

SAINT KEVIN ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

45-21 194th Street - Flushing, New York 11358

Wednesday, March 25, 2020

Dear Family,

I hope this letter finds you safe, well and healthy! We are getting through these hard times TOGETHER... "We are a family"! Trust me, we will persevere and see the brighter days! Please know that we, the clergy, are praying for you and miss and love you all very much!

Here are some updates:

Pastoral Letters:

- 1) On Saturday, March 21, 2020 I posted a pastoral letter on Facebook and our parish website about a confirmed case of the COVID-19 virus, here at St. Kevin. **Please know that she is doing well;**
- 2) Any additional letters can be found on the parish website or on our Facebook page.

Church Cleaning:

- 1) On Sunday, March 22nd and Monday, March 23, I had the Church and rectory professionally sanitized and fumigated by an approved company. A thorough cleaning of the choir loft, church and rectory was conducted.

Celebration of Mass:

- 1) We will continue to broadcast the celebration of Sunday Mass each Sunday at 10:00AM;
- 2) We will continue to broadcast our daily 9:00AM Mass. Please join us in prayer and spread the word.
- 3) If you cannot pray with us at 9:00AM, I will upload the Mass to the parish website (<http://www.stkevinflushing.org/>) so that you can view and pray at a later time;

Parish Contributions:

- 1) As you know, operations at St. Kevin continues. I ask that if your means allow and if you could find it in your heart to continue sending in your weekly donations – I will be forever grateful. But if you cannot, trust me...I truly understand!. You can mail them in, drop them off to the rectory, or you can sign up for online giving (<https://giving.ncsservices.org/App/Giving/stkevins>) click on sign in, then register for an account. I thank you from the bottom of my heart!

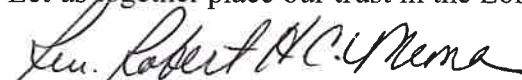
Upcoming Liturgical celebrations/events:

- 1) On Friday, March 27th I will be broadcasting live from Facebook a prayer service at **1:00PM**. Please join me as a community and follow us on Facebook (<http://www.facebook.com/stkevinflushing>);
- 2) A schedule for Holy Week will be forthcoming.

Contacting the rectory:

- 1) You are aware that the rectory is closed. However, if you are in need to speak with me or another priest, PLEASE do not hesitate to call and leave a message. We will get back to you as soon as we can. If it is an emergency please call the rectory and dial extension 3 for the emergency line. However, I ask that you utilize that extension solely for emergencies.

Let us together place our trust in the Lord and His Holy Mother!



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