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Sunday Masses

Sunday Mass Schdule

5:00 PM Saturday; 8:30 AM (church) & 11:30 AM Sunday (chapel) – in English

10:00 AM - domingo en español;

11h30 AM - en créole – dans l'église

Weekday Masses: every day 8:30 AM

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT - Mar. 2, 2026

“Bear your share of hardship for the Gospel with the strength that comes from God...Christ Jesus destroyed death and brought life and immortality to light through the Gospel.” [2 Tim. 1.8,10]

“He was transfigured before them; His face shone like the sun, and His clothes became white as light...
“This is My Beloved Son, with Whom I am well pleased: listen to Him!””



Don't forget: change the clock

On Saturday night, March 7th

put your clock **one hour ahead**

(or you will be an hour late for Mass!)

Masses and Services for the Week of Mar. 1st

2nd SUNDAY OF LENT, Mar. 1

(*Breaking Bread: p. 78*)

- 8:30 AM** **Sending of the Candidates**
Shirley White - Birthday
by her Family
- 10:00 AM** **Misa en español**
Ceremonia del Envío
1 Gabriella Juárez - Cumpleaños
por sus Padres
- 11:30 AM** **Messe Haïtienne - église**
Pour le Peuple de la Paroisse
- 11:30 AM** **English Mass - Chapel**
† Louise John *by her Children*
Grandchildren & Greats
- 7:30 PM** **Via Crucis en español**

MONDAY, Mar. 2

8:30 AM

TUESDAY, Mar. 3 - St. Katherine Drexel

- 8:30 AM** Joseph Fabrice Laforest - Birthday
by his Mother Nicole Fowler
- 9:15 AM** *Exposition*
- 7:30 PM** *Chapelet & Heure Sainte Haïtienne*
- 9:00 PM** *Bénédiction*

WEDNESDAY, Mar. 4 - St. Casimir

- 8:30 AM**
- 9:15 AM** *Exposition*
- 12:00 PM** **Mass**
- 1:00 PM** **Stations of the Cross**
- 1:45 PM** **Exposition**
- 7:30 PM** *Rosario & Hora Santa Hispana*
- 9:00 PM** *Bendición*

Readings for the Week of Mar. 1, 2026

Sunday:..... Gn 12:1-4/2 Tm 1.8-10/Mt 17:1-9

Monday:..... Dn 9.4-10/Lk 6.36-38

Tuesday:..... Is 1:10, 16-20/Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday:..... Jer 18.18-20/Mt 20.17-28

Thursday:..... Jer 17:5-10/Lk 16:19-31

Friday:..... Gn 37:3-4,12-18/Mt 21:33-46

Saturday:..... M2. 7.14-20/Lk 15.1-3,11-32

Next Sunday:..... Ex 17.3-7/Rm 5.1-8/Jn 4.5-42

Please Remember our Deceased

Patricia Craig; Horace Victor; Catherine Jeanty; Charlyvia Cantave; Catherine Hayes; Samson Jocelyn; Francisca Merced; Yphotane Louis-Jacques; Marie Rodnez; Marie-Olga Benjamin; Louise John; Frédéric César; Orville M^cNally; Lys Luc Vincent; Ifane François; Theresa Adams; Dieuville Neptune; Marie Ghislaine Bouzi; Gloria Wilson; Joseph St-Aubin; Agnes Ama; Flore Jean-Paul; Deacon Manuel Zelaya; Michael Weeks; Domingo Garcí; Phillipe Duvivier; Helen Terris; Yolande Alvarez; Teodoro Lozano; Miguel Estrada; Louisa Rainvil; Beryl Demercado; Agnes Hunter; Keith Hall; Marie Florival; Pauline Charles; Marie Rose Momplaisir

THURSDAY, Mar. 5

- 8:30 AM** Patricia & Winston - Birthdays
by their Mother Agnes
- 9:15 AM** *Exposition*
- 7:30 PM** *Rosary & English Holy Hour*
- 9:00 PM** *Benediction*

FRIDAY, Mar. 6 [First Friday]

(*Fridays in Lent are Days of Abstinence from Meat*)

