

The Parish Family of St. Camillus - St. Virgilius Roman Catholic Church Broad Channel & Rockaway Park



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Mr. Joseph Wiley, Maintenance

Mrs. Mary Kay Flynn, Secretary
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Rectory Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday: 9:00 am to 7:00 pm
Wednesday & Friday: 9 am to 1 pm
Saturday: 9 am - 1 pm, Sunday: 9 am - 11:30 am
Evenings by appointment
Bereavement Group - Wednesdays, 7 pm, St. Camillus Convent
Food Pantry: Wednesdays 10 am - 12 noon

Office Hours:

St. Virgilius Office closed at present time. All Memorials & Mass Cards, requests and appointments will be handled through the St. Camillus Office - 718-634-8229.

Catholic Cemeteries: 718-894-4888

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Evening Vigil Mass at 5:30 pm
Sundays: 8:30 am & 11:30 am
Weekday Masses: Monday to Friday: 9 am
Saturday: 12 Noon
Holy Days of Obligation Mass: Holy Day: 9:00 am & 12 noon
Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions):
Saturdays: 11:00 am to 11:45 am & 5:00 pm to 5:30 pm

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Evening Vigil Mass at 4:00 pm
Sundays: 10:00 am
Weekday Masses: Monday to Thursday: 8 am
Holy Days of Obligation Mass: Vigil: 7:30 pm Holy Day: 10 am
Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions):
Saturdays: 3:30 pm to 4:00 pm

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: To baptize your child at St. Camillus-St. Virgilius, you must live in Broad Channel or Rockaway Park or if you live elsewhere, you must be a Registered Parishioner who has attended Sunday Mass at St. Camillus-St. Virgilius for SIX (6) months. Baptisms of relatives who live elsewhere may be accepted with PRIOR PERMISSION from Father Ahlemeyer. Baptisms are celebrated at 1 pm on the 3rd Saturday of the month at St. Virgilius and on the 4th Saturday of the month at St. Camillus. In order to register for the Sacrament of Baptism, parents will be required to complete a registration form, two months before the month they wish to celebrate the Baptism, present a copy of the child's birth certificate, present a certificate of Confirmation for both Godparents, have an interview with a priest, if this is the first child, attend a Baptism class. Visit our website to request a Baptismal form or pick one up at the Rectory Office.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Couples are asked to please call the Rectory to arrange an appointment at least **SIX (6)** months before the desired date. Couples are encouraged to come to the Church before other arrangements are set.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Any catholic who will be entering the hospital for surgery or serious illness should call either Parish Office to arrange to be anointed before you enter the hospital. **In case of Emergencies:** Please call the Rectory at any time (718-634-8229). A Communal Celebration is celebrated every First Friday at 12:00 p.m. in St. Camillus Church.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK: Any parishioner who is unable to attend Mass due to illness or age should contact either Parish Office. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion bring Holy Communion to the homebound. St. Camillus-St. Virgilius also celebrates Mass and brings Holy Communion to the following Nursing Homes which are located within parish boundaries: Ocean Promenade, Beacon, Park, and Park Inn.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: Every catholic family who lives in Rockaway Park (btw 95th Street and 116th Street) and Broad Channel should be registered. Catholics who live outside the parish boundaries and choose to make St. Camillus-St. Virgilius their parish should also register. Contribution envelopes will be mailed to those who request them.

St. Camillus Catholic Academy (Pre-K - 8)

185 B. 99th Street, Rockaway Park, NY 11694 718-634-5260
www.stcamillusca.org
Mr. Ralph Corso, Principal

St. Camillus School strives to provide quality, value-based education that stresses Catholic values in a loving, supportive and disciplined environment, which celebrates the universality of the Church as a whole and the cultural diversity of St. Camillus School in particular; to be a vibrant Christian community of prayer and worship devoted to Christian service as it imparts the message of Jesus Christ.

