



St. Thérèse of Lisieux

Roman Catholic Church

Est. 1926

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Sunday, January 21, 2024
THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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Today's Gospel reading from Mark recounts the beginning of Jesus's Galilean ministry. Mark tells us of the first disciples who immediately upon hearing Jesus's call to ministry left everything to follow Him. Have you heard your call? What is your response?

Our faith community appreciates your financial support.
Consider online-giving through the following link:
<https://www.givecentral.org/location/679/event/22168>

PARISH MISSION	MISYON PAWAS-LA
To develop a strong community of faith that engages in evangelizing persons, families, communities and cultures to the Gospel of Jesus Christ.	Pou devlope yon kominote ki djanm nan lafwa eki an-gaje-l nan evanjelize moun, fanmi, kominote ak kilti dapre levanjil Jezi Kri a.
OFFICE HOURS	ORÈ BIWO PREZBITÈ A
Monday-Wednesday-Friday: 9:00am - 8:00pm Tuesday and Thursday: 9:00am—5:00pm Saturday and Sunday: Rectory is Closed	Lendi -Mekredi-Vandredi 9vè pou 8tè Madi-Jedi 9vè pou 5kè Samdi-Dimanch: Biwo-a Fèmen
MASS SCHEDULE	ORÈ MES YO
Monday to Saturday 7AM-English 12PM-English Sunday 5PM-Saturday Vigil-English 9AM-English 11AM-English 1PM-Creole	Lendi rive Samdi 7tè nan maten - Anglè. Midi - Anglè Dimanch Samdi 5kè nan aprè midi - Anglè (Vijil) Dimanch 9vè ak 11 zè nan maten - Anglè Dimanch 1nè nan aprè midi - Kreyol
NOVENAS & DEVOTIONS	NEVÈN AK DEVOSYON
at the end of each 12PM Mass ... Monday: to St. Therese Tuesday: to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Wednesday: to St. Joseph Thursday: to Ven. Pierre Toussaint Friday: to the Sacred Heart of Jesus Before the 12PM Mass: Saturday: to Our Lady of Perpetual Help	apre mès midi yo nan la semèn.... Lendi: a St Therèse Madi: a Notre Dam Meday Mirakilez Mèkredi: a Sen Jozèf Jedi: a Venerab Pierre Toussaint Vandredi: a Sakre Kè. Avan mès Midi a: Samdi: a Notre Dam Pèpetyèl Sekou
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AND EUCHARISTIC ADORATION	EKSPOZISYON AK ADORASYON SEN SAKREMAN
Friday after the 7AM Mass until 11:45AM	Vandredi aprè mès 7tè nan maten pou rive 11zè 45 nan maten.
FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTION	DEVOSYON PREMYE VANDREDI
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 7AM Mass until 11:45AM 12PM Mass with Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 12:30PM to 7PM Parish Holy Hour with Adoration and Benediction from 7PM to 8PM	Ekspozisyon Sen Sakreman aprè mès 7tè nan maten pou rive 11zè 45 nan maten. Mès Midi ak Nevèn a Sakre Kè Ekspozisyon Sen Sakreman soti midi edmi pou 7 tè nan aswè. Adorasyon ak Benediksyon soti 7 nan aswè pou rive 8tè nan aswè.
FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION	DEVOSYON PREMYE SAMDI
11:30AM: Recitation of the Most Holy Rosary 11:50AM: Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help 12:00PM: Mass with the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick.	Chaplè: 11:30 nan maten Nevèn a Notre Dam Pèpetyèl Sekou a 11:50 nan maten Mès Midi ak sakreman pou malad yo.

The Sacraments

The Sacraments make us Catholic and are a celebration of the parish family. We appreciate that our members register and participate fully and regularly in the sacramental life of our faith community. If you have not already done so, kindly fill out a parish registration form that can be found at the back of our church or stop by the rectory.



For a child to receive the Sacrament of Baptism, at least one parent and one of the godparents must be a practicing Catholic. To register for Baptism, parents must submit a copy of the child's Birth Certificate.

Confession (Konfesyon)/Saturday (Samdi)
4:00PM – 5:00PM

All other days.
and times by
appointment



Nenpòl lòt lè, se
sou randevou.



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

Kindly 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.



Faith Formation - OCIA

Attention Adults, Older Teens do you have a desire in becoming Catholic? Have you never been baptized? Or baptized in another Christian church? Or baptized Catholic but have not yet received First Communion or made Confirmation? Our parish offers an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith and becoming a full member of the Catholic Church. We meet on Sunday mornings after the 9:00AM Mass.

