

### **Rectory Office Hours**

Monday/Lundi -Thursday/Jeudi: 9:00 am-5:00 pm

Friday/Vendredi: 9:00am – 3:00pm

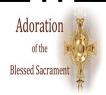
Saturday/Samedi: Closed Sunday/Dimanche: Closed

#### **DEVOTIONS**



The Little Flower Novena is prayed every Monday after the 9:00am .

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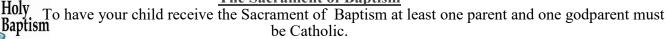


Adoration Eucharistique Friday (Vendredi) 9:30am – 12:00pm

## 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.





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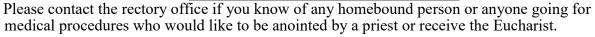
Confession (Konfesyon)
Saturday (Samedi) 4:00 – 4:45PM
Confessions may be scheduled by appointment.

## 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





#### **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.

## 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.



## **Sunday/Dimanche**

All Mothers of the Parish 9:00am:

In Memory of Netta Conliffe

11:00am: All Mothers of the Parish 1:00pm: All Mothers of the Parish

Thanksgiving For all Haitian Ushers for

Mothers Day

In Memory of Louis & Sylvancia Durosier

Monday/Lundi:

9:00am: The People of the Parish

Tuesday/Mardi:

9:00am: The People of the Parish

Wednesday/Mercredi:

9:00am: The People of the Parish

Thursday/ Jeudi:

9:00am: Haitian Flag Day Blessing for Haiti

Friday/Vendredi:

9:00am: In Honor of St. Yves

Saturday/Samedi:

9:00am: For the People of the Parish

5:00pm In Memory of Emmalina & George Gay

#### **Bread & Wine**

Carmen Edouard In Thanksgiving

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**Sanctuary Lights** 



## **Readings for this Week** Lectures de la Semaine

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Act 8: 5-8, 14-17/ Ps 66: 1-7, 16, 20 / 1 Pt 3:

15-18 / Jn 14:15-21

Monday/Lundi: Saint Isidore

Acts 16: 11-15 / Ps 149: 1-6a, 9b / Jn

15:26—16\$a

Tuesday/ Mardi: Easter Weekday

Act 16: 22-34 / Ps 138: 1-3, 7c-8 / Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday/Mercredi: Easter Weekday

Acts 17: 15-22—18:1 / Ps 148: 1-2, 11-14 /

Jn 15: 1-8

Thursday/Jeudi: The Ascension of the

Acts 1: 1-11 / Ps 47: 2-3, 6-9 / Eph 1: 17-23/

Mt 28: 16-20

Friday/Vendredi: Easter Weekday

Acts 18: 9-18/ Ps 47:2-3, 8-10 / Jn 16: 23b-

28

Saturday/Samedi: Easter Weekday

Acts 18: 23-28 / Ps 47:2-3, 8-10 / Jn 16:

23b-28

Lectures du Dimanche Prochain Sunday/ **Dimanche: Seventh Sunday of Easter** 

First Reading/1ere Lecture Act 1: 1-11

Psalm/Psaume: Ps 47: 2-3, 6-9

Second Reading/2eme Lecture: Eph 1: 17-23

Gospel / Evangile: Mt 28:16-20

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

Prayer

Cynthia Williams, Cynthia Huggins Requests Forte, Kevin Murray, Yvonne Joseph Eileen Boyke, Sylvia Marshall, Mari Judy Collins, Madona Boyke, Victor

Tomala his Wife and Son, Max Andre Francoi Blanche Haywood, Cynthia McCoy, Yvonne DeS Lorquet, Kervens St. Fort, Yvrose Pierre, D Townes, Yvonne Charles, Leonard Haynes, N Philippe, Marie Emmeline Sindor, Marie Kim Abruzzo, Furball Klein

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#### St. Catherine of Genoa ~

St. Therese of Lisieux Catholic Academy

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Financial aid is available.

**TO APPLY:** go to www.futuresineducation.org

From the main menu, click SCHOLARSHIP and Then Apply.

Contact us for more information Office@scgstl.org

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## **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



"Now by this we may be sure that we know Him, if we obey His commandments." Jesus wants to make Himself known to you through the vocation He chooses for you. Will you obey His call to the priesthood or consecrated life? Call the Vocation Office at 718-827-2454, or email: vocations@diobrook.org.

«Kounye-a pa sa nou kapab sèten nou konnen-L, si nou obeyi konmandman-L yo. » Jezu vle moun konnen-L pa vokasyon Li chwazi pou-w. Eske w-ap obeyi apèl Li pou fè pè ou lavi konsakre? Kontakte Biwo Vokasyon nan 718-827-2454 ou e-mail: vocations@diobrook.org.



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

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#### BAPTISM SCHEDULE FOR JUNE Baptism Class;

Wednesday, June 14th at 7:30PM

**Baptism** Ceremonv:

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**Pope Francis Prayer Intentions for the Month of May** For church movements and groups We pray that Church movements and

the world.



#### WORDS OF ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

I am the smallest of creatures and I recognize my worthlessness, but I also know how hearts that are generous and noble love to do good.

-St. Therese of Lisieux

Citations de sainte Thérèse de Lisieux

& fe he buls craindre un Dieu qui s'est fait pour moi si petit... je L'aime!... car Il n'est qu'Amour et Miséricorde!»



I would like to thank all those generous individuals who have made a pledge to the 2022Annual Catholic Appeal.

Help our parish meet its 2023parish Appeal goal today, if you have not already made a tax-deductible donation this year. It is our hope for this Appeal to receive a prayerful gift no matter the amount from every family so that we can reach our goal! If we do not meet the goal, the parish still has to pay the balance to reach the goal.

