

# Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Roman Catholic Church, Brooklyn

A Landmark of Faith in Red Hook Since 1854



*Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
*X Domingo ordinario*

June 9, 2024

Rev. Claudio Antecini, Pastor  
Horarios de Misas/Mass

Martes/Tuesday 7:00PM Español  
Jueves/Thursday English

Sábado/Saturday 5:00PM English  
Domingo/Sunday 10:00AM Español  
Domingo/Sunday 12:30PM English

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**Compartiendo la Palabra/Sharing the Word**  
Miércoles/Wednesday 7:00PM

**Oración de intercesión/Intercessory Prayer**  
Miércoles/Wednesday 4:00PM-6:30PM

# Around Red Hook, Brooklyn

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## 170 Year Anniversary of Visitation BVM Church

On Friday, May 31, 2024, Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church, a landmark of faith in Red Hook completed it's 170 years of foundation. We celebrated with a procession with the children who lived their experience of the Philip Course.



## 170 Aniversario de nuestra Iglesia

El viernes 31 de mayo de 2024, la Iglesia de la Visitación de la Santísima Virgen María, un hito de fe en Red Hook, completó sus 170 años de fundación. Celebramos con una procesión con los niños que vivieron su experiencia del Curso Felipe.

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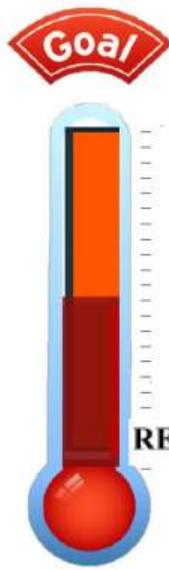
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- Please scan the above QR
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## Sunday Collection Amounts Colecciones dominicales

05/18 - 5pm Mass \$398

05/19 - 10am Mass \$1,149

- 12:30pm Mass \$545

# Worship

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Whoever does the  
**will of God** is my  
brother and sister  
and mother.

Mark 3:35

## Prayer for the Deceased

Juana Capellan, Bishop  
David O'Connell, Anna  
Castagna, Renato  
Antecini, Brigitte Tinat,  
Nancy Ward, Annarita  
Ferri, Christopher  
Bruno, Steven Bonilla,  
Amendola Family,  
Esposito Family,  
Modesto Ortega and  
Aurora Hernandez,  
Anton and Elsa Kullen,  
Anna Watser,  
Marie Merters,  
Rebecca Sanchez,  
Anthony Mauro,  
Wilson Jr Gil-Torres



Art work by Shaylee Lopez

Rafael Hernandez,  
Toda la Familia Fallecido de  
Oscar Hernandez, Lumen  
Duran, Andrea Ramos,  
Jaime Montalvo, Manuel  
Angel Narvaez, Antoine  
Workman, Beata Bilski,

## Wine and Host

Angel Vargas

## Sanctuary Lamp

Lourdes Torres-Baez

## Prayers for the Sick

Rosita Castelar, Kaitlin Nelson, Damaris Ramon,  
Rita Tweedy, Agueda Roman, Daniel Velez,  
Gilbert Rosado, Maria Romero, Carlos Martinez

## Mass Intentions

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
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### Week Of June 9, 2024 - Year B

#### SATURDAY, June 8

*Vigil - Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**5:00PM** -Joan Jangarathis, Morreale and Gray Families  
(healing and double portion of restoration)

#### SUNDAY, June 9

*Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**10:00AM** † Salvatore Contorno

**12:30PM** -Joan Jangarathis, Morreale and Gray  
Families (healing and double portion of  
restoration)

#### TUESDAY, June 11

*Weekday in Ordinary Time*

**7:00PM** † Edward Hoey

#### THURSDAY, June 13

*Weekday in Ordinary Time*

**7:00PM** † Salvatore Contorno

#### SATURDAY, June 15

*Vigil - Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**5:00PM** -Joan Jangarathis, Morreale and Gray Families  
(healing and double portion of restoration)

#### SUNDAY, June 16

*Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**10:00AM** † Martin Fazio Sr.  
† Joseph De Vivo

**12:30PM** -Joan Jangarathis, Morreale and Gray Families  
(healing and double portion of restoration)

† = Fallecido(a)/Deceased

*June 9, 2024 – 10th Week in Ordinary Time*

I'm told that 7 is the number. Not the "Lucky 7," or even the "Magic 7." Just that 7 is the age when young Junior (or Jane) reaches the "age of reason." By that our Church means that he or she knows the difference between right and wrong. What that means is that the star of a thousand smart phone photos and the official "Curator of Cute Doings" can turn less than cute at times. All of this is the natural way for human creatures to grow.