Office of Faith Formation (Levels 1-8)

99-15 Rockaway Bch. Blvd., Rockaway Park, NY 11694 718-634-8229
Sr. Maureen Ahlemeyer, PBVM

Faith formation is an ongoing development of the whole person into the image and likeness of Jesus Christ. Our Religious Education Program strives to provide a solid foundation in our faith, age-appropriate to the students in our program. Students are encouraged to begin formal religion classes in the FIRST GRADE of Public or Private (non-Catholic) Schools.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK April 14, 2019
Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord - Year C

St. Camillus Church

Sat. 5:30 PM †Roman & Mary Rubsam
 †Betty & Mike Keller
 Sun. 8:30 AM †Anthony Falconite
 11:30 AM †Marie, Pete & Ronnie Bagley
 Mon. 9:00 AM †Rose Ann & Hugh Maguire
 Tues 9:00 AM †Rosemary Lundon - Birthday
 Wed. 9:00 AM †Patrick & Mary McCabe

Holy Thursday

9:00 AM Morning Prayer
 7:30 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper

The Church will remain open until 10 pm for private prayer

Good Friday

9:00 AM Morning Prayer
 3:00 PM Celebration of the Lord's
 Passion
 7:00 PM Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday

Sat. 9:00 AM Morning Prayer & Blessing
 of Food
 11:00 AM Confessions until 12 noon
 12:00 PM Blessing of Food
Easter Vigil
 8:00 PM Living & Deceased
 Parishioners
Easter Sunday

Sun. 8:30 AM Living & Deceased
 Parishioners
 11:30 AM Living & Deceased
 Parishioners

St. Virgilius Church

Sat. 4:00 PM †Joseph Glassey - Ann.
 Sun. 10:00 AM †John & Margaret
 McCambridge
 Mon. 8:00 AM People of the Parish
 Tues. 8:00 AM †Margaret McCambridge
 Wed 8:00 AM †Purgatorial Society

Good Friday

Fri. 12:00 PM Celebration of the Lord's
 Passion
 7:00 PM Stations of the Cross

Easter Sunday

Sun. 10:00 AM Living & Deceased
 Parishioners
 12:00 PM Living & Deceased
 Parishioners

This Week in Scripture
Holy Week

Monday ~
 Isaiah 42.1-7 ~ John 12.1-11
 Tuesday ~
 Isaiah 49.1-6 ~ John 13.21-33, 36-38
 Wednesday ~
 Isaiah 50.4-9a ~ Matthew 26.14-25
 Thursday ~ Holy Thursday
 Exodus 12.1-8, 11-14 ~ Corinthians 11.23-26
 John 13.1-15
 Friday ~ Good Friday
 Isaiah 52.13-53.12 ~ Hebrews 4.14-16, 5.7-9
 John 18.1-19.42
 Saturday ~ Holy Saturday
 Genesis 1.1-2.2 ~ Genesis 22.1-18 ~ Exodus 14.15
 -15.1 ~ Isaiah 54.5-14 ~ Isaiah 55.1-11 ~ Baruch
 3.9-15, 32-4.4 ~ Ezekiel 36.6-17a, 18.28 ~
 Romans 6.3-11 ~ Luke 24.1-12
 Sunday ~ Easter Sunday
 Acts 10.34a, 37-43 ~ Corinthians 3.1-4 or 5.6b-8
 John 20.1-9 or Luke 24.1-12

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

THE SICK: Marvin Bernstein, Gloria Campisi, Grace Caputo, Joseph & Jacky Cruz, Salvatore Cruz, Lorraine & Jack Didier, Peter DiMarco, Owen Gibson, Edward Griffin, Mary & Nicole Kirk, Patrick Murphy, Lewis Oldenbittel, Fr. Timothy O'Sullivan, Danny Rhodes. Amy Rose, Michael & Martha Rubsam, Herman Schmitt, Fr. John S. Wtulich

THE DECEASED: Carolyn Breen

ALL MEMBERS OF OUR ARMED SERVICES especially those from our parish who are serving our country: Richard Binder, Frank Ciliberti, Kevin Conklin, Kevin Dougherty, Ryszard Dubowicz, Patrick Foye, Gabriella Schrippa

PRAY FOR AND ENCOURAGE VOCATIONS: "The Lord God has opened my ear, and I was not rebellious." Docility in prayer is essential to vocation discernment. Are you open to a vocation to the priesthood, diaconate or the consecrated life, speak with Fr. Richard or the Vocation Office: (718) 827-2454.

