

**October 5, 2025
American Martyrs
27th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

The Partnership Mass Schedule of American Martyrs and Holy Family

**American Martyrs
8:30am Weekdays**

**4pm Saturday Vigil
Sunday 9am + 11:30am
Saturday Confession 3pm - 3:45pm**

**Holy Family
8:30am Weekdays**

**5pm Saturday Vigil
Sunday 7:30am + 10:30am
12 noon + 5pm
Saturday Confession 4pm**

Pastoral Staff

**Rev. Sean M. Suckiel, Pastor
Rev. Ralph Edel, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Peter J. Rayder, Parochial Vicar
Deacon Stan Galazin
Very Rev. Francis K. Asagba (in residence)**

Parish Staff

**Mrs. Theresa Asche
Director of Religious Education
Mrs. Patricia Adams: Office/Business
Mr. Jose Espindola: Parish Grounds**

America Martyrs RC Church

**79-43 Bell Blvd.
Oakland Gardens, NY 11364
Rectory: 718 + 464 + 4582
Religious Education 718 + 464 + 6411**

Holy Family R.C. Church

**175-20 74th Avenue
Fresh Meadows, NY 11366
718 + 969 + 2448**



American Martyrs Mission Statement

We, the diverse Catholic family of American Martyrs, are spiritually centered in the Word and the Eucharist. Our warm, welcoming community creates an atmosphere for a wonderful faith experience as we gather at the table of the Lord to help each other grow in Christ and live according to His teachings. Inspired by the faith and an example of our patrons, the North Americans Martyrs, and the Blessed Mother, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we work together to spread the message of Jesus to all.

American Martyrs Celebrates the Sacraments

Penance

Every Saturday at 3pm—3:45pm (Also at anytime convenient upon request)

Baptisms

Parents must speak to Deacon Stan one month in advance before the scheduled date.

Sacrament of the Sick Anointing of the Sick

This sacrament is available for any baptized Catholic who is seriously ill or suffering the effects of advanced age. Please call the rectory to make an appointment for a priest to come to the home, or call anytime for a sudden illness. If serious surgery is scheduled, call to arrange for the anointing before you enter the hospital. A communal celebration of this sacrament is celebrated annually.

Pastoral Care to the Homebound

We are concerned about parishioners who are homebound and would like to receive the Eucharist, the Sacrament of Reconciliation or the Anointing of the Sick. If you are homebound, or if you know someone who is unable to come to Mass, please do not hesitate to contact the parish office at (718) 464-4582. Visits will be happily arranged for you.

Holy Matrimony

Call the Parish Office for information and appointment with a priest at least six months prior to the date you wish.

Pastors Advisory Board/Parish Council

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**“To have the ability to develop
authentic friendships in life is
beautiful. Without a doubt, friendship
is one of the most wonderful gifts
that God has given us.”**
Pope Leo XIV



**Annual Catholic
Appeal 2025**
DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN

The 2025 Annual Catholic Appeal Jubilee of Hope, Renewal of Faith, and Charity!

The 2025 Annual Catholic Appeal supports the mission of American Martyrs and the daily work of the Diocese of Brooklyn in ways no one parish can accomplish alone.

All donations over our goal will be returned to American Martyrs

Weekly Updates for September 24, 2025

Goal: \$64,455
Pledged: \$133,395.00
Paid: \$127,288.62
Donors: 138 Families



Remember in your Prayers the Sick of American Martyrs

Msgr. John Keppler, Elizabeth Coppola, Denis Keane, Anne Kingston, Elsie Paukowitz, Martin Thaila, Vijay Devassy, Anita Mascoli, John Buglione, John Sheridan Jr., Vincent Sheridan, Gloria Saavedra, Jack Goydas, John Bennett, Michael G. McLoone, Gloria Valdez, Stephen Feit, Patrick Kearney, Roberto + Raquel Barrientos, Kalyan Sham, Mike Tramonte, Gracinda Silva, Anna Bischoff, Robert, Vita Mazzola, Aileen Galazin, Vincent Martin, James Pagano, Jesus Fernandez, Natalia Bianco, John Buzzone, Jack Bradley, Dr. Mirian Lumberras and Rick San Severino

(THE SICK WILL STAY ON LIST FOR 3 WEEKS AND THEN BE REMOVED UNLESS THERE IS A REQUEST FOR THE PERSON TO REMAIN ON THE PRAYER LIST FOR ANOTHER 3 WEEKS)

