



Saint Martin de Porres Parish

"A Faith Community, One in the Father, Son and Holy Spirit."

SUNDAY, JUNE 12TH 2022

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Rev. Franklin Ezeorah, Parochial Vicar

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Our Mission Statement

We, the Roman Catholic Parish of St. Martin de Porres, formed from the tri-church unity of Holy Rosary, Our Lady of Victory and St. Peter Claver churches is led by the Spirit and committed to becoming one in Humility, Faith and Love. In community and by the Eucharist, we journey together realizing that our strength is in our commitment to the Church founded by Christ and to the spread of His Word by the actions of our daily lives.

Sacraments

Baptism ~ The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on the fourth Sunday of each month. Please call the Parish Office to make an appointment. A baptism preparation class will be held on the second Wednesday or fourth Saturday of each month in the Church. Attendance at this class is required by the parents and godparents of the child to be baptized.

Confession~ Saturdays: 4:00pm to 4:45pm, St. Peter Claver. Sundays: Holy Rosary Church, from 8:15am to 8:45am. Or call the rectory for an appointment.

Marriage~ Arrangements must be made seven (7) months prior to the wedding date. Please call the rectory office to make an appointment with a priest to discuss your marriage plans.

RCIA ~Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults. For those who are interested in becoming Catholic or if you have not received all of the sacraments of initiation please contact Fr. Cox, Fr. Franklin Ezeorah to inquire about our ongoing RCIA program.

Anointing of the Sick~ Please contact the Rectory Office if you know of any homebound person or anyone going for medical procedures who would like to be anointed by a priest and/or receive the Eucharist.

Parish Staff

Rev. Mr. Rachid Murad, Permanent Deacon
Rev. Mr. Leroy Branch, Permanent Deacon
Ms. Paulitiana St. Hilaire, Secretary
Mrs. Maria Matos, Bookkeeper
Ms. Michelle Joseph, Dir. of Religious Edu.
Mr. Joseph Murray, Co-Dir. of Music
Ms. Joan Marie Delahunt, Co-Dir. of Music
Ms. Tamika Daniel, Youth Minister
Mr. Humberto DaCosta, Buildings /Grounds

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday: 10:00am. - 5:00pm.
Tuesday to Friday: 9:00am - 5:00pm
Evenings & Weekends: By appointment.

Holy Rosary Church

139 Chauncey Street, /Brooklyn, NY 11233

Mass Times

Sundays: 9am / Tuesdays: 11am



Our Lady of Victory Church

583 Throop Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216

Sundays: Masses

7:30am & 10:15am

Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday
8am -9am

1st Fridays: Rosary for Life



St. Peter Claver Church

29 Claver Place
Brooklyn, NY 11238

Mass Times

Sat.: 5pm / Sun.: 11:30am

Monday. & Wednesday: 12noon

1st Fridays: 12noon

Holiday schedule will be announced

From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners,

With the celebration of Pentecost last Sunday, we have concluded the Easter season and have moved into the Ordinary Time of the liturgical year. These next two Sundays are special solemnities following Pentecost. Today, we celebrate the solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity. As Catholics, we believe that God is present, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. The Trinity is the core of our faith, so much so, that we are baptized in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Each time we gather as a community for the celebration of Mass, we begin by invoking the Trinity. This solemnity allows us to acknowledge this great mystery, proclaiming the presence and the unity of God as Father, Son and Holy Spirit. May our prayers rise to the heavens as we invoke the Blessed Trinity.

Mission Appeal

This weekend we welcome Father Anselmus Mawusi as the homilist for all the Masses. He will speak to us of the missionary work that is ongoing in his home country of Ghana. Each year the Diocese of Brooklyn asks parishes to designate a weekend during the summer for a missionary to speak about overseas missionary work. There will be a second collection at each of the Masses this weekend that will go to help support the missionary work in Ghana. Thank you for your support, generosity and most especially your prayers.

Father's Day Remembrance

Next Sunday is Father's Day. Throughout the month of June, we will remember all Father's living and deceased. There are Father's Day envelopes at each of our three churches. You may place the envelope in the offertory at Mass or bring it to the parish office. The names will be placed on the altar throughout the month of June.

