

# *Saint Benedict's Roman Catholic Church*

## *2969 Otis Avenue, Bronx, New York 10465*

The Home Parish of Terence Cardinal Cooke ~ (March 1, 1921 - October 6, 1983)  
Cardinal Archbishop of New York—Motto: *Fiat Voluntas Tua*, meaning, "Thy Will Be Done"

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**RECTORY HOURS 2019: (effective 09/03/19)**

**Monday - Friday:**

9:00am until 12:00pm

1:00pm until **5:00pm**

**Saturday:** 9:00am until **4:00pm**

**Sunday:** Closed

**SCHOOL:**

1016 Edison Avenue, Bronx, NY 10465

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Website:

<http://www.stbenedictschoolbx.org>

**CLERGY:**

Reverend Stephen P. Norton  
*Pastor*

Reverend Daniel P. Tuite  
*Parochial Vicar*

Deacon A. Michael Salvatorelli

Deacon John Scott

**PASTORAL STAFF:**

Mr. Ray Vitiello, *School Principal*

Ms. Joann LaDisa, *Religious Education Office - School*

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Mrs. Anne Myers, *Director of Music*

### **SERVING YOUR SACRAMENTAL NEEDS:**

**The Sacrament of Baptism:** Please call the Rectory for a date soon after the birth of your child.

**The Sacrament of Marriage:** Please call the Rectory at least six (6) months prior to date of Marriage.

**The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick:** Please inform the priests if you have a family member in the hospital.

**The Sacrament of Holy Orders:** If you feel called to serve the church as a priest, deacon or in consecrated life, please call the rectory to speak to one of the priests or deacons for guidance.

**Interested in possibly becoming Catholic?** Please contact the rectory to arrange a meeting to discuss your questions. We have classes to help people learn about our faith and decide if becoming Catholic is best for you. This whole process of inquiry and potential conversion is called RCIA-The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.

**We will respect your personal journey with God!**

*We Will Never Forget!*  
*September 11, 2001*



**IN HONOR  
AND REMEMBRANCE**

### **MASSES:**

**Weekdays:** 6:45am and 8:30am

**Saturdays:** 8:30am and 4:00pm

**Sundays:** Vigil: 4:00pm (Saturday evening),

**Sundays:** 7:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am, 7:00pm

**Holy Days of Obligation:**

Vigil 7:00pm (Night before)

6:45am, 8:30am and 12:00 Noon

**THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: (CONFESSION)**

**Saturdays:** 9:00am until 9:30am and

3:00pm until 4:00pm

**Any time by appointment**

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:**

Tuesdays and Fridays

(See page 4)

**MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA:**

Monday after the 8:30am  
Mass - Church

*Sunday, September 8, 2019*  
*Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Fill us at daybreak with your kindness,  
that we may shout for joy and gladness  
all our days.

— Psalm 90:14

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**MASSES FOR THE WEEK:**

**SUNDAY, September 8th - *Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time; Grandparents Day***

7:00 Louis S. Dinino  
8:00 In Thanksgiving to Padre Pio and St. Jude  
9:30 Anna & Dominick Vigliotti  
11:00 Edward Joseph Barry  
7:00 St. Benedict's Parish

**MONDAY, September 9th - *St. Peter Claver***

6:45 Nicholas, Jayne & Mary Jane English  
8:30 Gabriel Ortiz

**TUESDAY, September 10th**

6:45 Joseph Buzzeo  
8:30 Christina Pue

**WEDNESDAY, September 11th - *Patriot Day***

6:45 Those Who Perished in the Twin Towers on September 11, 2001  
8:30 Those Who Perished in the Twin Towers on September 11, 2001

**THURSDAY, September 12th - *The Most Holy Name of Mary***

6:45 Andrew Taylor Marshall  
8:30 Anthony Glowacki

**FRIDAY, September 13th - *St. John Chrysostom***

6:45 Deceased Members of the McGuire and Webster Families  
8:30 Lillian & Samuel Welsh