Mass Intentions Week of October 5, 2025

9am

Purgatorial Society of American Martyrs

11:30am

Susan McConnell (Requested by Family)

Carmela + Gregory Ruggiero (Requested by Family)

Philip Elliot (Requested by Ginelle)

Monday 8:30am

Ivanka Dujmovic (Requested by Anna Zqaljic)

Tuesday 8:30am

All Souls in Purgatory (Requested by Rose + Bill)

Wednesday 8:30am

Aborted unbaptized babies (Requested by Rose + Bill)

Thursday 8:30am

Ed Quinn (Requested by Ray Fortune)

Friday 8:30am

Henry Matuszewski jr. (Requested by Rita + Bobby Jr.)

Saturday 8:30am

Roxanne Cury (Requested by Knights of Columbus)

Saturday 4:pm

Carmela Tomkalski (Requested by Elizabeth Stachiw)



There is an appointed time for everything, and
a time for every affair under the heavens,
A time to live and a time to die...

NY Mets

The Gifts of Bread + Wine

**In loving memory of
Anthony Zafferese**

Requested by his family



**The Gifts of Altar Sanctuary Candles
In Thanks to the Faithful Parishioners
That Built the Parish of American Martyrs**

PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS



Rev. LT. Mark Bristol, USN,
PO3 John Schaefer - USCG
TAO Sean Reiley—USN
Raymond Esquilin, CW4
Lisa Johnston,
WO 1 Crystal Robles
1st Lt. Daniel Wolf, USAF
SFC Sheldon Warren
Rubayet Molla

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time October 5, 2025

**"If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts."
Will you let the Holy Spirit lead you beyond your fearful hesitation to
follow Christ as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life?**

**Contact the Vocation Office (718) 827-2454 or
email: vocations@diobrook.org**





A Letter from the Pastor

The Real Presence of Christ

Dear Parishioners,

One of the most profound truths of our Catholic faith is the **Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist**. If the Eucharist were only a symbol, our worship would be merely a remembrance of something in the past. But because the Eucharist IS truly Jesus. Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity our worship is a **LIVING encounter** with the Risen Lord. Every time we come to Mass, heaven touches earth, and Christ Himself is made present among us in a real, substantial way.

This belief is not a late invention, nor is it a pious exaggeration. It has been proclaimed and lived by the saints from the earliest days of the Church:

- **St. Ignatius of Antioch** (d. 110 AD) wrote: *"The Eucharist is the flesh of our Savior Jesus Christ, which suffered for our sins and which the Father raised up in His goodness."*
- **St. Thomas Aquinas** declared: *"The Eucharist is the sacrament of love: it signifies love, it produces love, it contains love."*
- **St. John Vianney, the Curé of Ars**, reminded his people: *"If we really understood the Mass, we would die of joy."*
- **St. Carlo Acutis** once said: *"The Eucharist is the greatest miracle we can experience. Every time we receive Communion, it is like a miracle greater than when the sun rises in the morning."*
- And **St. Teresa of Calcutta** once said: *"When you look at the Crucifix, you understand how much Jesus loved you then. When you look at the Eucharist, you understand how much He loves you now."*

The Real Presence changes everything for us as Catholics:

- **It calls us to approach Holy Communion with faith, reverence, and preparation.** Each time we receive the Eucharist, we are receiving Christ Himself. That should fill us with awe and move us to examine our hearts, to prepare well, and to receive Him worthily.
- **It invites us to spend time in Eucharistic Adoration**, to simply be in the presence of Jesus who loves us. St. John Paul II reminded us: "The Church and the world have a great need for Eucharistic worship. Jesus awaits us in this sacrament of love."
- **It reminds us that we are never alone.** Christ is always with His Church, especially in the tabernacle of every Catholic church around the world. As **St. Padre Pio** once said: "It would be easier for the world to survive without the sun than to do without the Holy Mass."

The Eucharist is not just a belief we profess it is a reality that transforms how we live. It shapes our worship, deepens our prayer, and strengthens our hope. **When we truly grasp the gift of the Real Presence, the Mass ceases to be routine and becomes the greatest treasure of our lives.**

This week, I encourage you to make a simple act of faith: when you walk into church, pause, genuflect or bow before the tabernacle, whispering from your heart, "My Lord and my God." That little prayer, echoed by the saints, is an act of love that reminds us **Who** is here.

