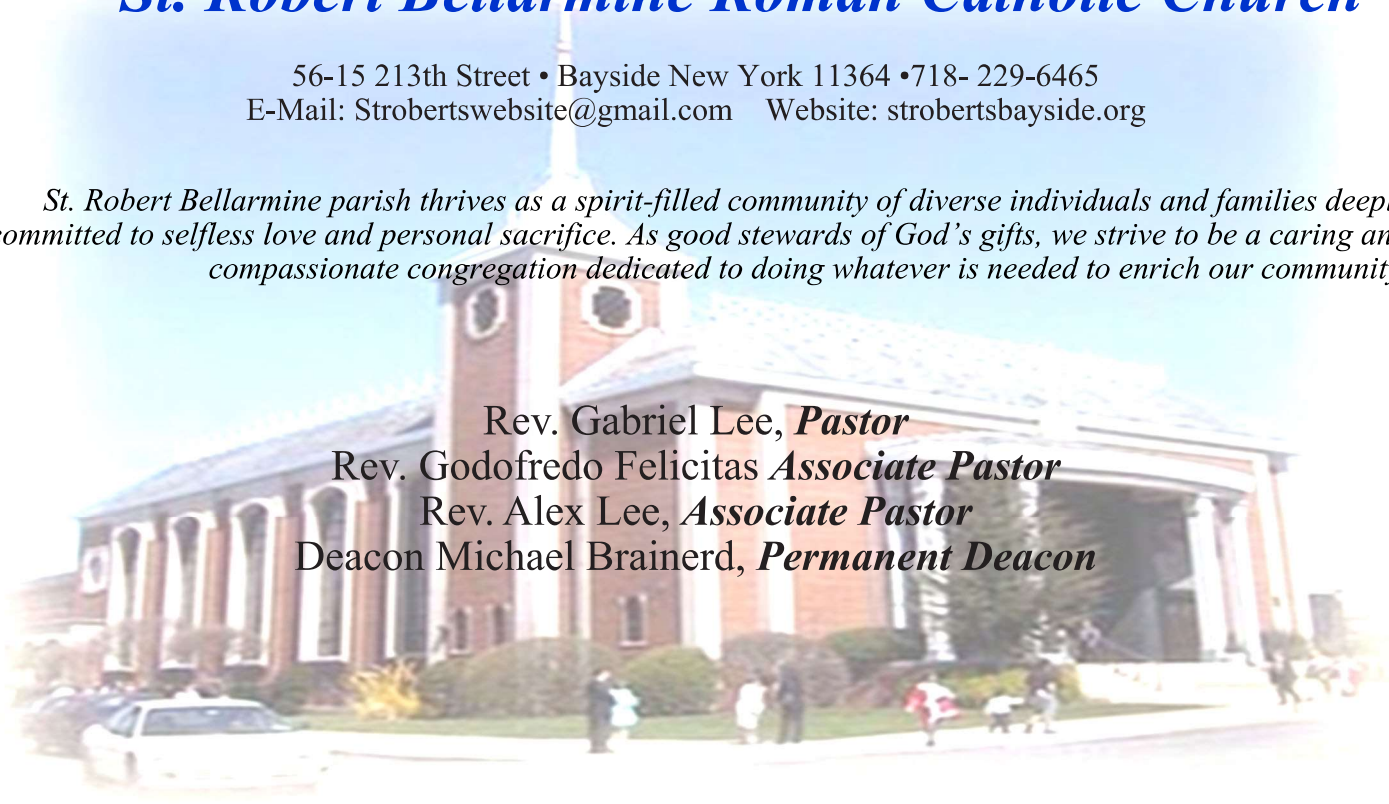


# *St. Robert Bellarmine Roman Catholic Church*

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*St. Robert Bellarmine parish thrives as a spirit-filled community of diverse individuals and families deeply committed to selfless love and personal sacrifice. As good stewards of God's gifts, we strive to be a caring and compassionate congregation dedicated to doing whatever is needed to enrich our community.*



Rev. Gabriel Lee, *Pastor*  
Rev. Godofredo Felicitas *Associate Pastor*  
Rev. Alex Lee, *Associate Pastor*  
Deacon Michael Brainerd, *Permanent Deacon*

## **Rectory**

Rectory Phone: 718-229-6465  
Rectory Fax: 718-229-8126

## **Rectory Hours**

Mon-Fri: 9am - 12 noon; 1-4pm

## **Mass Schedule**

Saturday Evening Mass 5:00 pm (English)\* 8:45pm (Korean)  
Sunday: 8:00am (English), 9:15 (Korean), 11:00am (English)

## **Weekday Masses**

Monday - Friday 9:00 am Saturday 9:00 am

## **Parish Membership**

Every parishioner must register at the Rectory upon moving into the Parish.

**To enroll in E-Giving, go to**  
[www.givecentral.org/location/687](http://www.givecentral.org/location/687)

## **Confessions**

Saturdays: 4-4:45pm

## **Holy Day of Obligation -**

Vigil Mass the night before at 7:30PM.  
Holy Day Masses: 9:00AM

## **Baptism**

2nd Saturday of the month at 12:30 pm  
Baptismal Instruction Obligatory for Parents.  
Godparents are encouraged to attend and must provide Baptismal, Confirmation & Sponsorship certificates - Class 1st Thursday of the month, Rectory 7:00 pm. All Godparents MUST be practicing Catholics. NO Baptisms during Lenten Season.