**SATURDAY, September 14th - *The Exaltation of the Holy Cross***

8:30 Anthony Christiano  
4:00 Lucy & Arthur Carapola

**SUNDAY, September 15th - *Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time***

7:00 Louis S. Dinino  
8:00 Nina Lafergola  
9:30 Dominick A. Porzillo, Jr.  
11:00 St. Benedict's Parish  
7:00 Anna, Arline & Armando Terrero



**III. Rosetta Violetti & Carl Triano**  
**I. Addolorato Ciccone & Francesco Peluso**

**THIS WEEK'S ALTAR BREAD, WINE AND ALTAR CANDLES HAVE BEEN DONATED BY:**

***The McKillop Family***  
**IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**  
***John D. McKillop, Jr.***

**Please Remember to Pray for the Sick!**  
**May they find healing and comfort in Jesus Christ!**

Zobeida Almodovar	Ann Marro
Anthony Battista	Jenny Mauro
Judy Berardinone	Kevin McCarthy
Kathleen Bowers	Chris McPadden
Apollonia & Wendelin	Denise McPadden
Brenner	Sue McVey
Amy Buscamonte	Rosa Munoz
Inez Cantamessa	Maylee Roman Overman
Lillian Corrado	Rob Passanisi
Tom Curran	Kim Rappold
Mike & Louis D'Annuncci	Antonette Roublick
Sean Fagan	Margaret Geddis Schmidt
John Fernandez	Kathy Selvaggio
Marion Gruber	Nina Serpati
Eileen Jennings	Pasquale Tartaglione
Mary Johnson	Alex Trebek
Frankie Lettera	Jean Varela
Louis	Thomas Vecchio
Elizabeth Mandile	Leeann Williams
Elaine Marin	Paul Yeancades
Kenneth Marin	Patricia Zayas
	Robert Ziehl

**Babies/Children** - Baby Amari, Danielle Grace Comblo, Charlii Mary Carozza, Sebastian DeLuca, Caleb DeJesus, Marco Garcia, Joseph Gentile, Blake Salvatore Haddock, Baby Olivia lafelice, Baby Noelle Jablonka, Infant Savannah Longo, Sophia Lopez, Infant Lucas Ortiz, Tiffany Toro, Azalea Vargas, Rayne Weiner

**+ Please Pray for the Recently Deceased Members of our Parish and their Grieving Families +**

**John L. Carozza, Soledad Elaluf, Frank Iacono, Sr. Blanche LaPorte, Howard A. Lent**

***Please Pray For All Those Who Have No One To Pray For Them!***



**THIS WEEK'S SANCTUARY LAMP HAS BEEN DONATED BY:**

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***From the Pastor:***

My Dear Parish Family:

Wednesday we remember the eighteenth anniversary of that terrible day in our Nation's history, *September 11, 2001*. We continue to pray for all those who were lost on that day and we pray for the families and friends of those who lost a loved one on 9/11. We also pray for those who are still affected by that day - those who are sick, those who continue to struggle mentally, physically, emotionally and spiritually. Our prayers are with all of you and, as we remember the 9/11 attacks on our country, we also thank God for our first responders and all who serve us each day as police, firefighters, ambulance personnel, as well as our servicemen and women.

Thank you and please be assured, we at St. Benedict's Parish ...

**WILL NEVER FORGET!**

St. Benedict, pray for us. Servant of God, Cardinal Cooke, pray for us.

