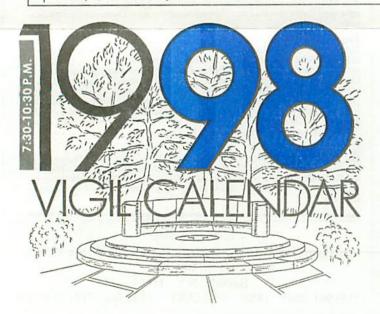


January 31	Saturday	In honor of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary
February 10	Tuesday	Eve of Our Lady of Lourdes
March 18	Wednesday	Eve of Saint Joseph
March 24	Tuesday	Eve of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
April 4	Saturday	Eve of Palm Sunday
April 11	Saturday	Eve of Easter Sunday
May 20	Wednesday	Eve of the Ascension of Our Lord
†May 30	Saturday	Eve of Pentecost Sunday & of the Queenship of Mary
June 6	Saturday	Eve of the Most Holy Trinity
June 10	Wednesday	Eve of Corpus Christi
June 18	Thursday	28th Anniversary of Our Lady's Apparitions at Bayside
July 1	Wednesday	The Most Precious Blood & Eve of the Visitation of Mary
July 15	Wednesday	Eve of Our Lady of Mount Carmel
July 25	Saturday	Eve of Saint Anne
August 1	Saturday	In honor of the 3rd Anniversary of Veronica of the Cross
August 5	Wednesday	Eve of the Transfiguration of Our Lord
August 14	Friday	Eve of Our Lady's Assumption & in honor of Saint Joachim
August 21	Friday	Eve of the Immaculate Heart of Mary
September 12	Saturday	The Holy Name of Mary & in honor of the Nativity of Our Lady
September 15	Tuesday	Our Lady of Sorrows & in honor of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross
September 28	Monday	Eve of the Dedication of Saint Michael the Archangel
†October 2	Friday	The Holy Guardian Angels & Eve of Saint Theresa
October 6	Tuesday	Eve of Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary
October 24	Saturday	Eve of Christ the King
October 31	Saturday	Eve of All Saints' Day & in honor of All Souls' Day
November 20	Friday	Eve of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
December 7	Monday	Eve of the Immaculate Conception
December 24	Thursday	Eve of the Nativity of Our Lord, Christmas Eve
December 28	Monday	The Holy Innocents
December 31	Thursday	Eve of the Octave of the Nativity of Our Lord







"We have made Our home upon these grounds."

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# Vigil and Holy Hour information

The small stone monument (exedra) commemorating the site of the Vatican Pavilion during the 1964-65 World's Fair is the location where the Vigils and Sunday Holy Hours are held. It is approximately 200 yards southeast of the Unisphere in Flushing Meadows-Corona Park, Queens, New York. The Vigils are held from 7:30-10:30 p.m. Also, Our Lady instructed Veronica in 1970 to hold a Holy Hour every Sunday, and later specified that the intentions be for the Pope and all clergy and in reparation for the profanation of the Lord's Day. This is held from 10:30-noon. The Rosary is recited continuously for the duration of both events.

### The veneration of the Rosary

The Mother of God kissed the crucifix of the Rosary that adorns the statue of Our Lady of the Roses, Mary Help of Mothers on October 29, 1994. We invite you to share in this supreme honor by kissing the crucifix yourself after the Sunday Holy Hour and before and after the Vizil.

#### Modesty of dress

This practice is held in the highest esteem by Our Lady and Our Lord. And so all good Christians should be vigilant in this regard, not only on the sacred grounds but also in their daily lives. Always observe the proper norms as established by the Vicars of Christ and Holy Tradition. Women must wear a dress or skirt below the knees and a head covering; no shorts or slacks are permitted. Men will wear loose-fitting clothes.

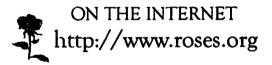
#### 1998 Rosary Procession dates

May 3—Sunday Holy Hour, May Crowning of Our Lady of the Roses (10:30 a.m.)

On the following Vigils at 7 p.m.:

May 30, June 18, August 1; October 2 (Candlelight procession. Bring your own votive lights.)

Our Lady requests all (men, women, and children) to wear white gloves.



### Hotels\* near the Apparition grounds

Adria 220-33 Northern Blvd. Bayside (800) 272-3742

Anchor 215-34 Northern Blvd. Bayside (800) 442-6246

Courtyard by Marriott 90-10 Gr. Central Pkwy at LaGuardia (800) 321-2211

Eden Park 113-10 Corona Ave. Flushing (800) 521-0099

Garden 100-15 Ditmars Blvd. at LaGuardia (800) 457-2230 Holiday Inn 104-04 Ditmars Blvd. at LaGuardia (800) 465-4329

Marriott 102-05 Ditmars Blvd. at LaGuardia (800) 228-9290

Ramada 220-33 Northern Blvd. Bayside (800) 228-2828

Sheraton LaGuardia East 135-20 39th Ave. Flushing Center (800) 325-3535

## \*Most offer special individual/group rates with generous/modest reductions for pilgrims. Mention Our Lady of the Roses Shrine.

