

Saint Lucy's Parish

BRONX, NEW YORK



I AM THE WAY, THE TRUTH, AND THE LIFE.

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 8:00am (Italian), 9:00am (English)
5:30pm (Albanian), 7:00pm (English)

Sunday: 8:00am (Italian),
9:00am (Spanish - Auditorium)
9:15am, 10:30am, 12 noon (English),
1:15pm (Spanish)

Weekdays: 8:00am (Italian), 9:00am (English),
Thursdays: 7:00pm (Spanish)

Eucharistic Adoration: Every Saturday 9:30am - 12pm
& **First Friday of the Month** after the 7:30pm Holy Mass

CONFESSION: Saturdays 3:00- 4:00pm & 6:30pm-7:00pm

VOCATIONS

Is God calling you to the priesthood or religious life? Speak to one of our priests or call the Archdiocese Vocations Office at (914) 968-1340.

BAPTISMS/WEDDINGS

Please make arrangements with a Parish Priest at the rectory office at least six months in advance.

EMERGENCY/SICK CALLS

If you know a sick parishioner who is in the hospital, nursing home or homebound, kindly let us know. Please call the Rectory at any time, day or night.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Every family in the parish is asked to register at the parish office. If you have changed your address or family information, please inform the Parish Office.

Pastor

Rev. Nikolin Pergjini

Parochial Vicar

Rev. Louis J. Anderson

Sunday Associates

Rev. Msgr. Frederick J. Becker

Director of Music

Dr. Peter Mutarelli

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WWW.STLUCYBRONX.PARISHESONLINE.COM

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Monday thru Saturday - 9:00am to 5:00pm

Sunday - 9:00am to 4:30pm

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: 718-882-0710 x19

www.stlucysreligiouseducation.com

Mrs. Angela LeClerc, Coordinator

ST. LUCY'S SCHOOL: 718-882-2203

830 Mace Avenue Bronx, NY 10467

Mrs. Stefanini, Principal

ST. LUCY'S GIFT SHOP: 718-882-0710

Open every day, 10:00am-5:00pm,

Closed for half hour lunch 12-12:30pm

SCALA SANTA

Open 11AM - 4PM Saturday & Sunday, weather permitting

GROTTO - LOURDES OF AMERICA

Open every day, morning to evening, weather permitting

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - FEBRUARY 3, 2013

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday-February 4th: Weekday

8:00am Special Intention
9:00am Rosanne, Vita and Frank Fazio

Tuesday-February 5th: St. Agatha Virgin and Martyr

8:00am Pellump Fusha
9:00am Deda Shkrela

Wednes-February 6th: St. Paul Miki & Companions.

8:00am All Souls
9:00am File Shkrela

Thursday- February 7th: Weekday

8:00am Special Intention
9:00am Dila Rudovic
7:00pm All Souls

Friday-February 8th: Weekday St. Jerome Emiliani.

8:00am Anthony Mangano
9:00am Deda and Dila Rudovic

Saturday-February 9th: BVM

8:00am Special Intention
9:00am Lulash Kalaj and Shage Marino
5:30pm Prena Pecaj
7:00pm Anna and Guido Lusardi

Sunday-February 10th: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am Frank and Vincenzina Fata
9:00am For all Parishioners of St. Lucy's
9:15am Teresa Trapasso
10:30am Rosario Scariati
12:00pm File Gjelaj
1:15pm Anacaona Martinez

✠ *In Memoriam* ✠

*The Blue Candle burns this week in memory of
Mildred and Anthony Capano*

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — I am with you to deliver you, says the LORD (Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19).

Psalm — I will sing of your salvation (Psalm 71).

Second Reading — If I have all faith so as to move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing (1 Corinthians 12:31 — 13:13 [13:4-13]).

Gospel — No prophet is accepted in the prophet's hometown (Luke 4:21-30).

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St. Agatha, Virgin and Martyr

Honored since ancient times, Saint Agatha's name is included in the canon of the Mass.

St. Agatha's family lived in Sicily and were very rich and important. Young, beautiful and rich, she lived a life dedicated to God. St. Agatha refused marriage proposals from all the men who asked. Quintian the magistrate believed himself to be of high enough rank to be worthy of her affection, but she refused him also.

When Decius announced the edicts against Christians, Quintian tried to profit by Agatha's sanctity; he planned to blackmail her into sex in exchange for not charging her for being a Christian. She still refused him. He then turned Saint Agatha over to a brothel, but she refused to accept customers. After rejecting Quintian's advances, she was beaten, imprisoned, tortured, and St. Agatha's breasts were crushed and cut off. She told the judge, "Cruel man, have you forgotten your mother and the breast that nourished you, that you dare to mutilate me this way?" God gave her the relief she needed in the form of a vision of Saint Peter who then healed her wounds.