*Fr. Stephen P. Norton*

***The Never Forget Foundation***

invites you to "**The 911 Memorial Mass**" at St. Frances de Chantal Church on **Sunday, Sept. 15th** at 10:00am. Followed by a Wreath Laying Ceremony at 11:30am. **Redwood Club, 2680 Schurz Avenue**



**St. Benedict's Women's Cornerstone Retreat is the Weekend of October 4th and 5th 2019**

Cornerstone retreats are made possible due to the generosity of past and present participants. All meals (including dinner on Friday night) will be provided. Applications with more details are now available in the back of Church and in the rectory. **The retreat will begin with check-in and dinner on Friday at 6:00pm and will conclude at approximately 9:00pm on Saturday. You MUST have a CONFIRMATION LETTER to attend – no walk-ins. For more information, please call Theresa Barry at 917-633-6913 or email: sbcornerstoneny@gmail.com**

**Archdiocese of New York - Respect Life Office**

**Witness Formation Days** - *learn how and why we pray publicly outside abortion facilities* to prepare you for the **40 Days for Life Campaign** this Fall!!! (**Sept. 25th - Nov. 3, 2019.**) Want to be part of saving lives? All it takes is your prayers and presence. 40 Days for Life is a peaceful initiative consisting of 40 days of prayer and fasting, peaceful vigil at abortion facilities, and educational outreach with the goal of protecting mothers and their children from abortion. Over 16,000 children have been saved from abortion during 40 Days for Life campaigns. To learn more, please visit: [www.40daysforlife.com](http://www.40daysforlife.com)

**A NIGHT OF WORSHIP AND PRAISE  
For the Young and Young of Heart ...**

**Providence Rest, 3304 Waterbury Avenue**

The evening will be led by Stephen Eguino and Liturgy celebrated by Fr. Stephen Norton on:

**Monday, Sept. 16th from 8:00pm-10:00pm**

**Spiritual Readings for the Week of Sept. 8th:**

**Monday:** Col 1:24 — 2:3; Ps 62:6-7, 9; Lk 6:6-11  
**Tuesday:** Col 2:6-15; Ps 145:1b-2, 8-11; Lk 6:12-19  
**Wednesday:** Col 3:1-11; Ps 145:2-3, 10-13ab; Lk 6:20-26  
**Thursday:** Col 3:12-17; Ps 150:1b-6; Lk 6:27-38  
**Friday:** 1Tm1:1-2,12-14;Ps16:1b-2a,5,7-8,11;Lk6:39-42  
**Saturday:** Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-38; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17  
**Sunday:** Ex 32:7-11, 13-14; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19; 1 Tm 1:12-17; Lk 15:1-32 [1-10]

**Prayer of Consolation**

**God Bless Every**

Spouse, Mother, Father,  
Family Member, Friend, Co-Worker

**That have Lost a Loved One  
September 11, 2001.**

I lift every person that has been  
affected by the tragedy of  
September 11, 2001, To You LORD.  
I ask that you bless and keep them in this hour.  
In their loneliness, comfort them and  
Be with them always.  
Amen! Amen! Amen!



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### WEEKLY OFFERINGS

**SUNDAY, September 1, 2019**      **\$7,417.53**

**50/50 WINNER:**

**Mr. & Mrs. Chris Shelton**      **\$116.00**

*Thank you to everyone for your generosity and for all that you do for St. Benedict's Parish throughout the year. God Bless you!*

### **Preston Center of Compassion, located at Preston High School, is offering a variety of student programs.**

1. Tutoring/Homework Help Program is available Mondays through Fridays for students in grades K-8. Each session runs from 3:00 - 6:00 pm daily. Transportation provided from local schools.
2. A 5 day a week Afterschool Recreation Low-Cost Program available for \$4/hr./\$12/day/\$60/week.
3. CPCC sponsors a FREE English as a Second Language Program.

These programs will run from Sept. through June. For more information, or to register, please call Sr. Patricia Warner RDC, Director of Preston Center of Compassion at 718-892-8977 for an application +/- or more information. PCC also has Volunteer positions available for receptionist and bus matron each day from 2-4pm and/or 3-6pm. Please call to inquire.