◆ **ALTAR GIFTS** ◆

The Altar Bread & Wine at St. Virgilius is given in memory of Joseph Curran by The Nocerino Family.

Sunday Liturgy

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Luke 19.28-40; Isaiah 50.4-7; Philippians 2.6-11

Luke 22.14-23.56

Focusing the Gospel ~

To the point:

Before the pain and horror of Good Friday, Jesus gives his disciples the key to understand what will happen to him when he celebrates the Passover with them for one last time. Though it will take on the guise of a terrible act of violence, the crucifixion will be a gift of Jesus in his totality for the salvation of the world. It is the physical enacting of Jesus' words over the bread and wine, "This is my body, [this is my blood,] which will be given for you." As we read the passion today let us remember the mystery we are celebrating. Jesus died, but that is not the end of the story. The sorrow of Palm Sunday leads to the overflowing joy of Easter.

Connecting the Gospel ~

To the first reading:

Isaiah also speaks of gift: "The Lord God has given me / a well-trained tongue." And Isaiah uses this well-trained tongue to preach a word to the weary. The words of Isaiah continue to chasten and comfort us when world-weariness infects our souls. Isaiah also gives his "back to those who beat [him], / [his] cheeks to those who plucked [his] beard." Just as Jesus freely gives his body and blood in the crucifixion, Isaiah's gift of his back and cheeks to his tormentors free him from their tyranny.

To experience:

We often feel that we have no control in our lives. When tragedy strikes in the form of illness, the death of a loved one, or being wronged, we can become bitter and fearful. But what would happen if we followed the example of Isaiah and Jesus? Can we make a gift of what is being demanded of us?

"... the whole multitude of his disciples began to praise God aloud with joy . . ."

Luke 22.14-23.56

At the name
of
Jesus
every knee
should bend

CHURCH DECORATIONS: Volunteers are needed to help prepare (decorate) BOTH Churches for Easter Sunday. Both Churches will be decorated on HOLY SATURDAY (April 20th) beginning at 9:30 am. Please volunteer to help at either Church.

THIS WEEK AT SCSV

SUNDAY ~ Palm Sunday ~ Holy Week Begins

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Collection

American Legion Brunch

Flower Collection @ SC after 8:30 & 11:30 Masses

Communion Service @ Beacon Nursing Home

MONDAY Reconciliation Monday

SCCA After-School Program

CONFESSIONS @ SC 3-6 pm & 7-8:30 pm

COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICE @ SV 7 pm

Rockaway Special Athletes in Springman

Graybeard's BB in Springman

TUESDAY

SCCA After-School Program

A.A. Mtg. in SCCA Auditorium (7 pm)

Choir Practice @ SV 7 pm

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study @SC Church 10 am

SCCA - half day

CCD Levels 1-7 ~ 3:30 - 5 pm

Bereavement Group @ SC Convent 7 pm

THURSDAY ~ Holy Thursday (No 8 am or 9 am Masses)

Academy closed until April 29th

Morning Prayer @ 9 am SC

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:30 pm @ SC

Church will remain open until 10 pm

A.A. Mtg. in Springmann (7 pm)

FRIDAY ~ Good Friday (No 9 am Mass)

Day of Fast & Abstinence

SCCA, Parish Office/Rectorry & Springmann Closed

Morning Prayer @ 9 am SC

Noon Celebration of the Lord's Passion @ SV

3 pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion @ SC

Stations of the Cross @ SV 7 pm

Stations of the Cross @ SC 7 pm

SATURDAY ~ Holy Saturday (No Mass: 12 pm, 4 pm or 5:30 pm)

9 am Morning Prayer & Blessing of Food @ SC

9:30 am Church decorating in SC & SV Churches

Parish Office & Springman Closed

11 am - 12 pm Confessions @ SC

Noon Blessing of Easter Food @ SC

8 pm Easter Vigil @ SC

SUNDAY ~ Easter Sunday

SC Masses ~ 8:30 am & 11:30 am

SV Masses ~ 10 am & 12 noon

BRUNCH at the American Legion is Sunday, April 14th, 10 am - 1 pm. All are welcome.

