CHURCH OF ST. SAVIOUR

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WE CELEBRATE EUCHARIST:

WEEKEND MASSES

5:00 pm:	Saturday Evening
9:30 am:	Sunday Morning
11:30 am:	Sunday Morning

WEEKDAY MASSES

8:30 am Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms We celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism at 1:00 PM on the first Sunday of each month. Arrangements must be made in advance with Sister Mary. Please note that there are no baptisms during Advent and Lent.

Marriages Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance and participation in the Diocesan Pre-Cana Program is required. Please call the Rectory to schedule an appointment with Fr. Frank who will discuss the necessary details.

Sacrament of the Sick In the event of serious illness, please call the Rectory and request the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.

Communion for the Homebound Eucharistic Ministers are available to bring Holy Communion to those unable to join us for Eucharist. Please call the Rectory to make arrangements.

Confessions First Saturday of the month in the church from 4:00-4:30 PM. By appointment for all other times.

ST. SAVIOUR PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Frank W. Spacek, D. Min., **Pastor**
Rev. Daniel S. Murphy, **Pastor Emeritus**
Rev. Kevin P. Cavalluzzi, D. Min., **In Residence**
Emily SanPietro, **Administrative Assistant**
Sister Mary R. Walsh, CSJ, **Pastoral Associate**
Deacon Paul E. Norman, **Faith Formation**
Dr. Nicholas J. Nicassio, **Music Ministry**

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Thursday	9:00 AM–4:00 PM
Saturday	No Office Hours
Sunday	No Office Hours

To speak with a priest, please call for an appointment.
For sick calls, phone anytime.

ST. SAVIOUR HIGH SCHOOL

Mrs. Carolann Timpone, **Principal**
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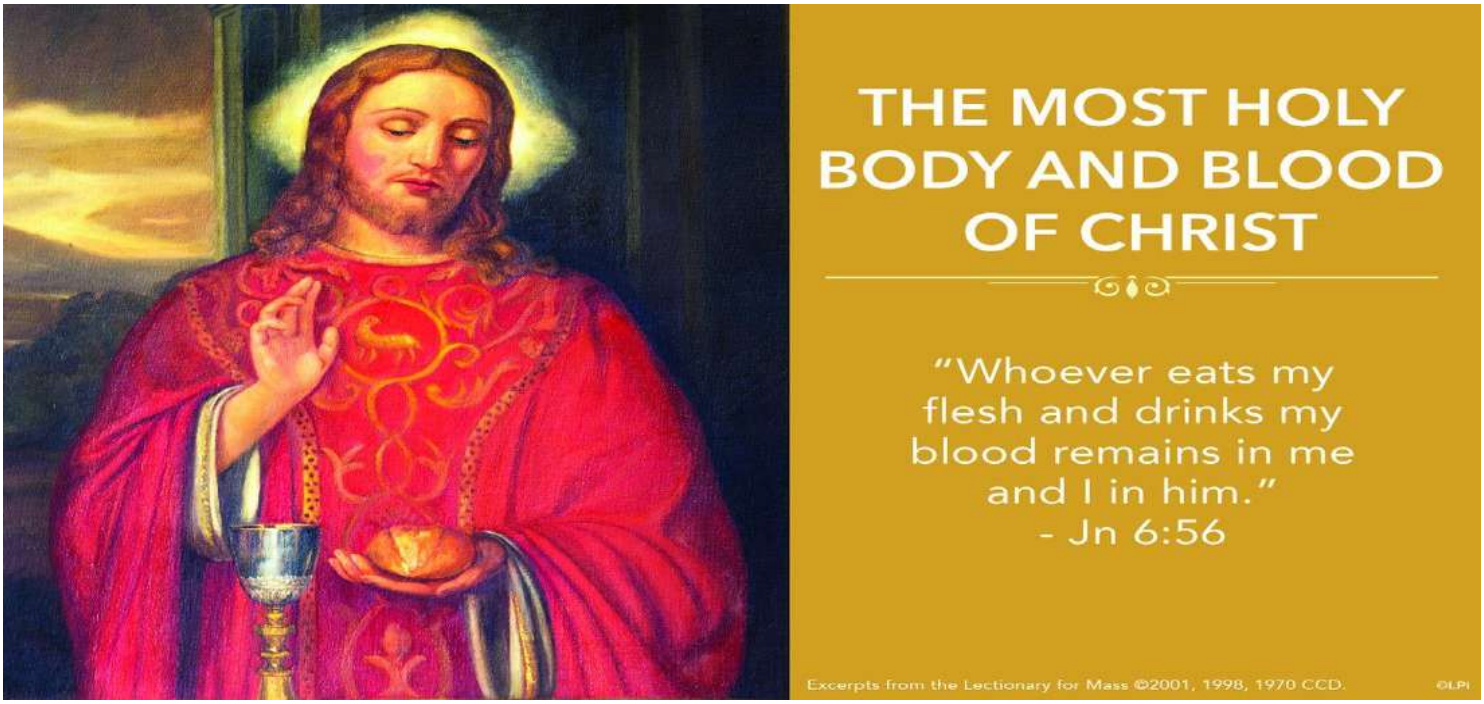
WHO IS WELCOME IN ST. SAVIOUR CHURCH?