### **"LET US DO GOOD" Fundraiser**

**The Redwood Club, 2680 Schurz Ave., Throggs Neck Sat., Sept. 14th from 3:00 - 7:00pm**

The Genovese Family will be hosting their 2nd Annual BBQ Fundraiser in Honor of the Memory of their son and brother Matthew Genovese at the Redwood Club. All proceeds will go to a memorial fund in Matt's name to support the work of the Stephen Siller Tunnel to Towers (T2T) Foundation. If you are unable to attend the fundraiser, you can show your support by making a donation online at the Charity Fundraiser Link below or email:

**MattGT2T@gmail.com** on how you can make a cash or check donation. The Link is:

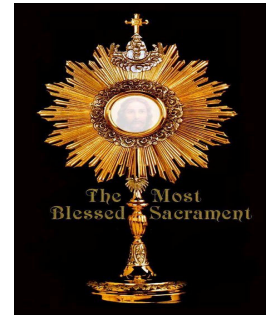
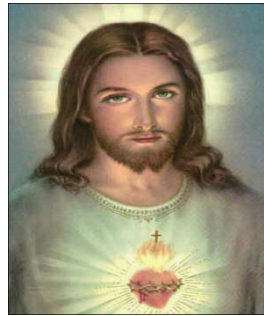
**<https://www.crowdrise.com/o/en/campaign/matts-grand-old-pacers1>**

### **Bible Study**

**Please join the St. Benedict's Bible Discussion Group. We will be studying the Psalms beginning Tuesday, Sept. 10th** in the convent upstairs (1082 Otis Avenue.) Food and fellowship at 7:00pm, discussion starting at 7:30pm promptly and ending at 9:00pm.

**Adult Sacrament Preparation - RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) - Classes will start Sunday, Sept. 29th** at St. Benedict's Church at the 11:00am Mass and then over to the Convent at 12:00 Noon. The sacraments will be received at the *Easter Vigil April 11, 2020*. If interested, please call the rectory at 718-828-3403, ext. 101.

## **Eucharistic Adoration**



### **ADORATION CHAPEL DAYS AND HOURS**

- **Tuesdays from 9am until 7pm**
- **Fridays from 9am until 7pm**
- **Fridays we pray the Rosary at 12:00 Noon**

**The Chapel hours will be as stated above on Tuesdays and Fridays. We pray the Rosary EVERY FRIDAY at 12:00 Noon** in the adoration chapel.

Please stop by the chapel and spend some quiet time with our Eucharistic Jesus. Please tell a friend, neighbor, and/or relative.

**Thank you and God Bless you!**

### **Prayer List For Our U.S. Servicemen and Women**

#### **U.S. Air Force:**

1<sup>st</sup> Class Airman Eric Bosco, Lt. Col. Thomas D. Crimmins, Ismael Guiles, Major Roger Illari, Stephanie Mendez, Air Force Airman, Msgt. Daniel Rivera, Lieutenant Colonel Alicia Stumpf, Major Sean Stumpf.

#### **U.S. Army/U.S. National Guard:**

Pvt. Michael Careswell, Fr. (Chaplain) James Collins, Dooley, Sgt. Scott Douglas, Jason Engeldrum, Sgt. Pedro Flores, Pvt. Anthony Grieco, Jr., 2nd Lt. Christopher Hackett, Johnny Jiminez, 82<sup>nd</sup> Airborne, Corporal Jenna Kuhl, Sergeant First Class Javier Mendoza, PV2 James McCarthy, Captain Peter Anthony Orlando, Pvt. Anthony Ottaviano, Captain Fr. Peter Pompisello, Major Lori Robinson, Thomas Robinson, Jr., Pvt. Justin Roman, Ryan Shank, Timothy S. Valentine, S.J., Capt. Javi SanJuan, 1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Renee SanJuan, Col. Raymond Van Pelt, Franky Perez, PV2 Manual Ramirez, Sgt. Andrew Santander, Staff Sgt. Matthew Wickes, SPC Albert Zapata, Staff Sgt. William Ziegler.

#### **U.S. Coast Guard:**

Jayke Hooks, Seaman Apprentice, Thomas J. Hooks, Brandon A. Moreno, Seaman Apprentice, PO3 Eberlee Santander.