- 8:30 AM**
- 9:15 AM** *Exposition* **7:00 PM** *Benediction*
- 7:30 PM** **Stations in English - church**
- 7:30 PM** *Chemin de la Croix - Haïtien - chapelle*

SATURDAY, Mar. 7 - SS. Perpetua & Felicity

- 8:30 AM** † Purgatorial Society
- 9:15 AM** *Exposition*
- 11:00 AM** **First Confessions (Chapel)**
- 4:30 PM** *Benediction*
- 5:00 PM** *In Thanksgiving by the Prayer Group*
- 6:30 PM** *Rosary & Holy Hour (Trilingual)*

FRIDAY, MAR. 6th - 7:30 PM
and all the Fridays in Lent
Stations of the Cross in English in church

TUESDAY to SATURDAY, MAR. 3rd to 7th
Week of Eucharistic Adoration
A schedule will be distributed Mar. Mar 15th.
We will begin sign up for Holy Hours on Mar. 8nd
This Year, Holy Cross will be part of the
Diocesan Pilgrimage:
Wednesday, Mar. 4th

MONDAY to WEDNESDAY, Mar. 16-17-18
each night at 7:00 PM
Lenten Mission
Preacher: Fr. Hugh Logan (Grenada)

Bread & Wine for the Month of March
offered *In Thanksgivin by Joycelyn Adrien*

Candles the Month of February offered In
Thanksgiving by Ermita Peterson & Family

EASTER GIFT TO THE CHURCH
Once again, we would like to encourage all our parishioners to make a **special Gift to the Parish for Easter**, on the Sunday before Easter, **Palm Sunday, March 29th**.

We suggest \$100 per family.

GO TO JOSEPH

St. Joseph has an essential and vitally important role in Christianity and in the history of the Church. In the Bible, he is chosen to be the foster father of Jesus and the protector of the Holy Family. This is a unique and unrepeatable task in the history of the world. Joseph fulfilled his role with great love and faithfulness, and ranks among the greatest of the Saints.

Let us see some of the titles of Joseph, so as to see how he continues to influence Christians:

Patron of the Universal Church

The Church is the "family of Jesus". Christ has made us all His brothers and sisters; He has made God our Father by dying on the Cross. In a certain sense, the great family of the Church is the great development of the Holy Family. The Family of Nazareth lived out the life of grace. The Church has taken Mary, who was Christ's Mother, as the Mother of the Church. Joseph continues to protect and care for God's family, as he did for the family God gave him on earth.



Patron of Workers

We learn from the Bible that Joseph was a carpenter. He taught his foster child Jesus the trade. Jesus grew as a man of work. Joseph is a great model of work for all.

Model of fathers and husbands

The virtues of Joseph are especially great as a model for men, especially men of families. Joseph was just, obedient to the Word of God, protector of Mary and the Child, hard-working, faithful, concerned. All men would do well to imitate him, especially within the home.

The Patron of a good death

The Bible tells us that Jesus lived at Nazareth with Mary and Joseph. But by time that Jesus is 30 years old and leaves His home, Joseph is no longer around. We presume that he died as all of us would like to die - at home, in the arms of Jesus and Mary. The feat of St. Joseph is Thursday, March 19th. The entire month of March is dedicated as "The Month of St. Joseph". St. Joseph's feastday always occurs in Lent. May Joseph assist us in preparing the way for his foster Son.

St. Joseph, pray for us

EASTER FLOWERS

We will accept **Flower Memorials** for the Easter Lilies. Donation: \$15.00 for a small one; \$20 for a large lily. You can give a lily in memory of a deceased relative, or for another intention.

The list will be published Sunday, April 12th

***The collection of Feb. 22nd
will be reported in
next week's Bulletin***

RICE BOWLS for LENT

***"Rice Bowls" - cardboard boxes
to put money in for Lent***

Take the Rice Bowls home,
put in something every day
and bring it back on Holy Thursday

All the money will be sent to
**Catholic Relief Services
for help in areas of disaster**