May our parish grow in faith and devotion to this great mystery. Let us never forget: in the Eucharist, it is Christ Himself who is with us, always.

United in Prayer,



Fr. Sean

Collection for Sunday September 28, 2025

Online \$1,083.00 In-Pew \$3,841.00 Total \$4,924.00

Poor Box: \$70.00 Votive Candles: \$325.00

American Martyrs School of Religious Education: \$1,665.00

Did You Know ???

**From 9am - 3pm Monday - Friday
The Kateri Chapel is Open for
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**



My Side of the Altar

Dear People of God, Most of us are uncomfortable with change. However, the Lord Jesus is our strength, pillar and guidepost each day. Life is a teacher and is a profound gift. I share the wisdom rendered from Noah's Ark.

Everything I need to know, I learned from Noah's Ark

- ONE: Don't miss the boat!
- TWO: Remember that we are all in the same boat!
- THREE: Plan ahead. It wasn't raining when Noah built the Ark.
- FOUR: Stay fit. When you're 60 years old, someone may ask you to do something really big.
- FIVE: Don't listen to critics; just get on with the job that needs to be done.
- SIX: Build your future on high ground.
- SEVEN: For safety's sake, travel in pairs.
- EIGHT: Speed isn't always an advantage. The snails were on board with the cheetahs.
- NINE: When you're stressed, float awhile.
- TEN: Remember, the Ark was built by amateurs; the Titanic by professionals.
- ELEVEN: No matter the storm, when you are with God, there's always a rainbow waiting.

Wonderful words of wisdom to be remembered and lived — especially during those difficult times in our life! Wisdom does occur as we age if we connect the mystery of God rooted in our daily experiences.

God speaks to our hearts, but are we listening? I close today's column with these words of wisdom written by an elderly individual ... read ... and pass it on...

I would never trade my amazing friends, my wonderful life, my loving family for less gray hair or a flatter belly. As I've aged, I've become kinder to myself and less critical of myself. I've become my own friend. I don't chide myself for eating that extra cookie, or for not making my bed, or for buying that silly cement gecko that I didn't need but looks so avant-garde on my patio. I am entitled to a treat, to be messy, to be extravagant. I have seen too many dear friends leave this world too soon, before they understood the great freedom that comes with aging.

Whose business is it if I choose to read or play on the computer until 4 a.m. and sleep until noon? I will dance with myself to those wonderful tunes of the 40's & 50's, and if I, at the same time, wish to weep over a lost love ... I will.

I will walk the beach in a swimsuit that is stretched over a bulging body, and I will dive into the waves with abandon if I choose to, despite the pitying glances from the jet set. They, too, will get old. I know I am sometimes forgetful. But there again, some of life is just as well forgotten. And I eventually remember the important things.

Sure, over the years my heart has been broken. How can your heart not break when you lose a loved one, or when a child suffers, or even when somebody's beloved pet gets hit by a car?

But broken hearts are what give us strength and understanding and compassion. A heart never broken is pristine and sterile and will never know the joy of being imperfect.

I am so blessed to have lived long enough to have my hair gray and to have my youthful laughs be forever etched into deep grooves on my face. So many have never laughed, and so many have died before their hair could turn silver.

As you get older, it is easier to be positive. You care less about what other people think. I don't question myself anymore. I've even earned the right to be wrong. So, to answer your question, I like being old. It has set me free. I like the person I have become. I am not going to live forever on this earth, but while I am still here, I will not waste time lamenting what could have been, or worrying about what will be. And I shall eat dessert every single day (if I feel like it).

Taking one step at a time and "Don't Rock the Boat,"

Fr. Peter

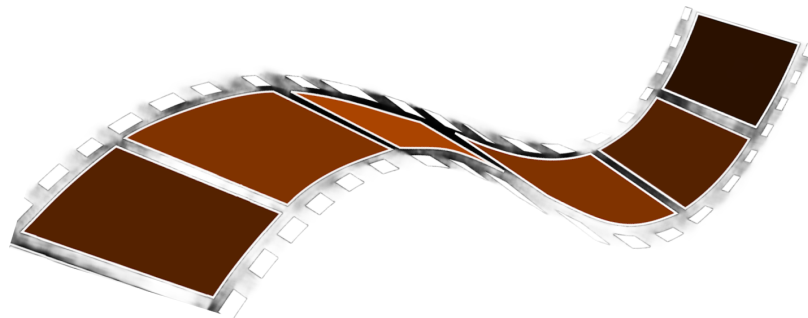
WHAT IS YOUR MULBERRY TREE?

