



St. Thérèse of Lisieux, R.C. Church



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Sunday, July 31, 2022

Eighteenth 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.

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MISYON PAWAS -LA

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



PARISH STAFF

Rev. Anselmus Mawusi: **Administrator**

Rev. Bony Monastère: **Parochial Vicar**

Ms. Cassan Guerrier: **Office Secretary**

Mr. Edsen-Samy Renaud: **Music Director**

Mrs. Pauline Melchoir - Morris:
Religious Education Director

EUCCHARIST SCHEDULE

Saturday/Samedi:

9:00am Morning Mass/5:00pm Virgil Mass

Sunday/Dimanche:

9:00am (English)/11:00 am (English)

1:00 pm (Creole)

Weekdays

Monday/Lundi-Friday/Vendredi 9:00a(English)



Rectory Office Hours
Monday/Lundi -Thursday/Jeudi: 9:00 am-5:00 pm
Friday/Vendredi: 9:00 am – 3:00pm
Saturday/Samedi: Closed **Sunday/Dimanche:** Closed

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.

Adoration
 of the
 Blessed Sacrament



Adoration Eucharistique
 Friday (Vendredi)
 9:30am – 12:00pm

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.



Holy Baptism

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 Reconciliation

Confession (Konfesyon)
 Saturday (Samedi) 4:00 – 4:45PM
 Confessions may be scheduled by appointment .



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 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.



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 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: stthereselisreligiousedu@gmail.com



YOUTH MINISTRY ARISE & SERVE

St. Therese of Lisieux leaders and members invite all youth to join our youth ministry. The youth ministry works to empower young people (Grades 6-12) to live as disciples of Jesus Christ in today's world. The youth ministry meets every Saturday during the months of September-June at 11am in our school gym. During this time, we pray, worship, read and discuss Sunday mass readings, engage in discussions about current events, have creative art sessions, games, snacks, and FUN.



Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Sunday/Dimanche

9:00 am: In Memory of Inez Muller Culmer

11:00 am: Kailah Write Birthday / Thanksgiving
In Memory of Conrad Forte

1:00 pm: Myrienne Dure Birthday / Thanksgiving

Monday/Lundi:

9:00am: Marie Exume Birthday / Thanksgiving

Tuesday/Mardi:

9:00am: Rev. Anselmus Mawusi Strength / Blessing

Wednesday/Mercredi:

9:00am: People of the Parish

Thursday/ Jeudi:

9:00am: Anetha Evans Birthday / Thanksgiving

Friday/Vendredi:

9:00am: : Marie Cantave Birthday / Thanksgiving

Saturday/Samedi:

9:00am: Deshon Humphrey Birthday / Thanksgiving

5:00pm: Felicia Darcheville Birthday / Thanksgiving

Bread & Wine

Carmen Edouard In Thanksgiving

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Sanctuary Lights



Readings for this Week Lectures de la Semaine

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ecc1 1: 2; 2:21-23 / Ps 90: 3-6, 12-14, 17 / Col 3:1-5, 9-11 / Lk 12:13-21

Monday/Lundi: Saint Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

Jer 28: 1-17 / Ps 119: 29, 43, 79-80, 95, 102 / Mt 14: 13-21

Tuesday/ Mardi: Saints Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; Saint Peter Julian Eymard, Priest

Jer 30: 1-2, 12-15, 18-22 / Ps 102: 1623, 29 / Mt 14: 22-36

Wednesday/Mercredi: Weekday

Jer 31: 1-7 / (Ps) Jer 31: 10-12b, 13 / Mt 15: 21-28

Thursday/Jeudi: Saint John Vianney, Priest

Jer 31: 31-34 / Ps 51: 12-15, 18-19 / Mt 16:13-23

Friday/Vendredi: The Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major

Na 2: 1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7 / (Ps) Dt 32:35c-36b, 39abcd, 41 / Mt 16: 24-28

Saturday/Samedi: The Transfiguration of the Lord

Dn 7: 9-10, 13-14 / Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9 / 2 Pt 1:16-19 / Lk 9:28b-36

Lectures du Dimanche Prochain

Sunday/Dimanche: Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading/1ere Lecture: Wis 18: 6-9

Psalm/Psaume: Ps 33: 1, 12, 18-22

Second Reading/2eme Lecture: Heb 11: 1-2, 8-19

Gospel / Evangile: Lk 12:32-48



Prayer Requests

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, , Keith Haywood, Keith Washington, Edna Scott, Joan Griffith , Alvin Richard, Rose Romano, Audrey English, Nadine Graham, Karon Osson, Amos Ozell Thornton, Carrie Norman, Emmaline Holmes, Amanda Hall, Eileen Boyke , Bien-vena 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, Judith Belfon Yvonne DeSouza , Max Emmanuel Francois, Tanisha Lorquet, Kervens St.Fort, Yvrose Pierre, Denese Alexander



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. 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 : go to www.futuresineducation.org

From the main menu, click SCHOLARSHIP and Then Apply.