#### **U.S. Marine Corps:**

Master Sgt. Mark S. Lynch, Corporal Kevin S. Major, LCpl Erik M. Mango, Major Frank Parisi-Reserves, Sgt. Benjamin Rodriguez, Staff Sgt. Randy Vaccaro-Reserves, Pvt. 1<sup>st</sup> Class, Jason R. Wager-Reserves.

#### **U.S. Navy:**

Diplomat John Brunetti, Petty Officer Gillen, Lt. Jennifer Groger, ABH3 Christopher Hough, Naval Airman E-3, Sea Bee Sammy Pizzano, Petty Officer William F. Ramos, Ralph Romero Sanchez, Richard Torrens, Lt. Victor Schaeffer, Pvt. Nicholas Zayas


**BLOOD DRIVE TODAY**  
**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th**  
**From 8:30am until 2:30pm in Fr. Albert Hall**  
**Please Donate! Help Save Lives!**  
**We Need Your Help!**

**ST. BENEDICT'S SCHOOL** - St. Benedict's School offers FULL & HALF DAY Pre-K 3 and 4 Year Old Programs and FULL DAY Kindergarten through Grade 8. If you are interested in having your child(ren) attend St. Benedict's School for the **2019-2020** school year, please visit our website at: [www.stbenedictschoolbx.org](http://www.stbenedictschoolbx.org) for important registration/application information. Please feel free to contact St. Benedict's School (718-829-9557) for a tour. A limited amount of scholarships are available for those eligible.

**Northeast Bronx Senior Citizen Center (NEBXSCC)**  
 Flea Market **Tues., Sept. 10th** from 9am until 12:00 Noon. Vendors by appointment 718-892-6090

**Texas Hold 'em AMVETS Post 38**  
**Fundraising Poker Tournament**  
**Sat., Sept. 14th at 5:00pm (1440 Shore Drive)** Tickets must be purchased in advance, 100 pts. / Tickets purchased at the door, 110 pts. For more information, please contact Dennis (718-419-5593) or Frank (917-468-7416)

<b>REMINDERS:</b>		
<b>Sun., 09/08</b>	<b>8:30am until 2:30pm</b>	<b>BLOOD DRIVE in Fr. Albert Hall</b>
Sun., 09/08	11:00 Mass	Baptisms
Tues., 09/10	9am-7pm	Adoration Chapel
Thurs., 09/12	7:30pm	Men's Cornerstone meeting, convent, downstairs, large room
Fri., 09/13	9am-7pm	Adoration Chapel
Fri., 09/13	<b>12:00 Noon</b>	Rosary - Chapel
Fri., 09/13	6:30pm	Mass of the Precious Blood for the Healing of Your Family Tree In Honor of Our Lady of Sorrow (See page 5 for details)
Sun., 09/15	11:00 Mass	Baptisms
Mon., 09/16	7:00pm	Baptism Instructions Convent
Tues., 09/17	9am-7pm	Adoration Chapel
Thurs., 09/19	7:00pm	Women's Cornerstone meeting, convent, upstairs, large room
<b>Fri., Oct. 4th/</b>	<b>Women's Cornerstone</b>	
<b>Sat., Oct. 5th</b>	<b>Retreat (See page 3 for details)</b>	
<b>Fri., Oct. 25th/</b>	<b>Men's Cornerstone Retreat</b>	
<b>Sat., Oct. 26th</b>	<b>(Details in another bulletin)</b>	



**St. Benedict RE (CCD) Program**  
**Re-registration/Registration for 2019-2020**  
**is now Open for Grades 1 - 8 and high school**

If anyone would like to re-register/register your child(ren) for the **2019-2020** RE (CCD) Program, please note the following tuition rates:

1 child	\$125.00
2 children:	\$175.00
3 children:	\$225.00

You can contact Ms. Joann LaDisa at her office (at St. Benedict's School) at **718-829-1200**. Ms. LaDisa will be in her office **starting Sun., Sept. 8th** as follows: **Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Sundays from 8:30am until 1:30pm, and Thursdays from 8:30am/9:00am until 12:30pm/1:00pm**. Therefore, if you would like to make an appointment, please call her at the above telephone number or you can email her at: [StBenedictREdu@gmail.com](mailto:StBenedictREdu@gmail.com)

We are in need of a catholic person (18 years of age or older) to help teach CCD (Grade 3 on Sundays and Grades 3 and 6 on Wednesdays.) If you can volunteer, please call Ms. LaDisa at the above tel. #. or email her. Thank you!