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~ Stewardship Thought ~

*That we have the courage to defend our  
Catholic faith when the opportunity arises.*  
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ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON COLLECTION: The St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Fund Collection at Mass this weekend supports ALL the Catholic Schools and Parish Religious Education Programs of our Diocese. St. Camillus-St. Virgilius parish is taxed \$7,500 a year for this fund; and this Collection pays that assessment.

PURGATORIAL SOCIETY: In your kindness, please remember in your prayers those who were enrolled in the Purgatorial Society during the month of March:

Ashleen Mulligan	Dwane Berkholder
Alice Donlon	Elizabeth Keller
Ronald McAvoy	Maureen Furlong
Mae Duffy	Miguel A. Gonzalez
Vera Powers	Peggy Dannevig
Mary Jo McCabe Fernandes	

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord
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#### DEVOTIONS

 **ROSARY & LITANY OF THE BLESSED MOTHER** ~ Monday to Friday - The Angelus will be recited before Mass and the Rosary will be recited after Mass at St. Camillus Church.

**MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA** ~ Every Monday after the morning Masses at St. Virgilius and at St. Camillus.

**ST. ANTHONY NOVENA** ~ Every Tuesday after the 8 am Mass at St. Virgilius.

**BIBLE REFLECTION GROUP** ~ Wednesday mornings at 10 am at St. Camillus.

**RECONCILIATION MONDAY:** Priests will be available in all parishes throughout the three dioceses on Monday, April 15<sup>th</sup> to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation. In St. Camillus Church, the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available from 3 pm to 6 pm and 7 pm to 8:30 pm. In St. Virgilius Church, there will be a communal Penance Service at 7 pm.



#### MASS OF HOPE & HEALING FOR SURVIVORS OF SEXUAL ABUSE:

Survivors of sexual abuse by members of the clergy have partnered with the Diocese of Brooklyn to sponsor a Mass of Hope and Healing on Tuesday, April 30<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. at St. Athanasius Church, 2154 61 Street in Brooklyn. The Most Reverend Nicholas DiMarzio, Bishop of Brooklyn, will be the main celebrant and Very Rev. Jeffry Dillon will be the homilist. "There has been much darkness in the past regarding this issue, but it must come out into the light," said Bishop DiMarzio. "We must own up to past mistakes and seek to heal those who have been abused, and I must take this opportunity to publicly thank those who have come forward to help us shed light into the darkness of this most serious issue. These survivors have shown us that there is hope for healing and have helped us to identify the pastoral resources which our Diocese makes available to assist them on their journey."

#### HOLY WEEK COLLECTIONS

**HOLY THURSDAY** Collection ~ for the poor.

**GOOD FRIDAY** Collection ~ for the Holy Land.

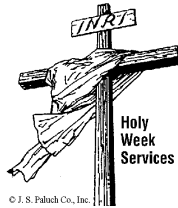
**EASTER SUNDAY** ~ Easter Gift to the Parish is the regular collection, **COLLECTION FOR RETIRED PRIESTS** is the second collection.

**REMINDER:** Please return your **MITE BOXES**

**WAY OF THE CROSS OVER THE BROOKLYN BRIDGE** will be held on Good Friday April, 19<sup>th</sup> starting at 10 am at St. James Cathedral, Brooklyn and ending at St. Peter's Church, NYC at 1:30 pm. For more info call 212-337-3580 or visit [www.wocbrooklynbridge.org](http://www.wocbrooklynbridge.org).