Rev. Anselmus Mawusi

Administrator St. Therese of Lisieux Parish

Rev. Raphael Munday

Pastor St. Catherine of Genoa Parish

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

Sunday School Registration



Sunday school provides ongoing religious education and preparation for the sacraments. Children attending Public Schools or private schools other than Roman Catholic should attend Sunday school. We have classes from Pre-k on up to the 8th grade.

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. Everyone has to re-register. Registration form is available in back of the Church or at the rectory office.

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.

Mrs. Pauline Melchoir-Morris Director of Religious Education

BAPTISM SCHEDULE

To have your children 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.

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BAPTISM SCHEDULE FOR AUGUST 2022

Baptism Class :

Wednesday, August 17th at 7:30PM

Baptism Ceremony :

Saturday, August 20th at 1:00PM (Creole)

Saturday, August 27th at 1:00PM (English)



Pope Francis Prayer Intentions for the Month of July Elderly

We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.



WORDS OF ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

"Love alone have I ever given to the good God; with love He will repay me.

Story of A Soul, Chapter XII."

Paroles de St. Therese de L' Enfant Jesus

« Après ma mort, Je ferai tomber Une pluie de roses, Je veux passer mon ciel A faire du bien sur la Terre »

St. Therese de Lisieux



The 2022 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:

Catholic Youth Ministry Initiative, Catholic Charities, Hospital, College and Prison Chaplains; Diocesan Vocations Office; Catholic Migration Services; Office of Faith Formation; Bishop Mugavero Residence for infirmed clergy; Future 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

Apèl Katolik pou Ane 2022. 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 2022 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 mèsè alavans epi se pou Bondye kontinye beni nou ansanm ak fanmi nou.

Our Parish Goal: \$58,322.00

Amount Pledged: \$40,054.85

Received: \$26,049.26

Donors: 84

Number of Parishioners and Friends present for
July 16th
July 17th
Saturday (Samedi)
5pm Mass: 25

Sunday (Dimanche):
9:00am Mass: 74

11:00am Mass: 42

1:00pm Mass: 58

Total: 199

Number of Parishioners and Friends present for
July 23rd
July 24th
Saturday (Samedi)
5pm Mass: 65

Sunday (Dimanche):
9:00am Mass: 54

11:00am Mass: 49

1:00pm Mass: 79

Total: 247



Collections received for

July 16th

July 17th

Tithing Envelopes:
Saturday (Samedi)

5pm: 550

Sunday (Dimanche):

9:00am Mass:

\$ 1, 001

11:00am Mass

\$ 917

1:00pm Mass

\$ 736

Rectory Mail Box

\$ 345

Total: \$ 3, 549

Collections received for

July 23rd

July 24th

Tithing Envelopes:
Saturday (Samedi)

5pm: 899

Sunday (Dimanche):

9:00am Mass:

\$ 792

11:00am Mass

\$ 750

1:00pm Mass

\$ 750

Rectory Mail Box

\$ 1,000

Total: \$ 4, 191



MASS BOOK FOR 2022/MÈS 2022

We are 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 mèsè pou benediksyon, gerizon, 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 every other Tuesdays From 10:30AM –12:30 PM.



Parish Nurse office

The Parish Nurse office will be opened every **Friday** from **10:00 am to 12:00 noon** until further notice. Please **Email:** stthereseptnures@gmail.com **Call the Rectory: 718-451-1500**

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Today's Scripture readings call us to do some reflecting on the way we live as a baptized follower of Jesus. St. Paul reminds us that we have been given a share in the life of Jesus by our baptism. We are called to focus our way of living our daily life in a new way - a way that is influenced by Jesus' life, death and resurrection. As Jesus has told us: the only thing that gives our life here on earth ultimate value is remembering that life is a gift of God, and it is given to us to lead us to eternal life with God.

