**MASS SCHEDULE** 

MONDAY, September 24, 2018
NOON Rosalia Mazzone
TUESDAY, September 25, 2018
6:30am Carmelle Bruno
NOON Robert & Mildred Whiteley
WEDNESDAY, September 26, 2018
6:30am Bartholomew Aabrey
NOON John, Irene & Michael Carroll
THURSDAY, September 27, 2018
6:30am Peter Galvin
NOON Our Lord Jesus Christ

FRIDAY, September 28, 2018 NOON Wendell Jean (B)

SATURDAY, September 29, 2018

8:30am Donald J. Daly

5:30pm Nora & Daniel O'Toole

SUNDAY, September 30, 2018

8:00am Purgatorial Society, People of the Parish, Genevieve & Adolphe Rogus

11:30am St. Thomas Aquinas Sick List 5:30pm Gerard J. Charles & Eugene Pierre Louis

**Sick:** Diana Lapadula, Emmanuel Peters, Dimona Galli, Theresa McNamara, Lisa Cullen, Modesto Baez, Rosemary Podesta, Maria & Joseph Curcio, Eduardo Pedernera

(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: Rose Francois

#### **MEMORIAL GIFTS**

**Altar Bread & Wine**– In memory of **Ann Dormody-**donated by the Summa Family

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.

### 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, **October 4**, **2018** For further details or to sign up for the trip, please call Noreen at (718) 253-7824.

### **VIRTUS TRAINING**

On Wednesday October 17, 2018 at 7:00 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.

### **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, quilt, 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

### **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

### STA PRAYER GROUP

Saint Thomas Aquinas Prayer Group meets every Thursday at 7:30pm.

### **DIOCESAN LENTEN PILGRIMAGE**

### 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.

## 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



# **Upcoming Events**

Monday September 24<sup>th</sup>
Lector s Meeting-7:30pm– Rectory

Wednesday October 3<sup>rd</sup>
Ministers of Hospitality & Usher7:30pm– Rectory

# Saturday October 6<sup>th</sup>

Magnificat Day

The Magnificat Foundation and the Diocese of Brooklyn are proud to invite you to experience the Magnificat Day of Thanksgiving in Brooklyn, NY. It will be held on Saturday, October 6, 2018 at the Kings Theatre, featuring four of America's greatest Catholic preachers:

Fr. Peter John Cameron, o.p.,
Bishop Robert Barron,
Dr. Scott Hahn, and
Seán Cardinal O'Malley, o.f.m. cap.
Tickets are \$30PP and can be purchased at the rectory.

## Monday October 15th

Parish Leadership Meeting-7:30pm

Friday October 19th
Praise Night 7:30pm—Church

Saturday October 20<sup>th</sup>
Multi Lingual Rosary –Noon

Friday October 26<sup>th</sup>
Halloween Party

Saturday October 27<sup>th</sup>
Pilgrimage to the National Shrine

### **CONGRATULATIONS**

Congratulations to our 50/50 winner for the month of August., M/M Kenneth Dean . We had 90 people who participated so the winner received \$450.00. Our next drawing is October 7, 2018 at the 11:30am Mass. Good Luck to all!

## 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!

### MASS BOOK—2019

The weekday Mass Book for the months of January, February, March, April, May & June 2019 will be open on Tuesday October 9th, 2018 beginning at 10:00am in the Rectory, the following times are:

Monday at Noon
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at
6:30am and Noon
Friday at Noon
Saturday at 8:30am

The masses for the weekends of January, February, March, April, May & June of 2019 will also be available, the following times are:

Saturday at 5:30pm Sunday at 8:00am (a multi-intention Mass); 11:30am and 5:30pm

The Mass Stipend for each Mass is \$15.00 and must be presented when making the arrangements. Please be aware that we cannot make arrangements for masses over the phone. For those who cannot come to the Rectory you can mail your request and donation to the Rectory Office and we will try to accommodate your request

# 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 promotional code: DDGR19 www.pilgrimages.com/frdavis

# MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

ENRICH YOUR MARRIAGE by experiencing a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend. Learn ways to improve your communication. Live the love God intended for your marriage. Upcoming weekends at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington is November 16-18. To apply, call 877-NYS-WWME, or go to <a href="https://www.bq-wwme.org">www.bq-wwme.org</a>. For weekends in Spanish, email <a href="mailto:nycemm@live.com">nycemm@live.com</a>.