

03/19/2023

\$6,008.00

03/17/2024

5pm— \$ 914.00

8am— \$ 679.00

10:30am—\$2,990.00

12:30pm—\$ 619.00

\$6,008.00

\$5,202.00

WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sun Mk 11:1-10, Mk 15:1-39 (38)
Mon Is 42:1-7, Jn 12:1-11 (257)
Tue. Is 49:1-6, Jn 13:21-33 (258)
Wed. Is 50:4-9a, Mt 26:14-25 (259)
Thur. Is 61:1-3a, Rv 1:5-8 (260)
Fri. Is 52:13-53, Jn 18:1-19 :42 (40)
Sat. Gn 1:1-2:2, Gn 22:1-18 (41)
Sun Acts 10:34a, Col 3:1-4 (46)

THIS WEEK**Sunday March 24 PALM SUNDAY**

8:00am Mass, 10:30am Mass, 1:00pm Mass

Monday, March 25**LENTEN RECONCILIATION MONDAY**

8:30am—Morning Mass

9:30am—CONFESSIONS FOR ST. CLARE ACADEMY—CHURCH

2:00pm—CONFESSIONS FOR ST. CLARE ACADEMY— RECTORY

6:00pm—PENANCE SERVICE

(Confessions during Eucharistic Adoration)

Tuesday March 26

8:30am—Morning Mass

7:30pm—Evening Mass—Blessing of Bread

Wednesday, March 27

8:30am—Morning Mass

7:30pm—Lenten Vespers & Benediction.

Guest Preacher: Fr. Patrick J. Keating

Thursday, March 28 HOLY THURSDAY

9:00am—Morning Prayer

Friday, March 29 GOOD FRIDAY

9:00am—Morning Prayer

7:30pm— Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

Guest Preacher: Fr. Joseph Catafago

Saturday March 30 HOLY SATURDAY

9:00am—Morning Prayer

8:00pm—The Great Vigil Mass of Easter



2024 Schedule for Holy Week & Easter

at St. Clare Church, Rosedale

Vigil of Palm Sunday, March 23

3: 30 PM Confessions, 5 PM Mass

Palm Sunday, March 24

8 AM Mass, 10: 30 AM Mass, 1 PM Mass

Reconciliation Monday, March 25

8: 30 AM Mass

Confessions will be heard after the Morning Mass

2 PM-4 PM Confessions

6 PM-8 PM Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament

during which Confessions will be heard

Holy Thursday, March 28

9 AM Morning Prayer

7: 30 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper

11:45 PM Tenebrae

Good Friday, March 29

9 AM Morning Prayer

(in the School Auditorium)

12 Noon Stations of the Cross with the Seven Last Words *(in the Church)*

1:30 PM-2: 30 PM Confessions

3 PM Solemn Liturgy of the Passion of the Lord

Holy Saturday, March 30

9 AM Morning Prayer followed by RCIA Preparatory Rite

(in the School Auditorium)

8 PM Great Vigil Mass of Easter *(Church doors open at 6: 30 PM)*

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection, March 31

8 AM Mass, 10: 30 AM Mass, 1 PM Mass



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RECONCILIATION MONDAY

Each parish in the Diocese of Brooklyn and Queens, along with the Diocese of Rockville Centre and the Archdiocese of New York, will have priests available in every Church to hear confessions tomorrow, Monday, March 25th, 2024 of Holy Week.

It is hoped that in the New York area all Catholics will have the opportunity to come to confession in any Church.

Here at St Clare, Fr. Kingsley and Fr. John will hear confessions **after the morning Mass, from 2pm to 4pm in the Rectory Office, and in the evening from 6pm to 8pm during Eucharistic Adoration.** We hope that these various times will allow every parishioner (including children) to come and celebrate the Sacrament of Penance before Easter.

Upcoming Bible Study at Saint Clare starting in April.

Revelation: The Kingdom Yet to Come

Perhaps no book in the Bible fascinates people more than Revelation. Yet relatively few people have studied the book, especially from a Catholic perspective. Revelation: **The Kingdom Yet to Come** is an intriguing Bible study that shows how the kingdom established by Christ in this Church is intimately connected with the kingdom of heaven.