**Classes begin on Sunday, September 8, 2019 and Wednesday, September 11, 2019, respectively!**

**Italian Classes**

Ever wonder what your mother and grandmother were talking about when they spoke Italian at home? Loretta Zaino is offering Italian classes here for adults on **Tuesdays beginning Sept. 24th and Thursdays beginning Sept. 26th from 7:30pm-8:30pm in the Convent downstairs for 10 weeks. You can pick either Tuesday or Thursday.**

All adults who wish to broaden their horizons by learning a language in a fun-setting are welcome. For more information/registration, please call the rectory at 718-828-3403, x101.

**Mass of the Precious Blood for the Healing of Your Family Tree - In Honor of Our Lady of Sorrow**  
**Jeanne Jugan Residence, 2999 Schurz Avenue (Little Sisters of the Poor) Bronx / 347-329-1800**  
**Friday, Sept. 13th.** We will begin the Rosary at 6:30pm, following with the Mass.  
 Main Celebrant: Rev. Richard Bretone

**17th Annual St. Padre Pio Festival, Vineland, NJ**  
**Sunday, September 22nd**

The bus leaves from St. Benedict's Church (Bruckner Boulevard side) at **7:00am SHARP**. Tickets are \$50.00 each (*food not included*.) If interested in attending this trip, please call Maria at 917-593-7491.

**ORGANIZATIONS:**

**AA** Friday at 8:00pm - \*FAH - 1-347-387-0079  
**Al Anon** - Friday from 7:00pm-8:00pm for Beginners and from 8:00pm-9:00pm for the regular meeting in the \*\*Convent - 1-646-281-9522  
**Bereavement Group** - Spring and Fall Sessions Saturday from 11:00am until 12:30pm - \*\*Convent 718-828-3403, ext. 101  
**Bible Study** - Tuesday 7:00pm \*\*Convent upstairs  
**CCD**—RE-CCD Classes Sunday from 10:30-12:00pm and Wednesday from 4:15-5:45pm - *Parish School*  
**Children of Light Charismatic Group** - Monday 7:30pm - *Providence Rest, Waterbury Avenue*  
**Choir (Adult)** Rehearsal Wednesday from 7:15-8:30pm and Sunday Mass at 11:00am  
**Choir (Children)** Rehearsal Wednesday from 2:45pm-4:00pm and Sunday Mass at 9:30am  
**Fife and Drum Corps** - Monday 6:00pm - *Parish School*  
**Legion of Mary** - Wednesday 7:30pm - *Convent Chapel*  
**NA** - Wednesday 7:00pm - \*\*Convent  
**Nar-Anon** - Wednesday 7:00pm to 8:15pm - \*\*Convent  
**RCIA** Sunday at 11:00am Mass and then over to the \*\*Convent at 12:00 Noon - Classes begin in September and end in May  
**Respect Life** \*\*Convent (*Please call the rectory if you are interested - 718-828-3403, x101*)  
**St. Benedict's Knights of Columbus**  
 Website: [www.kofc11590.org](http://www.kofc11590.org)  
 \*FAH-Father Albert Hall or \*\*Convent, 1082 Edison Avenue