??Interested??

Kindly call the rectory at 718-451-1500 and leave your name, phone number, email address
or email: stthereselisreligiousedu@gmail.com

Readings of the Week – Lectures de la Semaine

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: Jon 3: 1-5, 10; Ps 25: 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1 Cor 7: 29-31; Mk 1: 14-20.

Monday/ Lundi: Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children - 2 Sm 5: 1-7.10; Ps 89: 20, 21-22, 25-26; Mk 3: 22-30.

Tuesday/Mardi: 2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19; Ps 24: 7-10; Mk. 3: 31-35.

Wednesday/Mercredi: Memorial Saint Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church – 2 Sm 7: 4-17, Ps 89 4-5, 27-28, 29-30; Mk 4: 1-20.

Thursday/Jeudi: Feast of The Conversion of Saint Paul the Apostle - Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117:L 1bc-2; Mk 16:15-18

Vendredi/Friday: Memorial of Sts Timothy and Titus, bishops - 2 Tm 1: 1-18; Ps 96: 1-20a, 2b,-3, 7-8a, 10.

Samedi/Saturday: 2 Sm 12: 1-7a, 10-17; Ps 51: 12, 13, 145-15, 16-17; Mk 4: 35-41.

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: Dt 18: 15-20; Ps 95: 1-2; 6-7; 7-9; 1 Cor 7: 31-35; Mk 1: 20-28.



Prayer Intentions

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday January 20: Sunday Vigil
5:00PM: For the People of the Parish

Sunday January 21
9:00AM: Marie Andree Ripert Birthday

11:00AM: For the People of the Parish

01:00PM: Solette Innocent Birthday
 Antoine Auguste Birthday
 Rev. Bony Monastere Protection
 Louis Chery (Pono) Healing
 In Memory of Mr & Mrs Hiram Donassaint
 In Memory of Mariange & Elie Laine

Monday January 21:
 7:00AM: For the People of the Parish
 12:00PM: In Memory of Kadeem Corrión

Tuesday January 22:
 7:00AM: For the People of the Parish
 12:00PM: For the People of the Parish

Wednesday January 23:
 7:00AM: For the People of the Parish
 12:00PM: For the People of the Parish

Thursday January 24:
 7:00AM: For the People of the Parish
 12:00PM: For the People of the Parish

Friday January 25:
 7:00AM: For the People of the Parish
 12:00PM: Alex Cantave - Birthday

Saturday January 26:
 7:00AM: For the People of the Parish
 12:00PM: For the People of the Parish

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday January 26: Sunday Vigil
 5:00PM: For the People of the Parish

Sunday January 27
 9:00AM: For the People of the Parish

11:00AM: For the People of the Parish

01:00PM:
 Rev. Bony Monastere Protection
 Louis Chery (Pono) Healing

Monday January 28: Eileen Boyke Thanksgiving

MEMORIALS



The Gifts of Bread and Wine -
 Were not memorialized this week



The Altar Candles -
 Were not memorialized this week.



The First Sanctuary Lamp -
In the Memory of Kadeem Corrión



The Second Sanctuary Lamp -
 Was not memorialized this week.



Grant eternal rest, O Lord, and may Your perpetual light shine upon them.
 May they rest in Peace. Amen.

Yvette Martino

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK

Cynthia Williams
 Cynthia Huggins
 Selwyn Mitchell
 Aldwyn Mitchell
 Dorothy Forte
 Kevin Murray
 Yvonne Joseph
 Joan Griffith
 Audrey English
 Eileen Boyke
 Sylvia Marshall
 Maria McCauley
 Rutvin Berley
 Derick Joyean Jr.
 Judy Collins
 Madona Boyke
 Victor Wilson
 Phyllis Alexander
 Jennifer Abraham
 Eric Tomala his Wife and Son



Evans Lorquet
 Koren Sealley
 Leonora Best
 Blanche Haywood
 Cynthia McCoy
 Yvonne DeSouza
 Tanisha Lorquet
 Kervens St. Fort
 Yvrose Pierre
 Denese Alexander
 Irma Moss
 Marlon Moss
 Emma Townes
 Yvonne Charles
 Leonard Haynes
 Norma Allamby

Dara Abraham
 Sherly Pierre Philippe
 Marie Emmeline Sindor
 Khalia Booth
 Joe Quinn
 Kim Abruzzo
 Furball Klein
 Rona Edwards
 Edwards Corion
 Shari Valentina Decastro
 Linda Abruzzo
 Grace Kellyabruzzo
 Vilma Ziegler
 Frank Rotelli
 Barbara Welch
 Karen Ragnanan
 Tanya Johnson
 Adelina Lopez

Mass Intentions

Mass Intentions for the first part of 2024 (January to August) are available. Take advantage of the privilege and blessing the church offers to request a Mass In Memory of a Loved One, In Thanksgiving, for healing, for achievement, etc. Stop by the Rectory Office to submit your Mass intentions. There is a suggested donation of \$15 per intention, but feel free to offer a larger donation if you are so inclined. Details for future Mass Intentions will be announced shortly!