Parish Purgatorial Society

Ozias Andrew; Cassien Alexander; Isma & Keith Fox; Cornelia Morrison; Delcenta Martin; Junie Leblanc; Casilda Paul; Jeanne Sampson; John Sorzano; Emilio García Menjívar; Roxanne Bent; Evens Sampson; Arlene Sampson; Miguel Ángel Hernández; Octaviano Rendón Guerrero; Hermann Alcide; Marie-Laurence Charles Alcide; Judith Sampson; Maurice Jean-Charles; Erick Avendano Durán; María Angela Avendano; María Elizabeth Martínez; Kenneth Lai; Carlos Alfaro; Hilda Ninterrosa; Ismael Abdala; André Dieubon; Hollis Green; Winston Bethelmy; Inocencia Estrella; Genevieve Delmede; Concepcion Rivas; María Juana García; María Rodríguez; Cayetana Rivas; José Rivera; Doreen Stewart; Paulino Lezama González; Mariano Morales; Vázquez; Judith Villegas Pérez; Salome Méndez Leonor; Jacinto Lezama Méndez; Clairmène Jean-Pierre; Tarcisio Santamaría; Lugo Hernández; José Alberto Meléndez; Catherine Hayes; Loraine Bolton Martínez; Arturo Hernández; Felipe Flores; Natalie Escobar; Alexander Roper; Mireya Roper; María Eulalie Mercado; Elaine James; Sanoy Wade; Andrea Clarke; Angela Abraham; Veronique James; Domingo Reyes; Kevon Joseph; Rosa Flores; Ismael Reyes; Alex Aceituno; Érica Avendaño; Toni Monge

ALLEZ À JOSEPH

St. Joseph a un rôle essentiel et extrêmement important dans la Chrétienté et dans l'histoire de l'Église. -Dans la Bible, il est choisi à être le père nourricier de Jésus et le protecteur de la Sainte Famille. Celui-ci est un travail unique et exceptionnel dans l'histoire du monde. Joseph a accompli son rôle avec grand amour et fidélité, et prend sa place entre les plus grands des Saints.

Allons examiner quelques-uns des titres que Joseph a reçu, afin que nous puissions voir comment il continue à avoir une influence dans la vie des Chrétiens:

Patron de l'Église Universelle

L'Église est la "famille de Jésus". Le Christ nous a faits tous Ses frères et Ses sœurs; Il a fait de Dieu notre Père en mourant sur la Croix. Il y a un sens où nous voyons que la grande famille de l'Église est le développement de la Sainte Famille. La Famille de Nazareth vivait une vie de la grâce. L'Église a pris Marie, qui est la Mère du Christ, comme la Mère de l'Église. Joseph continue à protéger et prendre soin de la famille de Dieu, comme il le faisait pour la famille de Dieu ici sur la terre.

Patron des Ouvriers

Nous apprenons de la Bible que Joseph était



charpentier. Il a enseigné travail à son Fils nourricier, Jésus. Jésus est grandi comme un homme de travail. Ainsi, Joseph est un grand modèle du travail pour nous tous.

Modèle des pères et des maris

Les vertus de Joseph sont grandes d'une façon spéciale pour les hommes, surtout les hommes de famille. Joseph était juste, obéissant à la Parole de Dieu, protecteur de Marie et de l'Enfant, travailleur, fidèle, soigneux. Il convient à les hommes imiter ces vertus surtout chez eux.

Le Patron d'une Bonne Mort

La Bible nous raconte que Jésus a vécu à Nazareth avec Marie et Joseph. Jésus a quitté Sa maison à l'âge de 30 ans, et Joseph n'est plus là. Nous supposons qu'il est mort comme nous voudrions mourir - chez nous, dans les bras de Jésus et Marie.

La fête de St. Joseph est le **jeudi, 19 mars**. Tout le mois de mars est dédié comme le "Mois de St-Joseph". La fête tombe toujours au cours de Carême. Nous aurons une **Messe Haïtienne: jeudi, 19 mars à 8h00 PM**. Que Joseph nous assiste en préparant le chemin pour son Fils nourricier.

St. Joseph, prie pour nous!