**EASTER FLOWER COLLECTION:** At St. Camillus Church this weekend, members of the Altar-Rosary Society will be collecting at the doors of the Church for Easter Plants. Many have already returned your offering. The list will be published on Easter. If you have not already made a donation and would like to donate, the Rosarians will be at the doors of St. Camillus Church.



**RECONCILIATION MONDAY ~ April 15<sup>th</sup>**

St. Camillus: A priest will be available for confessions from 3 pm to 6 pm and 7 pm to 8:30 pm.

St. Virgilius: There will be a Communal Penance Service at 7 pm.

**HOLY THURSDAY ~ April 18<sup>th</sup> (No morning Mass)**

St. Camillus: Morning Prayer @ 9 am

St. Camillus: Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7:30 pm. The Church will remain open until 10 pm for private prayer.

**GOOD FRIDAY ~ April 19<sup>th</sup> (No morning Mass)**

St. Camillus: Morning Prayer @ 9 am

St. Virgilius: Celebration of the Lord's Passion at 12 noon and Stations of the Cross at 7 pm.

St. Camillus: Celebration of the Lord's Passion at 3 pm and Stations of the Cross at 7 pm.

**HOLY SATURDAY ~ April 20<sup>th</sup>**

(No morning or afternoon Masses)

St. Camillus: Morning Prayer @ 9 am and Confessions - 11 am -12 noon

**Blessing of Easter Food:** after morning prayer at 9 am & again at 12 noon at St. Camillus Church

**EASTER VIGIL ~ April 20<sup>th</sup>**

St. Camillus Church at 8 pm

**EASTER SUNDAY ~ April 21<sup>st</sup>**

St. Camillus 8:30 am & 11:30 am

St. Virgilius 10 am & 12 Noon



**Tell a friend - Invite a neighbor to Mass**

**BUILDINGS UPDATE**

ST. VIRGILIUS CENTER: The request for bids for the new building has gone out to the five companies who were pre-approved by FEMA. The contract should be awarded by Memorial Day. If all the permits are received from the City of New York, demolition and construction will begin this year and the building will be completed by the end of 2020. Plans will be made for Masses during construction.

ST. CAMILLUS CHURCH: The new siding for the Church has been received and work has begun. The restoration of the windows continues. The parapet at the rear of the Church will be demolished and the flat roofs will be replaced. The total cost of the work on St. Camillus Church is \$500,000.00. Half of the cost will come from the parish share of the Generations of Faith Campaign. We need to come up with the rest.

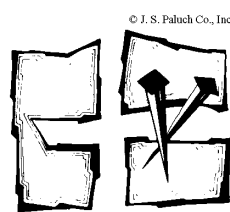
**NURSES WANTED:** The Sisters of St. Joseph, Brentwood are seeking Full Time Nurses - RNs & LPNs for Sisters of St. Joseph Convents in Brentwood, Hempstead and Rockaway. Immediate opening for Evening Shift (2 - 10 pm) at Stella Maris Convent. For more information, please apply to: [resume@csjbrentwood.org](mailto:resume@csjbrentwood.org) or contact Nancy Finley, Human Resources at 631-273-1187 x 127.

**GOOD FRIDAY BLOOD DRIVE:** Blessed Trinity Parish in Breezy Point will hold a Blood Drive on Good Friday (April 19) from 2:30 pm to 8:30 pm in Msgr. Connelly Hall at St. Thomas More. Donors are needed. Please consider donating a pint!



**ANNUAL IRISH FESTIVAL SPONSORED BY THE AOH DIVISION 21** is Saturday, June 1<sup>st</sup> & Sunday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> ~ 11 am to 8 pm in St. Camillus Church Parking Lot. Live Music ~ Irish Vendors ~ Food & Beer ~ Dancing ~ Pipe Bands ~ Raffles & Entertainment. Make plans to attend BOTH DAYS! For more info, check out [www.IrishFest21.com](http://www.IrishFest21.com).

