

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY, August 6, 2018

9:00am In Thanksgiving

TUESDAY, August 7, 2018

9:00am St. Thomas Aquinas Sick List

WEDNESDAY, August 8, 2018

9:00am Sony Decoste

THURSDAY, August 9, 2018

9:00am Martin J. Grennan

FRIDAY, August 11, 2018

9:00am Marie Fortune Martelly

SATURDAY, August 11, 2018

9:00am Vanie Victor

5:30pm Thanksgiving to All Saints

SUNDAY, August 12, 2018

8:00am People of the Parish, Purgatorial Society, STA Sick List, Angela Jaconetti

11:30am Elizabeth Boucher (L)

5:30pm Phillip Mahaney

Sick: Elisa Baez, Helen Somerman, Dolores Slier, Diana Lapadula, Emmanuel Peters, Dimona Galli, Theresa McNamara, Lisa Cullen

(The names on the sick list will be kept on for three weeks, unless specified)

Help us keep our sick list current. Please notify the Rectory Office (718-253-4404) when changes occur. We enjoy hearing the good news of recovery

For those who have died:

Those in the Armed Services—in these difficult times, let us lift up in prayer for our brave men and women who fight for our freedom all over the world. May God bless them and keep them safe .

MEMORIAL GIFTS

A Memorial gifts is another way you can honor a loved one who has died. Altar Bread and Wine, Altar Candles and the Sanctuary Lamp. Each one is \$25.00 for the week. Flowers are \$50.00 for the week.

SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

Monday—Friday 9:00am **(There will be no noon Mass).**

Saturday– 9:00 am

5:30 Vigil

Sunday– 8:00am, 11:30am, and 5:30pm

Please be aware weekday Masses will be in the back of the church during the summer months.

The rectory is closed on Sunday's, so please take care of business during the week Monday-Thursday 9am-12pm or 1pm-8pm. Friday -Saturday 9am-2pm.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation during the summer months on Wednesday will be following the 9:00am Mass. Saturdays will stay the same.

RECTORY TO BE CLOSED

Due to work being done in the rectory, the rectory will be closed from August 23rd thru August 26th. Office hours will resume on August 27th at 9:00am. August 20, 21, and 22nd all rectory business will be conducted out of the rectory basement. Please use the back basement door.

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS FAITH FORMATION

The Faith Formation of our children continues through the full reception of all the Sacraments of Initiation – Baptism, First Eucharist and Confirmation. In order to ensure the process of the faith formation journey of our children, it is necessary to re-register them each year.

We are currently accepting registration for the 2018-2019 school year. All Re-Registrations and New Registrations for the On-Site program and for the On-Line MyCatholicFaithDelivered (3rd through 6th grade). Registration will continue throughout the summer.

REGISTRATION FEES FOR 2018-2019

**One Child \$100.00
\$50.00 for every additional child**

Registration forms must be completed, and are available in the Rectory Office. All required documents and fees must be submitted with the registration form.

"You may also print the registration form from our website, www.stthomasaquinasbrooklyn.com. ; Click on the Faith Formation tab, then the Religion Education tab. A link to the form will appear at the bottom of the page.

Please note New Student Requirements:

- Child's Baptismal Certificate
- Child's Birth Certificate, (if not baptized)
- Transfer papers (if coming from another parish)

We look forward to collaborating with you and your children this coming school year as we spread our love of Jesus to our faith community.

St. Thomas Aquinas Bereavement Group

The death of a love one can be the most stressful event in a person's life. A wide array of emotions can be experienced, such as sadness, anger, anxiety, guilt, and despair. There is no right way and wrong way to grieve. Each person experiences grief in his or her own way, partly because of the relationship with the person who died. St. Thomas Aquinas Invite you to set aside an hour of your time for yourself sharing the suffering that accompanies grieving. We meet on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of every month. For more information contact Fr. Kieran 718-253-4404

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

If you know a parishioner who is unable to attend mass on the weekend, or are unable to attend yourself, please contact Fr.

Clifford at 718-253-4404. Fr. Clifford will arrange a visit and then assign an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion to visit on a regular basis. Homebound parishioners are very grateful to be able to receive communion in their homes. Please keep our homebound members in your prayers

ROSARY SOCIETY ATLANTIC CITY TRIP

The Rosary Society of St. Thomas Aquinas Parish runs a trip to Resorts Casino in Atlantic City on the **FIRST THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH**. The bus leaves from in front of the Church (1550 Hendrickson Street, between Flatlands Avenue & Avenue P) at 8:30am. The cost of this is \$40.00, which includes a bagel for breakfast and a \$30.00 bonus from the Casino. The next trip is scheduled for Thursday, **September 6, 2018** For further details or to sign up for the trip, please call Noreen at (718) 253-7824.