Congratulations Graduates

As we approach graduation season, I want to take this opportunity to congratulate all our graduates here at St. Martin de Porres Parish. If you are graduating this year, please send us your name, school, and level of school that you are graduating from. We will print this information in the bulletin.

2022 Annual Catholic Appeal

Over these last few weeks, you have seen and heard me talk about this year's Annual Catholic Appeal. As you know, the Annual Catholic Appeal assists financially for the ongoing pastoral work of the Diocese of Brooklyn. Each parish is assigned a financial goal to raise within a year for the Annual Catholic Appeal. Our goal here at St. Martin de Porres is \$63,586. Of that goal, we have pledged to date, \$29,247 from 79 families in our parish. I thank all of you who have made a pledge to this year's Appeal. The key to reaching goal is full participation. If each family participates in this year's appeal, we will be able to achieve our goal and maybe go over it! Anything that goes over goal comes directly back to the parish.

Wishing you a blessed and joyful week,
Father Alonzo Q. Cox

Mass intentions for the week

**Saturday: June. 11th, 5:00pm – St. Peter Claver
vigil Mass:**

For the souls in Purgatory

**Sunday: June 12th, 11:30am -St. Peter Claver
Zeporah Beacher – in memoriam**

Req. by Karl Duncan

7:30am-Our Lady of Victory Church

Thanksgiving in honor of the Sacred Heart for Mary
Carasco

10:15am- Our Lady of Victory Church

For the Victims of the School Shooting in Uvalde
Texas

Req. by Karrina Brown

9:00am- Holy Rosary Church

Pamela DeGannes – in memoriam

Req. by family members

Wed. June. 15th, 12noon St. Peter Claver
Charliee R. Brignol - congratulations on your
graduation.

Req. by grandma Yvette



ALTAR BREAD:

ALTAR WINE:

ALTAR CANDLES:

Canonización of Msgr. Bernard
Quinn

SANTUARY CANDLE:

ALTAR FLOWERS:

*Pray for the
Sick*

Marie Alfred, Dorothy Bailey, Melona
Barber, Burtel Batson, Terrance Baptiste,
Felicia Casimiro, Eugene Charles, Joyce
Cochran, Angelina Cooper, Donald Correa,
Virginia Cox, Cecilia Dear, Olive DeRoach-
Carter, Khalil Fleher, Helen Frazier, Patrick
Gilbert, Veronica Gersi, Antonio Goodsell,
Christabel Gomes, Denise Hughes, Judy
Joseph-Jenkins, Ian Kellman, Gwendolyn
Knight, Paul Martin, Carol Murray, Ida
Lashley, Adolph Lauriano, Jacques Maurice,
Leslie McFarlane, Edward Newsum,
Veronica Quinn, Noreen Simonette, Marilyn
Sylvester, Patricia Sylvester, Beverley
Thompson, Vera Walker, Rosemarie Wilkie,
Marie Williams.



**Holy Father's Prayer Intention
(June 2022)**

For families

We pray for Christian families around
the world; may they embody and
experience unconditional love and
advance in holiness in their daily lives.



Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Who has never been baptized? Who has not received the sacraments of Confirmation and/or First Communion? Who has been baptized in another faith tradition, and desires to become Catholic? Who has questions about becoming Catholic?

RCIA IS:

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is for those who are interested in becoming Catholic, or have not received all of the Sacraments of Initiation. Please contact Fr. Cox or Fr. Franklin to inquire about our RCIA program.



MASS BOOK. The opportunity to pray in a special way for the repose of the soul of a loved one or other prayerful intention is made available each day with announced Mass offerings. You may choose to commemorate a death anniversary, wedding anniversary or birthday remembrance. The 2022 Mass Book is now open and each offering is \$15.00. Please come to the Parish Office to make special Mass offerings for your loved ones.

Weekday Mass Schedule:

- 8:00 AM Monday – Friday at OLV
- 12:00 PM Monday & Wednesday at SPC
- 11:00 AM Tuesday at HRC
- 12:00 PM First Friday at SPC.

Mass Stipend:

- Intentions: \$15.00
- Bread & Wine: \$25.00 –
- Altar Candles: \$25.00

Reminder ~ Virtual Rosary prayer line.

