



Saint Lucy's Parish

BRONX, NEW YORK

I AM THE WAY AND THE TRUTH AND THE LIFE.

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 8:00 a.m. (Italian), 9:00 a.m. (English)
5:30 p.m. (Albanian), 7:00 p.m. (English)

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. (Italian),
9:00 a.m. (Spanish - Auditorium)
9:15 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12 noon (English),
1:15 p.m. (Spanish)
12 noon (Creole - Chapel in Center)

Weekdays: 8:00 a.m. (Italian), 9:00 a.m. (English),
Thursdays: 7:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Eucharistic Adoration: Monday-Friday 9:30-11:00 a.m.,
Thursday 5:30-7:00 p.m., Saturday 9:30 a.m.-12 p.m. &

First Friday of the Month 6:00-7:30 p.m. followed by Holy Mass at 7:30 p.m.

CONFESSION: Saturdays 3:00- 4:00 p.m. & 6:30-7:00 p.m.

VOCATIONS

Is God calling you to the priesthood or religious life? Speak to one of our priests or call the Archdiocese Vocations Office at (914) 968-1340.

BAPTISMS/WEDDINGS

Please make arrangements with a Parish Priest at the Rectory office at least six months in advance.

EMERGENCY/SICK CALLS

If you know a sick parishioner who is in the hospital, nursing home or homebound, kindly let us know. Please call the Rectory at any time, day or night.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

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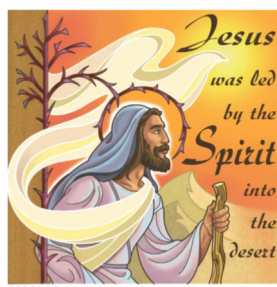
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**FIRST SUNDAY
OF LENT
FEBRUARY 14, 2016**

Mass Intentions For The Week



Monday- February 15, 2016 - Lenten Weekday - President's Day

9:00 a.m. Nicola & Francesca Ottomanelli
10:00 a.m. Mass "For Persecuted Christians"

Tuesday- February 16, 2016 - Lenten Weekday

8:00 a.m. Loro Gjushi
9:00 a.m. Mary & Charles Handl

Wednesday- February 17, 2016 - Lenten Weekday - The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

8:00 a.m. Special Intention
9:00 a.m. Nrek Simoni

Thursday- February 18, 2016 - Lenten Weekday

8:00 a.m. Ndue Zogu
9:00 a.m. Alma del Pulgatorio
7:00 p.m. Ada Felix & Rosa Bonilla

Friday- February 19, 2016 - Lenten Weekday

8:00 a.m. Jennie, Ciro Carangelo
9:00 a.m. Jose Vasquez

Saturday- February 20, 2016 - Lenten Weekday

8:00 a.m. Sr. Miriam Teresa
9:00 a.m. Carmen Lucre
5:30 p.m. Dike Luka
7:00 p.m. Joseph Porrovecchio

Sunday- February 21, 2016 - Second Sunday of Lent

8:00 a.m. Vincenzo Desulina Testa
9:00 a.m. Maria DeJesus Mora & Rufo Patino
9:15 a.m. Lena Haxhari & Jak Kola
10:30 a.m. Elvira Diflora & Francesco Diflora
12:00 p.m. Francine Lang & Robert Lewis
1:15 p.m. For all Parishioners of St. Lucy's Parish

First Sunday of Lent - February 14, 2016

*The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart.
— Romans 10:8*

✠ In Memoriam ✠

*The candle in honor of the Blessed Mother burns
this week in memory of*

Mildred, Anthony & Brandy Capano

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The Israelites show their faith by offering the LORD first fruits of the products of their new land (Deuteronomy 26:4-10).

Psalm — Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble (Psalm 91).

Second Reading — All who express faith in the risen Christ and confess that he is Lord will be saved (Romans 10:8-13).

Gospel — Jesus was led into the desert by the Spirit and was tempted (Luke 4:1-13).

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Saturday, February 20th

Will be a DAY OF

RECOLLECTION for LENT

with Father Joseph Katorsky, S.J.
from Fordham University

The day will start with Holy Mass at 9 a.m.
followed by exposition of the blessed Sacrament,
a talk, confessions and Benediction at 12 p.m.

We encourage everyone to attend this
special Lenten service.

As a special Lenten Mission, Fr. Katorsky will also
preach at all English Masses on
Sunday, February 21st



Velada de el Reconciliation para la Cuaresma

Viernes, 11 de Marzo

7:30 p.m.

with Father Daniel Ulloa



**Stations of the Cross
Every Friday during Lent**

8:30 a.m. in Italian
9:30 a.m. in English
6:30 p.m. in Albanian
7:00 p.m. in Spanish
(Auditorium)

Requiescant in Pace

Please remember in your prayers the parishioners, friends,
relatives and benefactors who recently died especially,
Dominick Moreschi

May they rest in Peace, Amen.



*Year of Mercy
Door of Mercy Pilgrimage*

On Saturday, January 30th, our parish Bible Group, Divine Mercy Group, Daughters of Mary and parishioners went on a pilgrimage to the Door of Mercy at St. Patrick's Cathedral in celebration of the Jubilee Year of Mercy.

The 7th Annual Pilgrimage of New York
Saturday, April 16th, 2016

Rain date: Saturday, September 17th, 2016

Making stops at:

**The Church of
Saint Paul/
East Harlem**

**Saint Patrick's
Cathedral**

**The Church of
Saint Peter/
Lower Manhattan**

The Jubilee Year of Mercy
December 8th, 2015 to
November 20th, 2016



9:00 A.M:
Opening Prayer
The Shrine of
Saint Frances
Xavier Cabrini
701 Fort Washington
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6:15 P.M:
Pilgrim's Mass
The Shrine of
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Ann Seton
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FAITH FORMATION CORNER

Mandatory Meeting for Children Receiving the Sacrament of First Holy Communion May of 2016.