Are you a sinner? Have you been away from the church for a long time? Are you divorced or separated? Are you physically or mentally challenged? Are you from a different culture? Are you not accepted because of your sexual orientation? Are you elderly, a teen or young adult? Are you discriminated against because of your color? Are you feeling broken? Are you poor or out of work? Have you been imprisoned? Have you a feeling that you are left out? **You are welcome here! This is your home, and we are your family!**

Sunday, June 11, The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ



A FEW WORDS FROM OUR PASTOR

Today the church throughout the world celebrates the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, and what better time than the present to take a look once again at the proper way we ought to be receiving the Body and Blood of Christ at our Eucharistic celebrations.

As we're all aware, whenever we approach a priest, a deacon, or a Eucharistic Minister to receive the Body of Christ—we have an option regarding how to receive the Body of Christ. We can receive the Body of Christ either on our tongue or in our hand. If you choose to receive on the tongue, please remember to open your mouth wide and stick out your tongue (just like you would if you were going to the doctor and she/he wanted to check your throat). Many times people come up and barely open their mouth, and it can be difficult for the minister to give you communion on the tongue. At other times the minister tries his/her best not to get their finger bit off while distributing communion, so remember not to close your mouth until after the minister removes his/her hand.

If you should choose to receive the Body of Christ in the hand remember that both hands should be extended about chest high, one hand on top of the other. Once you receive the Body of Christ, step to the side, and using the hand underneath the one holding the Body of Christ, take the body of Christ and place it in your mouth—then proceed to walk away. Do not walk back to your seat with the Body of Christ still in your hand! Consume the host before you return to you seat. This is the proper way to receive Communion in the hand. We should not be "cupping" our hands as if we're drinking water from the sink or from a river. Nor should we receive the Body of Christ with two fingers, as if we're picking cherries from a tree—grabbing it out of the minister's hand and popping it in our mouth as if we're eating M&M's. Remember what it is we are receiving— the Body of Christ—and it should be received with reverence and respect.

If you should choose to receive also from the cup—which contains the Blood of Christ—you should approach the minister holding one of the chalices. S/he will say, "The Blood of Christ." Your response is, "Amen." Then you take a sip from the cup. When you finish, you hand the cup back to the minister. It's as easy as that.

I do hope this little article is of some assistance to you in receiving God's Body and Blood in a more reverent manner the next time you're celebrating Eucharist.

Have a great week everyone.

Father Frank

GIVE ONLINE with WESHARE

WeShare allows parishioners a safe and easy way to donate online. If you've never donated online before, signing up is easy!

Visit our website: www.stsaviourchurch.org and click "Give Online."

Click on the collection you wish to donate to.

Click Recurring Donation, then enter your donation amount and frequency.