With that perspective in mind, we can appreciate the viewpoint of Qoheleth in today's first reading: "All things in this life are vanity" - a mere breath, a vapor - transient and ultimately empty. All the hard work and worry we may put into accumulating things here on earth - what will it ultimately matter when we come to die? The Lord isn't going to ask us: "How much did you make during your life?" He will ask us: "How much did you love?"

And our willingness to love flows from the new life given to us in baptism. Because we share the life of God, we are able to love as God loves. If we choose to live and love in this manner, then the way we live will be different from the way those live whose only concern is this world and all it has to offer.

In order to live and love as God does, we will have to learn to discipline our choices to follow the lead of grace. And grace will call us to rise above evil desires, passion, lust and uncleanness. Lying has no part in anyone who genuinely loves. Neither does prejudice nor discrimination. Love is about treating everyone with dignity and respect - as brothers and sisters who are the image of the Creator.

All of us can benefit from some prayerful reflection on today's word from our God. May our reflection lead us to grow in knowledge and grace. May we be formed anew each day in the image of our Creator. Then our daily living will help us to grow rich in the sight of God and bring us ultimately to share his life forever.

DISETYÈM DIMANCH NAN TAN ÒDINÈ

Premye lekti a soti nan Liv Egzòd la epi li reflekte plenyen kont Bondye. Pa janm gen anyen ki satisfè moun nèt, ni moun ki nan Ansyen Testaman an, moun ki nan Nouvo Testaman an, ni moun ki nan epòk pa nou an. Se toujou menm agiman yo: Nou nan yon move sitiyasyon epi ou, O Bondye, pa fè anyen! Èske gen yon Bondye vre? Pwobableman pa. Gen plis chans li se jis moun ki vle kwè nan bagay fou ki twonpe nou nan kwè ke gen yon Bondye. Nou pi byen ak byen monn sa a, olye ke nou vle yon bagay ki pa menm pou asire w."

Dezyèm lekti a toujou mete aksan sou sa, Dezi twonpe! Toujou nou gen dezi. Men, se pa toujou nou gade dezi nou yo pou wè si yo pral mennen nou nan Bondye. Olye de sa, nou vle onore dezi nou yo, kit yo bon kit yo twonpe.

Li fasil pou w sanble ak moun ki peple lekti jodi a. Li fasil paske valè kilti nou yo souvan fèmen nou nan enkyetid oto-santre ak pwòp tèt ou absòbe. Valè kilti nou an anprizone nou ak pwòp ajanda nou yo. Valè kilti nou yo pa gen okenn sans ke mond lan pa sou mwenn men sou nou tout ki se pitit Bondye. Nou toujou Oliver Twist. Ak youn nan danje ki genyen nan anvi sa yo se ke li pa janm satiable kòm pèp Latin yo ta di "amor habendi habendo crescit" renmen nan gen ogmante pa gen.

Se poutèt sa Jezi nan Levanjil la di nou ke remèd lafwa a se travay pa pou sa ki peri men pou sa ki andire pou lavi etènèl. E sa ki andire pou lavi etènèl se "zèv Bondye". Epi nou reyalize zèv Bondye yo lè lafwa nou chita nan Pitit Bondye a ki te tèlman renmen nou ke li te lonje bra l sou kwa a epi li te ban nou tèt li san rezèv. Pou reyalize zèv Bondye yo se suiv moun ki gen lavi nou pataje chak fwa nou resevwa ekaristik la. Pou reyalize zèv Bondye yo se vin Kris la ki se Pen lavi a.

Mezanmi, nou rele jodi a pou nou manje pen ki bay lavi a ki manifeste nan pawòl la ak nan ekaristik la. Lavi nou tou pou chanje selon kò Jezi sa a. Jan Sen Ogisten ta souvan fini lamès nan di pèp li a: "Se pou nou manje." Pandan n ap resevwa ekaristik la jodi a, se pou nou "se" prezans Kris la ki renmen ak pran swen nan monn nou an jodi a. Se pou nou motive pa yon rekonesans lajwa pou sa nou deja genyen ak yon enkyetid konstan pou bezwen ak enkyetid lòt moun.