## **Marriages**

Arrangements must be made at the Rectory at least 9 months in advance. Please log on to [www.pre-cana.org](http://www.pre-cana.org) for complete information about marriage preparation in the diocese.

*February 26, 2023– First Sunday in Lent*



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**MASSES OF THE WEEK**

**SUNDAY - FEBRUARY 26TH**

8:00 Laurence Meilak-Sister & Family

11:00 Purgatorial Society

**MONDAY - FEBRUARY 27TH**

9:00 Danilo Pecson Sr. -Family

**TUESDAY-FEBRUARY 28TH**

9:00 Joseph Iaccino-Children

**WEDNESDAY—MARCH 1ST**

9:00 Mary Lambe-Fitzpatrick Family

7:30 Anna Senko-Senko Family

**THURSDAY - MARCH 2ND**

9:00 Anna Senko-Senko Family

**FRIDAY - MARCH 3RD**

9:00 Virginia Bartley-Robert Rene

**SATURDAY - MARCH 4TH**

9:00 Pat DeLuca-Friend

5:00 Paolo Cirsei-Gailing Family

**SUNDAY - MARCH 5TH**

8:00 Ethel J. McGrath—Pat & Tom McNulty

11:00 Catherine Brutsche-Martin Ferrante

**WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS**  
**February 26, 2023**

Attendance	268
Tithe	\$3262

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK**

Eileen Murray  
Maria Troina  
Maria Stella Cuneo  
Marion Higgins

\*There will be Stations of the Cross on **Fridays of Lent following the 9:00AM Mass**

\*There will be Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament (holy hour) on **Saturday's of Lent at 9:30AM**

**LIVING MEMORIAL**  
**WEEK OF FEBRUARY 26TH**

**BREAD & WINE**  
**IN MEMORY OF GAETANO VILLANI**

**Requested by the Romanzo Family**



Parish Goal: \$66,419  
Raised: \$00

### **ACA 2023 Announcement Weekend**

This weekend begin the 2023 Annual Catholic Appeal campaign in our parish. The ACA supports the mission of our parish and the daily work of the Church in Brooklyn and Queens in ways no one parish can accomplish alone by supporting the following ministries:

***Catholic Youth Ministry Initiative, Catholic Charities;  
Hospital, College and Prison Chaplains; Diocesan Vocations Office;  
Catholic Migration Services; Office of Faith Formation; Bishop Mugavero Resi-  
dence for infirmed clergy; Futures in Education Scholarship Foundation***

All donations made to the ACA above our parish goal are returned directly back to our parish for operations and improvements.





## First Week of Lent

The readings for the first Sunday of Lent call us to resist temptation through the power of Jesus Christ in our lives. As we begin the holy season of Lent, we are called to resist temptation.

Sunday, 2/26: Thank Jesus for his grace and the blessings we have received through him.

Monday, 2/27: Adam and Eve were tempted to disobey because they wanted to be like God. Pray for the humility to accept God's will for our lives.

Tuesday, 2/28: Pray for those in need and plan to give to the poor this Lent.

Wednesday, 3/1: Pray to listen more attentively to the Word of God, especially in Scripture.

Thursday, 3/2: Pray for people in power, that they will follow God's will for their lives.

Friday, 3/3: Pray for the strength to maintain our Lenten observances.

Saturday, 3/4: If you can make it to Reconciliation today, great! Even if you can't, ask God for his forgiveness for the times we have sinned.

### REMINDER

If you know someone who is ill or infirm and cannot attend Mass but would like to receive the Eucharist, please inform the Rectory. One of our Ministers of Holy Communion will be happy to visit them and administer the Sacrament that is the source and summit of our Christian life.



Lt. Daniel Vorsky

Capt. Gabriel Nin

Capt. Michael Tobin

### ST. VINCENT DEPAUL CAR PROGRAM GIVES BACK VINCENTIAN OUT- REACH PROGRAM



**St. Vincent de Paul**

St. Robert's should share in profits. For every car, truck or van running or not. St. Vincent DePaul will give back to our church \$75/\$200 per vehicle. Maybe you don't have a vehicle, but a family member, friend or neighbor has an old or neglected vehicle in their driveway that they would like to dispose of. Please call St. Vincent DePaul at 718-491-2525. Thank you for your participation.

### **New Beginnings**

What better time than at the start of a new year to bring new joy and excitement into your marriage! Consider attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter experience, where you will learn new skills to bring that joy and excitement alive in your marriage. Scan the QR code, or go to [wwme.org](http://wwme.org) to find a virtual or in-person experience. Dates for upcoming in-person weekends June 23-25, Sept. 22-24, & Nov. 17-19 in the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception, in Huntington. Virtual experience available October 5 through 11, seven sessions. Pre-registration is REQUIRED. To find other weekends and on-line experiences, please scan the QR code or call 917-699-2421.



### **ARE YOU GRIEVING?**

If you're one of the many people who have had to deal with the death of someone they cared about over the past year, and you'd like to talk with others in the same situation, our Bereavement Ministry is here for you. If you have experienced a loss and would like to get in touch with our Bereavement Ministry, please call Dorothy Hickey at 347-251-9688 and leave a message.

