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My Communion Prayer

Dear God, I know that You given me many gifts, especially the gift of Your Son, Jesus Christ. At the Eucharist I am reminded that He gave up His life for me. I am called to be like Jesus, by loving and serving one another in the world. As I become more like Jesus, please continue to help me. Show me the places and ways that I can bring Your love, kindness, peace, patience and tolerance to others. Jesus, I trust in You. Amen

∞ 10:00 AM Mass Celebration

- ✦ We welcome to the Lord's Table for the 1st Time
Kamsi Chukwu, Dane Molino,
Makai & Sincere Payne, Izzey Pierre-Thomas,
James Robinson, Zaire Simpkins-Jones,
Amyah Williams
- ✦ In Thanksgiving for our Catechist
- ✦ In Memory of Isaac Polite 1st year in Heaven
Req. The Polite Family

∞ 12 Noon Mass Celebration

- ✦ We welcome to the Lord's Table for the 1st Time
Saniyah Jones-Browne,
Adrian & Devin Carter-Mark,
Deandre Caton, Armani & Amiya Guerrier,
Janai Isles-Ellis, Robin Marriott,
Chanel Mofunanya, Anya Pio
- ✦ In Thanksgiving for our Catechist

∞ 5:00 PM Mass Celebration

- ✦ We welcome to the Lord's Table for the 1st Time
Adjoua "Mary" Kouadio & Colline Ojinnaka

Morning Mass – 8:30 AM

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday - St. Benedict
Thursday & Friday - St. Bonaventure

Readings for the Week of June 3, 2018

Monday 6/4: *Joyful Mysteries*

2 Pt 1:2-7/Ps 91:1-2, 14-15b, 15c-16 /Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday 6/5: *Sorrowful Mysteries*

2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18/Ps 90:2, 3-4, 10, 14, 16 Mk 12:13-17

St. Boniface, Bishop & Martyr

Wednesday 6/6: *Glorious Mysteries*

In Memory of the Fallen

2 Tm 1:1-3. 6-12/Ps 123:1b-2ab, Mk 12:18-27

St. Norbert, Bishop

Thursday 6/7: *Luminous Mysteries*

2 Tm 2:8-15/Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10, 14 Mk 12:28-34

Friday 6/7: *Sorrowful Mysteries*

Hos 11:1-9/Is 12:2-3-6 /Eph 3:8-12, 14-19/Jn 19:31-37

The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Saturday 6/9: *Joyful Mysteries*

2 Tm 4:1-8/Ps 71:8-9, 14-17, 22 /Lk 2:41-51

The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

10th Sunday in Ordinary Time *Glorious Mysteries*

Gn 3:9-15/Ps 130:1-6, 7-8 2 Cor 4:13—5:1/Mk 3:20-35

Our trip to Sight & Sound to see...

Jesus, the Heart of the Story

Bus departs 8:30 AM

St. Bonaventure Church Hall

Bring your breakfast!

Thank you to our dedicated parent(s) & Guardians for sending their young people to Faith Formation. We thank the Catechist for their ministry to share our Catholic Faith.

Faith Formation will resume Sunday,
September 9th

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Ex 24:3-8/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18 [13]/Heb 9:11-15/Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

In our modern times, symbols can seem to have lost its value. The most recognizable "signs" are ones we see on the roads or the branding in clothing, footwear and advertisements. The logos for major companies don't do much more than perk our interest or disdain. They surely don't deliver on their promises for our lives to be happier, healthier, and productive.

On this feast of Corpus Christi, we hear the account of the Last Supper. This was Passover, an ancient sign of the covenant of Moses. The Hebrew people celebrated God's providential care for His people. To the listening disciples, Jesus makes a very bold claim. **"This is my blood of the covenant."** At the time of the first Passover — the redemption of the Hebrew people from slavery to the Egyptians — the blood of the sacrificial lamb was spread on the lintels of the doorpost. Some of the disciples would witness the blood of the new covenant spread dripping from the wood of the cross.

Christ's Body and Blood are more than a sign. They are a sacrament. In the sacrament, the sign makes real what it signifies. More than ritual, a sacrament enacts truth of the covenantal love of God and His promise of fidelity. It's a promise God keeps. The same bread and wine of that first Holy Thursday liturgy becomes — throughout the centuries and until the end of time — the very Body and Blood of Christ. On this feast, we celebrate the unfailing covenantal love of our God. As you partake in the Eucharist today, and next Sunday, and the Sunday after that, remember that you receive neither a meaningless sign nor an empty offer. You receive God Himself, as He fulfills His promise to remain with us always by the Bread of Life and the Cup of Salvation. Today as we witness the young people receive Jesus for the first time, let us remember our first experience receiving the Lord.

Our Sacrificial Giving To our Parish



Together let's meet our weekly goal of \$5,000.00

- ✦ 10:00 AM / 97 - \$1,105.00
- ✦ 12 Noon / 84 - \$ 987.00
- ✦ 5:00 PM / 30 - \$ 449.00

Boiler Fund Collected to Date: \$8,658.51
Thank you!!!!

Generation of Faith If you made a Pledge...

Please make your payments!
To date \$117,760.50 has been collected.
Use Blue Generation of Faith envelopes or see
Angela to enroll into Electronic Payment.
www.cfbq/generations/payments. Thank You!



Parish Goal \$ 26,616.00

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We praise and thank you Lord, for we know you are The source of all we are. Teach us to acknowledge you always with generous gratitude the many good things your infinite love has given 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. Amen

Please make a Pledge!
Every little bit helps!

We Need \$2,100.00 to meet our goal.
Anything over the goal comes back to the parish!!

Confirmation Candidates Thanks you for helping with the Baby Bottle Drive
Their efforts to save the lives of innocent babies and the parents who created them.
To date \$1,100.00 Donation will be given to
New Beginnings Center of Hope
Few bottles still out...Please return

Invitation is extended to High School & College young men to attend a
Project Andrew Meeting
Sunday, June 10th 4:00 PM
St. Bonaventure Church Hall.
Project Andrew is an opportunity for young men to learn more about the priesthood by joining one of our Diocesan Bishops and other priests and seminarians from the Brooklyn Diocese for an afternoon of prayer, dinner, and conversation.

Men's Ministry Pre-Father's Day Celebration of

Together
We Make a Family
Let us celebrate
our men!

Men, bring a child (ren) to this event!
Saturday, June 16th ✦ 1:00 – 5:00 PM
Live Bands, Food & Drinks, Bouncy House
FREE...FREE...FREE...FREE

St. Benedict School of Dance presents...



Sunday, June 17th • 3:00 PM

Adelphi University Olmsted Theatre
1 South Avenue, Garden City

Tickets: VIP \$40.00 / Adults \$25.00 / Students \$15.00

Info or purchase tickets call 718-291-0448

stbenedictschoolofdanceinfo@gmail.com

Monday & Thursday's ✦ 7:30 PM
Youth Basketball & Karate: 5:00 – 7:30 PM
Adult Physical Training,
Self Defense & Karate 7:30 – 9:30 PM
St. Benedict the Moor Church Hall
Mr. Sam 929-353-9373 or Mr. Rey 646-296-1171
Showcase Sunday, July 1st...details to follow



Time to Honor our Graduates

Name: _____

School graduating from: _____

Degree: _____

Next Level: _____

Next School: _____

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