DIOCESAN LENTEN PILGRIMAGE

Join us on a
Diocesan Lenten Pilgrimage
To
The Holy Land
Bishop Neil Tiedemann
Spiritual Director
And
Msgr. Kieran Harrington
Chaplain
March 7-15, 2019
For a Brochure Contact
Prestige Worldwide Tours
1-866-293-0982
samantha@pwwtours.com

SAVE THE DATE -

Basilica of the National Shrine of the
Immaculate Conception

St. Thomas Aquinas will be coordinating a trip to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C.

Please let us know if you would be interested in attending this trip for the day Saturday, October 27, 2018.

A non-refundable \$50.00 deposit is due by Friday, August 31, 2018.

DISCO PARTY

WEAR YOUR BEST 70'S OUTFIT

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS

MSGR. KING HALL

1501 HENDRICKSON STREET.

(BET. FLATLANDS AVE. & AVE. P)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2018

7:00PM \$40.00 PER PERSON



Monthly 50/50 Raffle

Blank envelopes for our 50/50 drawing are located in the back of the church for those parishioners who do not receive envelopes. Please if you choose to use them fill them out completely.

Contribution is \$10.00.

You have to be in it to win it!!!

Good Luck to all!



September & October Upcoming Event

Sunday September 9th

- *Grandparent Day
- *Back to school Mass & Blessing of Back Pack
- * & Back to school BBQ

Tuesday September 18th

- *Extraordinary Minister Meeting

Wednesday September 19th

- *Choir Meeting

Monday September 24th

- *Lector s Meeting

Wednesday October 3rd

- *Ministers of Hospitality & Usher

Saturday October 6th

- *Magnificate Day

Saturday October 20th

- *Multi Lingual Rosary

Friday October 26th

- *Halloween Party

Saturday October 27th

- *Pilgrimage to the National Shrine

In the Footsteps of St. Paul
GREECE
with **Greek Island Cruise**

August 16 - 26, 2019

\$3,999 from New York (JFK)

Spiritual Director: Fr. Dwayne Davis

Early Booking Discount of \$150 per person for registrations with deposits received on or before July 31, 2018 promotional code: DDGR19

www.pilgrimages.com/frdavis

YOUR TRIP INCLUSIONS & RESERVATION INCLUDES:

- † Round-trip air from New York (JFK)
- † **Airport Taxes and Fuel Surcharges**
- † 9 nights at centrally located first class hotels as follows: (or similar)
- ~ 2 nights: Aug 17 – 19: Hotel Capsis, Thessaloniki, Greece ~ 1 night: Aug 19 – 20: Hotel Divani, Meteora, Greece
- ~ 1 night: Aug 20 – 21: Hotel Amalia or Nafsika Palace, Delphi, Greece
- ~ 2 nights: Aug 21 – 23: Hotel Divani Palace, Athens, Greece
- ~ 3 nights: Aug 23 – 26: Cruise on Celestyal Cruises Cruise Lines (outside cabin)
- † **Transfers as per itinerary**
- † Breakfast and Dinner daily
- † **Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner while on Cruise**
- † **Wine with dinners**
- † Transportation by air-conditioned motor coach
- † **Wireless headsets where needed**
- † **Assistance of a professional local Catholic guide(s)**
- † **Sightseeing and admissions fees as per itinerary**
- † **Mass daily & Spiritual activities**
- † **Flight bag & Portfolio of all travel documents**
- † **Port taxes & fees**
- † **All tips included while on cruise**
- † Shore excursions while on ship include: ~ Mykonos – Walking tour ~ Kusadasi – Ephesus & the house of the Virgin Mary ~ Patmos - Monastery of St. John & Grotto of Apocalypse ~ Crete - Palace of Knossos ~ Santorini – Thira & Oia Village

Not Included: Lunches on Day 2-7, Beverages not mentioned, Tips to your guide & driver. **Optional:** Travel Insurance:

www.206tours.com/insurance Extended Cancellation Protection Plan @ \$299:

www.206tours.com/cancellationprotection

FOR MORE INFORMATION & TO BOOK,

Contact Liz at 206 Tours: 800-206-TOUR (8687) or email Liz@206tou