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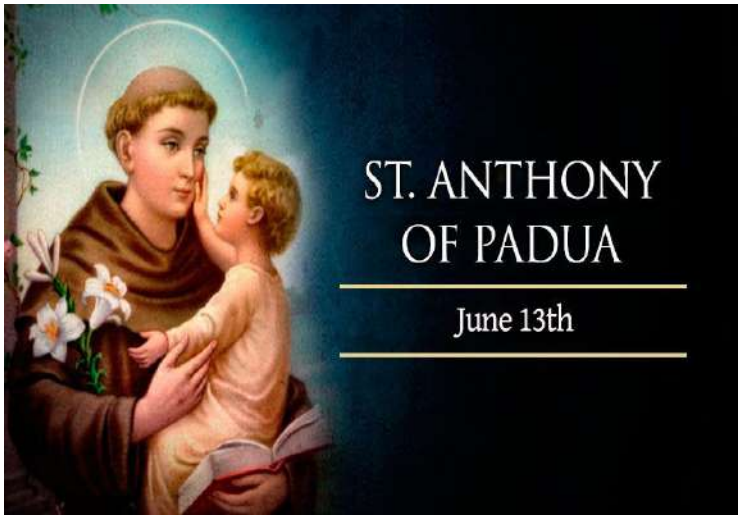
Saint Thomas Food Pantry

Please continue to support the food pantry at St. Thomas Aquinas. We are especially in need of hot cereal, soup and toiletries, but whatever you give will be most appreciated!

PLEASE REMEMBER THE POOR

We kindly ask ALL the members of our parish family to remember the poor as they leave church each Sunday. The monies collected in our poor boxes are used to assist in the ministry of our parish Saint Vincent de Paul Society.



Faith Formation

Register today!! Forms are available online.

Registration for the 2023-2024 School Year of Faith Formation for Grades 1-8 is now open. Currently enrolled students please use the Re-registration materials sent home with your children. New families and First-time registration, please download the registration application from our Parish website (stsaviourchurch.org), complete and attach a copy of your child's Baptism Certificate, and appropriate fees, place in an envelope and drop it off at the Rectory to the attention of Deacon Paul Norman. (Please note the Diocesan requirement that children must have successfully completed two consecutive years of Faith Formation before the reception of any Sacrament.)

We still have Mass Intentions available for both weekday AND weekend celebrations of Eucharist. Please consider having a Mass celebrated for a loved one or family member—either living or deceased. We are ALL in need of prayers, and there is no greater prayer than the celebration of Eucharist. Each Mass Intention is only $15.00. If you are interested in having a Mass celebrated in memory of a deceased loved one, or in honor of someone who is living, please call Emily at the Rectory and she will be more than happy to assist you.

Candle Offering

June 5-25

ST. JOSEPH'S ALTAR:

Philip Kluger

"Actions speak louder than words; let your words teach and your actions speak."

- Saint Anthony of Padua

June 3-4

Offertory $5,755
Children's Collection $122
Maintenance & Repair $2,060

Attendance 204

MASS TIME CHANGE FOR SUMMER STARTING JULY 1ST & 2ND UNTIL LABOR DAY WEEKEND SEPTEMBER 2&3

SATURDAY—5:00 P.M.

SUNDAY—10:30 A.M.

NORMAL SCHEDULE RESUMES SEPTEMBER 9&10

Annual Catholic Appeal 2023
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The 2023 Annual Catholic Appeal supports the mission of our parish and the daily work of the Church in Brooklyn and Queens. All donations made to the ACA **above** our parish goal are returned directly back to our parish for operations and improvements.

Parish Goal: $64,900 **Raised:** $44,015

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, June 11, The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
9:30 a.m. Elaine Cappiello/Beverly Demarco
11:30 a.m. Fina Carrazana/Angela Maria Cirone

Monday, June 12, Weekday
8:30 a.m. Msgr. John Condon

Tuesday, June 13, Saint Anthony of Padua
8:30 a.m. Intentions of Susan & Jerry Pottak

Wednesday, June 14, Weekday
8:30 a.m. Jerry Georges

Thursday, June 15, Weekday
8:30 a.m. Eileen & John Geraghty

Friday, June 16, Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
8:30 a.m. NO MASS

Saturday, June 17, The Immacuate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary
5:00 p.m. Father's Day Mass Remembrance

Sunday, June 18, Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30 a.m. Father's Day Mass Remembrance
11:30 a.m. Father's Day Mass Remembrance

Father's Day Mass Remembrance

Just a reminder for you to return your Father's Day Mass Remembrance Envelopes as soon as possible so that your Dad (living or deceased) can be remembered at each of our celebrations of Eucharist on Father's Day weekend (June 17th & June 18th). Envelopes are available at each of the front doors to the church, as well as in the Sacristy. We'll also have a few in the Rectory as well. There is no better way to remember our Dads than by remembering them in prayer at each of our celebrations of Eucharist on Father's Day weekend.

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