Msgr. Bernard Quinn's cause to sainthood.
Every Friday –
6 pm: **Dial-in: - 1-720-650-3030**
follow the instructions & put in the
ID code: 1151888.



School of Faith Formation

New registration and re-registration Faith Formation forms for the year 2021-2022 school year are available online. New students beginning in the fall must also present a copy of their Baptismal Certificates. You may register via the parish website, www.smdpp.org. The fee is \$55 per student. For more information, contact Ms. Michelle Joseph at DRE101260@diobrook.org.

Parish Ministry

There are many ministries and groups for children & adults at St. Martin de Porres: **Altar Servers, Lectors, Extra Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Ushers, Choir, Religious Education, Health, and much more.** We urge active parishioners, **Find one! Join one! Start One!**

Consider Leaving a Legacy of Faith

Remember Our Parish in Your Will When you next update your estate plans, please consider continuing your lifelong stewardship by leaving a bequest to St. Martin de Porres Parish. For more information, please see Fr. Alonzo Cox.



St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Academy. Registration is now open for the St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Academy 2022 Academic Year. In addition to students from Pre-K to 8th Grade, the Academy is also offering a 3-K program for children turning three this year. For more information, please contact the main office, (718) 778-3700 or visit us www.sfabrooklyn.org 400 Lincoln Rd, Brooklyn, NY 11225.

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Father's Day Remembrance

On Sunday, June 19th, **Father's Day**, we will remember and honor **ALL** dads at Mass with a special blessing. This is a beautiful way of remembering our fathers, living or deceased. Father's Day envelopes are available in the church today and you may return your offering in the collection or at the Parish Office. These intentions will remain on the altar from Father's Day until the end of the month.

ART & FLEA MARKETS

Saturday, July 16th, 2022

9:00AM –4:00PM

163 MacDonough Street & Throop Avenue

All Purpose items, Crafts, Home Made Items,

Jewelry, Food and Much more....

\$25.00 per Table

RESERVE YOUR SPACE NOW

Call the parish office at 718-574-5772.

2022 Summer Mission Appeal

This weekend Rev. Anselmus Mawusi, from St. Therese of Lisieux Church, will be the homilist at all of the Masses on behalf of the Catholic Diocese of Jasikan, Ghana. He will speak about his missionary work and ask for donations for his mission. The Mission provides clean water, and hospital supplies for the people in the rural areas.



On June 26th, the parish will honor the class of 2022 with a Special Blessing. ANYONE who is graduating from PreK to PhD, are asked to provide us with the information about themselves on the sheets provided at the entrance of the church. The names of all the graduates will be published in the bulletin on that Sunday.



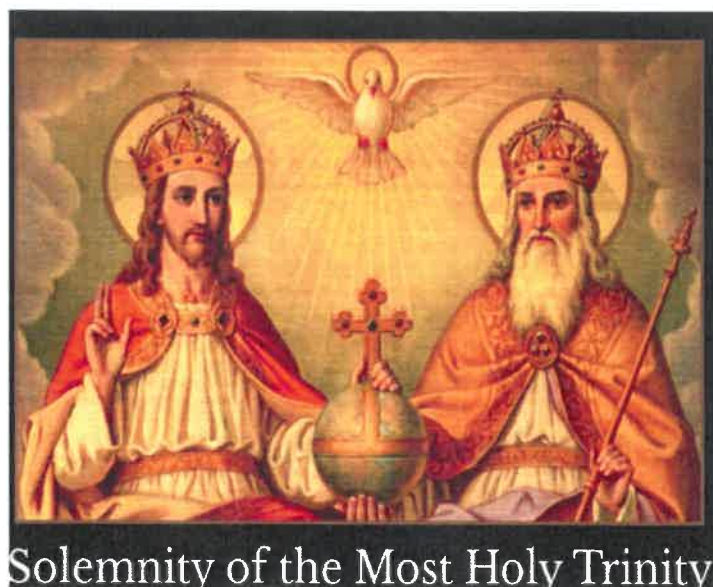
We thank all who contributed either by purchasing a potted plant or making a donation towards the Parish plant and cake sale last weekend. We raised **\$875.00**. The proceeds will go toward the Parish social outreach.