We often limit what we believe we are capable of, rather than trusting that God will guide and strengthen us to do what we are called to do. A familiar phrase captures this sentiment: God does not call the equipped, but equips the called. Uprooting a mulberry tree may seem impossible. So, at times, may living as a Christian in the world. What is your mulberry tree today? What situation needs you to take a leap of faith in order to respond in Christ's name? With faith and through the presence of the Holy Spirit, there is no limit to what we can do as Christian disciples.

The Fall Film Festival Returns



**Hosted by Fr. Robert Lauder, Deacon Stan Galazin,
American Martyrs and Holy Family**



Friday, October 10: Casablanca
Friday, October 17: A Man for All Seasons
Friday, October 24: On the Waterfront

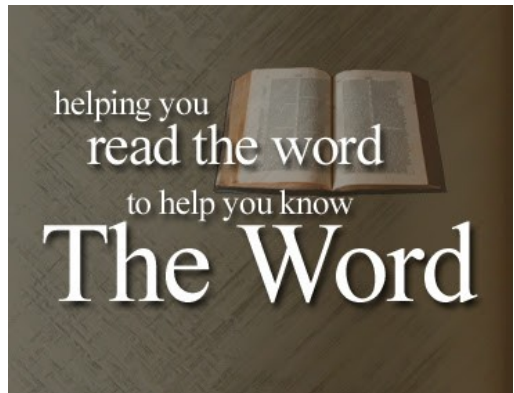


**Movie begins at 7:30pm in the Sullivan Center
The Church of the American Martyrs
79-43 Bell Blvd, Oakland Gardens, NY 11364**



Plenty of Parking and Handicap Accessible





**Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday, October 5, 2025**

First Reading: Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4

The patience of the just man shall be rewarded when he sees the vision fulfilled.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 95:1-2,6-7,8-9

Sing joyfully to God, our salvation.

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 1:6-8,13-14

Paul urges Timothy to remain strong in the Spirit of faith Timothy received.

Gospel Reading: Luke 17:5-10

Jesus teaches the apostles the importance of faith and service to God.

Background on the Gospel Reading

In today's Gospel we hear Jesus teach about faith and service to God. The context is a continuing dialogue between Jesus and his followers about what it means to be a disciple of Jesus. Jesus has just finished an instruction on sin and forgiveness. There are two related teachings that Jesus offers to his disciples when they cry out for an increase in faith. The first is the familiar reminder that faith, even just a little, will enable the followers of Jesus to do wondrous things. But this uplifting and inspiring teaching is quickly followed by the second teaching, a caution about knowing one's place in God's plans. The disciples of Jesus are to understand themselves as servants to God and his plans. Even when God works wonders through us, with our mustard seed-sized faith, we must not seek praise. Our participation in God's plans is God's grace to us—nothing more, nothing less. When we are graced enough to cooperate with God, the work we do is nothing more than our obligation to God as faithful stewards. And yet, our faith enables us to believe that what we have offered in service to God, as his servants, can be made to produce a hundredfold.

Be Vigilant of Child Abuse At All Times!

It is vitally important that we are constantly vigilant—that we always observe the behaviors of those who interact with children. And we must always communicate our concerns to the appropriate parties. Sometimes this means communicating our safety concerns to our children. And sometimes this means communicating our concerns about seemingly inappropriate behavior to those who are in a position to intervene. Parents must also listen carefully to their children and observe both their children's activities and the behavior of older children and adults who interact with them. When children exhibit dramatic behavioral changes, adults must find out what caused the changes. Being aware of what's happening with our children means talking to, listening to, and observing them—at every opportunity. For help or info call: Maryellen Quinn: Diocese of Brooklyn's Safe Environment Coordinator 718-965-7300

**Knights of Columbus Sponsors
Mass of Appreciation in Honor
of our First Responders**

9am Mass on Sunday, October 26, 2025



**We invite the men and women who serve or
have served our parish community as
Firefighters + Police Officer
EMT's + Paramedics and
First Responders
(we encourage to attend in uniform)**

**Coffee + Bagels will be served in the
Sullivan Centre**

**Www.KofCAM.weebly.com
Email: KofC14666FM@gmail.com**

Italian Night

ITALIAN NIGHT AT AMERICAN MARTYRS

JOIN THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 5PM ON SATURDAY OCTOBER 18, 2025

