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MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY THROUGH SATURDAY: 8:30 AM

SATURDAY VIGIL: *4:00 PM

SUNDAY: 9:00 AM, *11:00 AM AND *12:30 PM (SPANISH)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Baptisms are celebrated on the 2nd Saturday of each month at 12:00 PM. Registration is done at the Rectory. Please bring a copy of the baby's Birth Certificate, The Godparents names and a certificate of their full initiation into the Catholic Church

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Confessions Saturdays at 3:30 PM. Confessions are also available at other reasonable times by making an appointment at the Rectory

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Arrangements must be made at least 6 months prior to the wedding date

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Contact the Rectory to make arrangements for the Sacrament of Anointing. Please contact the Parish Office to arrange home visitation and Communion

CHAPEL OF ADORATION: Open 6:00 AM - 9:00 PM daily. Enter on E. 4th St.

DEVOTIONS: After the 8:30 AM Mass Tuesdays *Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal & St. Anthony Novena* and the *Holy Rosary (Daily)* and 1:00 PM 1st Saturday of the Month. with *Divine Mercy Chaplet & Padre Pio Prayers*

MAY 24, 2026 PENTECOST/WEEK 8

MASSES & READINGS FOR THE WEEK

PENTECOST/EIGHTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

5/24 Sunday Acts 2:1-11, 1 Corinthians 12:3b—7, 12-13 John 20:19-23

4:00 PM

9:00 AM Anne Marie Romeo Requested by Trabona Family

11:00 AM Louis John Vingelli III

5/25 Monday Acts 1:12-14, John 19:25-34

8:30 AM People of the Parish

5/26 Tuesday 1 Peter 1:10-16, Mark 10:28-31

8:30 AM Our Brave Troops

5/27 Wednesday 1 Peter 1:18-25, Mark 10:32-45

8:30 AM People of the Parish

5/28 Thursday 1 Peter 2:2-5, 9-12, Mark 10:46-52

8:30 AM Stefania Rusin

5/29 Friday 1 Peter 4:7-13, Mark 11:11-26

8:30AM Vincent S. Trabona

5/30 Saturday Jude 17,20b-25, Mark 11:27-33

8:30AM People of the Parish

Fr. Guy Sbordone is recovering at

King David Rehab Center

2266 Cropsey Avenue

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He is accepting visitors.

MAY 17

1ST COLLECTION	\$ 2878
2ND COLLECTION	\$ 770
CATH. COMMUNICATION	\$ 293
MISSIONARIES DEJ JUSUS	\$ 1600
ASCENSION	\$ 342
ON LINE GIVING	\$ 358



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Requested by the Panarella Family

PRAY FOR THE SICK



Margie Thomas, Simone Oliva, Marco Griffo, Jose Guevara, Valentina Lucia, Janet Sobolow, Luigi Mancino, Rosemarie Zappulla, Anthony D. Brasco, Joseph Salino, Patti Lanni, Mary DiDio, Frankie Davis, Bernadette Mamakas, Madelon Vittuci, Bi Ying Chen, RoRo Esposito, Debbie Lawson, Darren Gilbert, Amamda Oliva, Graziella Panora, Timothy Mulvey, Joyce & Barry Mione, Ed Caso, Gianna Bader, Michael Guadagnoli, Maryann Casalena, Jamie DiVenere, Craig Concepcion, Stephanie Martin, Frankie Melendez, Rosanne Paolillo, Annemarie Makowski, Gladys Cangelosi, Mary Ghiraldi, Lou Ann Giannotta, John Bonito, Sally Vitacco, James Connelly, Bridget Buono-Cipparullo, Maggie Avanzino, Nicole Pileggi, Vincent Simone, Michael Fiore, Louis Cacciouttolo. Jo Ann Conenna, Shana Rivas, Thomas Foti, Ella Sclafani, Lauren Dugan, Maryann Monaco, Nikki Russo, Barbara Iomarini, Sofia Russo, Maria Malotzi, Danielle Minardo, Marie Infantolino, Serena Kindler, Gloria Silverman, Cracchiolo Family, Anthony Pacchiano, Grayson Danielki, Sylvia Algaze, Aida Yvette Rodriguez, Elijah Velazque, Robert Palmieri, Amanda Lynn Bidetti, Leo Misiura, Alfonso Mecurio, Catherine D'Agostino, Angela Giacchino, Salvatore Funaro, Elvira Maynor, Waren Schueler, Serani Choe, Daniel Stracquadaine, Fr. Dominick Cutrone, Louis Caputo, Fr. Guy Sbordone Joseph Amato, Antonia(Toni) Merlino,, MaryAnn Andruzzi, Leonara Abrami, Annette Bonanno, Marie Palmieri, Anthony Ferrante, Gary Borrero, Antoinette DeMorato

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Gladys Frangello



Acts 2:1-11 As on Sinai, the Lord descends in fire and wind

Psalm 104 “Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.”