**LENTEN REGULATIONS FOR FAST & ABSTINENCE FOR GOOD FRIDAY**



Father, into your hands, I commend my spirit

Good Friday is a DAY OF FAST & ABSTINENCE - limit one FULL meal for Catholics between the ages of 18 & 59 inclusive and no meat for Catholics over the age of 14.

FOR THE RIDE HOME: Gospel Reflection. ~

◇ Sometimes encouragement comes from people we least expect. We are not left alone. Have you had this experience?



**EMPIRE GIRLS STATE PROGRAM** is a hands-on week-long educational workshop, (June 30- July 5) focusing on Americanism and the political process, sponsored by the New

**EAST COAST PRO WRESTLING:** ECPW returns to St. Camillus Springman Hall on Saturday, April 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm. Tickets are \$15 in advance and can be purchased from Jimmy Smallman (917-929-7326) or at SC Rectory. Tickets will be \$20 at the door. For more info, call 973-402-9599 or visit the website at [www.ECPW1.com](http://www.ECPW1.com)

**CHRIST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH BY THE SEA** \$10,000 Give Away ~ 18 chances to win ~ \$100 a chance. Drawing will take place on Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup>. For tickets & info call Donny, 347-703-3600 or Joyce 917-854-2202.

**BUGALOU CONCERT:** The next Bugalou concert is Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup> in SFDS Gym featuring Felix Cavaliere's Rascals and opening act, Squid. Tickets are \$65 and are available at [www.bugaloumusic.com](http://www.bugaloumusic.com). For information email [bugaloumusic@gmail.com](mailto:bugaloumusic@gmail.com).

**10<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CHILI & MAC & CHEESE COOK-OFF:** The 100<sup>th</sup> Pct. Community Council will hold their annual Chili Cook-Off on Friday, April 26<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm in the K of C Hall, B. 90<sup>th</sup> St. Tickets are \$20 (Children under 12 are Free) Trophies for the Winners. Raffles & 50/50. The proceeds from the Cook-Off support the 100<sup>th</sup> Pct. Community Council. For info or tickets, call Joe at 718-634-4970 or Cathy at 917-284-0410.

**HIGH SCHOOL TUITION ASSISTANCE:** The Long Island Chapter Knights of Columbus offers tuition assistance to students who are attending a Catholic High School. Winners are determined by a raffle. Please speak with a Knight for an application.

**Respect Life** ~ Let us pray that as Christ saved us when we were helpless, we too may save the helpless among us, including the poor, the unwelcome, and the unborn.

York State American Legion Auxiliary. This program, which has been accredited by the National College Credit Recommendation Service (National CCRS) is a non-partisan attempt to teach high school junior girls about government, politics, and Americanism.

Who is eligible? Candidates must be Juniors in high school, intending to return to school for the Senior year. Students from public, private, parochial, and home-schooling programs throughout New York State are eligible. If interested, please contact Dolores Traegler @ 718 634-0390 or [dtraeg@gmail.com](mailto:dtraeg@gmail.com).

**FREE WORKSHOPS** for Rockaway Residents 50+ years of age. Funded by the Office of NYC Council Member Eric Ulrich. Call Susan Lavin 718 368 5079 to RSVP for any of the programs. Smart Shopper Supermarket Walk ~ Thursday, April 25<sup>th</sup> - Join us to walk the food aisle and learn how the food labels read at Stop & Shop, 112 -15 Beach Channel Drive Time: TBD.