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Prochaine Veillée Charismatique

samedi, 28 mars
7h30 à 10h00 PM
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VENDREDI, 6 MARS

et tous les vendredis du Carême

Chemin de la Croix - pour la
communauté Haïtienne

7h30 PM - à la chapelle

MARDI au SAMEDI, 3 au 7 mars

Semaine de 'Adoration Eucharistique
On publiera le progrsmme le 1^{er} mars

JEUDI, 19 MARS - 8h00 PM

Messe Haïtienne en l'honneur de St-Joseph

MARDI, MERCREDI, JEUDI,

24-25-26 mars

Chaque soir à 7h00 PM

Retraite de Carême

Prédicateur: Père Jangill Maimé

VAYAN A JOSÉ

San José tiene un papel esencial y extremadamente importante en el Cristianismo y en la historia de la Iglesia. En la Biblia, él es escogido como el padre de crianza de Jesús y el protector de la Sagrada Familia. Éste es un trabajo único y excepcional en la historia del mundo. José cumplió este papel con gran amor y fidelidad y toma su lugar entre los mayores de los Santos.

Examinemos algunos de los títulos que José ha recibido, de manera que veamos cómo él continúa a tener una influencia en la vida de los Cristianos:

Patrón de la Iglesia Universal

La Iglesia es la "familia de Jesús". El Cristo nos ha hecho a todos Sus hermanos; Él ha hecho de Dios nuestro Padre por Su muerte en la Cruz. Hay un sentido donde vemos la gran familia de la Iglesia como el desarrollo de la Sagrada Familia. La Familia de Nazareth vivía una vida de gracia. La Iglesia ha tomado a María, quien era la Madre de Cristo, como la Madre de la Iglesia.

José continúa a proteger y tomar cuidado de la familia de Dios, como lo hacía para la familia de Dios aquí en la tierra.



Patrón de los Obreros

Aprendemos de la Biblia que José era un carpintero. Enseñó este trabajo a su Hijo de crianza, Jesús. Jesús creció como un hombre de trabajo. Así, José es un gran modelo de trabajo para nosotros todos.

Modelo de padres y de maridos

Las virtudes de José son grandes de una manera especial para los hombres, especialmente los hombres de familia. José era justo, obediente a la Palabra de Dios, protector de María y del Niño, trabajador, fiel, cuidadoso. Les conviene a todos los hombres imitar estas virtudes, especialmente dentro del hogar.

El Patrón de una Buena Muerte

La Biblia nos cuenta que Jesús vivió a Nazaret con María y José. Jesús ha dejado Su casa a la edad de 30 años, y José no se encuentra. Suponemos que él su murió como todos nosotros quisiéramos morir - en nuestro hogar, en los brazos de Jesús y de María.

La fiesta de San José est el jueves, 19 de marzo. La fiesta siempre cae en el tiempo de la Cuaresma. Qué José nos ayude al preparar en camino para su Hijo de crianza. El mes de marzo está dedicado a San José.

!San José ruega por nosotros!

PRÓXIMA ASAMBLEA CARISMÁTICA

domingo, 8 de marzo - 2:30 PM a 7:00 PM
Santo Sacramento, Euclid Ave.

RECOONCILIATION MONDAY

*All the Catholic churches
in thre New York Matropolitan Area*

will be open for confessions

Monday, March 30th

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Confessions will be

9:15 AM to 11:00 AM

4:00 PM to 9:00 PM

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DOMINGO 1º de MARZO - 7:30 PM

Y TRES DOMINGOS MÁS

Vía Crucis en español

MARTES al SÁBADO, 3 al 7 de marzo

Semana de la Adoración Eucarística

Se publicará el programe el 1º de marzo

SÁBADO, 21 de marzo

10:00 AM a 3:30 PM

Retiro de Cuaresma en español

Predicador: Diácono José Lizama




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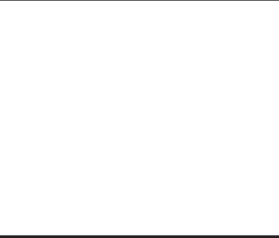


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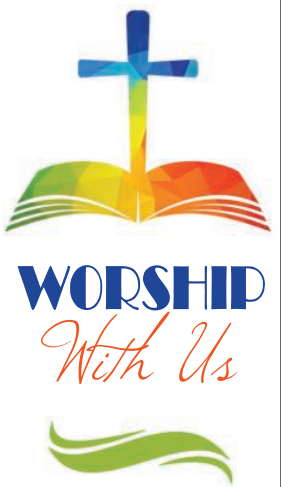
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