



St. Thérèse of Lisieux, R.C. Church



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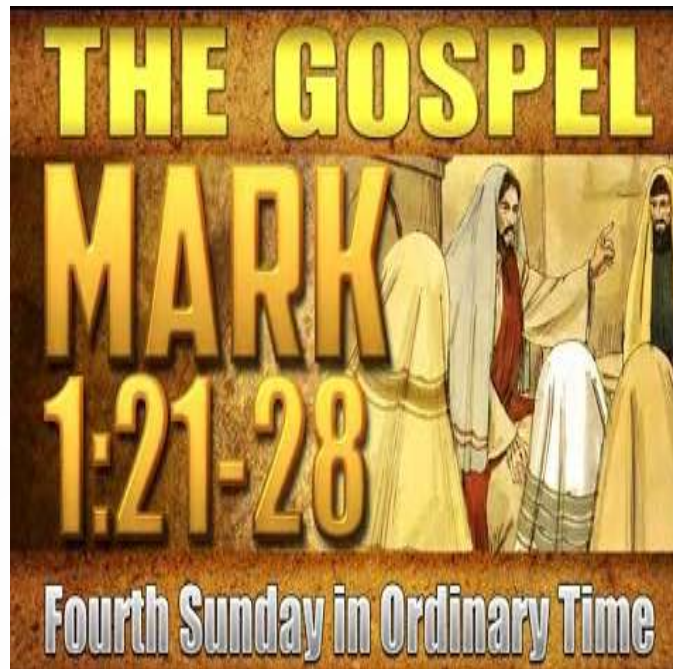
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Sunday, January 31, 2021

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary time

PARISH MISSION

To develop a strong community of faith that engages in evangelizing persons, families, communities and cultures to the Gospel of Jesus Christ.



MISYON PAWAS -LA

Pou devlope yon kominote ki djanm nan lafwa e ki angaje-l nan evanjelize moun, fanmi, kominote ak kilti dapre levanjil Jezi Kri a.

Parish Staff

Administrator

Rev. Anselmus Mawusi

Parochial Vicar

Rev. Bony Monastère

Office Secretary

Cassan Guerrier

Music Director

Mr. Edsen-Samy Renaud

Religious Education Director

Pauline Melchoir - Morris

Youth Ministry Director

Elaine Tontoh

**Mass Schedule
Monday/Lundi**

9:00am and 7:00pm

**Tuesday-Saturday
Mardi-Samedi**

9:00am

**Regular Mass Schedule
Saturday/Samedi:**

5:00 pm (Vigil Mass for (Sunday

Sunday/Dimanche:

**9:00 am (English)
11:00 am (English)
1:00 pm (Creole)**



Parish Office-Rectory
Office Hours

Monday/Lundi *Tuesday/Mardi *Thursday/Jeudi:

9:00 am-5:00 pm

Wednesday/Mercredi

10:00 am – 7:00 pm

Friday/Vendredi:

9:00 am – 3:00pm

Saturday/Samedi:

10:00am --3:00pm

Sunday/Dimanche:

9:30am -12:00pm

Adoration

of the

Blessed Sacrament



Adoration Eucharistique

Friday (Vendredi)

9:30am – 12:00pm

DEVOTIONS

The Little Flower Novena is prayed every Monday after the 9:00am and 7:00pm mass.

Nou priye Nevènn St. Thèrèse Chak Lendi apre mès 9:00 nan aswè-a.



The Miraculous Medal Novena is prayed after the 9:00am mass every Tuesday.

Nou priye Nevènn Meday Mirakilez-la chak jou apre mès 9:00 nan maten-a.



Sacrament of Reconciliation

Confession (Konfesyon)

Saturday (Samedi) 4:00 – 4:45PM

Confessions may be scheduled by appointment .

Sunday school

Sunday school provides ongoing Religious education and preparation for sacraments. Children must attend two full years of religious education before they receive the sacraments.

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Faith Formation RCIA .

Attention Adults, Older Teens Have you expressed an interest in becoming a Catholic?

Baptized in an other Christian church? or were baptized Catholic but have not received First Communion or Confirmation? We offer you an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn about our faith. Sessions meet on Sunday mornings after the 11AM Liturgy.

Interested?? Please call the rectory at 718-451-1500 and

leave your name, phone

number, email address or email at:

sttheresereled@hotmail.com

Sacrament of Matrimony

Marriage arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the wedding date. Please contact the rectory for complete information about marriage preparation in the Diocese.

