SAINT SAVIOUR CHURCH

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SUNDAY, JUNE 28, 2026

13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because the little one is a disciple--amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward." - Mt 10:42

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WE CELEBRATE EUCHARIST:

WEEKEND MASSES

5:00 pm: Saturday Evening
10:30 am: Sunday Morning

WEEKDAY MASSES

8:30 am Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

WE CELEBRATE SACRAMENTS:

Baptisms are celebrated on the first Sunday of each month. Arrangements must be made in advance with either Emily SanPietro or Father Frank. Please note that we do no celebrate 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. Kevin P. Cavalluzzi, D. Min., **In Residence**
Emily SanPietro, **Administrative Assistant**
Deacon Paul E. Norman, **Faith Formation**
Dr. Nicholas J. Nicassio, **Music Ministry**

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Thursday 11:00 AM–4:00 PM
Friday No Office Hours
Saturday & 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**
TEL 718.768.4406 · WEB www.stsaviour.org

ST. SAVIOUR CATHOLIC ACADEMY

Mr. Dean J. Fusto, M.A.T., M.A., **President**
Mr. Matthew Artigas, **Principal**
TEL 718.768.8000
WEB www.saintsaviourcatholicacademy.org

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!**

A FEW WORDS FROM OUR PASTOR

Last weekend our parish was blessed to welcome Sister Regina Mgbakor, who preached the annual mission appeal on behalf of the Maranatha Caring Mission in Nigeria, Africa. As I mentioned last weekend, each year every parish in the Diocese of Brooklyn participates in the Missionary Cooperative Plan, which is sponsored through the Propagation of the Faith. This gives every parish the opportunity to welcome a representative from the missions to come to our parish and speak about the missionary work they do in various countries around the world, and then we are asked to financially assist in this missionary activity. As we all remember, one of the Precepts of the Church is to support the Missionary Activity of the Church – and this gives us just one opportunity to do that each year. I am so grateful Sister Regina was assigned to Saint Saviour Parish this year. I found her to be such a joyful and joy-filled person who preached from her heart and shared with us the importance of the work her mission does in providing not only clean water for people to drink and bathe in, but to also allow her mission to perform cataract surgery on people whose eyes have been affected with cataracts from the parasites present in the unclean water they drink, cook and bathe with. Thanks to YOUR generosity, we were able to collect $3,732.00. If you did not have the opportunity to contribute last weekend, there is still time to do so. Simply place your donation in an envelope and write MISSION APPEAL on the envelope. If you write a check, please make it out to Saint Saviour Church. We send one check to the Diocese and they send one check to Maranatha Caring Mission. Thank you again for your generosity and the warm welcome you gave Sister Regina. I think she really enjoyed visiting us last weekend.

