

# SAINT PATRICK'S CHURCH

*servicing Long Island City and Astoria since 1869*

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## March 19, 2017

### Third Sunday of Lent

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This week's office hours are posted inside the bulletin.

*El horario de la oficina para esta semana está en el interior de este boletín.*

Mrs. Silvia Marfé, Administrative Assistant  
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### Religious Education / *Educación Religiosa*

Mrs. Rosa Gomez, Director 718-706-0565  
Mon. & Fri. / *lunes y viernes* 9 AM—2:30 PM  
Tues. & Thurs. / *martes y jueves* 1 PM—7 PM

**Music Ministry** Francis A. Barra, Organist

### Sisters of St. Joseph of Brentwood

39-37 28th Street, Long Island City, NY 11101

### Groups, Societies, & Prayer Groups

*Cursillo*, martes, 8:15 PM en el sótano de la rectoría

*Grupo de Oracion*, lunes, 7:30 PM; *capilla*

*Filipino Apostolate* meetings as announced

*Jornada* youth group (*jovenes*), Friday/*viernes*, 7-9 PM; school

*Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena*, Wed., 6:30 PM; chapel

*Two Thousand Hail Marys*, 1st Saturday, 7:30 AM—5 PM

### Sunday Mass

Saturday Vigil: 5 PM English  
Sunday: 9 AM English  
10:30 AM *Español*  
12 PM English

First Sunday of the month: 12:30 PM Tagalog

### Weekday Mass

Monday through Friday: 12:10 PM  
*martes* (Tuesday) *en español*: 7:45 PM  
Saturday 9:00 AM  
Holy Hour / *Hora Santa*: Mon., 6:30—7:30 PM

### Confession

Sat./ *sáb.* 4—4:45 PM or by appointment / *o por cita*

### Sponsorship (Godparent/*Padrino*) Certificates

Parishioners must contact Fr. Powers at least 30 days prior to the liturgy in order to receive a certificate.

*Feligreses deben comunicarse con el Padre Powers al menos 30 días antes de la liturgia para recibir un certificado.*

### Infant Baptism / *Bautismo de Niños*

Parents may inquire at the Parish Office about the commitment that is entailed.

*Los padres pueden informarse en la oficina parroquial acerca del compromiso que se requiere.*

### Marriage / *Matrimonio*

Couples should make arrangements with one of the parish clergy at least six months in advance.

*Las parejas deben reunirse con uno de los clérigos de la parroquia por lo menos seis meses antes de la boda.*

# Saint Patrick's Church

Third Sunday of Lent

March 19, 2017

Tercer Domingo de Cuaresma

Sat., Mar. 18	5:00 PM	
Sun., Mar. 19	9:00 AM	Peace & good health for Robert E. Mahon & family, James Mahon, and Gretchen Wyble
	10:30 AM	+ Alejo García Hernández y + Amalia González García, y al Divino Niño
	12:00 PM	People of St. Patrick's Parish
Mon., Mar. 20	12:10 PM	
	7:30 PM	
Tues., Mar. 21	12:10 PM	
	7:45 PM	
Wed., Mar. 22	12:10 PM	
Thurs., Mar. 23	12:10 PM	+ Giuseppe & Caterina Sorentino
Fri., Mar. 24	12:10 PM	Romeo & Dorian Rancio (birthday thanksgiving)
Sat., Mar. 25	9:00 AM	

## Welcome to Saint Patrick's!

St. Patrick's Parish greatly values your presence at Mass, whether you attend Mass exclusively here or also at other churches, or whether you attend Mass weekly, frequently, or periodically. We strongly emphasize what contemporary liturgists call the Ministry of the Assembly. We urge you to pray attentively in the Mass by singing God's praises loudly, by listening attentively to the Word of God, and by praying silently the Eucharistic prayer as the priest celebrant prays it aloud. You will discover that God will transform you and others through your participation in the mysteries of the Mass. May your experience of the liturgy here at St. Patrick's bring you lasting peace!

## Skipped Mass on Sunday, March 12?

The Catholic Church advises you:  
Don't receive Communion today  
to avoid committing another mortal sin.

You are always welcome to attend Sunday Mass at St. Patrick's, whatever your frequency of Mass attendance is. But I urge all (adults and children) to abide by Church law and not to receive Holy Communion again if one deliberately has missed Mass on a Sunday or a holy day of obligation until one has gone to Confession and is in the state of grace once again.