Kidonk, frè m ak sè m yo, yo rele nou nan lavi sakre e li enpòtan pou nou aprann ke lè nou peye twòp atansyon sou bagay materyèl, nou pèdi sans espiyèl lavi a. Relasyon nou ak Bondye e, an reyalite, ak lòt moun pa dwe baze sèlman sou kantite bagay materyèl nou kapab jwenn nan men yo. Dezi ilizori anpeche nou apresye bonte Bondye. Yo kite nou ak arid espiyèl. Aridity espiyèl se rasin tout feblès yo. Se tankou yon maladi ki manje twal ogàn yon moun. Li kite yon sèl ki pa gen okenn iminite pou goumen kont atak la nan lènmi an. Olye de sa, li ekspoze yon moun nan tout kalite danje. Kidonk, mete yon nonm nouvo sou nou vle di pwoteje ak nouri nanm nou espiyèlman, sitou, lè kò fizik nou an fèb ak soufri. Lavi nou dwe renouvle ak modele sou pen selès nou manje a. Ann swiv Jezi ak lafwa. Swa Jezi oswa anyen. Jezi se tout nou.

Bondye beni ou!

Fr. Augustine Ikechukwu Oparaki mechan, ou ka jenere ak pwochen w yo. " Kidonk, kontinye priye. pa lage. Lapriye pèsistan se yon prèv lafwa ki dirab.

Nan mès sa a, nou mande Bondye pou l ban nou favè pou nou pèsistan nan lavi lapriye nou epi pou nou resevwa bon nouvèl sou yon bagay nou t ap tann avèk pasyans. Amèn.



The Gift of Glasses

Help Combat Vision Impairment and Blindness consider giving the gift of an eyeglass.

A donation box for sunglasses, prescription, non-prescription, exceptionally strong, or wear prescriptions eyeglass for children and adults is in the church's vestibule.



Brothers and Sisters

After careful consideration and multiple requests from both in and out of the Parish, it was decided to reopen up our facilities for events. Please be advised that in light of increased costs across the board, rental prices, Driven mostly by maintenance, have also increased.

Our new rental prices are as follows :

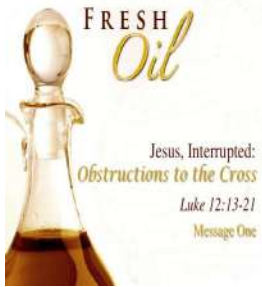
* Gym - \$1,200.

* Auditorium : \$1,500.

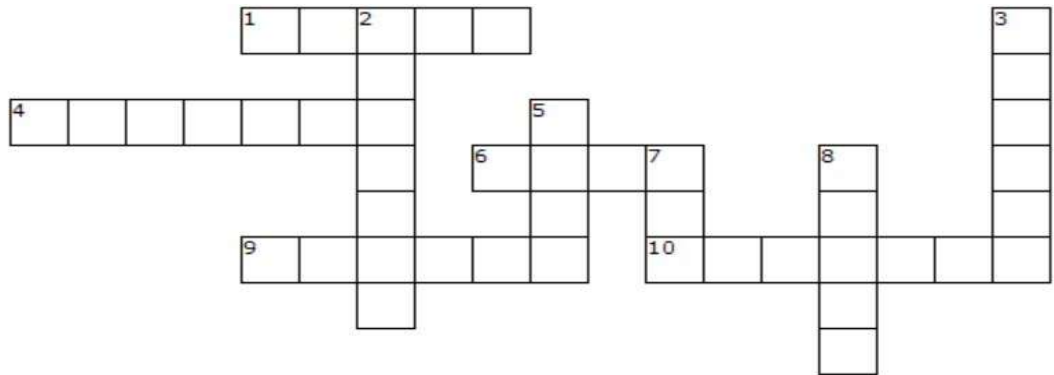
Contractual Commitments regarding returning the facilities as delivered to the "Renter" will be duly enforced.

Please contact the rectory to set up / facilitate your upcoming events.

We wish you continued enjoyment and safety during the rest of this summer.



CHILDREN'S WORSHIP BULLETIN



ACROSS

1. A food made from flour and water, mixed together and baked
4. To accept something as being true
6. The period between birth and death
9. The place where God and the angels live
10. To have a desire for water.

DOWN

2. To last forever; to be without end
3. To have a desire for food
5. A signal that something exists or might happen in the future
7. To put food into your mouth, chew it, and swallow it
8. The earth with its inhabitants

HEAVEN
EAT

ETERNAL
THIRSTY

WORLD
BREAD

HUNGRY
BELIEVE

SIGN
LIFE

