



# St. Clare Catholic Church

The Reverend Daniel O. Kingsley, Pastor  
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**EASTER SUNDAY  
 APRIL 5TH, 2026**

## Rectory Hours

**Monday—Friday:** 9am—12pm, 1pm—4pm  
**Saturdays:** 10am— 5pm  
**Sundays:** Closed

Please call in advance to make an appointment to see either a priest or a deacon.

Parishioners at St. Clare worship regularly at Mass, participate in the community life of the Church and make use of the weekly envelopes in support of the parish.

## Parish Clergy and Staff

Rev. John Nimako, Parochial Vicar  
 Rev. Jean F. Tanisma, Parochial Vicar  
 Rev. Mr. Christopher Barber, Permanent Deacon  
 Rev. Mr. Richard Hurst, Permanent Deacon  
 Ms. Dianne Sealy-Soon, Office Manager  
 Ms. Lisa Sampson, Director of Religious Education  
     [StClareFF137@gmail.com](mailto:StClareFF137@gmail.com) (718) 527-6153  
 Ms. Joan M. Delahunt, Music Director  
 Ms. Sachara Valmé, Youth Minister  
 Mr. Leonel Aviles, Custodian  
 Mr. Robert Smith, Trustee  
 Ms. Jennifer Chung, Trustee

## St. Clare Catholic Academy

137-25 Brookville Boulevard, Rosedale, NY 11422  
 Pre-K-Grade 8 (718) 528-7174  
 Mrs. Deanna Maynard, Principal  
 Mrs. JoAnn Pinnock, Dean  
 Mrs. Lucy Diaz, Administrative Assistant  
**website:** [www.stclarecatholicacademy.org](http://www.stclarecatholicacademy.org)

## Mass Schedule

**Monday-Saturday:** 8:30am **Saturday Vigil:** 5pm  
**Sundays:** 8am & 11:00am Masses  
**Holy Days:** *To Be Announced*

## Devotions

Miraculous Medal is said on Monday mornings after Mass. St. Clare Novena is said on Saturday mornings after Mass. The Rosary is said daily after weekday Mass. Sacred Heart Novena is said on every First Friday after Mass, 20 Decades of the Rosary is said on every First Saturday after Mass. First Friday Holy Hour: 7:30pm

## Sacraments

**Baptism:** Monthly (except during Lent and the summer months), on Saturdays at 12:30pm. We are pleased to baptize infants and children up to 7 years of age with at least one parent who is Roman Catholic. Please call the rectory to make arrangements.

### First Holy Communion/Confirmation:

For Children and Youth from ages 7 to 17, please call Ms. Lisa Sampson at 718-527-6153

### Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)

Adults, 18 yrs. and older, who wish to become Catholic, or if Catholic and wish to complete their Sacraments of Initiation, e.g., Confirmation & Communion. Call Ms. Lisa Sampson.

### Anointing of the Sick:

Call the Rectory.

### Confessions:

Offered every Saturday from 3: 30pm—4: 30pm or by appointment.

**Matrimony:** Couples are asked, first, to make arrangements with parish clergy at least six months in advance prior to the wedding date.

**HOLY MASS INTENTIONS**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 4— HOLY SATURDAY**  
8:00pm— For the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus

**SUNDAY, APRIL 5—EASTER SUNDAY**  
8:00am— For You, the People of the Parish  
11:00am— Birthday Blessings for Dianne & Ingrid Sealy, requested by the Sealy & Soon Families

**MONDAY, APRIL 6—EASTER MONDAY**  
8:30am- For the Souls of those Enrolled in our Purgatorial Society

**TUESDAY, APRIL 7**  
8:30am— In Loving Memory of Dr. Francis Marcel, requested by his Wife and Children

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8**  
8:30am- For the Continued Success of Saint Clare Catholic Academy

**THURSDAY, APRIL 9**  
9:00am— In Loving Memory of Maria Gilbert and Family, requested by Marie Denize

**FRIDAY, APRIL 10**  
9:00am— In Loving Memory of Marguerite Yanick Andre, requested by the Stephen Family

**SATURDAY, APRIL 11**  
8:30am— In Loving Memory of Jean and Georgette Leconte requested by Marilyn Leconte  
5:00pm— Divine Protection for Travels of my Family, requested by Juliet Amuneke

**SUNDAY, APRIL 12**  
8:00am— For You, the People of the Parish  
11:00am— Repose of the Soul of Marilyn C Brissett

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**The Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV  
Prayer Intentions for APRIL 2026**

**For Priests in Crisis**

Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

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**GOD’S PLAN FOR GIVING**

<b>03/30/2025</b>	<b>03/29/2026</b>
<b>\$4,993.00</b>	5pm— \$1,198.00
	8am— \$2,656.00
	11:00am— \$4,622.00
	On-Line Giving — \$1,109.00
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<b>\$4,993.00</b>	<b>\$9,585.00</b>

**WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS**

Sun	Acts 10::34a, 37-43Jn 20:1-9 (42)
Mon	Acts 2:14, 22-33, Mt 28:8-15 (261)
Tue.	Acts 2:36-41, Jn 20:11-18 (262)
Wed.	Acts 3:1-10, Lk 24:13-35 (263)
Thur.	Acts 3:11-26, Lk 24:35-48 (264)
Fri.	Acts 4:1-12, Jn 21:1-14 (265)
Sat.	Acts 4:13-21, Mk 16:9-15 (266)
Sun	Acts 2:42-47, Jn 20:19-31 (43)

**THIS WEEK**

**Sunday, April 5**  
**EASTER SUNDAY**  
8:00am Mass, 11:00am Mass

**Monday, April 6**  
**EASTER MONDAY—OFFICE CLOSED**  
8:30am—Morning Mass

**Tuesday, April 7**  
8:30am—Morning Mass

**Wednesday, April 8**  
8:30am— Morning Mass

**Thursday, April 9**  
8:30am—Morning Mass

**Friday, April 10**  
8:30am—Morning Mass

**Saturday, April 11**  
8:30am—Morning Mass  
3:30pm—Confessions  
5:00pm—Vigil Mass

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Jesus told [Martha],

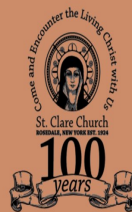
*“I am the Resurrection and the life;  
 Whoever believes in me, even if he  
 dies, will live, and everyone who  
 lives and believes in me will never  
 die. Do you believe this?”*

[Martha] said to him,

*“Yes, Lord, I have come to believe  
 that you are the Messiah, the Son of  
 God, the One Who is coming into  
 the world.”*

(Jn. 11: 25-27, NAB)

*A Happy & Holy Easter  
 to you and your loved ones! God bless!*



*Fr. Daniel O. Kingsley*

Father Daniel O. Kingsley  
 Pastor, Saint Clare Catholic Church  
 Administrator, Saint Pius X Catholic Church  
 Rosedale, New York



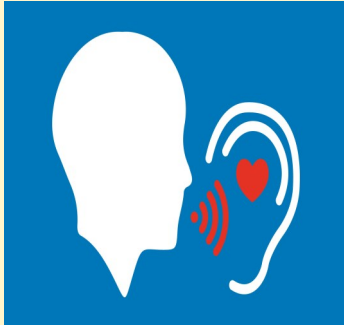
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**THE MISSION STATEMENT OF ST. CLARE PARISH  
 COME AND ENCOUNTER THE LIVING CHRIST WITH US**



In Observance of Easter, the **Rectory Office** will be closed tomorrow **Easter Monday, April 6th, 2026**. This is a day of celebration and rest for many Christians, often marked by religious services, outdoor activities, and cultural traditions like egg hunts and parades. We will resume with regular business hours on **Tuesday, April 7th, 2026** at 9am.

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**SPEECH AND HEARING CENTER**

The St. John's University Speech and Hearing Center will be offering **FREE** speech and hearing screenings from now through April 2026.

Please call the center at 718-990-6480 to schedule an appointment. The Speech and Hearing Center is located at 152-11 Union Turnpike, Flushing NY.

**Take Up Their Offer Of Free Screenings**

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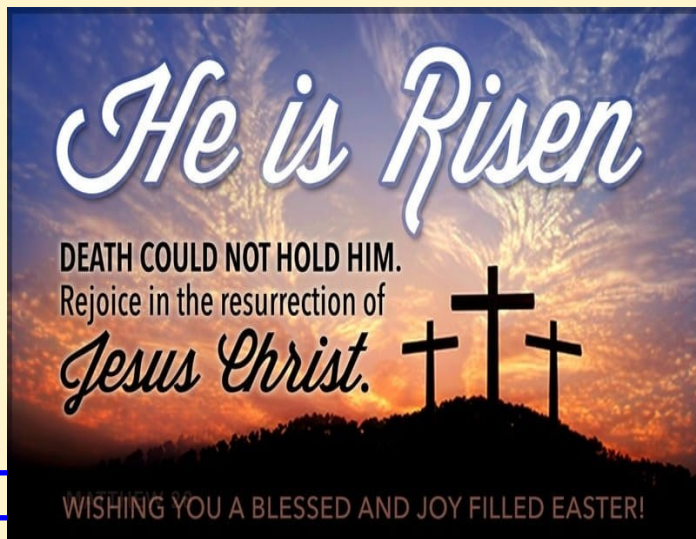


**Give a Gift of Altar Flowers**



Members of the Rosary and Altar Society and members of the different parish Ministries, sponsor the beautiful flowers in the Church. We hope to welcome new sponsors. Flower donations may be given for any Sunday as a gift of Celebration, Thanksgiving or In Memory of.

The suggested minimum donation for Sunday flowers is \$15.00. All donations are greatly appreciated.



**Easter Flowers**





**ST CLARE NOVENA**

The Novena is prayed every Saturday morning following the 8:30am Mass.

All parishioners and friends of St. Clare are invited to pray this beautiful Novena to our beloved Patron Saint.



