



# St. Charles Borromeo

*A Roman Catholic community in the heart of Brooklyn Heights*

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## Weekly Mass Schedule

Sundays: 9 a.m. Family Mass  
11:15 a.m.  
7 p.m.

Weekdays: 12:10 p.m.  
Holy Days of Obligation as  
announced.

## Office Hours

Mon. – Fri. 9 a.m.–5 p.m. (x402)

## Clergy Staff

Fr. William G. Smith, *Pastor* (x409)  
Msgr. Al LoPinto, *Resident* (x406)  
Fr. John Gribowich, *Resident* (x408)

## Our Mission

We, the family of Saint Charles Borromeo Parish, dedicate ourselves to our faith in God. We celebrate our faith through the Eucharist, proclaim our faith through the Gospel, and express our faith by seeking to build a community which is a living testimony of the power of God's love for His children.

*St. Charles is wheelchair accessible.*



## 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Whatever town you enter and they welcome you,  
eat what is set before you, cure the sick in it and say to them,  
‘The kingdom of God is at hand for you.’” *Lk 10:8-9*

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass #2001, 1998, 1979 OCD.

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**MASSES FOR THE WEEK****Sun., July 7 — 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9:00 Rose Connell by Kenneth Roff

11:15 May Baranowsky by Mary Cenac

7:00 People of the parish

**Mon., July 8 — Weekday**

12:10 Daniel Caraballo by Anthony Caraballo

**Tues., July 9 — Weekday**

12:10 Deceased Sisters who served St. Charles

**Wed., July 10 — Weekday**

12:10 Newly baptized of the parish

**Thur., July 11 — St. Benedict**

12:10 Students of the parish

**Fri., July 12 — Weekday**

12:10 Travelers

**Readings For The Week****Mon., July 8 | Gn 28:10-22a; Mt 9:18-26***Truly, the Lord is in this spot, although I did not know it! For your grace, amazing and surprising, we give thanks.***Tues., July 9 | Gn 32:23-33; Mt 9:32-38***Then some man wrestled with him until the break of dawn. For perseverance and a willingness to face our deepest fears, we pray.***Wed., July 10 | Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Mt 10:1-7***All the world came to Joseph to obtain rations of grain, for famine had gripped the whole world. For wisdom and compassion, we pray.***Thurs., July 11 | Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Mt 10:7-15***I am your brother, Joseph, whom you once sold into Egypt. For your steadfast presence, divine Spirit, we give thanks***Fri., July 12 | Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Mt 10:16-23***Thus Jacob and all his descendants migrated to Egypt. When our lives take unexpected turns, enduring God, reassure us of your promises and presence.***Sat., July 13 | Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Mt 10:24-33***Joseph said to his brothers, "I am about to die." God of our ancestors and our God, our lives are in your hands.***Sacraments and Formation***Family Faith Formation:* Children attend the 9 a.m. Sunday Family Mass followed by class.*Reconciliation:* Monday – Friday 11:45 a.m.—noon or call the Rectory.*Baptism:* The sacrament of Baptism is celebrated the 4th Sunday of each month during the 11:15 a.m. Mass. Registration and parent class is held the 2nd Sunday of each month at 2 p.m. in the Parish House at 31 Sidney.*Marriage:* Couples seeking to celebrate the sacrament of Marriage are asked to contact the Rectory to arrange an appointment at least 6 months prior to the desired marriage date.*Anointing of the Sick:* The sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be offered after the 11:15 a.m. Mass on the 2nd Sunday of each month. In an emergency please call the rectory.**St. Charles Staff***Family Faith Program Director:* Maureen Pond*Music Director:* Sergio Sandi*Parish Secretary:* Blanca Anchundia-Toala*Parish Trustees:* Francis Chin

Kerin Coughlin

**Annual Catholic Appeal**

Each year, St. Charles joins with the Diocese of Brooklyn for the Annual Catholic Appeal, which effects the lives of countless individuals and families living in our neighborhood and throughout Brooklyn and Queens. The gifts are used to support programs for those who are hungry, without shelter, without access to Catholic education, who are sick and dying, plus countless others. Please remain assured your gift cannot be used in the settlement of abuse claims or anything other than the intended purpose.