**Reasons to be Registered in the Parish:**

- \* Helps support the Church;
- \* Proves that you are a practicing Catholic;
- \* Helps to obtain sponsor certificates, release letters, or any other documentation needed from the Church;
- \* Enables you or members of your family to become eligible for any of the sacraments (Baptism, Reconciliation, Holy Communion, Confirmation, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick);
- \* Enables you to have your children registered in our Parish School or our Religious Education Program (RE-CCD) for their religious education;
- \* Give you a sense of belonging to the Parish Family;  
 Stop by the rectory **Monday-Friday**, 9:00am-12:30pm and 1:30pm-7:00pm. and **Saturdays**, 9:00am-4:00pm. 718-828-3403, ext. 101 or go to the website: <http://www.stbenedictchurchny.org>  
**Closed on Sundays.**

**We're Always Looking For...**

**BOX TOPS - EDUCATION:** All you have to send in are the actual squares of the box tops, the bar codes of the item you purchased are not needed. You can send them to the school, attention Cristina Cherubino. Everything helps and the school appreciates your participation with this. Go to [BTFE.com](http://BTFE.com).

**For Your Information:** If anyone would like to listen to Radio Maria English...type the web address **radiomaria.us**. Then...on the bottom left where it says "24/7 Live Listening..Listen Live" ..click on "Live Stream" on the Radio 620am

**RECTORY TELEPHONE #: 1-718-828-3403**  
**TELEPHONE EXTENSIONS**

When the recording comes on, please dial the extension. The extension numbers are as follows:

Fr. Stephen Norton	109
Fr. Dan Tuite	104
Deacon Michael Salvatorelli	107
Reception Desk	
(Isabelle Welsh)	101
Carole Janicki	102
Carl Triano	117
Ms. Joann LaDisa (CCD)	1-718-829-1200
School	1-718-829-9557

**Helpful Information for Our Parish Family:**

If anyone would like to donate furniture, clothing, etc. to charity, contact any of the following organizations:

<b>Bronxworks:</b>	<b>718-731-3114</b>
<b>Catholic Charities:</b>	<b>718-292-9090</b>
<b>Greymore:</b>	<b>845-230-8337</b>
<b>POTS (Part of the Solution):</b>	<b>718-220-4892</b>
<b>Salvation Army:</b>	<b>800-728-7825</b>
<b>St. Ann's Church:</b>	<b>718-585-5632</b>
<b>St. Mary's Church:</b>	<b>718-529-6070 or 718-529-7825</b>
<b>St. Peter's Episcopal Church:</b>	<b>718-931-9270</b>
<b>Thorpe: They do <u>NOT</u> pick up.</b>	<b>718-933-7312 or 718-295-2550</b>

You have to bring your donation to Thorpe. (*drop-offs only*)

The above organizations may set a date with you to pick up your donation(s) unless otherwise specified. Thank you for caring.

**The NEXT Clothing Drive will be Fall 2019**

**Catholic Directory:**

**Familink.com - Internet Protection** - [www.familink.com](http://www.familink.com)  
 Catholic Internet provider service which filters the Internet.  
**PROTECT YOUR FAMILY:** Make your computer safe for your children and for yourself. BSAFE ONLINE internet filter will protect you from chat rooms, pornography, violence and other harmful websites. To order and install go to their website at: [www.bsafehome.com](http://www.bsafehome.com)  
**Sisters of Life-Post Abortion Help** [www.sistersoflife.org](http://www.sistersoflife.org)  
 1955 Needham Avenue, Bronx, NY 10466. Pro-Life Sisters who pray and fight for all human life, born and unborn. Retreats for women who have had an abortion, please call 1-718-881-8008 and ask for Theresa.  
**The Catholic League** - [www.catholicleague.org](http://www.catholicleague.org)  
 1011 First Avenue, NYC, NY 10022. Fighting anti-Catholic bias in the media and entertainment field. If interested, they ask for a \$15.00 donation for their newsletter.

**If you have an emergency, at any time of the day or night, please call the Rectory at 1-718-828-3403**



**STRENGTH AND GUIDANCE**  
 A prayer for strength is often needed during difficult times. Please remember that God is always here for us, to give us strength, guidance and lift our hearts when all seems hopeless.