The meeting will be held on **February 17th** in the school cafeteria – 6 p.m. English and 6:30 p.m. Spanish.

Reunione Obligatorias para los padres de alumnos que van a recibir el Sacramento de Primera Comuni3n este Mayo 2016.

La reuni3n va hacer el **17 de febrero** en la cafetería de la escuela a las 6 p.m. en ingles y 6:30 p.m. en espa3ol.

CHILD PROTECTION-

Anyone who needs to report an alleged incident of sexual abuse of a minor by priest, deacon, religious or lay person serving in the Archdiocese of New York is asked to contact Sr. Eileen Clifford, O.P. at 212-371-1000 x 2949 or Deacon George J. Coppola at 917-861-1762. Both may also be reached via email at victimassistance@archny.org. Information can also be found on the Archdiocesan website, www.archny.org. In keeping with the Archdiocesan policy regarding sexual abuse of minors, this information is provided to ensure that our children remain safe and secure.

PROTECCION DE LOS NINOS-

Culquier persona que necesite reporter algun incidents de abuso de un menor por un sacerdote, diacono, religioso/a, o lacio sirviendo en la Arquidiocesis de Nueva York, se le pide que por favor contacte Hermana Eileen Clifford, O.P. at 212-371-1000 extension 2949 o Deacon George J. Coppola a 917-861-1762. Ambos tambien pueden ser contactados via correo electronico: victimassistance@archny.org. Para mas informacion pueden visitar la pagina en la red del la Arquidiocesis: www.archny.org. De acuerdo con las normas del la Arquidiocesis respeto al abuso sexual de menores, esta informacion se provee para asegurar que nuestro ninios permanezcan seguros.

MBROJTJA E FËMIJËVE-

Çdokush që ka nevojë për të raportuar një incident të dyshuar të abuzimit seksual të një të mituri nga prifti, dhjak, fetare ose vë personi që shërbejnë në Kryedioqeza e Nju Jorkut është kërkuar për të kontaktuar Jo Ne Linje Eileen Kliford, OP at 212-371-1000 x 2949 ose Deacon George J. Coppola në 917-861-1762. Të dy mund të arrihet përmes emailit në victimassistance@archny.org. Informacion mund të gjendet edhe në faqen e internetit, www.archny.org Archdiocesane. Në përputhje me politikën e Archdiocesane lidhje me abuzimin seksual të të miturve, ky informacion është dhënë për të siguruar që fëmijët tanë të mbeten të sigurt dhe të sigurtë.



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On February 15th, 2015, the world learned of the murder of twenty-one Coptic Christians at the hands of ISIS terrorists in Libya. At the time, our Holy Father, Pope Francis, referred to

the witness of these brave Christians as "a testimony which cries out to be heard." As members of the Archdiocese of New York we will take time to pause in prayer and to remember all those who face the stark reality of religious persecution in the Middle East and elsewhere.

On **Monday, February 15th**, at 10 a.m. we will celebrate the Mass "For Persecuted Christians". Holy Mass will be followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. We invite all parishioners and friends to attend and join together to remember and pray for our persecuted brothers and sisters in Christ.

Reconciliation Monday

Monday, March 21, 2016 is designated by Cardinal Dolan as **Reconciliation Monday**. Our Diocese will join the Diocese of Brooklyn and the Diocese of Rockville Centre in celebrating **Reconciliation Monday**. On this special day, all the churches of our dioceses will offer the Sacrament of Reconciliation in all parishes between the hours of 3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. It is an excellent opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation as we prepare for the holy days of the Paschal Triduum.

Retiro De Cuaresma

"No son los sanos que necesitan al Medico, sino los enfermos"

(Mateo 2,17)

Iglesia St. Lucia La Gruta

(Cafeteria)

830 Mace Avenue

Bronx NY 10467

Fecha: Domingo 28 De Febrero del 2016

Hora: 2:00 pm a 6:00 pm



Predicadora Ana Guzman



Grupo Centinelas

Para mas Info Llamar a 1-(347)-303-0109 o al (347)-339-33940
Habra Comida

Encyclical on the Environment

On June 18, 2015, the Vatican issued *Laudato Si'*, *Praise Be to You*, Pope Francis's encyclical on caring for creation. The phrase "praised be" is taken from a famous creation canticle by St. Francis of Assisi as he thanked God for the beauty of creation. At the core of Pope Francis's message is the idea of "integral ecology," - that how we relate to one another, especially the poor, and how we relate to the environment are intimately connected. For more on the encyclical, go to the U.S. bishops' website: <http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/human-life-and-dignity/environment/index.cfm> or google "US Catholic Conference of Bishops" - and click on the encyclical and then "Resources on Environmental Stewardship".

**Encíclica sobre el Cuidado de la Creación**

El 18 de junio de 2015, el Vaticano presentó la encíclica papal *Laudato Si'* (*Alabado seas, mi Señor*) sobre el cuidado de la creación. La frase "alabado seas" es parte del famoso canto de San Francisco de Asís "Cántico al Hermano Sol" en que se da gracias a Dios por la belleza de la creación. Al fondo del mensaje del Papa Francisco está la idea de una "ecología integral", o sea que la manera de relacionarnos unos a otros - y en especial a los pobres - y la manera de relacionarnos con el medio ambiente están íntimamente ligados. Para saber más sobre esta encíclica vaya a <http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/human-life-and-dignity/environment/index.cfm> o buscar en google "US Catholic Conference of Bishops" y en español, escoger la sección "Enseñanza de la Iglesia en Gestión Ambiental" para llegar a "Medio Ambiente Programa de Justicia Ambiental"

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