Sacraments

Sacraments : are a celebration of the faith community. It is important that our members be registered and participate fully and regularly in the sacramental life of the parish.

If you would like to become a registered parishioner, please fill out a parishioner registration form located at the back of the church or stop by the rectory.



Holy Baptism

Sacrament of Baptism

To have your child receive the Sacrament of Baptism at least one parent and one godparent must be Catholic.

For registration, parents must bring a copy of the child's Birth Certificate. Godparents must bring to registration a signed and stamped sponsor letter from the church they attend.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

Please contact the rectory office if you know of any homebound person or anyone going for medical procedures who would like to be anointed by a priest or receive the Eucharist.





Mass Intentions for the Week

INTENTIONS DES MESSES DE LA SEMAINE

Sunday/Dimanche

9:00am: Marie Patrice Birthday/ Thanksgiving
Jaiden Emmanuel Davis Birthday / Thanksgiving

11:00am: People of the Parish

1:00pm: In Memory of Elmise Moise
Solette Innocent In Thanksgiving

Monday/Lundi:

Gloria Dabreo and Judy Collins Birthday / Thanksgiving
Paula Anthony Birthday / Thanksgiving
In Memory of Carl Henry Paul

Tuesday/Mardi:

In Memory of Louisa & Hubert Mark
In Memory of Carl Henry Paul

Wednesday/Mercredi:

In Memory of Dowling & Prud Homme Mark
In Memory of Carl Henry Paul

Thursday/ Jeudi:

In Memory of Sarah & Harry Noel
In Memory of Carl Henry Paul

Friday/Vendredi:

Memoriam of St. Therese of Lisieux
In Memory of Carl Henry Paul

Saturday/Samedi:

Bernadette Limage Birthday / Thanksgiving
In Memory of Carl Henry Paul

Bread & Wine

Carmen & Kenny Edouard In Thanksgivin
Ary Forbes
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Sanctuary Lights



WORDS OF ST. THERESE OF To offer oneself as a victim to Divine Love is not to offer oneself to sweetness - to consolation; but to every anguish, every bitterness, for Love lives only by sacrifice; and the more a soul wills to be surren-



Readings for this Week Lec- tures de la Semaine

Sunday/Dimanche:

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary time

Dt 18:15-20 / Ps 95: 1-2, 6-9
/ 1 Cor 7: 32-35 / Mk 1: 21-28

Monday/Lundi: The Conversion of Saint Paul, the Apostle

Heb 11: 32-40 / Ps 31: 20-24 / Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday/ Mardi: The Presentation of the Lord

Mal 3: 1-4 / Ps 24: 7-10 / Heb 2: 14-18 / Lk 2: 22-40 or 2:22-32

Wednesday/Mercredi: Saint Blaise, Bishop, Martyr; Saint Ansgar, Bishop

Heb 12: 4-7, 11-15 / Ps 103: 1-2, 13-14, 17-18a / Mk 6: 1-6

Thursday/Jeudi: Weekday

Heb 10: 19-25 / Ps 24: 1-4b, 5-6 / Mk 4: 21-25

Friday/Vendredi: Saint Agatha, Virgin, Martyr

Heb 13 : 1-8 / Ps 27: 1, 3, 5, 8b-9c / Mk 6:14-29

Saturday/Samedi: Saint Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs

Heb 13: 15-17, 20-21 / Ps 23: 1-6/ Mk 6: 30-34

Lectures du Dimanche

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary time

First Reading/1ere Lecture:

Jb 7:1-4, 6-7

Psalm/Psaume: Ps 147: 1-6

Second Reading/2eme Lecture:

1 Cor 9: 16-19, 22-23

Gospel / Evangile: Mk 1: 29-39



We pray for women who are victims of violence, that they may be protected by society and have their sufferings considered and heeded.



**St. Catherine of Genoa ~
St. Therese of Lisieux Catholic Academy**

4410 Avenue D, Brooklyn, NY 11203

Phone: 718-629-9330 Fax: 718-629-6854 Website: www.scgstl.org

Principal: Mrs. Jeannette Charles

The Academy offers a welcoming, safe, faith-filled environment where children from grades Pre-K to 8th can learn and grow to their potential.

Financial aid is available.

**REGISTRATION FOR
SUNDAY SCHOOL**

It is not too early to think about

registering your child for religious education classes for September.

Two consecutive years of instruction are required for the Sacraments of

Reconciliation and First Eucharist. If you wish your child to receive the sacraments in 2nd grade, they must attend 1st grade. You may register your child for all classes Pre-K and up.