ENJOY PASTA—CHICKEN—SAUSAGE + PEPPERS
SALAD—BREAD—SODA—WINE—COFFEE—DESSERT
(FEEL FREE TO BYOB)

DJ + MUSIC—50/50 RAFFLE—FOOD—FUN—FRIENDS AND FAITH

NO TICKETS SOLD AT THE DOOR

See the Knights of Columbus after Mass or
Contact us: call/text 631-505-1312
email: KofCAM14666@gmail.com



Admission Ticket Price
Ages 21—95 \$40.00
Age 13—20 \$35
Age 6-12 \$25



The Presentation of The Gifts at Mass

Before Mass each day the gifts of bread and wine are placed at the break of American Martyrs. If you are at Mass and the mass is being celebrated in memory of a loved one please feel free to sit near the gifts and bring them to the altar, where they will become the Body and Blood of Christ. If you are at Mass and no one gets up to bring the gifts to the altar, please feel free to bring them to the altar yourself. This is a parish celebration and we are all parishioners.

Are There Any Good Movies To Watch???

Movies, music, television, and the Internet are the main sources of entertainment for your children. There is a lot of inappropriate material that their eyes and ears can pick up, so talk with your children about what is appropriate entertainment for them. If you are worried about what your children could be seeing or hearing, take advantage of parental blockage systems on your cable and internet systems. Use the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops Movie Review website as your guide for what movies are appropriate. www.catholicnews.com/movies



MOVIES
to watch with your
KIDS



PLEASE BE MINDFUL!

**When entering American Martyrs please be mindful that many people are praying.
If you wish to greet someone do so in quiet tones so as not to disturb another's prayer time.**

American Martyrs Annual

COAT DRIVE



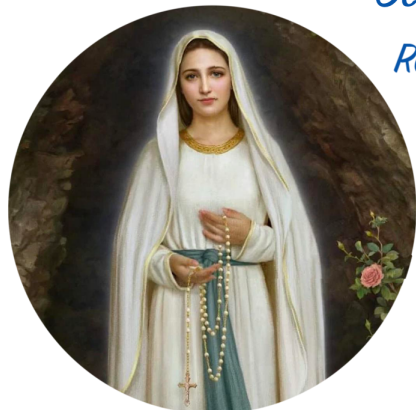
Winter is Arriving Soon and
It's a Perfect Time for a Coat Drive for
St. Michael/St. Malachy Parish
Sunday October 19 After Each Mass
New or Gently Used Clothing for
Adults and Children also accepted (Underwear Must Be New)

American Martyrs Rosary Society's Opening of the Year

Happy Fall to One and All

We welcome all ladies to join us for coffee and cake at our meeting

October 6th at 1pm in the Sullivan Center



Remember the yearly dues of \$15 is due

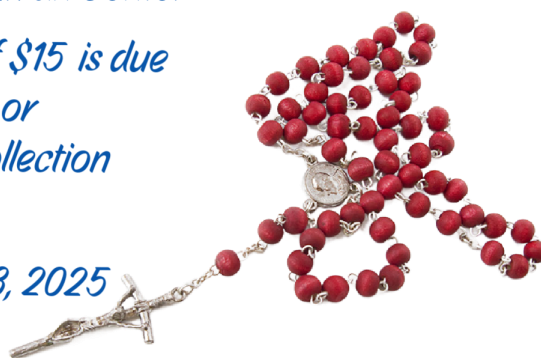
and can be paid now or

Dropped in the Sunday Collection

Keep Monday November 3, 2025

Open for the

Fall Harvest Luncheon



American Martyrs Annual Women's Retreat

San Alfonso Retreat House

Long Branch, NJ



Join the women of American Martyrs on their
Yearly Retreat October 10th - 12th

Call or see Theresa Asche for more information

718 - 464 + 6411

Attention Parents of High School Students



There will be a special program beginning late September for High School Students who have not received Baptism, First Communion and or Confirmation.

If interested please contact Deacon Stan at the rectory (718 - 464 - 4582) for more information and to register.

THERE IS NO FEE FOR THIS PROGRAM!

Out of respect & courtesy for
our Liturgy and
for your fellow
parishioners,
we ask that
you please
SILENCE
your cell phones
in church.



Thank you!

An aerial photograph of the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington D.C. The image shows the large, white, domed structure with a prominent blue and gold dome. The building is surrounded by green trees and a parking lot with several cars. The sky is blue with some light clouds.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception

The Parishes of Holy Family and American Martyrs are pleased to announce a joint pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington D.C. This pilgrimage is part of the diocesan pilgrimage for the Diocese of Brooklyn and will be led by Bishop Robert Brennan. The day will include : Mass with Bishop Brennan, Sacred Music Concert, Diocesan wide Multi-lingual Rosary.

Saturday, October 25th, 2025

**Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception,
Washington D.C.**

Departure Information

Holy Family Parish

Time: 5:15 AM

Cost: \$100 per person

Registration:

**To register for this pilgrimage, please contact Fr. Ralph via
email at Frralph@hfamcatholic.org.**



PILGRIMS OF HOPE: TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Sometimes human relationships go awry, but Christ's choice for us is irrevocable. In marriage celebrations, the Church always recalls God's faithfulness to help prepare married couples for enduring the inevitable rough spots. The Byzantine liturgy does this by adorning the couple with crowns that remind them of the martyrs crown. The couple therefore takes on a vocation of witnessing to the sacredness of life in all of its suffering and joy, and of keeping their eyes fixed on the banquet of heaven.

In Eastern theology, people have a liturgical vocation to give God praise, and marriage fits within that plan. It is not so much saying prayers that counts, but becoming prayer. Interestingly, in this liturgy the couple never utters a word other than joining in the community's chants; there are no marriage vows as such. There is therefore not a hint of our Western Christian sense that marriage is a legal contract. Rather, it is all about living out ones baptismal vocation, embracing the cross, pouring oneself out in love, and opening to the grace of the Holy Spirit. Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.



Traveling Madonna within our Parish of American Martyrs Rosary Society

The purpose of this Virgin Mary statue is to bring the graces of Fatima and Our Lady's message of peace and hope. The Rosary Society has been passing the statue of Mary through the parish. In this difficult time, as we pray for peace, anyone interested please call Margaret Reyes at 718 217-7110.

In these unsettled times, praying the Rosary is important.
Please join us on the first Sunday of the month at 10 o'clock to pray as a group.
All welcome to host the statue!



**Be part of the "World Wide" Movement and the
American Martyrs The Knights of Columbus
Fr. John J. Murray Council #14666
Praying the Rosary Outdoors for Peace in Our World,
in Our Country in Our Church
Rain or Shine Every Wednesday at 6pm**



St. Michael the Archangel

Dear Archangel Michael, I call upon you in this moment of need, asking for your protection and guidance. As the powerful warrior of God, I trust in your ability to defend me from all harm and danger. I ask that you wrap me in your divine light, shielding me from any evil that may come my way.

A LITTLE FAITH

Today our readings are about faith, frustration, and how much is enough. Habakkuk is a complainer having an argument with God. Timothy is encouraging a community challenged by cowardice and the apostles want more faith than they have. Things aren't happening fast enough for any of them or for us. All of them and we want God to do something sooner rather than later and we want God to give us a reason to believe that it will all work out. What does God do? God puts it back on them--and us--telling Habakkuk to describe the world he wants; telling the apostles to do more than the expected. Doing more with less is a familiar phrase today and a reminder that a little faith may be enough even for the most difficult times. Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co

GLUTEN SENSITIVITY

**AMERICAN MARTYRS HAS GLUTEN-FREE HOSTS
PLEASE IDENTIFY YOURSELF BEFORE MASS BEGINS SO WE
CAN ENSURE YOUR RECEPTION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

RADIO CITY CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR



There's nowhere like NYC during the holidays! And a huge tradition, famous around the world is The **Christmas Spectacular** starring the Radio City Rockettes. The 90-minute show features more than 140 performers and an original musical score, and combines singing, dancing, and humor with traditional scenes. Trip Includes:

- Tickets to the "Radio City Christmas Spectacular"
- Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation
- Dinner at Parkside Restaurant
- All Tips & Taxes (except Bus Driver)

Thursday, December 11, 2025

Payment in FULL due **by November 13, 2025**. Sign up at the Parish Office or email the Rectory Office at rectory@holyfamlyfm.org No Refunds on Show Tickets. Itinerary Subject to Change.

Itinerary

9:15am- Depart Holy Family for Manhattan
11:00am- Show Time "**The Christmas Spectacular**"
12:45pm - Depart Manhattan for Queens
2:00pm - Dinner at Parkside Restaurant, Corona
4:30pm - Depart for Holy Family
5:00pm - Arrival

\$200.00 per person
with 50 passengers

Name _____ Phone # _____

Email: _____ How many tickets? _____

**Schedule for the Lectors and
Extra Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
SATURDAY/SUNDAY OCTOBER 11/12**

Lectors

4pm Vigil: John Sullivan

9am: Orlando Hernandez

11:30am: Maureen Henry

Extra Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

4pm: Mary Ann & Gregg Schreiber
Emily Ledesma + Barbara Froehlich

9am: Michael Shoule + Berta Hernandez
Steve Caruso + Jillian Minarik

11:30am: Bernie Liu + Diana Iorio
Linda Limberg + Johanna Zafferese

**Acolyte/Altar Servicers Schedule
SATURDAY/SUNDAY OCTOBER 11/12**

Saturday 4pm VIGIL
Landon + Sophia + Jose

Sunday 9AM
Lilly + Vladimir + Isabella

Sunday 11:30AM
Brooke + Madison + Katarina

**Next Meeting of the Book of the Month Club
Will Take Place in the Murray Center
Monday Evening at 7pm**

*Next Meeting of the Book of the Month Club
Will Take Place in the Murray Center
Monday October 27, 2025 at 7pm*

Books to read



The Summer Books

**Rosary Society's
Altar Linen Schedule**

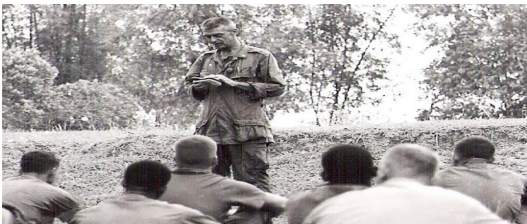


October 5: Nancy Marchi
October 12: Nancy Hill
October 19: Mary Galazin
October 26: Carol Fortune
November 2: Nancy Marchi
November 9: Nancy Hill
November 16: Mary Galazin
November 23: Carol Fortune

If you are unable to do a week call
Carol 718 + 631 + 0896



Father Vincent Capodanno



May God who has offered healing and strength through the hands of His only Son, Our Lord, and through Christ's many servants grant me the favor of His healing hand through the intercession of His servant, **Father Vincent Capodanno**, priest, missionary, and chaplain, who always sought to heal and comfort the wounded and dying on the field of battle.

**American Martyrs Catholic War Veterans
Post 1772 ON GOING RECRUITMENT**

If you served in the United States Military PLEASE Consider joining our Post.
FOR MORE INFO CALL RAY 917-515-9102



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FR. JOHN J. MURRAY/AMERICAN MARTYRS
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL # 14666



For more information Email: KofCAM14666@gmail.com
Website: KofCAM.Weebly.com

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COLUMBIETTES COUNCIL # 14666



For more information call Anne Caruso 347 - 626 - 9802
"A CATHOLIC ORGANIZATION FOR WOMEN"

Thoughts of Floater and Smitty

Floater: I always, always take my life problems to Tommy. ...Hilfiger something out.

Smitty: There's a potato chip truck blocking the entrance to the Long Island Expressway. Expect de'Lays.

Floater: Nothing messes up your Friday like realizing it's only Tuesday.

Smitty: I went for a job interview at UPS. I said, "Sorry I'm late, I went to the wrong address." - Not only did they hire me - they made me regional manager.

Floater: I accidentally drank a bottle of invisible ink last night. I'm in the hospital now, waiting to be seen.

Smitty: I'VE LEARNED SO MUCH FROM MY MISTAKES I'M THINKING OF MAKING A FEW MORE.

Floater: Running into stationary objects can be painful, according to a recent pole.

Smitty: Not only do I have a couple screws loose, I've lost the screw-driver, too.

Floater: Ordered my kids new coats and for convenience I had them shipped directly to their schools lost and found section!.

Smitty: Grandma lived on a farm. She said she loved me from my head to-ma-toes.

Floater: Some people may call it 'multitasking'. Me? I call it 'doing something else until I remember what the hell I was going to do in the first place'.

Smitty: I tried to walk like an Egyptian and now I need to see a Cairo practor.

Floater: My September goal is to be less condescending. (Condescending means to talk down to people.)

Smitty: Eggs are fantastic for a fitness diet. If you don't like the taste, just add cocoa, flour, sugar, butter, baking powder, and cook at 350 for 30 minutes.

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