**THE SANCTUARY LAMP & ALTAR CANDLES**

Burning through the week of March 29th, 2026 is

**In Memory of Ines Guilme**

Requested by **Marie Charles**

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# ST. CLARE'S ANNUAL Easter Fellowship Day

sponsored by

## YOUTH & FAMILY LIFE MINISTRIES

### Sunday, April 5th 1 to 3pm



**Easter Hat contest**

**Easter Egg Hunt**

**Goodie Bags**

**Light Refreshments**

**Raffle prizes**

**St. Clare R.C. Church  
137-35 Brookville Blvd.  
Rosedale, NY 11422**



**Pictures with the Easter Bunny**

# SAVE THE DATE!

ST. CLARE CHURCH BUS TRIP

SIGHT & SOUND THEATER, LANCASTER, PA.  
"JOSHUA"

DATE: **SATURDAY, JUNE 13th, 2026**

PICKUP TIME: 7:30AM

WHERE: **137-35 BROOKVILLE BLVD,  
ST. CLARE CHURCH**

DEPARTURE FROM THEATRE: 5:45PM

COST: **ADULTS - \$240.00,  
CHILDREN -\$180.00**

Due to rising prices at Sight n Sound  
Payment plan is available

2ND PAYMENT— 04/02/2026

FINAL PAYMENT—05/02/2026 (No Refunds )

ALL PAYMENTS ARE TO BE MADE AT THE  
RECTORY OFFICE

REVIEW BUS SEATING PLAN WITH  
FINAL PAYMENT

ITINERARY: Shop at Tanger Outlets,  
Lunch at the Golden Corral

Sight and Sound Theater



### The Altar Bread and Wine

which will be used in

### **The Celebration Of The Eucharist**

Throughout the Week of

**Easter Sunday, 2026 is**

**For the Living and the Deceased Members  
of the Kral, Kaczynski,  
Kinney & Tarantino Families**

Requested by

**Maureen Kaczynski**



### **IN YOUR CHARITY PLEASE PRAY for the Sick, Homebound**

*Send in the names of your loved ones who  
are ill, so that we may pray for them daily.*

Matthew Zinser III

Patricia Kleene

Nicholas Marshall

Pastor Robert Rainis

Veronica Richardson

Phillip Wright

Mark Bonilla

Jereta Johnson

Jeff Zero

Nancy Bryce

Theodore Nwogu



### FOR THE HOMEBOUND OR INFIRMED

Anyone unable to attend Mass because  
of illness or hospitalization, may receive  
Holy Communion at home on a regular basis.

Please call the Rectory for more information.

(718) - 341-1018.

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## **THE ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL— 2026**

Each year St. Clare Church and the Diocese of Brooklyn engage in the **Annual Catholic Appeal** which supports Catholic programs throughout Brooklyn and Queens and affects the lives of countless individuals and families living in our neighborhoods in addition to benefiting our parish

### **How Does Our Parish Benefit?**

In order for our parish to function, we need well-trained priests and deacons who can celebrate the sacraments and administer the parish. Without the \$2.5 Million from the **Appeal** allocated to vocations, we would not have the clergy that our parish needs.

Our Children are the future of our parish, and we are called to support them as they grow in faith. The **Appeal** provides funding that supports every parish religious education program as well as tuition assistance to those seeking Catholic Education at Catholic Academies and Schools. Over \$1.8 million from the **Appeal** is invested in the faith of our children in addition to also providing adult faith formation. Instruction programs for lay people, including those in our own parish, provide training in ministries such as Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors or prepare others for sacraments.

The **Appeal** also provides funding for the Youth Ministers working in parishes throughout Brooklyn and Queens. \$150,000 each year from our donations sustains the Catholic Youth Ministry Initiative, which has been supported by Generations of Faith, ensuring that young people encounter Christ through the Church, forming life-long bonds of faith which will sustain our parish for years to come.

### **WHAT IS NEXT FOR THE Annual Catholic Appeal AND HOW CAN WE HELP?**

Please join us to respond as the Church of Christ United in Communion, United in Charity in Brooklyn and Queens through a pledge to the **Annual Catholic Appeal** today at [AnnualCatholicAppeal.org](http://AnnualCatholicAppeal.org).

**Thank you and God Bless.**

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

April 5th—**Easter Sunday**

April 6th—**Easter Monday—Office Closed**

April 12th— Divine Mercy Sunday  
3pm— Vespers and Benediction  
Guest Preacher—Fr. Jim O'Shea

April 15th—Tax Day

April 18th—Infant Baptism

April 26th—5pm—Evening Prayer for Christian Unity  
Guest Preacher—Fr. Joseph Catafago

May 1st—First Friday

May 2nd—Mass of First Communion

May 10th—Mother's Day

May 14th—Ascension Day

May 16th—Infant Baptism

May 24th—Pentecost Sunday

May 25th—**Memorial Day—Office Closed**

June 7th—Corpus Christi

June 13th—Sight & Sound (Joshua)

June 21st—Father's Day

June 27th—Infant Baptism

June 28th—Flea Market

July 4th— Independence Day

August 7th—Vespers with the Veneration of  
Saint Clare Relics

August 15th—The Assumption of Mary

**(Some Dates May Be Subject To Change)**