The **Parish Annual BBQ**, sponsored by the St Martin de Porres Parish Holy Name Society is on Saturday, **June 19, 2022**: from 2:00-8:00PM at (Our Lady of Victory Church Yard, 583 Throop Ave. (Bet Macon & McDonough Sts.) RSVP by calling the Rectory office 718-574-5772.

Parish Calendar Meeting

The heads of all parish societies and committees, or their delegates, are invited to propose liturgical, spiritual, fundraising, and social event dates for the 2022-2023 calendar year. Request forms are available in the sacristies of OLV, SPC, and HR. The calendar meeting will be held at a later date to confirm all events. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Mrs. Estella White-McDuffey, or Mr. Gabriel Caesar or the Parish office.



Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

O Lord our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth!

Weekday Readings

Sun. Prv 8:22-31 Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 Rom 5:1-5 Jn 16:12-15
Mon. 1 Kgs 21:1-16 Ps. 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7 Mt 5:38-42
Tues. 1 Kgs 21:17-29 Ps.51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11& 16 Mt 5:43-48
Wed. 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14 Ps31:20, 21, 24 Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thurs. Sir 48:1-14 Ps.97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7 Mt 6:7-15
Fri. Sir 48:1-14 Ps.97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7 Mt 6:7-15
Sat. 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20 Ps. 132:11, 12, 13-14, 17-18 Mt 6:19-23

Associated Vincentian Charities of Brooklyn Vehicle Donation Program Vincentian Charities will accept donations of used vehicles in any condition. They will tow the vehicle away. You will get a tax receipt and the parish will get a donation from Vincentian Charities. To donate, call Vincentian Charities at 718-491-2525 or avcb@gmail.com.

Put your Pennies to Work

Support the church and put your loose pennies to good use. Drop your pennies into the penny jar located at the front of the church. Your donation will support our ongoing Parish Faith Formation Program

Feast of Corpus Christi

The weekend of June 18th -June 19th marks the observance of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ (Corpus Christi). On Saturday, 4 PM, at St. Peter Claver Church, we will have Eucharistic Adoration followed by the 5 PM Mass.



Annual Catholic Appeal 2022
 DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN

Parish Goal: \$63,586
Pledged: \$29,247
Received: \$15,026

We ask every parish family to consider making a tax gift to the 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal.



Open your camera on your phone hover over the QR Code click the pop-up notification to be taken to the website to begin your online donation.

Please visit.

www.AnnualCatholicAppeal.org

Or call the office for a pledge card today



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God and Father of all gifts, we praise you the source of all we are.
 Teach us to acknowledge always with generous gratitude the many good things your infinite love has given to us, as we support the work of our Diocese in Brooklyn and Queens.

Open our hearts that we may answer your call to follow the message of the Gospel as disciples in love and service, so that all may come to know you.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Welcome to our Church



The Blessed Trinity

Today we celebrate the feast day of the Blessed Trinity. The word Trinity is a title for God that tells us that He is three Persons in one God.

Before Jesus came, the people didn't know that God was a Trinity. The Israelites knew that there was only one God, but they didn't know very much about Him. Jesus showed the people that there were three Persons in God when He taught them about Himself and the Father and the Holy Spirit.

The three Persons in the Blessed Trinity are all equal but different. We cannot understand this, but we believe it because Jesus taught it. It is one of the Mysteries of our Faith.

What does the Holy Trinity do for us? We know that God the Father made everything and we are intended to go back to Him. The Holy Spirit guides us towards Him, and Jesus is the way.

Every time you make the Sign of the Cross or say the "Glory Be" you are praying to the Blessed Trinity.

Answer to Word-Find: Give thanks to God

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The Kids' Bulletin

Feast of the Most Holy Trinity
Sunday June 12th, 2022



John 16.12-15

as it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.

The shamrock or clover can be used to represent the Blessed Trinity, one God in three Persons. Look in the mirror to find a prayer to the Trinity.

Dear visitors, help us to know who you are by becoming a registered member at St. Martin de Porres send us an email at info@smdpp.org /visit us at www.smdpp.org or simply fill out this form, and drop it in the collection basket.

Name: _____

Cell# _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____

Email: _____

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