St. Charles' goal this year is \$30,925. Any funds raised above this goal will come directly back to the parish. Please look out for a mailing with more information, or contact the Parish Office.

**Don't Miss Out On The Latest Parish News**

Our weekly emails contain more timely information than the paper bulletins, so if you don't yet receive them, please subscribe. **Go to our website, [stcharlesbklyn.org](http://stcharlesbklyn.org).** One of the first things you will see is a sign-up form for the mailing list. Please enter your name and email address and hit the *Sign Up* button.

**Summer Faith Sharing Groups**

All are invited to attend the Faith Sharing Discussion Groups' "Summer Series" on **Sundays from July 14 through August 4** in the Parish House. There will be group at 8-9 a.m. and another group at 6-7 p.m. No homework and no need to attend every session. It's a great way to meet people and talk about how our faith works in our lives. If you'd like to join, you can just come, or contact Kerin Coughlin for the a.m. session (kerincoughlin@gmail.com) or Mike McGowan for the p.m. session (mfm@mfmcgowan.com) or call the rectory. We hope to see you!

**Pilgrimages and Tours**

There are several pilgrimages and tours available in the upcoming year.

**Fatima, Lourdes & Shrines of Spain**

Portugal, Spain and France  
Sept. 24—Oct. 5, 2019

**Holy Land Discovery Tour**

Israel  
Nov. 15—22, 2019  
Dec. 12—20, 2019

Contact Doug or Eileen at Catholic Cruises and Tours  
860-399-1786 or Eileen@catholiccruisesandtours.com

**Holy Land Pilgrimage—10 Days**

Israel  
Nov. 13, 2019  
Contact Our Lady of the Angelus Rectory  
718-897-4444

**The Passion Play at Oberammergau**

Germany  
with Bishop Octavio Cisneros  
May 12—21, 2020  
Contact Peters Way Tours 516-605-1551 x17  
or kaitlin@petersway.com

**52nd International Eucharistic Congress, Budapest**

with Bishop James Massa  
Budapest, Vienna, Prague  
Sept. 13-21, 2020  
Contact Regina Tours 1-800-228-4654 x250  
or avellegas@groupist.com

**Sacraments***Marriage*

If you're planning to be married either at St. Charles or another location, please contact Fr Smith as soon as possible. A destination wedding still requires the Parish to collect the documents and provide the instruction.

*Baptism*

Church law requires that a candidate for Baptism (membership in the Church community) should be sponsored by a baptized and confirmed member of the Catholic Church who is willing and able to help the child develop and grow in the catholic faith. There must be at least one sponsor or godparent. In the case where there are two sponsors, one must be male and the other female. The maximum number of sponsors is two (although 'honorary' sponsors can be chosen but not entered into the record book).

In the case of a mixed religion marriage a baptized Christian may act as a witness to the baptism

**Ministry To The Sick And Homebound**

It is our honor and pleasure to bring communion to those who are sick/homebound and unable to attend Sunday Mass. If there is someone you know who would like to receive the Eucharist, please contact the Rectory and speak with Fr. Smith.

**Sponsor A New Hymnal Missal**

For a \$25 free-will donation you can sponsor one of our new hymnals Gather 3rd Edition or dedicate it to the memory of a loved one. The name and a prayer intention will be placed on a bookplate on the inside cover.

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**Use of Church Bathroom**

To ensure a safe environment at St Charles Borromeo, for all of our children, we ask that children be accompanied by an adult when they go to the Church bathroom.

Diocesan regulations state that children should never be alone in unsupervised areas of Church buildings. Your cooperation is appreciated.



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