



Parish Office Rectory  
Office Hours



**The Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Confession (Konfesyon)

Saturday (Samedi) 4:00 – 4:45PM

Confessions may be scheduled by appointment .

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

9:00 am-5:00 pm

**Wednesday/Mercredi**

9:00 am – 7 < p>am 2 "

**Friday/Vendredi:**

9:00 am – 3:00pm

**Saturday/Samedi:**

Closed

**Sunday/Dimanche:**

Closed



**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 .**



**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

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 .

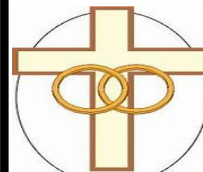
Nou priye Nevènn St. Therèse Chak Lendi apre mès 9:00 nan maten.



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 Marriage

**The 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.

**The 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.



**The 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.*

**The 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.



INTENTIONS DES MESSSES DE LA SEMAINE

Sunday/Dimanche

9:00 am: People of the Parish

11:00 am: Rachel Rejouis Birthday / Thanksgiving

1:00 pm: Cassan Guerrier Birthday / Thanksgiving

Monday/Lundi:

9:00am: Gabriela & Jose Di Fillipo  
Birthday / Thanksgiving

Tuesday/Mardi:

9:00am: Mr & Mrs. Lorimer Denis In Thanksgiving

Wednesday/Mercredi:

9:00am: Maryse Michaud Birthday / Thanksgiving

Thursday/ Jeudi:

9:00am: In Memory of Caridad Mathurin &  
St. Helonge Abraham

Friday/Vendredi:

9:00am: In Memory of St. Antoine & St. Jacques  
le Majeur , le Mineur  
Max Emmanuel Francois Birthday/ Thanksgiving

Saturday/Samedi:

9:00am: People of the Parish

5:00pm: People of the Parish

**Bread & Wine**

Carmen Edouard In Thanksgiving



Readings for this Week

Lectures de la Semaine

**The Epiphany of the Lord**

Is 60:1-6 / Ps 72: 1-2, 7-8, 10-13 / Eph 3:2-3a,  
5-6 / Mt 2:1-12

**Monday/Lundi: The Most Holy Name of Jesus**

1 Jn 5 : 4-5 / Ps 72: 17bc-8, 10-12a / Mt 4:  
12-17, 23-25

**Tuesday/ Mardi: Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious**

1 Jn 4: 7-10 / Ps 72: 1-4, 7-8 /  
Mt 6:34-44

**Wednesday/Mercredi: Saint John Neumann Bishop**

1 Jn 4: 11-18 / Ps 72: 1-2, 10, 12-133 /  
Mk 6:45-52

**Thursday/Jeudi: Saint Andre Bessette, Religious**

1 Jn 4: 3-7 / Ps 72: 1-2, 14, 15bc, 17 / Lk  
4:14-22a

**Friday/Vendredi: Saint Raymond Penyafort, Priest**

1 Jn 5: 5-13 / Ps 147 :12-15, 19-20 /  
Lk 5:12-16

**Saturday/Samedi: Christmas Weekday**

1 Jn 5 : 14-21 / Ps 149: 1-6a, 9b / Jn 3:22-30

**Lectures du Dimanche Prochain**

**Sunday/Dimanche: The Baptism of the Lord**

First Reading/1ere Lecture: Is 42:1-4, 6-7

Psalm/Psaume: Ps 29: 1-4, 9-10

Second Reading/2eme Lecture: Acts 10:34-38

Gospel / Evangile: Lk 3:15-16, 21-22



WORDS OF ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

"I applied myself above all to practice quite hidden little acts of virtue; thus I liked to fold the mantles forgotten by the Sisters, and sought a thousand opportunities of rendering them service. ."

Story of a Soul

Paroles de St. Therese de L'Enfant Jesus

Je voudrai parcourir la terre et annoncer L'evangile



**Pope Francis**

**Prayer Intentions for the Month of January**

**For true human fraternity**

We pray for all those suffering from religious discrimination and persecution; may their own

rights and dignity be recognized, which originate from being brothers and sisters in the human family.



## 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](http://www.scgstl.org)

Principal: Mrs. Darlene Morris .

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.