The Bible, specifically the Book of Genesis that we hear from this weekend, tells us that God's original plan did not include anything like sin. In fact, our ancestors brought it forward by their disobedience to the one command from God to stay away from just this one tree in the garden.

Century upon century ever since that wily snake that spoke would use all his know-how and trickery to keep us as trapped and imprisoned by hatred as he is. Despite being made for goodness and love, mankind succumbed to sin. Love was lost. Hatred won. Until...

Until a beautiful young girl living in a dusty little village in the Roman dominated land of Palestine said "Yes" to an angelic visitor who asked of her in God's own name to be the Mother of our Savior. That holy birth would end the reign of sin in the main, even if individuals were to keep falling for the lie. The age number her Son reached when His triumph came was 33.

Along the way to His victory, as we know, Jesus met resistance to His teaching. The snake still hovered in the background. Chief among the dissenters were the very people who claimed to be the teachers of righteousness. They it was who ultimately engineered Christ's crucifixion, even with an unspoken fear deep inside them that feared their hold on the people would self-destruct.

What you and I must remember is that no matter our age, there is always the possibility of an internally divided kingdom in our souls. The effects are that while we desire to do what is right, our very weakness lets us yield to the tug of temptation more often than we want. So, we need help. We need God. We need His healing mercy. That's the only way we can hope to attain heaven. It's the one place where the snake is forever gone, and age numbers do not count.

Of course, temptations never seem to cease. Case in point: Avery overweight man decided that it was time to shed a few pounds. He went on a new diet and took it seriously. He even changed his usual driving route on the way to the office precisely to avoid passing his favorite bakery. One morning, however, he arrived at the office carrying a large, sugar-coated, calorie-loaded coffee cake.

For this he was roundly chided by his colleagues, but he only smiled, shrugged his shoulders, and said, "What could I do? This is a very special cake. What happened is that, by force of habit, I accidentally drove by the bakery this morning, and there in the window were trays full of the most scrumptious goodies.

Well, I felt this was no accident that I happened to pass by this way, so I prayed 'Lord, if You really want me to have one of those delicious coffee cakes, let me find a parking space right in front of the bakery.' Sure enough, on the ninth time around the block, there it was."

God love you and give you His strength against temptation.

**Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.**

**Mark 3:35**

## Mass times in the deanery Horarios de misas en el decanato

- 8:30 AM in English at Sacred Hearts-St. Stephen
- 9:00 AM in English at St. Charles Borromeo in English at St. Mary Star of the Sea
- 9:00 AM in English at St. Agnes
- 9:30 AM in English at Assumption of the B.V.M.
- 10:00 AM in Spanish at Visitation of the B.V. M.
- 10:15 AM in English at Sacred Hearts-St. Stephen
- 11:15 AM in English at St. Boniface in English at St. Charles Borromeo
- 12:00 PM in English/Italian at Sacred Hearts-St. Stephen
- 12:30 PM in English at Visitation of the B.V.M.
- 6:00 PM in English at St. Boniface
- 7:00 PM in English at St. Charles Borromeo

### Sacraments Sacramentos

**Baptisms for children under the age of 7 -**  
You must bring the child's certificate and take a three day Philip Course. For more information please call the rectory.

**Bautismos para niños menores de 7 años -**  
*Debes traer el acta de nacimiento del niño y tomar el curso Felipe, un retiro de tres días. Para más información llame a la rectoría.*

**Weddings** - Congratulations! An appointment must be made with the Pastor six months before the wedding date.

**Matrimonios** - ¡Felicitaciones! Se debe hacer una cita con el Pastor seis meses antes de la fecha de la boda.

#### Anointing of the Sick -

Please call the parish office day or night for this sacrament for the sick or dying.

**Unción de los Enfermos** - Llame a la oficina parroquial de día o de noche para este sacramento para los enfermos o moribundos.

#### Funeral Arrangements -

Please contact the parish office for help with services and special needs.

**Arreglos funerarios** - Comuníquese con el oficina parroquial para ayuda con servicios y necesidades especiales.

### Parish Staff Personal Parroquial

**Rev. Claudio Antecini, Pastor**  
**Rev. Johannes Siegert, Associate Pastor**  
**Rev. Eamon Murray, Associate Pastor**  
**Rev. Paolo Sbarbati, Associate Pastor**

**Sr. Frauke**  
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# **CURSO JOSUÉ**

**JUNIO 12-16, 2024**



**¡Solo que tengas valor y firmez**

**Recibe una nueva mentalidad,  
una mentalidad ganadora y de valor.**

**Josué 1,18**

**Only be strong and courageous!**

**Get a new mentality,  
a winner's mentality and a courageous mindset**

**Joshua 1:18**

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