**Our Parish Goal**: \$58,322.00

**Amount Pledged: \$35,646.00** 

Received: \$13,372.50

**Donors: 78** 

MASS BOOK FOR 2023/MÈS 2023

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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

Intentions

(Mon-Fri) \$15.00 Weekend Masses (Sat. and Sun.) \$30.00 Bread and Wine, or Sanctuary Lamp Candles \$30.00 The Mass Book for the first half of 2023 (January to June)

will be opening soon, please check back frequently.

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ki mouri ou byen nap di Bondye mèsi 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.



Number of Number of Parishioners Parishioners and Friends present and Friends present for for April 29th May 6th April 30th May 7th Saturday (Samedi) Saturday (Samedi) 5pm Mass: 40 5pm Mass: 53 Sunday (Dimanche): Sunday (Dimanche): 9:00am Mass: 96 9:00am Mass: 117 11:00am Mass: 46 11:00am Mass: 75 1:00pm Mass: 87 1:00pm Mass: 104 Total: 261 Total: 349



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Total: \$ 4, 552 Total: \$ 7,657



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



## A Mother & Day Prayer

Loving God, You have loved us with an everlasting love (Jer 31:3)

You have loved us even more as a mother loved her child.

Today, we give you thanks and praise for the gift of mothers.

We pray for the mothers-to-be, who are just beginning to be the bearers of new life in them, may they welcome their forthcoming child with loving anticipation and joy.

We pray for the young mothers, may they cherish their child with tender care and unconditional love.

We pray for the mothers who are separated from their children especially because of the COVID-19 Pandemic and because of war, poverty, conflict, violence and for any other reasons Comfort them, strengthen their hope, and let them feel your loving embrace that wipes every tear away.

We pray for all Mother-figures, those who have loved, surrounded and shaped us with motherly care and compassion.

We especially pray for our own mothers who have nurtured and cared for us,

Their sacrifices and care gave us a glimpse of the extent of your love for us.

Thank you for them.

Grant health, blessings, and well-being for those our mothers who are still alive.

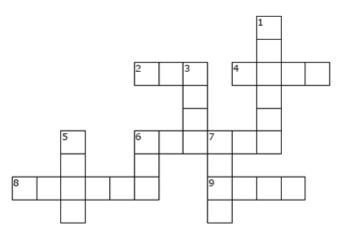
We also remember those mothers who are no longer with us.

While they live forever in our hearts and memory grant them eternal rest and reward of their labours.

# Kids Corner

# A Mother's Day Crossword

My son, obey your father's commands, and don't neglect your mother's instruction. Proverbs 6:20 (NLT)



### **ACROSS**

- To hold someone close with your arms to show that you love them
- A piece of writing in which the words often rhyme
- A woman who has given birth to a child; s female parent
- 8. The first day of the week
- The strong feeling of affection which you have for your mother

#### DOWN

- The brightly-colored bloom on a plant which has a pleasant smell
- Another word for present; something which is given
- Considerate and helpful; used to describe a person's behavior
- 6. The fifth month of the year
- To assist someone in doing something; \_\_\_\_\_ your mother clean the house



## **Welcome to the Family of God**

We extend a warm welcome to the newest member of the parish family, recently baptized:

## Christian Giovanni McDonald



We pray for members of our Parish family who have recently died

# Marlange Laine Winifred Clark

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine



Dear Parishioners, St. Jerome Parish Pilgrimage Trip.

The parishioners of St. Jerome and I graciously invite you to join us on

our 13 -day pilgrimage to Egypt, The Holy Land and Jordan -

Wednesday, May 1, 2024, to Wednesday, May 15, 2024.

Cost \$\$4,899 per person from New York (Airline Taxes are included.)

Single Room Supplement - \$899.00. Brochures are available in the church and the Rectory Office.

For more information, please call Yanick Thomas at (347) 683 -3869 or Arlene Roopchand at (917) 647 -0355. Mention you are a parishioner of Saint

Therese of Lisieux Parish.



It's Spring Again!

Welcoming outdoor church environment for St. Therese. If you wish to donate to the efforts of this ministry, please

place your donations into an envelope marked "Outdoor Planting", and place the envelope in to the collection basket, or drop it off at the Rectory Office.

Donations will be applied to the purchase of flowers and various items for the upkeep of the soil.



# May, Mother & Day, and Mary

May is a month traditionally dedicated to honoring the Blessed Virgin Mary. In our churches and homes, we celebrate May as a "Marian month," with May processions, May crownings, and other popular devotions in honor of the Mother of God. This Marian month falls during the liturgical season of Easter. We thus particularly emphasize Our Blessed Mother's participation in the Paschal Mystery and her presence with the Church in preparation for Pentecost, as she prayed with the disciples in the upper room while they awaited the descent of the Holy Spirit.

There are many devotions that the Church recommends for honoring Our Lady during her month. During the Easter season, we address the Regina Coeli antiphon to her as we celebrate the Resurrection of her Son. Of course, the rosary is one of the most excellent Marian prayers and especially recommended in the month of May. Litanies of the Blessed Virgin Mary (e.g. the Litany of Loreto) are also special invocations for Our Lady's intercession under her various beautiful titles.

In the month of May, the Church calls us to open our hearts in a special way to Mary. Her presence in our lives is a motherly presence. We call her Our Blessed Mother. Indeed, from the Cross, Jesus gave her to us as our Mother and entrusted us to her as her children. Jesus' words to John, the beloved disciple, were also addressed to all of us: Behold your mother! From the cross, Jesus gave us the beautiful gift of his mother to be our mother too. He made his mother the mother of all the members of his Mystical Body, the Church. Jesus invites us to accept Mary as our mother and to respond to her motherly love as true children.