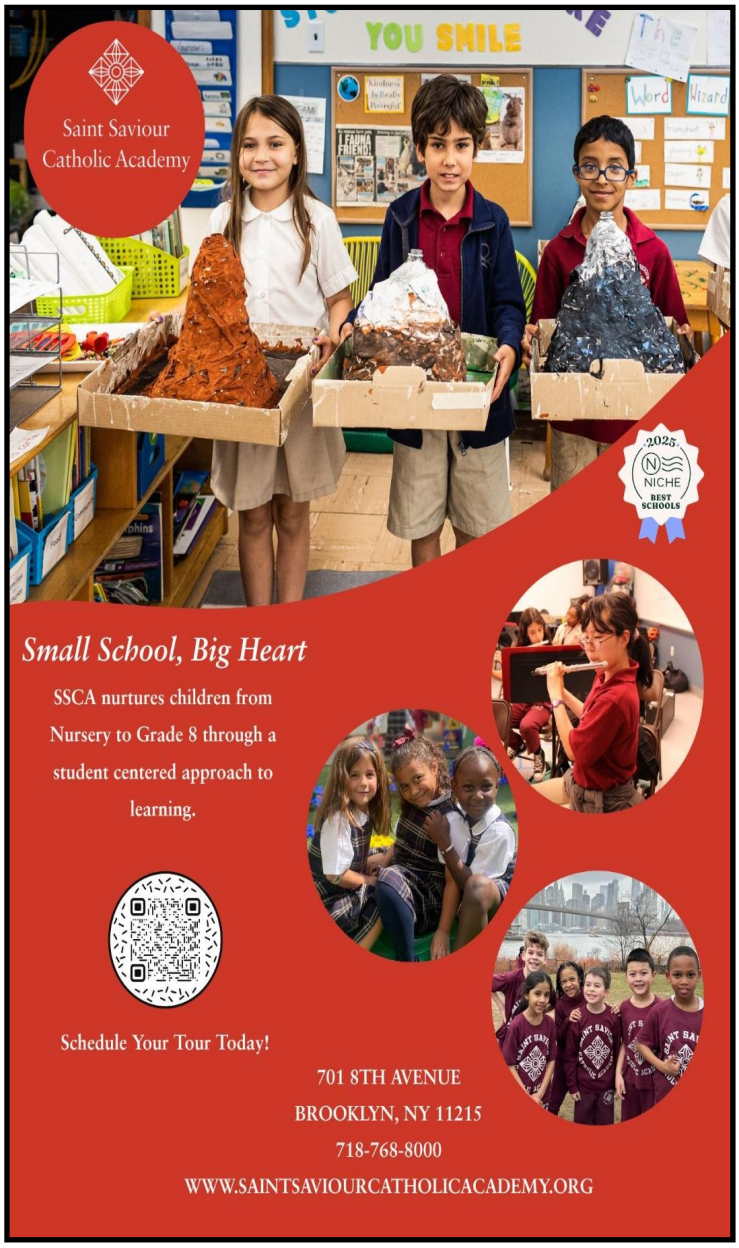
As we all saw last weekend, the summer exodus here in Park Slope has begun. I hope everyone has a great summer and gets to enjoy some time away. I do however want to remind EVERYONE that our weekly obligation to attend Mass is still in effect no matter where you find yourselves throughout the summer months. As I mentioned last weekend, I am very grateful to the children and teens who continue to worship with us even though faith formation classes and school have now concluded.

I want to thank everyone who has already made a pledge in the 2026 Annual Catholic Appeal. As of this week, 78 families have pledged $59,281.00. This is really great news because we have now exceeded our assigned goal – however – this also only represents 31% of our parish family. I respectfully ask that the rest of our parish family prayerfully consider making a pledge. Now that we have reached our assigned goal, ALL monies collected will be returned to us here at Saint Saviour, and those monies will be used to assist us in paying for our new roof on the church. Last year only 47% of our parish made a pledge – let's really try our best to hit 100% participation this year. We can do it! I know we can!

Finally, please remember that we have begun our Summer Mass Schedule on Sunday. We only have ONE Mass on Sunday and that is at 10:30am.

Have a great week everyone! Please stay safe and healthy!

Father Frank



Small School, Big Heart

SSCA nurtures children from Nursery to Grade 8 through a student centered approach to learning.

Schedule Your Tour Today!

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The Parish Family of Saint Saviour wants to say a great big word of "CONGRATULTIONS" to both Father Frank and Father James on the anniversary of their ordinations. Father Frank celebrates his 29th anniversary of ordination to the priesthood on June 28th. Father James celebrates his 26th anniversary of ordination to the priesthood on July 7th.

MASS TIME CHANGE FOR SUMMER

STARTING JUNE 20-21

UNTIL LABOR DAY WEEKEND

SATURDAY—5:00 P.M.

SUNDAY—10:30 A.M.

NORMAL SCHEDULE RESUMES

SEPTEMBER 12-13

Associated Vincentian Charities of Brooklyn

My Car Went to Heaven

OVER $750,000 SINCE 2014

DONATE YOUR AUTO

MONEY GOES BACK TO YOUR LOCAL PARISH

• IRS Tax Deduction • Free Towing
Any Condition • Any Model•Running or Not

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Call for Auto donations
718-491-2525
Or visit our website
svdp-brooklynqueens.org

Open website for APP
FOR CLOTHING
PICKUP
Google Play App Store
https://racworld2015.com/

This continues to help the Associated Vincentian Charities of Brooklyn

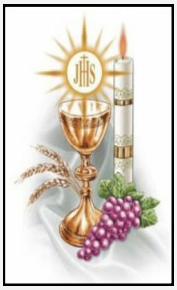
Food Pantry

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!

