#### St. Edmund Parish

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#### **Parish Vision Statement**

We, the People of St. Edmund's Roman Catholic Parish, are, and desire to become, a more perfect Eucharistically Centered Faith Community. We seek to express our faith in a special way through the education of young people on both the elementary and secondary levels and through welcoming the unique contributions of people of different cultures, heritages and family structures.

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:30 am & 11:00 am

WEEKDAYS: 9:00 am

BAPTISM: For Baptism inquiries

Email: info@stedmund-brooklyn.org

MARRIAGES: Arrangements must be made SIX months prior to the marriage.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturday, 4:00pm to 4:30pm

SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Sick calls any day or night by calling the Rectory.

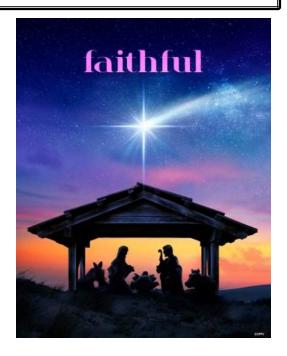
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: First Fridays, following the 9:00 am Mass. Angelus and Benediction at 11:00am.

NOVENA: Miraculous Medal—Mondays—following the 9:00 am Mass.

ROSARY: Daily, following the 9:00 am Mass.

PRAYER GROUP: Wednesdays, following the 9:00 am Mass.

REGISTRATION: We extend welcome to all new parishioners and invite them and any others, who have not yet registered, to become members of the St. Edmund's Parish Family. Please contact the Rectory Office for a Registration Form.



Sunday, December 31, 2023



#### READINGS

Genesis 15:1-6; 21: 1-3
Psalm 128:1-2, 3, 4-5
Hebrews 11:8, 11-12, 17-19
Luke 2:22-40



#### Please pray for the sick in our parish

Peter DeRosa, Odelea Ferreira, Jeanette Steitz,
Helen Wisniewski, Harold Ling, Camille Modica,
Joan Mallon, Frank Talerico, Debbie Rudzitis,
Barbara Tringali, Joan Cook, Julianna Collazo,
Ruth Rodriguez, Nicholas Calabrese, Ann Viola,
Cynthia Graham, Frances Lipari, Frank Burch,
Millie Afflitto, Nancy Perez, Alex Del Rio,
Joseph Sanfratello, John Raugolas,
Geraldine Wichy & Joseph Alonzo.

In these difficult times, remember in your thoughts and prayers all those in the Armed Services who fight for our freedom all over the world.

Remember Those Who Have Died

Reflection on the Gospel

Mary and Joseph are completely devoted to God and follow all the prescriptions of the law, yet, as Simeon prophesies, they struggle, like all faithful people, to understand God's ways. At the annunciation Mary says yes, even as she questions, "How can this be?" (Luke 1:34). What God asks of her puts her in very difficult circumstances. Contemplation, faithfulness, and trust are three essential virtues that Mary exemplifies for weathering difficult times that challenge harmonious family life.

Living Liturgy", The Holy Family of Jesus,Mary, and Joseph 2023





#### **2023 NEW YEAR'S SCHEDULE**

## SUNDAY MASSES—THE HOLY FAMILY Saturday 12/30 5:00PM & Sunday 12/31: 8:30AM & 11:00AM

NEW YEAR'S EVE
Sunday December 31st
5:00PM Vigil Mass

NEW YEAR'S DAY
Monday, January 1, 2024
11:00AM Mass



#### ST EDMUND PARISH GIVING TREE

A very special THANK YOU to all of our parishioners who brought gifts for St Peter Claver, Holy Rosary, our lady of Victory and the Carmelite Sister. There were 350 tags on the tree and we received well over 350 gifts to be donated to the children and Sisters.



"Christmas Offering To The Church"

If you were away there is still time to make a donation to the Church for Christmas. Envelopes can be found in your current set or you may obtain one on the radiators of the Church.









Please remember to turn your CELL PHONE OFF while in Church.

#### **PARISH CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

#### **FOR THE WEEK**

Monday 11:00AM	January 1st Mass	Monday 11:00AM	January 1st James & Diane Chung
Tuesday	January 2nd	Tuesday	January 2nd
9:00AM	Mass	9:00AM	For the Intentions of Freddy, Rick & Ray Chin
Wednesday	January 3rd	Wednesday	January 3rd
9:00AM	Mass	9:00AM	Anthony D'Amico
9:45AM	Divine Mercy Novena		•
		Thursday	January 4th
Thursday	January 4th	9:00AM	In Thanksgiving to
9:00AM	Mass		St. Jude
		Fridav	January 5th
Friday	January 5th	<b>Friday</b> 9:00AM	<b>January 5th</b> Elsie Lin
<b>Friday</b> 9:00AM	January 5th Mass	•	
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