Saint Clare Church will begin an eleven-week Bible study Revelation: **The Kingdom Yet to Come** on April 3rd at 7:30 pm. Participants will meet every week (via Zoom) to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship. For more information or to register, visit ascensionpress.com, or contact Timothy Turner at 516 754-6898, Bibles-tudy11422@gmail.com.

In this intriguing look at one of the most talked-about books in Scripture, Jeff Cavins explores Revelation to demonstrate how the kingdom established by Christ in his Church is intimately connected with the kingdom of heaven, especially through the celebration of the Mass.

You will learn what all the mysterious figures and images of Revelation present, as well as what will happen during the Second Coming of Christ, what has already happened, and what is happening now in salvation history.



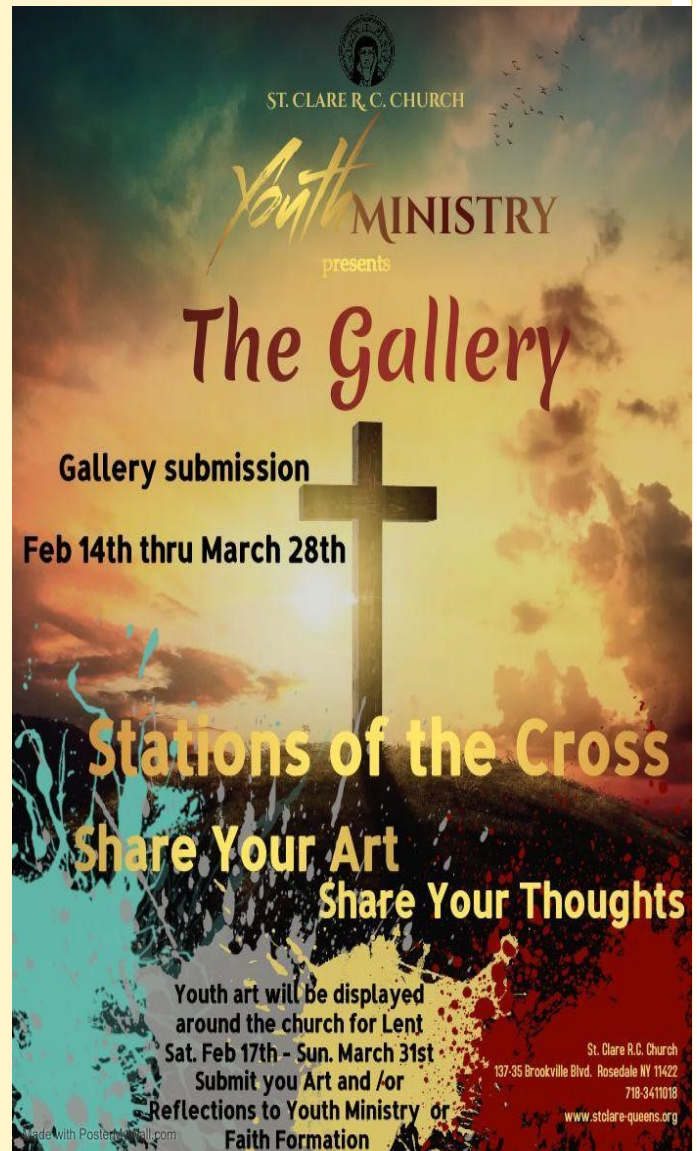
Give a Gift of Altar Flowers

Members of the Flower Ministry and members of the parish, sponsor the beautiful flowers in the church. We hope to welcome new sponsors. Flower donations may be given for any Sunday as a gift of Celebration, Thanksgiving or In Memory of. The suggested minimum donation for Sunday flowers is \$15.00. All donations are greatly appreciated.