**TO APPLY** : Starting January 14, 2022 go to [www.futuresineducation.org](http://www.futuresineducation.org)

From the main menu, click SCHOLARSHIP and Then Apply.

Rev. Anselmus Mawusi

Administrator St. Therese of Lisieux Parish

Rev. Raphael Munday

Administrator St. Catherine of Genoa Parish

Let your child take flight on the wings of a Catholic education!



### Please note

Registration for the year 2021-2022 for Sunday school has begun.

Everyone has to re-register. Registration is \$50 per child, \$75 for two children. and \$100 for 3 or more children. You can register online through St. Therese's website or at the rectory.

### Parish Nurse office

The Parish Nurse office will be opened every **Friday** from **10 am to 12 noon** until further notice. Please **Email: [sttherese nurses@gmail.com](mailto:sttherese nurses@gmail.com)**

**Call the Rectory: 718-451-1500**

### FLU SHOT

This year the Flu and Covid 19 will likely circulate at the same time, therefore getting the flu vaccine is more important than ever. The Flu vaccine will not prevent Covid19 but will help decrease the risk of you and your family getting sick and needing medical care. Make your appointment with your health care provider, neighborhood pharmacy or call 311 for a center close to you giving flu shots.



### INTERCESSION OF VENERABLE PIERRE TOUSSAINT ON BEHALF OF THE SICK

*Cynthia Williams, Cynthia Huggins, Selwyn Mitchell, Aldwyn Mitchell, Dorothy Forte., Kevin Murray, Yvonne Joseph, Catherine Suba, Sherly Pierre Philippe, Keith Haywood, Keith Washington, Edna Scott, St. Clair A. Waterman, Joan Griffith, Alvin Richard, Rose Romano, Anthony Lagano, Grace Lagano, Audrey English, Nadine Graham, Karon Osson, Amos Ozell Thornton, Carrie Norman, Emmaline Holmes, Amanda Hall, Eileen Boyke, Bienvena Houenou, John Zozzaro, Constance Paul, Lucinda Thorton, Debora Corren, Magdalin James, Errol Albert, Yvette Cardenas-Joseph, Lenora Whittle-Gomas, Phyllis Joseph, Cai Henry, Guy Dupeoux, Francesca Francis, Guytaud Leandre, Joe Roberti, Sylvia Marshall, Marcia Clifton, Michel Caliber, Kevin Cubero, Rene Charles, Jean-Jacques, Sharon Jones, Marie France Badin, Bernadette Mwynica, Maria McCauley, Derick Joyean Jr, Elma Maitland, Judy Collins, Judy 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, Phyllis Alexander, Jennifer Abraham, Eric Tomala his Wife and Son, Max Andre Francois, Evans Lorquet, Koren Sealley, Leonora Best, Blanche Haywood, Cynthia McCoy, Marie Cherfils*



The 2021 Annual Catholic Appeal 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:

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

Apèl Katolik pou Ane 2021. Chak ane Pawas nou an ansanm ak Dyosez Brooklyn pran yon angajman espesyal pou Apèl Katolik la ki ede yo sipòte yon seri pwogram nan tout Brooklyn ak Queens, aktivite sa yo pote gwo chanjman nan lavi yon pakèt moun ak yon pakèt fanmi kap viv nan vwazinaj nou. Nou remèsye nou pou kontribisyon nou pou ane 2020 an, epi nou konte sou patisipasyon nou pou ane 2021 an pou nou kontinye ede sila yo ki nan grangou, ki pa gen kay, ki pa kap bay pitit yo yon edikasyon nan yon lekòl katolik. Nou di nou mèsi alavans epi se pou Bondye kontinye beni nou ansanm ak fanmi nou.