One is obliged to attend Sunday Mass when one is on vacation. Visit [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org) or call 734-794-2100 for Mass times throughout the country. —RMP, Pastor

## Pray for ... Recen por...

**Our Sick / Nuestros Enfermos:** Gem Martinez, Levy Delgado, Lydia Bautista, Juana Mitre, Mary Parmel, Rosa Fernandez, Brenda Bautista, Lina Asenata, Stephanie Merenda, Manuel Uruchima, Piedad Carmencia Garcia, Tomas Rivera, Sol Leano, Victor Lopez, Felix Gomez Medrano, Carlos Eras, Edith Barriga, Della Buckner, Peggy Kealy, Danny Adoptante, Milagro Estrella, Vito Moncello, Gregory Viscovich, Brenda Kunicki Gainza, Marilyn Brenes, Luchie Lacson, Maria Ruck

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## ¡Bienvenido a San Patricio!

*La parroquia de San Patricio valora mucho su presencia entre nosotros, ya sea que usted asista a Misa exclusivamente aquí o en otras parroquias, que asista a la Misa semanalmente, frecuente o periódicamente. Ponemos mucho énfasis en lo que los liturgistas contemporáneos llaman Ministerio de la Asamblea. Le exhortamos a orar atentamente durante la Misa cantando en voz alta las alabanzas a Dios, escuchando atentamente su Palabra y orando en silencio durante la Plegaria Eucarística mientras que el celebrante ora en voz alta. Descubrirá que Dios lo transformará a usted y a otros a través de su participación en los misterios de la Misa. Que la experiencia de la liturgia aquí en San Patricio le traiga una paz duradera. —RMP*

## ¿No Vino a Misa el domingo, 12 de marzo?

*La Iglesia Católica le aconseja:  
no reciba hoy la Comunión  
para evitar cometer otro pecado mortal.*

*Usted es siempre bienvenido a la Misa dominical en San Patricio, no importa con qué frecuencia lo haga. Pero yo exhorto a todos los adultos y niños a que acaten las leyes de la Iglesia y no reciban la Comunión si han faltado a la Misa deliberadamente un domingo o una fiesta de obligación, hasta que se hayan confesado y estén nuevamente en estado de gracia.*

*Uno está obligado asistir a la misa cuando está de vacaciones. Visita [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org) o llame 1-734-794-2100 para el horario de misas en todas partes del país. —RMP, Párroco*

## St. Patrick's Mission Statement

Relying upon the Holy Spirit, we, the Roman Catholic Parish of **Saint Patrick's**, invite all in our neighborhood to celebrate our common baptism in the **Lord Jesus Christ**

- as a **priestly people**—praying for ourselves, and interceding for our loved ones and for our world at Mass
- as a **prophetic people**—proclaiming the word of God in respectful dialogue with our neighbors
- as a **royal people**—building up the Kingdom of God through lives of humble service

## Declaración de la Misión de San Patricio

*Confiado plenamente en el Espíritu Santo, nosotros, la parroquia romana católica de San Patricio, invita a todos nuestros vecinos a celebrar nuestro bautismo común en Nuestro Señor Jesucristo:*

- como un pueblo sacerdotal**—orando por nosotros mismos e intercediendo por nuestros seres queridos y por el mundo en la Misa
- como un pueblo profético**—proclamando la Palabra de Dios en un diálogo respetuoso con nuestros vecinos
- como un pueblo real**—construyendo el Reino de Dios a través de nuestras vidas en un servicio humilde

## Today's Readings / Lecturas de Hoy

Exodus / Éxodo 17: 1—4a

Psalms / Salmo 94

Romanos / Romanos 5: 1—2, 5—8

John / Juan 4: 5—42

## TODAY

### **TB Presentation at 10 AM Today**

The Friends of Jovi have invited Elvy Barossa of the NYC Dept. of Health to speak in the Parish Hall next **Sunday, March 19** at **10 AM** on the high concentration of tuberculosis in the LIC/Astoria area, its symptoms, and what you can do to prevent it.

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## THIS WEEK AT ST. PATRICK'S

### **Office Hours /Horario de Oficina**

Mon., Mar. 20 ( <i>lunes</i> )	9 AM—12 PM	1 — 8 PM
Tues., Mar. 21 ( <i>mart.</i> )	9 AM—12 PM	1 — 5 PM
Wed., Mar. 22 ( <i>miér.</i> )	9 AM—12 PM	1 — 8 PM
Thurs., Mar. 23 ( <i>juev.</i> )	9 AM—12 PM	1 — 8 PM
Fri., Mar. 24 ( <i>viern.</i> )	9 AM—12 PM	1 — 5 PM
Sat., Mar. 25 ( <i>sáb.</i> )	10 AM— 1 PM	

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### **La Secretaria Bilingüe Esta Semana**

<i>lunes, 20 de marzo</i>		4 — 8 pm
<i>martes, 21 de marzo</i>		1 — 5 pm
<i>miércoles, 22 de marzo</i>		1 — 8 pm
<i>jueves, 23 de marzo</i>	9 am—12 pm	1 — 8 pm
<i>viernes, 24 de marzo</i>	9 am—12 pm	1 — 5 pm
<i>sábado, 25 de marzo</i>	10 am — 1 pm	