## Directions to the Shrine

From all points south of New York City. Take Interstate 95 North, New Jersey Turnpike (toll Rd.), to Exit 13, I-278, Verrazano Narrows Bridge. Follow I-278 East all the way into New York (toll bridges along route). After crossing the Verrazano Narrows Bridge, remain on I-278 East which becomes the Brooklyn-Queens Expwy. Cars: Take Exit 39, Grand Central Parkway/La Guardia Airport/Astoria Blvd. East. Take THE GRAND CENTRAL PARKWAY EAST to Exit 9A, Whitestone Bridge/NY 25A East, Northern Blvd. When exiting, keep to the right following the sign for Shea Stadium. Take the World's Fair Marina/Shea Stadium Exit making an immediate right (practically a U-turn) onto Stadium Rd. Follow Stadium Rd. until it ends. Make a right turn onto Meridian Rd. and follow it to the Vatican Pavilion Site. Buses: And commercial vehicles (not permitted on parkways) traveling on 1-278 East, Brooklyn-Queens Expwy, take Exit 35, 1495, Long Island Expwy. Take the Long Island Expwy East to Exit 21, 108 St. Make a left turn on 108 St. and proceed one mile to Roosevelt Ave. Make a right turn onto Roosevelt Ave. After passing 114 St., make the first right turn. Follow this road into park using the signs Theatre in the Park as a mide.

From all points west of New York City. All vehicles: Take Interstate 80 East to the George Washington Bridge (toll bridge). After crossing the bridge using either the upper or lower level, follow signs for 1-95 North, Cross Bronx Expwy to Exit 6A, Whitestone Bridge/1678 South. After CROSSING THE WHITESTOME BRIDGE (toll bridge) bear to the right and follow signs for 1-678, Whitestone Expwy, Van Wyck Expwy. Take Exit 13, Grand Central Parkway/La Guardia Airport/Triboro Bridge, keeping to the far right. Take the first exit, 25A West, Northern Blvd./Shea Stadium. Proceed on Northern Blvd. through the first set of traffic lights, then take the next right, World's Fair Marina/Shea Stadium. Then make the first left under the elevated roads. Shea Stadium should be directly in front of you. Make a right turn onto Stadium Rd., and follow it down until it ends. Make a right turn onto Meridian Rd. and follow it down to the Vatican Pavilion Site.

From upstate New York. Take Interstate 87 South until it ends in New York City. Cars: Take I-278 West/Triboro Bridge/Long Island Exit to the Triboro Bridge (toll bridge). Cross the bridge and take the Grand Central Parkway East. Refer to directions above From all points south of New York City where it states: THE GRAND CENTRAL PARKWAY EAST. Buses: And commercial vehicles on I-87 South (not permitted on parkways) take I-95, Cross Bronx Expwy (exit is not numbered, but it follows Exit 9). Proceed on I-95 North to Exit 6A, Whitestone Bridge. Refer to directions above From all points west of New York City where it states: CROSSING THE WHITESTONE BRIDGE.

From New England. Take Interstate 95 South all the way to New York. Cars: Take Exit 14, Hutchinson Pkwy South/Whitestone Bridge. Buses: And commercial vehicles (not permitted on parkways) take Exit 6A, Whitestone Bridge/Bruckner Blvd. Upon exiting at 6A, SLOW DOWN! You'll be making an immediate left to the Whitestone Bridge. All vehicles: Refer to directions above From all points west of New York City where it states: CROSSING THE WHITESTONE BRIDGE.

From the Lincoln Tunnel. Upon entry in Manhattan make a right turn heading South and make a left on 34th St., crossing Manhattan. Cross 2nd Ave. and take first left to the Queens-Midtown Tunnel entrance. Upon exiting take 1495, Long Island Expwy. Care: Take 1-278 East, Brooklyn-Queens Expwy/La Guardia Airport Exit to Exit 39, Grand Central Parkway/La Guardia Airport/Astoria Blvd. East and follow signs for Grand Central Parkway East. Refer to directions above From all points south of New York City where it states: THE GRAND CENTRAL PARKWAY EAST. Buses: And commercial vehicles (not permitted on parkways) proceed on 1495, taking Exit 21, 108 St. Make a left turn on 108 St. and proceed one mile to Roosevelt Ave. Make a right turn onto Roosevelt Ave. After passing 114 St., make the first right turn. Follow this road into the park using the signs Theatre in the Park as a guide.

From Long Island. Take the Long Island Expwy, Interstate 495 West to Exit 22A, Grand Central Parkway/108 St. Cars: Take the Grand Central Parkway West to Exit 9A, Whitestone Bridge/NY 25A East, Northern Blvd. (be alert, it comes up quickly). Take the Shea Stadium Rd. and make an immediate right (practically a U-turn) onto Stadium Rd. and continue until it ends. Turn right onto Meridian Rd. and follow it to the Vatican Pavilion Site. Buses: And commercial vehicles (not permitted on parkways) when exiting at 22A from the Long Island Expwy, must take the 108 Street Exit. At first set of lights turn right onto 108 St. and proceed 1 mile to Roosevelt Ave. Make a right turn onto Roosevelt Ave. After passing 114 St., make the first right turn. Follow this Rd. into park using the signs Theatre in the Park as a guide.

By subway. From Grand Central Station or Times Square, take Flushing IRT No. 7 train to last stop, Main St., Flushing. Taxi stand located on corner of Main St. and Roosevelt Ave. One may also get off at Willets Pt./Shea Stadium Station, one stop before Main St., and walk directly to the Vigil grounds, which is a 15 to 20 minute wilk.

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