

# Church of the Immaculate Conception

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## Redemptorist Pastoral Staff

**Pastor** Rev. Francis Skelly, C.Ss.R. (ext 21)

Associate Rev. John Hamroque C.Ss.R. (45)

## In Residence

Rev. Anayo Nna C.Ss.R.

Rev. Joseph Su

Sister Anilu MPS

## Pastoral Associates

### Deacon

Rev. Mr. Cristóbal Rodriguez

### Religious Education

Sister Melissa MPS (ext 15)

### Parish Ministry

Sister Consuelo MPS

### Liturgical Ministry

Ms. Mary Meade (ext 17)

### Social Justice Ministry

Ms. Marilyn Ortiz (ext 17)

### Parish Secretary

Ms. Gina Soto (ext 46)

### Parish Receptionist

Josephine Pou (ext 10)

Sorinil Barea (ext 10)

### Youth Minister

Mr. George Spence



## Immaculate Conception School

Phone# 718-585-4843 Fax# 718-585-6846

Sr. Patrice Owens, S.C.C. (Principal)

Ms. Nelsy Nuñez (School Secretary)

Website [www.ics151.org](http://www.ics151.org)

## Convent of the Sisters of Christian Charity

Phone# 718-585-8981

Sr. Janice Kraft, S.C.C.

## South Bronx Churches

Phone# 718-665-5564

Michael Stanley

## Mexican Coalition Mr. Jairo Guzman

Phone # 917-600-1644

## Redemptorist Formation Community

### Directors

Rev. Robert Wojtek C.Ss.R.

Rev. Joseph Ngo C.Ss.R.

Br. Eugene Patin, C.Ss.R.

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 9am-5:00pm, Saturdays: 9am-2pm

Tues. thru Fri. 9am-7pm, Sunday: 8:30am-2:00pm

## MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass at 7:00pm (Spanish)

Sunday at 8:00 AM (Spanish), 9:30 AM 11:AM (Spanish), 12:30pm

Daily at 12:10pm (bilingual)

## RCIA RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

Inquiry Session For Adults: Wednesday Evening in Parish Rectory  
7:00pm to 8:00pm.

## BAPTISM

Parents and Godparents must come in for an interview, Monday  
through Saturday during regular Office Hours.

## RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Daily from 11:50am to 12:05pm.

Saturdays from 6:00pm to 6:45pm.

Or by appointment at the Parish Office.

## MARRIAGE

Arrange for an interview with one of the parish priests at least six  
months in advance.

## ANNOINTING OF THE SICK

Call the Parish Office anytime.

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Friday after 12:10pm Mass until Benediction at 4:00pm.

## PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA

Wednesdays after the 12:10pm Mass (spanish).

## SPANISH PRAYER GROUP

Every Tuesday evening at 7pm in Neumann Hall.

## YOUTH MINISTRY

Every Friday from 7:00pm to 9:00pm

## HORAS DE OFICINA

Lunes: 9am-5:00pm, Sábado: 9am-2pm,

Martes hasta Viernes 9am-7pm, Domingo: 8:30am-2:00pm

## HORARIO DE MISAS

Sábado: 7:00pm (español)

Domingo: 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM (inglés), 11:00 am, 12:30pm (inglés)

Diario: 12:10pm (bilingüe)

## RICA RITO DE INICIACION CRISTIANA PARA LOS ADULTOS

Preguntas sobre Fe Católica para Adultos: miércoles desde las  
7:00pm hasta las 8:00pm.

## BAUTISMO

Los padres y los padrinos vienen a la Rectoria durante las horas  
de oficina, lunes hasta el Sabado para una entrevista.

## RECONCILIACION (Confesiones)

Diario de 11:50am hasta las 12:05pm.

Sábados 6:00pm hasta las 6:45pm.

O por cita en la Oficina Parroquial.

## MATRIMONIO

Comuníquese con un sacerdote con seis meses de anticipación  
para una entrevista.

## UNCION DE LOS ENFERMOS

Llame a la Oficina Parroquial a cualquier hora.

## ADORACION EUCARISTICA

Los Viernes después de Misa de 12:10pm

Hasta Bendición con el Santísimo a las 4:00pm.

Primer Sábado del Mes 8pm-10pm.

## NOVENA DEL PERPETUO SOCORRO

Miércoles después de la Misas de 12:10pm (español).

## GRUPO DE ORACION EN ESPANOL

Todos los martes a las 7pm en Neumann Hall.



John the Baptist said, "I am the voice of one crying out in the desert, make straight the way of the Lord" John 1:23



Please continue to bring canned goods to donate to City Harvest



Sunday, December 17, at 2:00 PM you are invited to help decorate our church.

Please bring poinsettias (red or white) for our altar.



Monday, December 18, a priests in every parish will be available for the Sacrament of Penance 4:00 PM—8:00 PM

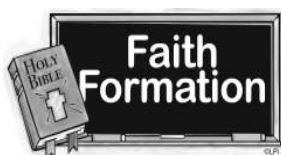


Monday, December 18, Santa's Workshop Grades 3—5

Thursday, December 21, Christmas at ICS 1:30 PM

Band & Pageant 6:30 PM

Friday, December 22, Dismissal 12:00 noon



Saturdays, December 23 & 30 there will not be classes.