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### **El horario de la Directora de Catecismo, Señora Rosa Gomez, esta semana:**

<i>lunes, 20 de marzo</i>	9:00 am—2:30 pm
<i>martes, 21 de marzo</i>	1:00 pm—7:00 pm
<i>jueves, 23 de marzo</i>	1:00 pm—6:00 pm
<i>viernes, 24 de marzo</i>	9:00 am—2:30 pm

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### **Second Collections / Segundas Colectas**

Mar. 19	Maintenance & Repairs / 50/50 <i>Mantenimiento y Reparación / 50/50</i>
Mar. 26	Parish Feast / Fiesta Parroquial / 50/50

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### **Masses This Week**

Mon., March 20:	St. Joseph, solemnity
Thurs., March 23:	St Turibius of Mogrovejo, bishop + 1606
Sat., March 25:	Annunciation of the Lord, Solemnity

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### **Misas Esta Semana**

<i>lun., 20 de marzo:</i>	<i>San José, solemnidad</i>
<i>juev., 23 de marzo:</i>	<i>San Turibio de Mogrovejo, obispo +1606</i>
<i>sáb., 25 de marzo:</i>	<i>Anunciación del Señor, solemnidad</i>

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## THIS WEEK / ESTA SEMANA

### **Monday, March 20**

### **Mass of the Solemnity of St. Joseph**

7:30 PM (bilingual)

with anointing with St. Joseph's oil from St. Joseph's Oratory, Montreal, founded by St. Andre Bessette, CSC

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### ***lunes, 20 de marzo***

### ***Misa de de la Solemnidad de San José***

7:30 PM (bilingüe)

*con unción de aceite de San José del Oratorio de San José, Montreal, Canadá, fundado por el Santo Andres Bessette, CSC*

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### **No Holy Hour this Monday, March 20**

### **No Hora Santa este lunes, 20 de marzo**

Holy Hour next Mon., March 27, 6:30 — 7:30 PM  
with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

**Hora Santa el próximo lunes, 27 de marzo, 6:30 — 7:30 PM**  
con exposición del Santísimo Sacramento

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### **Abstinence from Meat this Friday**

This Fri., March 24 is a **day of abstinence** from meat of all forms for all Catholics 14 years of age and older.

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## ESTA SEMANA

### **Estudio Bíblico Continúa el 22 de marzo**

*El Padre Powers o el Diácono Carlos Trochez tendrá el próximo Estudio Bíblico en español el **miércoles, 22 de marzo** a las **7:30 PM** en el sótano de la rectoría. La reunión semanal incluye preguntas sobre las prácticas católicas que personas de otras religiones piensan que son contrarias a la verdad bíblica; las escrituras del domingo; pasajes controversiales y difíciles en la Biblia; métodos para leer la Biblia para reflexión personal e inspiración.*

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### **Abstinencia de Carne este viernes**

*Este **viernes, 24 de marzo** es **día de abstinencia** de carne de todos formas para los católicos de 14 años o mayores.*

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### **Vía Crucis**

*este **viernes, 24 de marzo, 7:30 PM***

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## NEXT WEEK

### **Bible Study Continues Mon., March 27**

Father Powers will hold the next Bible Study in English next **Monday, March 27th at 7:30 PM** in the rectory basement. The weekly session includes questions often posed about Catholic practice which others feel are contrary to biblical truth; the Sunday readings; controversial and difficult passages in the Bible; methods on how to read the Bible for personal reflection and inspiration.

## PRÓXIMAMENTE

### **Reconciliation Monday, April 10**

**Confession available 3 PM to 9 PM**  
in St. Patrick's and in most churches in the five boroughs (the Diocese of Brooklyn and the Archdiocese of New York) and in Nassau and Suffolk (Diocese of Rockville Centre)

### ***Lunes de Reconciliación 10 de abril***

*Confesión disponible de 3 pm hasta 9 pm en San Patricio y en la mayoría de las iglesias en los cinco "boroughs" (la Diócesis de Brooklyn y la Arquidiócesis de Nueva York) y en Nassau y Suffolk, Long Island (Diócesis de Rockville Centre)*

## **The Sacred Triduum**

### ***El Sagrado Triduo***

<b>April 13</b>	<b>Holy Thurs./Jueves Santo</b>	<b>8:00 PM</b>
<b>April 14</b>	<b>Good Friday (English)</b>	<b>3:00 PM</b>
	<b>Viernes Santo (español)</b>	<b>6:30 PM</b>
	<b>Via Crucis</b>	<b>8:00 PM</b>
<b>April 15</b>	<b>Easter Vigil (Vigilia de Pascua)</b>	<b>8:00 PM</b>

### ***Ultreya de Campo sábado, 10 de junio***

*Franciscanos de Greymore, Garrison, NY  
Salida 7:00 AM; Vuelta 8 PM  
organizado por el Movimiento de Cursillo  
Costo: \$35 por persona  
boletos e info: Berta Lopez 917-523-2062*

## **OL of the Cloud Food Sales**

St. Patrick's Church received \$486 from the March 12th food sales of Our Lady of the Cloud. Thank you to the committee.