Please call Pauline Melchior – Morris at 718-451 1671 or
email: stthereselisreligiousedu@gmail.com



RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Is this the day??? Listen.... Maybe that's the Spirit you hear inviting you to become a member of the Catholic Church. If you are thinking about becoming a Catholic, or if you have-not received the sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation call Pauline Melchior– Morris at 718– 451-1671 or email: stthereselisreligiousedu@gmail.com

**INTERCESSION OF VENERABLE
PIERRE TOUSSAINTON
BEHALF OF THE SICK**



Cynthia Williams, Cynthia Huggins, Selwyn Mitchell,
Aldwyn Mitchell, Conrad Forte, Dorothy Forte,,

Kevin Murray, Yvonne Joseph, Catherine Suba, Sherly Pierre Philippe ,
Keith Haywood, Keith Washington, Edna Scott, St. Clair A. Waterman,
Joan Griffith , Adelaide Harrop-Williams, Alvin Richard, Rose Romano, Anthony
Lagano, Grace Lagano, Audrey English, Nadine Graham, Karon Osson,
Amos Ozell Thornton, Carrie Norman,

Emmaline Holmes, Amanda Hall, Marie Salomon, Eileen Boyke , Bienvena
Houenou, John Zozzaro,

Constance Paul, Lucinda Thorton, Debora Corren, Magdalin James, Errol Albert , Yvette
Cardenas-Joseph, Lenora Whittle-Gomas Bertram & Dolores Lovell, Patrice Layne, Phyllis Joseph, Cai Henry,
Guy Dupeoux, Francesca Francis, Isaac Koeing, Chrissy Buttigieg, Guytaud Leandre,
Joe Roberti, Sylvia Marshall, Marcia Clifton, Michel Caliber, Kevin Cubero, Rene Charles, Jean–Jacques,
Ann Walker, Sharon Jones,
Marie France Badin, Bernadette Mwynica, Elsa Gibbs, Bernard Wade, Maria McCauley, Derick Joyean Jr,
Hilma Maitland, Judy Collins, Pansy Stewart, Judy Williams, Ben Williams, Robert
Desantos, Adrian Williams, Merita Salomon, Madonna Boyke,
Bernadine Alexis, Phona Alexis Seye, Fatou Seye, Sydney Fleary, Marc Muller, Diane Muller, Marcella
Glean, Sylvia Marie Tertulien, Rutvin Berley, Malcolm Hall, Wilbert Benjamin, Sawueil Hilare, ,
Victor Wilson,



Annual Catholic Appeal

DIocese of Brooklyn

St. Therese of Lisieux Parish did not reach the Annual Catholic Appeal goal for this year of 2020, we are \$4, 545.00 behind . Please complete your donations to the Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA) as soon as possible. Thank you to all who have made sacrifices to support the ACA for 2020.

MASS INTENTIONS



Take advantage of the privilege and blessing the church offers us to request a Mass for our Intentions (In Memory of a Loved One, In Thanksgiving, for healing, for achievement, etc.). Stop by the Rectory Office

window to submit your Mass intentions.

Donations include:

- Weekday Masses(Mon-Fri) \$15.00**
- Weekend Masses (Sat. and Sun.) \$30.00**
- Bread and Wine, or Sanctuary Lamp Candles \$30.00**

NOTE:

Tax contribution letters will be provided, upon request only, after January 31, 2021.

Taks kontribusyon
Yap bay lèt yo
sou demann sèlman
Aprè 31 Januyè 2021

Church Attendance

Number of Parishioners and Friends present for	Number of Parishioners and Friends present for
<u>January 16th</u>	<u>January 23rd</u>
<u>January 17th</u>	<u>January 24th</u>
<u>Saturday (Samedi)</u>	<u>Saturday (Samedi)</u>
5pm Mass: 24	5pm Mass: 39
<u>Sunday (Dimanche):</u>	<u>Sunday (Dimanche):</u>
9:00am Mass: 33	9:00am Mass: 31
11:00am Mass: 26	11:00am Mass: 25
1:00pm Mass: 66	1:00pm Mass: 45
Total: 149	Total: 140