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Legliz la ban nou okazyon pou nou rekòmande mès nan memwa yon fanmi ou zanmi ki mouri, oubyen pou nou di Bondye mès pou gerizon ak lòt benediksyon nou resevwa. Pase nan biwo prezbitè-a pou nou mande entansyon mès nou yo. Legliz la sijere yon donasyon de \$15 pou chak entansyon, men si nou ta vle fè yon pi gwo jès, legliz pa-p refize-l. Na ba nou detay sou lòt okazyon entansyon pou 2024 la pi devan.

Mass Attendance and Donations
 January 13-14, 2024

Saturday (Samedi):
 5pm Mass: 42

Sunday (Dimanche):

9:00am Mass: 132
 11:00am Mass: 58
 1:00pm Mass: 83

Total: **315**

Saturday (Samedi):
 5pm Mass: \$ 1,480

Sunday (Dimanche):

9:00am Mass: \$ 1,283
 11:00am Mass: \$ 1,172
 1:00pm Mass: \$ 805
 Rectory: \$ 778

Total: \$ 5,518



**Annual Catholic
 Appeal 2023**

DIocese of Brooklyn

Our Parish Goal:

\$58,322.00

Amount Pledged:

\$69,658.50

Received: \$62,778.04

Donors: 181

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK/ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dear Little Flower Family:

January 12 marked the 14th anniversary of the catastrophic earthquake in Haiti. The country is continually plagued with vulnerability to natural disasters, food insecurity, epidemics, and growing gang violence. Our prayers do not cease with and for our Haitian brothers and sisters and their homeland.

On Monday we remembered Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. This is the only Federal Holiday with a call to service. As we live Dr. King's legacy let us ask our ourselves: Who have I served?

Allow me to introduce our newly created Digital Ministry Team tasked with keeping parishioners informed on all parish events, to promote social and spiritual activities in and out of the parish, to update and/or redesign our parish website and bulletin, collaborate with all parish organizations, to reach brothers and sisters in and outside of the parish walls, and maintain a presence on social platforms and Catholic media. The Team members are Marie Laure Casimir-Sainton, Ruben Georges, Jina James, and Shireen Seales. You may have already seen some of them at parish events taking pictures and videos. If you have not already done so, please like, share and try to daily visit our Facebook page - **St Therese of Lisieux Church** and/or Instagram at **sttherese_bknyc**.

Parish ministries are asked to reach out to the Digital Ministry at littleflowerdm@gmail.com for assistance in scheduling and promoting their events. Information for inclusion in the bulletin must be received no later than close of business on Mondays. We are in the process of drafting a letter to community businesses to encourage placement of ads in our bulletin. This letter will be shared with the parish family asking each to identify businesses as well.

It is my prayer that all collaborate with our newest ministry team as we move forward in the 21st century.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Fr. Liju



Sunday school is available to provide ongoing religious education and preparation for the sacraments. All children in Public Schools or non-Catholic private schools should enroll in religious education. Classes are offered from Pre-K to the 8th grade. Two consecutive years of instruction are required for the sacraments of Reconciliation and First Eucharist.

Fr. Harold Bernard, Director of Religious Education

www.scgstl.org



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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 Available

www.futureineducation.org

From the main menu, click SCHOLARSHIP and Then Apply.

Contact us for more information

Office@scgstl.org
tkennedy@scgstl.org

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



**ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX
PARISH FAMILY
MARDI GRAS
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**SATURDAY FEBRUARY 10, 2024
FROM 6:30 PM TO 10 PM**

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**To confirm attendance, kindly sign the Reservation form at the back of the Church
or contact the rectory at 718-451-1500
or via e-mail: stthereselis@gmail.com**

	<p>Our Food Pantry is open every other Tuesday Between 10:30AM - 12:30PM</p>
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	<p>Tax contribution letters will be distributed only upon request. You will need to provide your name, address, phone number and envelope number.</p> <p>Please email stthereselis@gmail.com or call the rectory at (718) 451-1500</p>
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