SAINT CLARE CATHOLIC CHURCH
Presents
A Dinner Dance Gala



Celebrating Our 100 Year Anniversary
Saturday August 3rd, 2024
WHERE: Coral House TIME: 7pm-12am
70 MILBURN AVE. BALDWIN, NY 11510
BETWEEN SUNRISE HWY & MERRICK RD.
COST: \$175.00 Per Person Payment Plan Available
(Suggested Amounts)
March-\$50, April-\$50, May-\$50, June-\$25 (Deadline)
COCKTAIL HOUR from 7-8pm, OPEN BAR, DINNER, PRESENTATION & DANCING
Bus Transportation is available for \$10. Bus will be in the front of Saint Clare Church



ST. CLARE R.C. CHURCH
Youth MINISTRY presents
The Gallery
Gallery submission
Feb 14th thru March 28th
Stations of the Cross
Share Your Art
Share Your Thoughts
Youth art will be displayed
around the church for Lent
Sat. Feb 17th - Sun. March 31st
Submit you Art and /or
Reflections to Youth Ministry or
Faith Formation
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The Altar Bread and Wine
which will be used in
The Celebration Of The Eucharist
Throughout the Week of
March 24th, 2024 is
In Thanksgiving for everything
God has given to me,
Requested by
Michelle Jacques



SAVE THE DATE
YOUTH MINISTRY CAR WASH
IS HERE AGAIN,
SATURDAY MAY 18TH, 2024
12PM—3PM



ST. CLARE CHURCH

FLOWER MINISTRY

Welcomes You to a
Pre-Mother's Day Fashion Show!

Sunday, May 5, 2024

MUSIC BY OUR OWN DJ MIA



*Come Join us as we
CELEBRATE "All Mothers"
at this special event*



St. Clare School Auditorium on 241st Street
137-35 Brookville Blvd., Rosedale, NY 11422

Refreshments and hors d'oeuvres: 2:00pm-3:00pm

Fashion Show: 3:00pm - 5:00pm

Adults - \$25 / Children - \$10

**Jewelry - Fashion - Art
will be on Display for Sale**

For Tickets Contact:

Jennifer Pierre 917-763-5075 Marge Spence 646-420-6505





THE ST. CLARE TREE OF LIFE

The Tree is located at the main entrance of the church and offers a unique opportunity to memorialize a loved one or event in our lives.

More details are outlined in the brochure located in the church vestibule.

**IN YOUR CHARITY PLEASE PRAY FOR the Sick,
Homebound and Hospitalized,**



*Send in the names of your loved ones who are ill,
so that we may pray for them daily.*

Edgar Grove	Rosemary Nolan
Veronica Foster	Phillip Wright
Hugh Myton	Myles Ayoung
Nancy Joseph	Huguette Leroy
Ann English	Evelyn Farquharson
Dcn. Rich. Hurst	Lory Hurst
Matthew Zinser III	Veronica Richardson
Nicholas Marshall	Rafaella Mirra
Owen Halliburton	



UPCOMING EVENTS

March 24th—**Palm Sunday**

March 25th— Lenten Reconciliation Monday

March 28—Holy Thursday— **Mass of the Lord's Supper**

March 29—Good Friday—**Liturgy of the Lord's Passion**

March 30th—Holy Saturday—**R.C.I.A. Preparatory Rite**

March 31st—**Easter Sunday**

April 7th — Divine Mercy Sunday

April 20th—Diocesan Eucharistic Revival

April 20th—Infant Baptisms

May 5th— **Early Mother's Day Fashion Show**

May 9th—Ascension Thursday

May 11th—First Holy Communion

May 12th—Mother's Day

May 18th—Youth Ministry Car Wash

May 19th—Pentecost Sunday

May 25th—Infant Baptisms

May 26th—Trinity Sunday

May 27th—Memorial Day

June 1st—Karaoke Night

June 2nd—Corpus Christi

June 8th—Nat. Council of Catholic Women Luncheon

June 15th— Infant Baptisms

June 16th—Father's Day

June 22nd—Youth Ministry Funky Fashion Show

June 23rd— Corpus Christi

July 4th—Independence Day

SOME DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE