

**Carmelite Friars**

**Pastor:**

Very Rev. Michael Kissane,  
O.Carm.

**Parochial Vicar:**

Rev. Von Erick Maria  
Sandoval, O.Carm.

**In Residence**

Bro. Robert Chiulli, O.Carm.  
Rev. Anthony Nguyen, O.Carm.

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**Administrative Assistant**

Ms. Kenia Tavarez

**Secretaries**

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Amairani Garcia  
Natividad Almonte



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St Simon Stock & St Joseph

Served by the Carmelite Friars

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**Mass Schedule**

**Weekdays:**

**Monday— Friday**

8:30 a.m. (Spanish) & 9:30 a.m. (English)

7:30p.m. Friday (evening)

1st Friday—Divino Nino (Spa)

2nd Friday-Healing Mass (Spa)

**Weekends:**

**Saturday:**

9 a.m. (Bilingual)

6 p.m. (Spanish)

**Sunday:**

8:30 a.m (Eng) & 12:30 p.m. (Eng)

11 a.m. (Spanish)

**FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM**

**Director of Faith Formation:**

Sr. Lourdes Victoria, T.O.Carm

**RICA-RCIA COORDINATOR:**

Mrs. Maria Henriquez

**Hours:** Wed—Fri: 8 a.m.—1:30 p.m. &  
3 p.m.—7 p.m.

Sat: 8 a.m.— 3 p.m. & 4 p.m.—6p.m.

Sun: 7:30 a.m.—2:30 p.m.

**Vocations Office**

Director of Vocations: Rev. Anthony  
Trung - Nguyen, O. Carm.

Tel: (845) 344—2225

Website: [www.carmelitefriars.org](http://www.carmelitefriars.org)

**SACRAMENTS**

**Eucharistic Adoration**

First Friday: 10 a.m. - 7 p.m. in the chapel  
with Benediction

Every Thursday at 7p.m.

**Confessions:**

Saturdays 5 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. or by ap-  
pointments

**Baptism:**

Registration two months in advance

Spanish: Every month

English: Every other month

**Matrimony:** Arrangements six months in  
advance

**Anointing of the Sick:** Contact the

Priory any time

**Become a Parishioner**

Please stop by our Parish office to fill out  
the form

**Se Parroquiano**

Por favor, pase por nuestra oficina para  
rellener el formulario!

**Parish Office Hours**

**Monday—Friday**

9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

1:30 p.m. - 7 p.m.

**Saturday**

9 a.m. - 6 p.m.

**Sunday**

9 a.m. - 2 p.m.



# Prayer

Please pray for the sick of the parish; let us not forget to pray for our family members and friends.

Por favor oremos por los enfermos de nuestra parroquia y no olvidemos de orar por los miembros de nuestra familia y amigos.

Ignacio Pena  
Cindy Reyes  
Angel Luis Colon  
Herminia Colon  
Dayna Traver  
Raquel Huertas  
Andrew Wegele

Joel Padua  
Delfin Cardona  
Soledad Romero  
Ellen Lupo  
Elba Estrella  
Everardo Cruz Pablo

## HORA SANTA

Adoremus al  
Santísimo Sacramento



Únete todos los Jueves en 2026

@ 7pm en la Iglesia



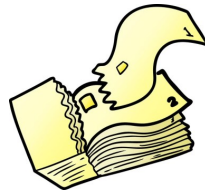
Iglesia de San Simon Stock- San José  
2191 Valentine Ave Bronx, NY 10457



APRIL 5, 2026  
EASTER SUNDAY  
DOMINGO DE PASCUA

## RIFA PARROQUIAL

Todos los feligreses y ex-alumnos de San Simón Stock van a recibir los boletos para la rifa de la parroquia por correo. Esperamos que cada familia pueda ayudar en este gran evento de recaudación del año para nuestra parroquia. El sorteo será el domingo 17 de mayo.



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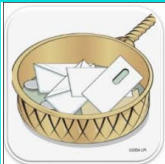
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EN LILLY TAX SOMOS EXPERTOS EN PREPARACIÓN DE FORMULARIOS 7-W CORRESPONDIENTE AL INDIVIDUAL TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER "ITIN" OTORGADO POR EL IRS. VEN Y APROVECHA LOS BENEFICIOS QUE OFRECE ESTA IDENTIFICACIÓN

**NUMERO ITIN PARA TAXES**





**Regular collection: \$6,108.00**  
**Thank you for your generosity**  
**Gracias por su generosidad.**

Second Collection/Segunda Colecta

**HOLY WEEK (HOLY THURSDAY, GOOD FRIDAY, EASTER)**

**PARISH RAFFLE**

All parishioners and alumni of Simon Stock School will soon receive raffle tickets in the mail. We hope that each family will be able to assist the parish in the biggest fund-raising event of the year. The drawing will be held at St. Simon Stock - St. Joseph on Sunday, May 17th.



**Food Pantry**

If interested in receiving food, tickets are given out on Fridays at 7 a.m. The food will be distributed on Fridays at 9 a.m.

Si, usted esta interesado en recibir Una despensa de comida, los boletos se entregan los los viernes a las 7 a.m. La comida se distribuirá el Viernes a las 9 a.m.



**SAVE THE DATE/GUARDA LA FECHA**

**PARISH PICNIC**

**JULY 25, 2026**



**MORE INFORMATION AFTER EASTER**

**MAS INFORMACION DESPUES DE LA PASCUA**

**BRONX CATHOLIC YOUTH DAY**

The West Bronx Deanery is sponsoring a Bronx Catholic Youth day in the Our Lady of Mount Carmel auditorium on Saturday, April 18<sup>th</sup> from 9am – 6pm for all youth from the 8-12 grade. A grace-filled day is planned with talks, activities, and prayers - all focused on equipping our young people with the fire of the Gospel! All youth who are interested in attending please see Fr Mike or Fr Von for a permission slip that must be signed by a parent or guardian by April 11<sup>th</sup>. Lunch will be

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NEW LIFE NEW PATH NEW YORK

**BRONX CATHOLIC YOUTH DAY**

**SAT APRIL 18 2026**

NEW LOCATION THIS YEAR:  
**OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL**  
 AUDITORIUM: BATHGATE AVE & 188th ST

\$25 PER YOUTH / DOORS OPEN AT 8:30 AM  
 SIGN UP THROUGH YOUR PARISH YOUTH GROUP

**Upcoming Events / Proximo Evento**

HAPPY EASTER

*From Fr. Mike's Desk / Del Despacho de Padre Mike*

¡Felices Pascuas a todos! Una vez más, quisiera dar la bienvenida a todos nuestros visitantes este fin de semana. La Pascua es un tiempo especial que nos ofrece a todos una invitación para volver a empezar. Así que, bienvenidos sean todos; y si ustedes solo asisten a misa ocasionalmente, tal vez puedan aprovechar esta Pascua como una oportunidad para retomar la práctica de su fe, asistiendo a misa con regularidad.

La Pascua es la historia de Jesús y su invitación a experimentar la vida tal como fue concebida. Como comunidad parroquial, estamos comprometidos a recorrer el camino que Dios ha preparado para nosotros, a compartir las alegrías y las cargas comunes a los viajeros, y a maravillarnos ante las maravillas y sorpresas que nos aguardan. La Pascua es un momento decisivo en nuestras vidas, en el que debemos elegir entre quedarnos atrapados en el tráfico de la hora punta —que no nos lleva a ninguna parte en particular— o arriesgarnos y confiar en el plan de Dios.

¡Felicidades a todos aquellos que recibieron sus Sacramentos de Iniciación durante la Vigilia Pascual! ¡Que este tiempo pascual les ayude a fortalecerse en su fe! Los meses de abril y mayo serán muy activos. Tenemos un buen número de niños de nuestro programa de Formación en la Fe que harán su primera confesión y recibirán su Primera Comunión. Un agradecimiento especial a todos los que colaboraron para que nuestras celebraciones de la Semana Santa se desarrollaran tan bien. Como comunidad parroquial, somos bendecidos al contar con tantas personas talentosas y dedicadas que hacen de esta parroquia lo que es hoy: ¡una de las mejores del Bronx! Una vez más, ¡Felices Pascuas! ¡Que Dios continúe bendiciéndolos a ustedes y a sus familias durante este tiempo pascual!

- P. Mike

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Happy Easter to all! Once again, I would like to welcome all our visitors this weekend. Easter is a special time and provides all of us with an invitation to begin again. So welcome to all and if you only come to mass occasionally, perhaps you can use this Easter as a time to begin practicing your faith again by going to mass regularly.

Easter is Jesus' story and His invitation to experience life as it was meant to be. As a parish community we are committed to travel the road God has prepared for us, share the joys and burdens common to travelers, and marvel at the wonders and surprises that lie ahead. Easter is a defining moment in our lives when we must choose to stay in the rush hour traffic going nowhere in particular or take a chance and trust God's plan. Congratulations to all those who received their Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil. May this Easter season help strengthen them in their faith! April and May will be busy. We have quite a few children who will be making their first confession and receiving First Communion from our Faith formation program. A special thanks to all who helped to make our Holy Week services go so well. As a parish community we are blest to have many talented and dedicated people who make this parish what it is today – one of the best in the Bronx! Once again, Happy Easter! May God continue to bless you and your families during the Easter season!

- Fr. Mike

## EASTER FLOWERS / FLORES DE PASCUA

*The flowers that you see in the church for Easter  
have been donated for the following persons:*

*Las flores que ustedes ven en la iglesia para la Pascua  
han sido donadas para las siguientes personas:*



### *In Memory of*

- Godofredo & Amanda Sandoval
- Lupo Holgado Sr & Lupo Holgado Jr.
- David Rivera
- Alexis Griffith
- Angello & Sofia DeBlasio
- Marianna Maffei
- Carmela Maffei
- Karl Heinz Mohr
- Mike Mohr
- Lisa & Regina Littman
- Elsie Gagliardi
- Dr. Renee Rolston Ofori-Mensah
- Ramon Begnino Muñoz & Maria Rosa Arce
- Francisco Solano Patricio
- Delfino Gutiérrez
- Martín de Jesús & Amalia Solano
- Antonio Rodríguez
- Francisco Flores Matías
- Felipe Flores Rosario
- Ramon Antonio Laureano
- Polivio Gómez
- Juan & Álvaro Avilés
- Matilde & María Estévez
- JaQuae De Vonish
- Elídenis Encarnación
- Lorenzo García
- Consuelo Guzman
- Teresa & Pedro Correa
- Luz Morales

- Jose Leandro & María Amendaño
- Francisco Rosa
- Santo & Juana Silverio
- Luis Antonio & María Poalacín
- Luis German Ramirez
- Segundo Alcides Torosina
- Todos Los Difuntos
- Animas del Purgatorio

### *Deceased Members of*

- Rivera-Muñiz Family
- DeBlasio Family
- Recchia Family
- Listner Family
- Tinger Family
- Ospina-Rodas Family
- Victoria-Anleu Family
- Avila-Araujo Family
- Brea Family
- Gonzalez Family
- Chavez-Perez Family
- Polanco Infante
- Medina Family
- Berihuete Family



*The entire staff of St. Simon Stock-St. Joseph wishes a "Joyful and Peace filled Easter"  
to all of you, our parishioners and friends.*

*Todo el equipo de San Simón Stock-San José les desea una "Pascua Florida, llena de Paz  
y Felicidad" a todos ustedes, nuestros parroquianos y amigos.*

## Grupo Parroquiales/ Parish Groups

### 30 de Enero (AA)

Jorge B  
(646) 391-4779

### Al- Alon

Blanca Martinez  
(240) 495-9854  
Wednesday- Friday  
4:30 p.m. (Meeting room)

### Altar Servers

Sr Adelaida, T.O.Carm  
917-530-3903

### CERS

Anastacio Quijada  
(646) 453-3442  
Monday

### Cursillo

Sandra De Jesus  
(917) 553-8848  
Leonardo Morales  
(718) 678-2394  
Sundays -12:30 p.m.  
(Meeting room)

### Circulo de

### Oracion

### Carismatico

Juana Martinez  
(347) 995-5906  
Rafaela Diaz  
(646)251-0805  
Friday -7:30 p.m.  
(Chapel)

### Comunidad de Pareja

Melvin & Laurien Medina  
(347) 562-3125  
Ultimo Sabado del Mes  
- 7 p.m

### Daughters of Mary

Esmeralda Ramos  
(347)-248-3712  
1st & 2nd Saturdays of  
the month - 2 p.m.  
(Meeting room)

### Eucharistic Ministers & Lectors

Sr Adelaida, T.O.Carm  
917-530-3903

### Food Pantry

Kenia Tavarez  
(718) 367-1251  
ext. 130  
Lilliam Gutierrez

### Health Program

Paulina Adames  
929-424-1767

### Hijos de Jose

Rosa Gomez

### Libertad

Rafaela Caraballo,  
T.O.Carm  
(718) 220-4179  
Monday - 8 p.m.  
(Meeting room)

### Senior Citizen Group/Grupo de la tercera edad

Meets Twice a month  
on Tuesdays / Dos  
veces al mes los Martes  
(718) 367-1251

### Youth Group

Juan Jimenez &  
Nesquelma Rosario  
Friday - 6:30 p.m.  
Meeting Room

## Mass Intentions for the week

### SATURDAY, APRIL 04, 2026

6:00 p.m. +

### SUNDAY, APRIL 05, 2026

8:30 a.m. Sr. Irene Freely, Ramon de Jesús Espinal, Reyna & Andrés Gómez, Santo & Juana Silverio +

11:00 a.m. Francisco Rivera & Celestina Enríquez, Adelaida Mendoza & Vicente Gonzaga, Limdbreg Brea, Ramon Ramos Jr. +

*Por la salud de:* Maria Belkys Cruz Rosario

*Acción de Gracias:* Virgen de Altagracia

12:30 p.m. Lisa Littman, Elsie Gagliardi, Regina Littman +

*Special Intention:* Bibi Allí

### MONDAY, APRIL 06, 2026

8:30 a.m. Gerson Garcia, Jorge & Antonio Jaramillo, Rosa & Julio Loqui, Gelbert Arcángel Rios, Radhames Antonio Cruz Disla +

*Special Intention:* Sr. Maria Robert

9:30 a.m.: Manuel Bordoy Jr., Frederick Vancott, Frank Peteroy +

*Special Intention:* Sr. Patrick of the Assumption, Sr. Bernadette Mary

### TUESDAY, APRIL 07, 2026

8:30 a.m. Anna Saponaro, Anna Cacciapuoti, Joan Esposito +

*Special Intention:* Sr. Raphael Peregrine, Sr. Bernadette Therese

*Acción de Gracias:* Corazón de Jesús

9:30 a.m.: Manuel Bordoy Jr., Victoriana Quintana, Boris Kheyfets +

*Special Intention:* Sr. Timothy Anne, Sr. Eulaliae Angeline

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 08, 2026

8:30 a.m. Franklin & Winston Reyes, Benito Hernandez, Alberta Nava, Maria Bermúdez +

*Special Intention:* Sr. Mark Louis Anne

9:30 a.m. Manuel Bordoy Jr., Kate Jedrlinic, Janette Johnson +

*Special Intention:* Sr. Michelle of All Saints, Sr. Charlotte Michael

### THURSDAY, APRIL 09, 2026

8:30 a.m. Anthony Paduano, Eleanor Dienes, Barbie Parker +

*Intención Especial:* Faustino Ambrosio González

9:30 a.m. Manuel Bordoy Jr. +

### FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 2026

8:30 a.m. Apolinar Peralta +

*Special Intention:* Sr. Ann Daily

9:30 a.m. Manuel Bordoy Jr. +

*Special Intention :* Sr. Maureen de Lourdes

7:30 p.m. Adelaila Rivera "Dili" +

*Special Intention:* Sr. Catherine Leighton

### SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 2026

9:00 a.m. Manuel Bordoy Jr., Carmen & Miguelina Caines, José & Rosa Caines +

*Special Intention:* Sr. Philip Ann, Sr. Angelica Rose