#### MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY, May 7, 2018 NOON Thanksgiving to Our Lord

**TUESDAY, May 8, 2018** 

6:30am James & Josephine Kelly NOON Nora & William Whiteley

WEDNESDAY, May 9, 2018

6:30am Fran Margotta NOON In Thanksgiving to Our Lord Jesus Christ 7:30pm Eileen Doherty & Christine Walker

**THURSDAY, May 10, 2018** 

6:30am Thomas Ferguson, Jean Cipolla & -Cassandra Odenat (A) John Flanagan NOON Patrick Durkin

FRIDAY, May 11, 2018

**NOON Edward Lawless** 

**SATURDAY, May 12, 2018** 

8:30am Anne Cortese 5:30pm Mothers Day Remembrance

**SUNDAY, May 13, 2018** 

8:00am People of the Parish. Purgatorial Society, Josephine Kelly, Debra & Andy Ramsammy(L), Voilet Titus 11:30am Mothers Day Remembrance Mothers Day Remembrance 5:30pm

Sick: Rosaline Peiters, Annette Petti, Ann Dormody, Jean Chenet, Rosemary Podesta, Ellen Lahane, Julien Dolisca, Frank Incorvaia, Patricia Watson, Ingrid Velinskie, Carissa D'Alba, Kimberly Palmo, Edwin Walsh, Dorothy Lasher, Dr. Vijay Anand, Carol Melo, Antoinette Casconi, Dimona Galli, Alexander Elias, Baby Charles Richardson, Edie Neumann, Michael Serrone, Carol Perrone, Lisa Cullen, Jessica Termini. Maria Boffa. Dimona Galli, Jim Polocino, Mohroe Okola, Isidro Padilla, Luis A Loperena, Yousef Asad

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 died – Lucille Mitchell, Daniel Cody

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 save not only during this holiday season but always.

**MEMORIAL GIFTS** 

Altar Bread & Wine, Altar Candles & Sanctuary Lamp- In Honor of Jean & Mary Cassandra Odenat donated by Jean & Mary

### **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 EVE-RY 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, June 7, 2018 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

### **FEAST OF THE ASCENSION**

Thursday May 10, 2018 is the feast of the Ascension and it is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass is: Wednesday May 9, 7:30pm Thursday, May 10, 6:30 & Noon

## JOIN ST. THOMAS AQUINAS PARISH

### ON A PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

Walk Where Jesus Walked

WITH FR. DWAYNE DAVIS
AUGUST 19-28, 2018-\$3,899
FROM NEW YORK, JFK
OPTIONAL POST YOUR TO ROME\$999

**AUGUST 28-31, 2018** 

\*FOR RESERVATION AND
DEPOSIT (\$400)
Arrangements being made
Thru– 206TOURS

### 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 Aguinas Invite you to set aside and hour of your time for yourself sharing the suffering that accompanies grieving. We meet on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of every month. For more information contact Fr. Kieran 718-253-4404

### **VOLUNTEER NEEDED**

Looking for a volunteer to work the SUM-MA gift shop . Please contact : Joe Costillo for details (718) 377-1293

### **SUMMA GIFT SHOP**

Know someone receiving Holy Communion or Confirmation?

Visit the Summa Gift Shop for a gift. They will keep and remember the special day.

Don't forget Mom on Mother's Day, Mary loves us all .Choose a gift at the Summa Gift Shop.

#### 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

### UPCOMING RELIGIOUS EDUCATION EVENTS

#### CONFIRMATION

Practice for Candidates and Sponsors: **Tuesday, May 8 at 7:30 pm in church** Ceremony:

Friday, May 11 at 5:00 pm in church (Candidates and Sponsors must be present in Msgr. King Hall at 3:30 pm )

### DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

The Annual Diocesan Wedding Anniversary celebration will take place on Saturday, June 9, 2018 at Immaculate Conception Center (7200 Douglaston Parkway, Douglaston, NY 11362) It will begin at 11:00am.

Couples celebrating their 25th, 50th,and 75th anniversary will receive special recognition. All couples celebrating there marriages in a Catholic Church are invited to attend with their families. Registration is necessary. To register, please contact Martha Hernandez at 718-281-9540 or e-mail mhernandez@diobrrok.org.

### 30 DAY CHALLENGE

During the month of May your challenge is to pray the rosary everyday with your family or 30 minutes before each mass. At the end of May we will be having a mass to consecrate parish, family and our community to the Blessed Mother.

#### VIRTUS TRAINING

On Wednesday May 23, 2018 at 7:30 pm there will be a virtus training class in Msgr. King Hall. All employees and volunteers who work or volunteer for the parish of St. Thomas Aquinas are required to take this class. Go to **virtus.org** to register before arriving for the class.



FAME DINNER HONORING: MSGR. JOHN BROWN

The Catholic Youth Organization of the Diocese of Brooklyn is hosting its annual Hall of Fame dinner dance to celebrate our rich history and to honor those individuals that have made a significant difference on several of the participation levels in our unique community. An evening of celebration with dinner and dancing will take place as follows:

FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 2018
6:00PM MASS
7:00PM COCKTAIL HOUR
Followed by 8pm Hall of Fame Induction
Ceremony
AT THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CENTER

7200 Douglaston Parkway, Douglaston, NY 11362

Tickets are \$125.00, per person includes full cocktail hour, open bar, choice of three entrees and dessert

For more ticket information and reservations, please contact

St. Thomas Aquinas Rectory—718-253-4404

DURING NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS.

## ST. THOMAS AQUINAS CHURCH

MARIAN MORNING OF PRAYERS & REFLECTION SATURDAY MAY 19TH, 2017 8:30AM- MASS

9:00AM- BREAKFAST 10:00AM-REFLECTION-FR. CLIFFORD FOLLOW BY

MULTI-LINGUAL LIVING ROSARY ENGLISH SPANISH CREOLE



## ST. THOMAS AQUINAS CHURCH

1550 Hendrickson St. ( Flatlands Ave. & Avenue P)

Come join us as we pray the Rosary and sing hymns to Mary in English, Spanish and Creole.

Sponsored by the Rosary Society of St. Thomas Aquinas Parish

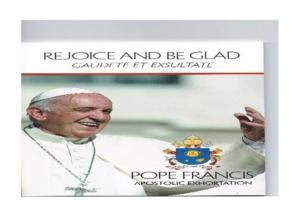
## CHARISMATIC RENEWAL DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN

You are invited to attend a Night of Prayer, Praise & Teaching

Date: May 31<sup>st</sup> 2018 7:00 pm
Place: St. Thomas Aquinas
Church
1550 Hendrickson Street
Brooklyn NY 11234
Theme: Pope Francis's
Exhortation:

Free will Offering

Rejoice and be Glad





### At

# St. Thomas Aquinas Parish

Saturday June 16, 11:am-5:pm

Parking Lot & Gym \$10.00 Per Person \$20.00 Family of Four

Children Under 14 Must Be Accompanied By An Adult

**FOOD AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE** 



Photo Booth International Cafe

Bounce Castle



Games & Music