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Tithing means I am a

Planned giver (designating money in my budget to give)

Priority giver (giving to God first before other expenses)

Percentage giver (giving a percentage, not a dollar amount)

Progressive giver (increasing the percentage regularly)

We don't expect people to be unsafe in coming to Mass on Sunday, but tithing means we remain faithful to our commitment to give to our church even when we are not here.

Parishioners need to deepen their relationship with Christ (prayer)

Parishioners need to deepen their knowledge of Christ (study)

Parishioners need to share their gifts with others (stewardship)

Parishioners need to reach out to others (evangelization)



Thank you for your generosity for the retired religious of the Archdiocese of New York. 10% of last week's collection was \$456.00



To our *Guadalupanos* for a beautiful celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

To our Providencia Committee who donated \$1,200.00 from their sale of pastelitos and \$700.00 from their funds.



**Christmas Mass Schedule**

Sunday, December 24, 7:00 PM English  
9:00 PM Spanish

Monday, December 25, 11:00 AM Spanish  
12:30 PM English



Juan les contestó, “Yo soy una voz que grita en el desierto, abran un camino derecho para el Señor”

Juan 1:23



Favor de continuar a traer comida en lata .



El domingo, 17 de dic., 2 PM se invita a adornar nuestra iglesia.

Favor de traer las flores de Noche Buena (roja o blanca)



MUSICIANS

El domingo, 17 de diciembre, desde 1:30 PM—5:00 PM, concierto carasmático. \$5.00 incluye almuerzo.



El lunes, 18 de diciembre, un sacerdote va a estar disponible en todas las parroquias de la Arquidiócesis para el Sacramento de Penitencia desde 4:00 PM—8:00 PM



Las posadas han empezado. Hay horario en las puertas. Hay parandas el 17, 19, 20, 22. Hay horario en las puertas.

- 18 de diciembre 12:10 P.M. Thanksgiving
- 19 de diciembre 12:10 P.M.
- 20 de diciembre 12:10 P.M. +Virginia Soto
- 21 de diciembre 12:10 P.M. +V.Castro/C.Muñoz/J.Roberto
- 22 de diciembre 12:10 P.M.
- 23 de diciembre 12:10 P.M. +Vicky Batalla
- 7:00 P.M. +Zenovia Diaz
- 24 de diciembre 8:00 A.M. For the People
- 9:30 A.M. +Dolores Ramos
- 11:00 A.M. +Domingo Jorge
- 12:30 P.M. +Angela Rivera

Diezmosignifica

Un Plan (designar dinero en mi presupuesto para donar)

Una prioridad (dar a Dios antes de otros gastos)

Un porcentaje (dar un porcentaje en vez de una cantidad de dinero)

Un porcentaje progresivo (aumentar el porcentaje regularmente)

Los feligreses deben profundizar su relación con Cristo (oración)

Los feligreses deben profundizar su entendimiento de Cristo (estudio)

Los feligreses deben compartir sus dones con los otros (diezmo)

Los feligreses deben compartir su fe (evangelización)

## GRACIAS

A nuestros Guadalupanos por una celebración muy bonita en honor de La Virgen de Guadalupe.

A nuestro Comité de la Providencia que donó \$1,200.00 de su venta de los pastelitos y \$700.00 de sus fondos.



### Horario de las Misas Navidenas

El domingo, 24 de diciembre, 7:00 PM inglés

9:00 PM español

El lunes, 25 de diciembre, 11:00 AM español

12:30 PM inglés



Francisco Pimentel y Claribel Castillo

**No hay clases de Educación Religiosa el 23 y 30 de diciembre**

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**IN ENGLISH** Tuesday, January 24  
**IN SPANISH** Thursday, January 26

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6:00 PM, SBH Braker Building  
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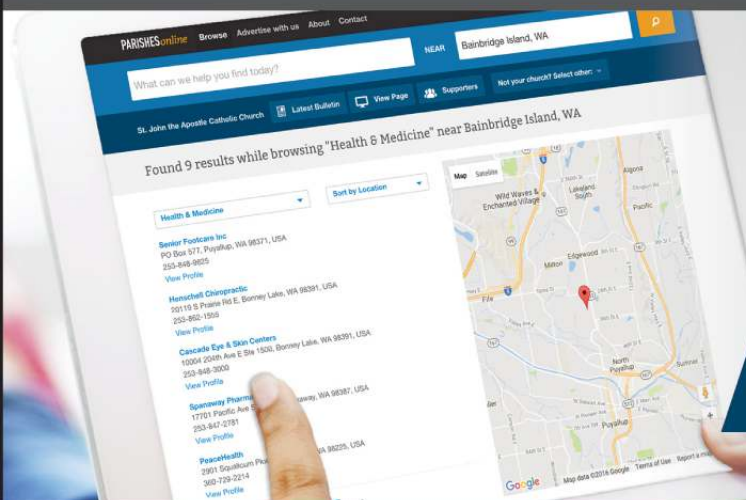
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