

## MASS SCHEDULE

### MONDAY, July 4, 2016

9:00am Thanksgiving to God

### TUESDAY, July 5, 2016

9:00am Camelia Hosana Leveque & Bebe Antoine

### WEDNESDAY, July 6, 2016

9:00am Souls In Purgatory

### THURSDAY, July 7, 2016

9:00am Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Mount Carmel

### FRIDAY, July 8, 2016

9:00am Thanksgiving for the Gervais Family

### SATURDAY, July 9, 2016

9:00am Thomas Monahan

5:30pm Julia Perez

### SUNDAY, July 10, 2016

8:00am People of the parish, Purgatorial Society

11:30am Jeffrey Parayno (B)

5:30pm Maureen Felix

## THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

**The Sick:** Edwin H. Walsh, Rosaline Peiters, Annette Petti, Monroe Okola, Ed Rossnagel, Paul Peridon Sr., Richard Gaus, Isidro Padilla, Ann Dormody, Florence Philip, Jean Chenet

**For those who have died:** Matthew Sealey

**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.

## WE ARE ON FACEBOOK

Like us on Facebook @ St. Thomas Aquinas, Flatland's and check out our website. [www.stthomasaquinasbrooklyn.com](http://www.stthomasaquinasbrooklyn.com)

## 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 St. Thomas Aquinas Church ( 1550 Hendrickson St. between Flatlands Ave. and Ave. P.) at 8:30AM. The cost is **\$40.00**, which includes a bagel for breakfast and a \$25.00 bonus from the Casino. The next trip is scheduled for **Thursday, July 7, 2016** For further details or to sign up for the trip, please call Noreen at (718) 253-7824

## OFFICE HOURS

**Please be aware of the rectory office hours:**

**Monday—Thursday**

**9am-12pm & 1pm-8pm**

**Friday- 9am– 12pm**

**Saturday & Sunday -9am-2pm**

**Please conduct all parish business during these office hours only**

## ST. JOSEPH HILL ACADEMY

Founded by the Daughters of Divine Charity, St. Joseph Hill Academy, an all girls High School of approximately 400 students on Staten Island, is seeking a Principal to uphold its mission of preparing students, academically and spiritually, to become confident young women ready to meet society's challenges. The ideal candidate will be a practicing Roman Catholic with prior relevant experience with school administration, fiscal and strategic planning, and will possess excellent communication skills necessary to interact with the Board of Trustees, faculty, the student body, and the Staten Island community. Candidates should hold a Master's Degree. Please send resumes and cover letters to: [sisterwilliam@gmail.com](mailto:sisterwilliam@gmail.com)

**Diocese of Brooklyn**

# Pilgrimage

in the  
*Year of Mercy*  
to the  
Basilica of the National Shrine of the  
Immaculate Conception  
Washington D.C.

Saturday  
October 29, 2016

Bus will leave from St. Thomas  
Aquinas Early Saturday Morning.  
Time: **6 AM Sharp**

**Cost \$60**

Please drop off payment at the Rectory  
during office hours

## PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

The Parish Office of Saint Thomas Aquinas  
will be closed Monday, July 4, 2016. Normal  
office hours will resume on Tuesday, July 5,  
2016 at 9:00am. Have a safe Fourth of July  
weekend.

**ST. THOMAS AQUINAS  
PARISH PILGRIMAGE**



## JUBILEE OF MERCY PILGRIMAGE

Canonization of Mother Teresa  
ROME, Italy

DAY TRIP TO ASSISI

DAY TRIP TO LANCIANO

Sept. 2th – 9TH 2016

\$3,199.00\*COST PER PERSON

\*based on double occupancy  
(Travel insurance is separate)