UPCOMING COLLECTIONS

Today—Peter's Pence Collection
July 5—Maintenance & Repair

OFFERING FOR ALTAR MEMORIALS



$25 per week

Church Sanctuary Lamp
Blessed Mother Candle
Saint Joseph Candle
Altar Hosts & Wine

Please call or email the rectory to donate in memory of a loved one.

A REMINDER FOR OUR CHILDREN

We want to remind all the children of our parish family that just because St. Saviour Catholic Academy and our Religious Education classes might be finished for the summer—it DOES NOT mean that your obligation to attend Sunday Eucharist ceases as well. Parents—please be sure to continue bringing your child(ren) to Eucharist each Sunday throughout the summer months. It is important that our children receive Jesus in the Eucharist each week!

ONLINE GIVING By WeShare

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

1. Visit our website: www.stsaviourchurch.org
2. Click "Give Online."
3. Click on the collection you wish to donate to
4. Click Recurring Donation, then enter your donation amount and frequency.

Faith Formation is a lifelong journey of growing in relationship with Jesus Christ and deepening our understanding of the Catholic faith. It does not end with the reception of a sacrament, but continues throughout our lives as we are continually called to know, love, and serve the Lord—until the day we meet Him face to face in eternal life.

Registration and re-registration have begun for the 2026–2027 Faith Formation academic year.

Current families are asked to use the re-registration materials sent home with your children. Completed forms may be returned to Deacon Paul on Sunday mornings, dropped off at the Rectory during business hours, or placed in the Sunday collection basket using the provided envelope.

New families wishing to register their children for Faith Formation and Sacramental preparation are invited to visit our parish website. Under "Religious Education," you will find the application available for download. Please note **the Diocesan policy that students preparing to receive the Sacraments (First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion, or Confirmation) must be enrolled in and attend Faith Formation for two consecutive years in order to be eligible for candidacy.**

Registration will continue throughout the summer months. Avoid the September rush by registering early. If you have any questions, please contact Deacon Paul at **stsaviourff@gmail.com**.

"No one heals himself by wounding another." - Saint Ambrose

June 20-21

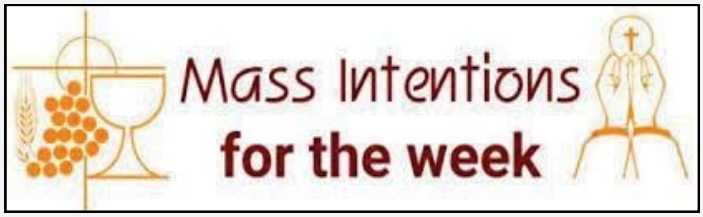
Offertory $3,748
Children's Collection $64
Attendance 188

Remember, St. Saviour Parish still needs your weekly offering!

While you are on vacation our bills still keep coming! Our church needs YOU to help support the preaching of the Gospel, its administration of the Sacraments, keeping its lights on all summer, and helping us teach our children about God. Without your Weekly Offering we could not accomplish all that we do. Thank you for your weekly donations!

Also, while vacationing this summer, be sure to include your weekly Mass obligation in your plans. For Mass schedules around the United States, go to www.masstimes.org. Now there can be no more excuses why you cannot attend Mass while you are on vacation!

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.



Sunday, June 28, Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
10:30 a.m. Lenora Phillips/Mary Flannery/ Robert Bell

Monday, June 29, Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles
8:30 a.m. Intentions of Father Frank

Tuesday, June 30, Weekday
8:30 a.m. Rose & Frank Spacek

Wednesday, July 1, Weekday
8:30 a.m. Sister Patricia Rutter, CSJ

Thursday, July 2, Weekday
8:30 a.m. Sister Patricia Berliner, CSJ

Friday, July 3, Saint Thomas, Apostle
8:30 a.m. People of the Parish

Saturday, July 4, Weekday
5:00 p.m. Intentions of Monica Rillen

Sunday, July 5, Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
10:30 a.m. Jeronimo Acuna

Annual Catholic Appeal 2026
DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN

As a committed parishioner, friend, and Catholic, we need your support to uphold our mission. We are grateful to the 78 donors who have already made a generous commitment to the 2026 Annual Catholic Appeal.

Parish Goal: $52,569.00

Raised: $59,281

You may also make your gift online now at annualcatholicappeal.org