Imprisoned further, then rolled on live coals, she was near death when an earthquake struck. In the destruction, the magistrate's friend was crushed, which frightened the magistrate and he fled. Brave, Saint Agatha thanked God for an end to her pain, and died.

Catania, Sicily is the location of the martyrdom of Saint Agatha as well as her birthplace.

She is their patron saint. Legend says that carrying her veil, taken from her tomb in Catania, in procession has averted eruptions of Mount Etna.

Saint Agatha is the patron saint of Malta, they prayed for her intercession which saved Malta from Turkish invasion in 1551.

PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING SICK WHO HAVE ASKED FOR YOUR PRAYERS: Linda-Sue Warren, Ingrid Arias, Aurora Cappello, Christian Mauser, Ana C. Williams, Michelina Revans, Vera Gjini, Rosetta DeMarco, Cianna Wingstel, Donna Bonhomme, Brendon Hermida, Frank Urello, Donata Urello, Luis Medina, Maria Soto, Robert Roman Jr., Rosa Martinez, Madison Rodriguez, Ralph Hermida, Linda Brucco, Anna Locicero, Sonia Williams, Pierina Porretta, Candida Silverio, Maximina Garcia, Ana Edith Castillo & Evarista Germosen, Juan Hernandez, Taylor Viapiana, Helena DeVonish, Carmen Gomez, Johanna Aranda, Charles Aranda, Angela Ingassia, Paul Keehan, Donna B., Dr. Margory Langer, Josie Badia, Jossie Mc Kenzie, and Joseph Esposito.

BAPTISM

We welcome into the Roman Catholic Church and our parish community of St. Lucy, the children who were

Baptized on January 27th:

Anthony Gjoni

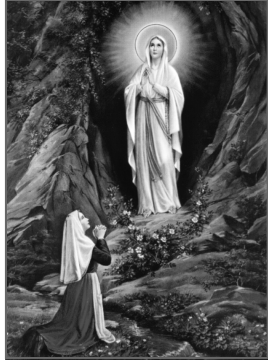
Let us Pray- for our men and women serving in Afghanistan and Iraq, especially for:

Jose Belen, Jeff Malen, Pablo Juan Hernandez, Rolly Bourdierd & Thomas Gagner

Our Lady of Lourdes

Monday, February 11, 2013

Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be celebrated
at the Grotto at 12:30pm



Pope John Paul II designated 11 February as World Day of the Sick, "a special time of prayer and sharing, of offering one's suffering for the good of the Church and of reminding us to see in our sick brother and sister the face of Christ who, by suffering, dying, and rising, achieved the salvation of humankind".



the **CARDINAL'S ANNUAL APPEAL**

Sharing God's Gifts

This week marks the beginning of the 2013 *Cardinal's Appeal* in our parish. You will be receiving a letter from Cardinal Dolan asking for your support of the vital ministries, programs and services provided through the *Appeal* each year. When you receive your letter, please fill out your pledge card and send it in.

Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Our Annual Goal is \$55,500.



Monday, February 25th

Will be a **DAY OF RECOLLECTION** for **LENT** with Father Joseph Katorsky, S.J. from Fordham University at the **9:00am Holy Mass** with the **Anointing of the Sick**

There will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Talk, Confession and Benediction following the Mass.





Couples Celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary anytime during 2013 are invited to attend the Annual Golden Wedding Jubilee Mass with Cardinal Dolan at the Cathedral of St. Patrick, Sunday, June 23rd at 2:00pm. Pre-registration is required. Please contact your parish for registration. **The closing date to register for the Mass is Tuesday, June 4th, 2013.** This event is sponsored by the Family Life / Respect Life Office of the Archdiocese of New York.



Please bring your old palms to the rectory for which can be used for **Ash Wednesday.**

Por favor traiga sus viejas palmas a la Rectoría para que puede ser utilizado para **Miércoles de Ceniza.**



We thank you for your generosity. Please remember the parish of St. Lucy in your estate plan by including a bequest in your will. St. Lucy, pray for our benefactors living and deceased. Amen.

Requiescant in Pace

Please remember in your prayers the parishioners, friends, relatives and benefactors who recently died:
Alfonso Ferraro and Vincent Mangione

May they rest in Peace. Amen.



**ST. LUCY'S PARISH SCHOOL
4TH ANNUAL DINNER DANCE**

FRIDAY, APRIL 19TH, 2013

7:00PM~11:30PM

BECKWITH POINTE

DAVENPORT AVENUE, NEW ROCHELLE, NY

We will be honoring Carmela Mascia, Edith Ocasio, Magdalena Cruz, Ines Trucchi, Rifka Royal, Teodoro Mota and Monsignor Frederick Becker

Tickets are available. Please contact Laura Gwin at (718) 882 - 2203 ext. 18 or Madeline Marinaccio at (718) 882 - 0710.