### ***NS de la Nube Venta de Comida***

*Iglesia San Patricio recibió \$486 de la Venta de Comida del 12 de Marzo de Nuestra Señora de la Nube. Gracias al coro.*

## AROUND TOWN

### **Flesh & Beauty in Catholicism: A Dialogue with Eve Tushnet**

**Thursday, March 23** at 7 PM. Crossroads Auditorium, 125 Maiden Lane, NY. Eve Tushnet is an author and blogger, and a convert to Catholicism. Sponsored by the Crossroads Cultural Center. [www.crossroadsculturalcenter.org](http://www.crossroadsculturalcenter.org)

### **Why Not Ask Why?**

### **Philosophical Questions for the Young**

**Friday, April 7** at 7 PM. Crossroads Auditorium, 125 Maiden Lane, NY. Dr. Jana Mohrlone, Univ. of Washington, Center for Philosophy for Children & Dr. John McCarthy, Dean, School of Philosophy, Catholic Univ. Sponsored by the Crossroads Cultural Center. [www.crossroadsculturalcenter.org](http://www.crossroadsculturalcenter.org)

### **Dorothy Day's Life**

### **Through Her Granddaughter's Eyes**

**Tuesday, May 2** at 7 PM. Crossroads Auditorium, 125 Maiden Lane, NY. A dialogue with Kate Hennessy, author of *Dorothy Day: The World Will Be Saved by Beauty*. Sponsored by the Crossroads Cultural Center. [www.crossroadsculturalcenter.org](http://www.crossroadsculturalcenter.org)

### **For Women Interested in Religious Life**

Have you ever considered a religious vocation. The Daughters of Wisdom invite you to explore...

Deepening your commitment to Christ: a time to reflect upon our lives as followers of Jesus in preparation for the solemn renewal of our baptismal covenant this Easter.

Presenter: Sister Barbara O'Dea, DW

**Saturday, March 25, 2017, 10 AM—4 PM**

Daughters of Wisdom, St. Virgilius Convent  
2011 Noel Road, Broad Channel, Queens

Subway: A train toward Rockaway (not Lefferts) across from Broad Channel subway stop; or Belt Pkwy to exit 17 South—Cross Bay Blvd. to Noel Road (Left on Noel Road)  
Info: Sr. Bernadette Sassone, DW: 631-470-4896

### **Prayer to Saint Joseph**

Dear St. Joseph, you are outstanding model of one who strove for holiness every day of your life on earth. Obtain for us the grace to strive for Christian perfection in all that we do or say. Help us to keep the Commandments of God and of His Holy Church and to practice the Evangelical Counsels in the way that applies to our state in life.

Give us such an awareness of God's mercies that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth His praise, not only with our lips, but also in our lives. Let us give ourselves to His service and walk before Him in holiness and righteousness all our days.

May we then attain to that holiness which you and Mary now enjoy with all the saints in the presence of the Blessed Trinity. Amen

## Play the March 50/50

*Juegue el 50/50 de febrero*

Place your chances in the collection  
no later than next **Sunday, March 26th**

*Pongan sus chances de 50/50 en la colecta  
no mas tarde del próximo **domingo, 26 de marzo***

As of Sunday, March 12th, the level  
of the March 50/50 was **\$430:**

**\$215** for the winner  
and **\$215** for St. Patrick's

### *Ultreya de Campo*

*Garrison, New York*

*sábado, 10 de junio*

*7 AM — 8 PM*

### Health Education Today

Elvy Barroso of the NYC Dept. of  
Health will speak on

### Tuberculosis

today, Sunday, March 19  
10 AM  
St. Patrick's Parish Hall

### ENVELOPE REGISTRATION

*Cómo obtener sus sobres para  
la colecta dominical*

You may return this form by mail,  
email, or in the Sunday collection.

*Devuelva esta forma por correo, email,  
o deposítela en la colecta del domingo*

Name/Nombre:

Address / Dirección ( with/con apt. #):

City, State, Zip / Ciudad, Estado, Zip:

Age /Edad (optional):

Email address (optional):

## Mass of St. Joseph Monday, March 20, 2017

*Misa de San José  
lunes, 20 de marzo, 2017*

**7:30 PM**  
bilingual / *bilingüe*

with the anointing of St. Joseph's Oil

*con la unción del Oleo de San José*