<u>Collections received for</u>	<u>Collections received for</u>
<u>January 16th</u>	<u>January 23rd</u>
<u>January 17th</u>	<u>January 24th</u>
<u>Tithing Envelopes:</u>	<u>Tithing Envelopes:</u>
<u>Saturday (Samedi)</u>	<u>Saturday (Samedi)</u>
5pm: \$ 583	5pm: \$ 659
<u>Sunday (Dimanche):</u>	<u>Sunday (Dimanche):</u>
<u>9:00am Mass:</u>	<u>9:00am Mass:</u>
\$ 738	\$ 480
<u>11:00am Mass</u>	<u>11:00am Mass</u>
\$ 673	\$ 513
<u>1:00pm Mass</u>	<u>1:00pm Mass</u>
\$ 843	\$ 761
<u>Mail Box</u>	<u>Mail Box</u>
\$ 1,905	\$ 1,860
Total: \$ 4,742	Total: \$ 4,273

Food Pantry

The Food Pantry Office is open on Tuesdays From 10:30AM –12:30 PM.



Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 31, 2021

St. Paul tells us in today's reading "to be free of anxiety." St. Francis de Sales gives us some advice on how to cope with anxiety:

There is a real temptation to become dissatisfied with the world and distressed about it when we have of necessity to be in it. We imagine we would feel better if we were on another ship. That may be, but only if we change ourselves! Solitude has its assaults, the world its busyness. In either place we must be courageous since in either place divine help is available to those who trust in God and who humbly and gently beg for God's caring assistance.

One of the sources of our anxieties is our self-centered love. Why are we surprised by our imperfections? We want nothing but consolation. When we experience our own misery and weaknesses, let us do three things and we will have peace. Let us have a pure intention of seeking in all things, the honor and glory of God. Let us do the little we can toward this end and leave to God the care of the rest.

These little attacks of anxiety and sadness that are brought on by the multiplicity of our responsibilities permit us to practice the dearest and best virtues that Jesus recommended to us: gentleness and trust in God. True virtue is not produced by outward idleness, anymore than healthy fish are raised in the stagnant waters of swamps.

To protect ourselves from surprise attacks of anxiety, where we become resentful and ready to flare up if anyone crosses us, we must often arouse in our hearts patience and courage. But when we do totter and fall, we must not be ashamed of being a little grimy and dusty. It is better to be covered with dust than with sores. If we place ourselves in God's care and let the heavenly dew of God's love heal us, all will be well.



PRAYER FOR HEALING

Lord, look upon me with eyes of mercy, may your healing hand rest upon me, may your life giving powers flow into every cell of my body and into the depths of my soul, cleansing, purifying, restoring me to wholeness and strength for service in your Kingdom. Amen.




Catholic Charities Brooklyn and Queens can help you apply for rent relief via the NYS COVID Rent Relief Extension Program
NYS COVID RENT RELIEF EXTENSION PROGRAM.

This program assists low-income households experiencing an increase in their rent burden during April 1- July 31, 2020 due to a loss of income due to COVID-19 by providing a one-time payment covering the increased rent burden for 1-4 months.

you Must be a renter living in New York State. Before March 7, 2020 and at the time of the application household income (including unemployment benefits) must be below 80% of HUD's Area Median Income. Loss of income between April 1 - July 31, 2020. Paid more than 30% of your household income for rent between April 1 - July 31,2020. Visit hcr.ny.gov/RRP for additional qualifications. For more information and to apply, please email

Deacon Jean Rameau at jean.rameau@ccbq.org or call 917-960-1232 with client name, residence, and phone number.

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP BULLETIN

F	O	N	N	R	T	I	T	P	S	CAPERNAUM	SABBATH	SYNAGOGUE
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Parish Stewardship Program

Dear Friends and Members of our Parish,
Over the past several months, we have come together to reflect on our blessings and consider how we can share our time, talent, and t our friends, family, and broader parish community.



Through this process of discernment, we have invited each of you to invest in the future of St. Therese of Lisieux through our *Parish Stewardship Program*.

I am truly grateful for your vision and your commitment to maintaining our parish as a beacon of faith for others. Thank you for your support and prayers through this endeavor. I look forward to sharing updates of our continued success in the weeks ahead. For those that still wish to participate, please complete a form online at <https://catholicfoundationbq.org/PSP/>.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Fr. Anselmus Mawusi

I WISH TO PARTICIPATE



If you were unable to submit a response card during our Stewardship Weekend and would like to join our parish families, please fill one out at <https://catholicfoundationbq.org/PSP/> or mail the card to our parish office.

INTERESTED IN ONLINE GIVING???

Online Giving is a *fast* and *secure* way to support our parish.

You can access our E-Giving Page at: <https://www.givecentral.org/location/679>

Or simply text the word **SUNDAY** to
(929) 305-1055