St. Lucy's Church/School's 50/50 Raffle

can be purchased at the Rectory, the School, the Gift Shop and after Sunday Masses.

50/50

St. Lucy's Church/School

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Name _____
Address _____
Phone _____

DONATION \$25.00

**Drawing to Be Held Friday, April 19, 2013
at the Parish Dinner Dance
PRIZE IS BASED ON AMOUNT OF TICKETS SOLD**

*Pilgrimage of NY 2013 -
Honoring Mary, Our Mother*

March 23, 2013

9am start time and 6pm closing Mass

Meet at St. Frances Xavier Cabrini Shrine, 701 Ft. Washington Avenue. Closing Mass is held at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Shrine n 7 State Street.

Lets walk together for God! We will be walking 13.5 miles from the top of Manhattan to the bottom of Manhattan, visiting various churches named after Our Lady.

Register today and learn more at www.pofnyc.org



ST. LUCY'S SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE/REGISTRATION

REGISTRATION for the 2013/2014 school year will be held beginning **Friday, February 1st**

State mandated age is required for admission. (ONLY ORIGINAL CERTIFICATES WILL BE ACCEPTED). You need to bring the following: birth certificate, baptismal certificates, sacramental certificates, report cards, state test scores, proof of address, records of immunization, parents social security cards, plus a non-refundable application fee of \$50.00.

Additional information may be obtained by calling the School Bursar/Registrar, Mrs. Gwin, Monday to Friday between 10:00a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at (718) 882-2203 ext 18.

The Archdiocese of New York takes the stewardship of your donation and its resources seriously

If you have knowledge of financial misconduct or suspect that it might be occurring, please report your concerns via a toll free hotline, at 877-820-0541, or on the internet, at <http://www.reportlineweb.com/ADNY>. Both are available 24 hours a day.

CHILD PROTECTION-

Anyone who needs to report an alleged incident of sexual abuse of a minor by priest, deacon, religious or lay person serving in the Archdiocese of New York is asked to contact Sr. Eileen Clifford, O.P. at 212-371-1000 x 2949 or Deacon George J. Coppola at 917-861-1762. Both may also be reached via email at victimassistance@archny.org. Information can also be found on the Archdiocesan website, www.archny.org. In keeping with the Archdiocesan policy regarding sexual abuse of minors, this information is provided to ensure that our children remain safe and secure.

MBROJTJA E FËMIJËVE-

Çdokush që ka nevojë për të raportuar një incident të dyshuar të abuzimit seksual të një të mituri nga prifti, dhjak, fetare ose vë personi që shërbejnë në Kryedioqeza e Nju Jorkut është kërkuar për të kontaktuar Jo Ne Linje Eileen Kliford, OP at 212-371-1000 x 2949 ose Deacon George J. Coppola në 917-861-1762. Të dy mund të arrihet përmes emailit në victimassistance@archny.org. Informacion mund të gjendet edhe në faqen e internetit, www.archny.org Archdiocesane. Në përputhje me politikën e Archdiocesane lidhje me abuzimin seksual të të miturve, ky informacion është dhënë për të siguruar që fëmijët tanë të mbeten të sigurt dhe të sigurtë.

750th
1263 - 2013
Anniversary of the Discovery
of Saint Anthony's Relics
by Saint Bonaventure

Manhattan
Brooklyn
Queens
The Bronx
Staten Island
New Jersey

February 15 - 23
**A MESSENGER
OF HOPE**
FROM PADUA, ITALY

The Franciscan Friars invite you to join them in welcoming Saint Anthony of Padua on the occasion of the 750th Anniversary of the Discovery of Saint Anthony's Relics by Saint Bonaventure.

St. Anthony will be visiting us in form of a precious relic from his Basilica in Padua, Italy. The Relic will be accompanied by three friars from the Messenger of St. Anthony of Padua.

Thursday, February 21st

**St. Crispin Friary/
St. Adalbert's Church
420 East 156th Street,
Bronx, NY 10455**

**7:00 pm
Eucharistic Celebration**

PROTECCION DE LOS NINOS-

Culquier persona que necesite reporter algun incidents de abuso de un menor por un sacerdote, diacono, religioso/a, o lacio sirviendo en la Arquidiocesis de Nueva York, se le pide que por favor contacte Hermana Eileen Clifford, O.P. at 212-371-1000 extension 2949 o Deacon George J. Coppola a 917-861-1762. Ambos tambien pueden ser contactados via correo electronico: victimassistance@archny.org. Para mas informacion pueden visitar la pagina en la red del la Arquidiocesis: www.archny.org. De acuerdo con las normas del la Arquidiocesis respeto al abuso sexual de menores, esta informacion se provee para asegurar que nuestro ninos permanezcan seguros.

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