**INCLUDES:**

**NON-STOP FLIGHTS ALITALIA JFK TO  
DA'VINCI**

**4 STAR HOTEL (Hotel Residenza di  
Ripetta)**

**DAILY BREAKFAST / DINNERS (with  
WINE & MINERAL WATER)**

**TWO LUNCHESES**

**DAILY TOURS AND EXCURSIONS**

**TOUR GUIDE/ESCORT**

**w/ FR. DWAYNE D. DAVIS — SPIRITUAL  
DIRECTOR**

**& ELIZABETH MATHEW**

**DAILY MASS**

**PAPAL AUDIENCE**

**The Papal Audience with Vatican Muse-  
um, Cata-combs, Scala Santa (the Holy  
Stairs), attend the Canonization of Moth-  
er Teresa,  
and an Ancient city Rome tour.**

**Bove Continental Travel, Inc.**

**6502 - 11th Avenue**

**Brooklyn, NY 11219**

**Contact: (718) 680-5600**

**Michelle Bove or**

**Carla Ann Volpe**

## COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

If you know of a parishioner who is unable  
to attend mass on the weekend, or are un-  
able to attend yourself, please contact Ms.  
Elizabeth Mathew at 1-718-253-4404. Ms.  
Mathew will arrange a visit and then as-  
sign 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.

## **BEREAVEMENT SESSIONS**

There will be no Bereavement sessions during the month's of July, August & September, however if you need to meet and talk on a individual basis please do not hesitate to call 718-253-4404 Ex 16

## **SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE**

Please be aware that our Summer Mass schedule that will start on Monday **July 4, 2016 will be as follows:**

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

## **HELP KEEP YOUR PARISH UP TO DATE!**

Summer is time for moving for many families. If you are new to our parish, please register at the Parish Office. If you have a new address or are moving from the parish, please contact the Parish Office as well. We would appreciate it!

## **Faith Formation Corner**

**Registrations for the Faith Formation Classes** beginning in September is going on. Our Classes are held on Sundays and on Wednesdays. If you have a child who is 6 years or older, please register her/him, so the child will be prepared to receive Holy Communion with his/her age group. Please stop by the Rectory Office, 1550 Hendrickson Street, Monday through - Friday, 9:15 am- 11:45 am or Monday through Thursday 1:30pm- 7:30pm. Please

bring your child's baptism certificate. If you are transferring your child from another Faith Formation Program, a transfer letter or proof of attendance in that parishes Faith Formation program is required.

**Parents of children with Special Needs:** we do have classes for children with special needs. Please call the office so we can discuss the matter and place the child according to her/his needs.

**Adults:** If you are baptized and did not complete the Sacrament of initiation or received Holy Communion and did not receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, please consider doing so. Call the number below and you can receive appropriate information.

If you or someone you know is interested in getting more information about becoming a Catholic, please call the number below so that we can begin the process as soon as possible.

**For Information call: 718 253-4405** and ask for: Ms. E. Mathew



*St. Thomas  
Aquinas  
Jubilee Year  
of Mercy  
Calendar*

- July 24-August 2 - World Youth Day Poland
- Tuesday, September 27-Mercy in the teachings of the Pope-7:30PM- Ms. Elizabeth Matthew
- Tuesday, October 25- The Corporal and Spiritual works of Mercy- 7:30PM- Msgr. John Brown
- Saturday, October 29-Diocesan Pilgrimage to the National Shrine of Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC (**\$60pp**)
- Tuesday, November 8-Confession the Sacrament of Mercy-7:30PM- Fr. Dwayne Davis
- Saturday, November 12-Pilgrimage to the Holy Doors of Brooklyn & Queens

**CONGRATULATIONS  
TO OUR GRADUATES**

The following members of our parish community have graduated this Spring.

Noel Canna– Long Island University  
(Bachelor in Speech Language Pathology)– Suma Cum Laude

Tori Johnson-Brooklyn Tech High School

Jasmine Dupervil– St. Edmund Prep

Morino Philisma– St. Edmund Prep

Joseph L. McFarlane-  
Bachelor of Music—Five towns College

Theresa Anwar—Pastoral Institute,  
Brooklyn (First Pakistani Lay Minister in NY)

***Look on these graduates with your love and bless them as they leave their respected schools and move forward in life.***