**Our Parish Goal:** \$58,322.00  
**Amount Pledged:** \$65,515.00  
**Received:** \$59,181.69  
**Donors:** 166

Number of Parishioners and Friends present for

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December 18th

December 25th

December 19th

December 26th

Saturday (Samedi)

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5pm Mass: 31

5pm Mass: 10

Sunday (Dimanche):

Sunday (Dimanche):

9:00am Mass: 84

9:00am Mass: 63

11:00am Mass: 45

11:00am Mass: 34

1:00pm Mass: 82

1:00pm Mass: 79

Total: 242

Total: 186

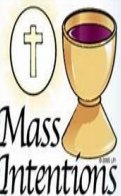


**Collections received for**  
**December 18th**  
**December 19th**  
**Tithing Envelopes:**  
**Saturday (Samedi)**  
 5pm: 955  
**Sunday (Dimanche):**  
 9:00am Mass:  
 \$ 1,921  
 11:00am Mass  
 \$ 568  
 1:00pm Mass  
 \$ 744  
**Rectory Mail Box**  
 \$ 1,098

**Collections received for**  
**December 25th**  
**December 26th**  
**Tithing Envelopes:**  
**Saturday (Samedi)**  
 5pm: 240  
**Sunday (Dimanche):**  
 9:00am Mass:  
 930  
 11:00am Mass  
 \$ 497  
 1:00pm Mass  
 \$ 1,042  
**Rectory Mail Box**  
 \$ 2,598

**Total: \$ 5,286**

**Total: \$ 5,307**



**MASS BOOK FOR 2022/MÈS 2022**

*We will be taking Mass Intentions for the 2022 Mass Book.*

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

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Profite avantaj legliz la ba nou pou rekòmande yon mès nan entansyon nou-ke se an memwa de yon fanmiy, zanmi nou ki mouri ou byen nap di Bondye mèsi pou benediksyon, ccgerizon, nou resevwa. Tanpri pase nan presbitè-a pou bay entansyon nou. Donasyon pou: Mès Lasemèn \$15, Mes weekend: \$30. Pen ak Diven, ou bouji pou lanp sanktuèr: \$30. Nou ankouraje-w rekòmande mès ki deja etabli nan pawas la, paske pa gen mès espesyal an deyò mès regilye yo.



The Food Pantry Office is open on Tuesdays From 10:30AM – 3 4 <PM.2 "





## The Epiphany of the Lord

In today's Gospel, on the Feast of the Epiphany, we experience the confidence of the Gentile magi, who seek God's goodness in the Christ Child. Confidence to trust in God's goodness is a constant theme in St. Francis de Sales' writings: The Magi from the East, confidently following the Star of Bethlehem, seek to render homage to the newborn Infant lying in a manger. They find no pleasure in the beauty of the city of Jerusalem, or in the magnificence of Herod's court. Their hearts seek the little cave at Bethlehem and its little Child. They rigorously forsake every other pleasure so that they may more strongly find pleasure in God's presence in the Christ Child.

Let us come close to our Savior in the divine crib and listen to the many inspirations and affections that awaken us to God's goodness. It may be very difficult at times to trust in God. We may even feel no confidence in God. Yet in these times of difficulties, we still have the power to make a simple act of confidence in God. We can say, "While I feel no confidence in You, I know that you are my God, and that I am all yours." ö

We must not be distressed if we make these acts without fervor. Our Lord loves them better thus, for our lips speak what our heart wills. In this way we make continual progress in holy love, our journey toward wholeness. Our confidence is in God who is unchangeable and not in ourselves who are constantly changing. No one can ever trust in God without reaping the fruits of this confidence. Like the Magi following the Star of Bethlehem, let us pursue divine love with the confidence that we are continually being made whole in Christ—Who guides all those that choose to walk in His radiant light. (Adapted from the writings of St. Francis de Sales, particularly the Sermons, L. Fiorelli, Ed.)

### PRAYER FOR THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Let us pray [that we may be guided by the light of faith.]

Father, you revealed your Son to the nations by the guidance of a star. Lead us to your glory in Heaven by the light of faith.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son

## New Year's Word Search Puzzle

B	P	M	Q	N	U	I	T	Z	I	H	V	P	N	N
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S	E	C	X	C	S	D	R	A	C	X	N	S	Q	M
J	L	M	R	A	C	P	X	P	U	Y	J	S	O	D
V	A	S	K	R	O	W	E	R	I	F	Y	E	M	L
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C	W	D	L	O	S	G	N	I	T	E	E	R	G	C

BEGINNING	REFLECTION
CALENDAR	RESOLUTION
CARDS	RIBBON
CELEBRATION	SNOW
COLD	TOAST
CONFETTI	WINE
END	
FIREWORKS	
GLASSES	
GREETINGS	
IN	
MIDNIGHT	
NEW	
OLD	
OUT	