1 Corinthians The Spirit calls the baptized to ministry for the common good.

John 20:19-23 On the first day of the week the risen Christ imparts the Holy Spirit.

Today we hear two versions of how the Holy Spirit came upon the apostles. From Acts, we hear the Pentecost event, when the Holy Spirit descends in a maelstrom of wind and fire and enabled the apostles to speak in languages from around the world. In John’s Gospel, Jesus gently breathes upon the disciples, imparting peace and the Holy Spirit upon them. Paul writes of the spiritual gifts the Holy Spirit brings. The responsorial psalm and sequence invite us to call out for the Holy Spirit, who indeed renews the earth and all of us on the face of it.

Pentecost is the great festival that marks the birth of the Church by the power of the Holy Spirit. Pentecost means "fiftieth day" and is celebrated fifty days after Easter. Ten days after Jesus ascended into heaven, Mary, the eleven apostles and many other of Jesus’ disciples gathered together in Jerusalem for the Jewish harvest festival (Shavuot) that was celebrated on the fiftieth day after Passover. While they were praying, a sound like that of a rushing wind filled the house and tongues of fire descended and rested over each of their heads. This was the outpouring of the Holy Spirit and the Gifts of the Spirit promised by God through the prophet Joel (2:28-29). The disciples were suddenly empowered to proclaim the Gospel of the Risen Christ. They went out into the streets of Jerusalem and began preaching to the crowds gathered for the festival. Not only did the disciples preach with boldness and vigor, but by a miracle of the Holy Spirit they spoke in the native languages of the people present, many who had come from all corners of the Roman Empire. This created a sensation. The apostle Peter seized the moment and addressed the crowd, preaching to them about Jesus' death and resurrection for the forgiveness of sins. The result was that about three thousand converts were baptized that day. (Acts 2:1-41)

Red is the liturgical color for this day. Red recalls the tongues of flame in which the Holy Spirit descended on the first Pentecost. The color also reminds us of the blood of the martyrs. These are the believers of every generation who by the power of the Holy Spirit hold firm to the true faith even at the cost of their lives.

Pentecost ends our Easter Season (THE GREAT 50 DAYS) and begins the Season of Ordinary Time. This Season is centered on sanctification, the work of the Holy Spirit in our daily lives. This is reflected in the liturgical color for this season: green, the color of life and growth.

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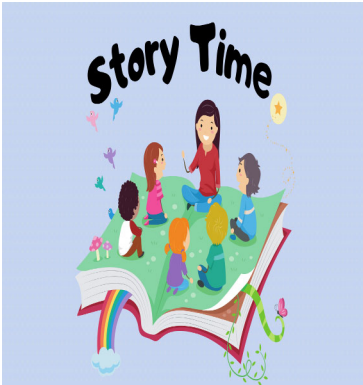
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FOR ADULTS:

KNITTING & CROCHETING CLUB — MONDAY AFTERNOONS AT 1:00—3:00 IN THE RECTORY MEETING ROOM

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SUNDAYS THRIFT SHOP (CELEBRATING 6TH ANNIVERSARY) OPEN 9:00 AM—1:30 PM

WE WILL BE CLOSED FOR FATHER'S DAY

DUE TO LACK OF SPACE NO DONATIONS ARE BEING ACCEPTED. PLEASE DON'T LEAVE ITEMS ON THE PARISH GROUNDS

TUESDAYS GOLDEN AGE CLUB MEETING 12:00—3:00 PM VELTRI HALL
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THURSDAYS 10:30 AM — 12:00 PM ITALIAN LESSONS VELTRI HALL LEARN ABOUT ITALY:
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FRIDAYS ROSARY SOCIETY 1:00 PM RECTORY MEETING ROOM PRAYER & ITALIAN BINGO

Our Mission Statement

The Parish of Our Lady of Grace, Gravesend, formed in "A Family Tradition" is a family of faith motivated by love for God welcomes all to join us as we worship in the Roman Catholic Tradition. Empowered by the Holy Spirit, we strive to form ourselves and our children in the love and truths taught by our Savior Jesus Christ, and to instill a deep respect for all that God, our Father, has created. We willingly share our time, talents, and treasure through diverse ministries in the service of others

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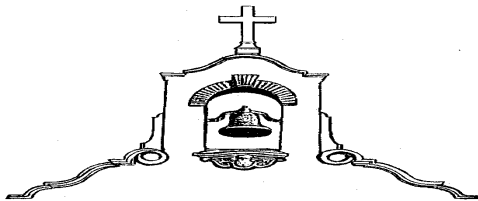
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