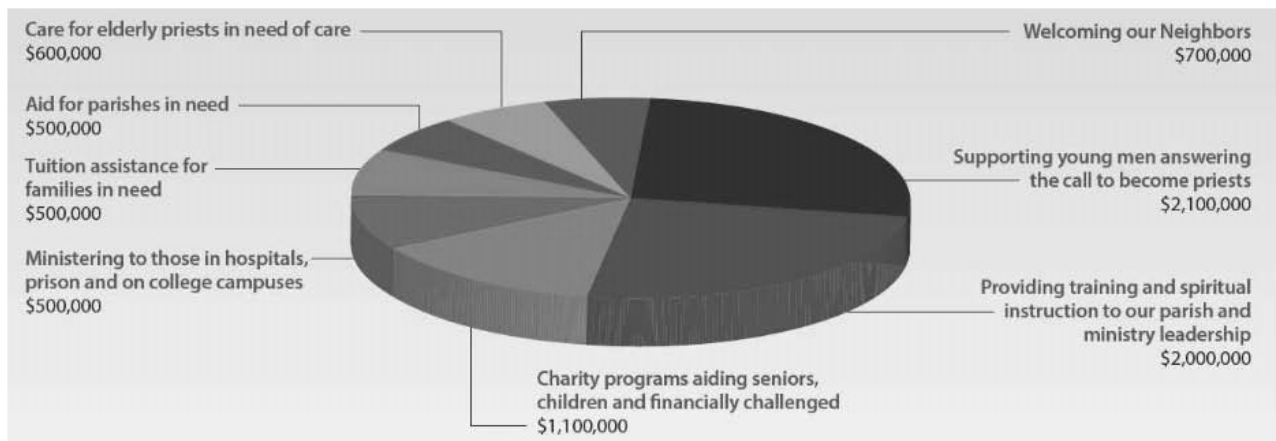
Live Well Age Well Do Well Program ~ 10 week program based on the National; Aging Mastery Program designed to offer 50+ years of age or older, the skills and tools needed to achieve measurable improvements in managing health, remaining economically secure, and contributing actively in society. Topics included Navigating a Longer Lives, Exercise and you, Sleep , healthy Eating and hydration, Financial Fitness, Medication Management, Advance Planning, Healthy Relationships, Fall Prevention and Community Engagement. Thursdays April 25-June 27 Time: 2:15 - 3:45 pm at Seaside Library.

**RALLY:** A rally against the homeless shelter, with guest speakers, will be held on Tuesday, April 16<sup>th</sup> , 8 pm at the Regular Democratic Club, 104-04 Rockaway Beach Blvd. For more info call Dr. Geraldine Chapey 718-474-5993.

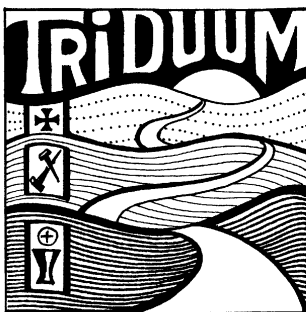
**ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL 2019:** As of April 3<sup>rd</sup> the parish of St. Camillus-St. Virgilius has reached 58 % of our assigned goal. Thank you to the 123 families and individuals who have already made a pledge. (\$25,893.00) THANK YOU. If you have not made a pledge, please prayerfully consider doing so now. As a catholic community of faith, we are called to assist not only those who live within our own community or not only those whom we personally know. Because we are Catholic, the Gospel of Jesus challenges us ALL to love our neighbor. And who is our neighbor? As we read in the parable of the GOOD SAMARITAN, we are called to be neighbor to those in need. The annual catholic appeal is a means to respond to the needs of people — families, elderly, children, sick and others — whom we may not personally know; but who come to the services and programs offered by the Catholic Church. We need more pledges so that we can reach our goal. Please help.



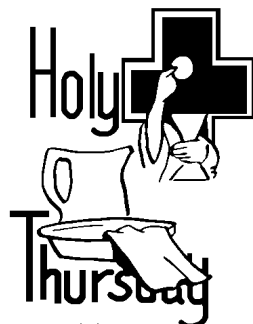
***The 2019 Annual Catholic Appeal helps support the daily work of our Church throughout Brooklyn and Queens in ways no one parish can accomplish alone by supporting the following ministries:***



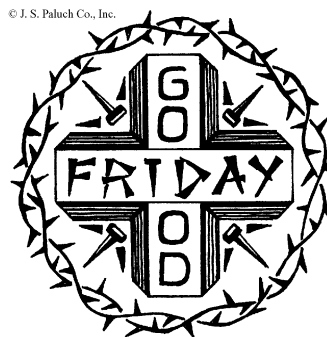
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