**Parish Mass Intentions**

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6th, 2021**

5:00 PM    For the Parishioners of St. Jerome

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7th, 2021**

**7:30 AM     LOWER CHURCH – MESSE CRÉOLE**

Repos de l’âme de Christiane Aristide – par sa fille

**10:00 AM   UPPER CHURCH– ENGLISH MASS**

For the Parishioners of St. Jerome

**11:00 AM    LOWER CHURCH – MISA ESPANOL**

Por el Descanso eterno de Cleofas Mendonza

Marquez de su familia Felipe Guzman

**1:00 PM   UPPER CHURCH – MESSE CRÉOLE**

 Repos de l’ame de Deliverance Casseus –

par ses enfants

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8th, 2021,**

7:30 AM   No Mass Intentions

9:30 AM Repos de l’ame de Josephine Lamercie Richardson-

Elizee – par sa fille Nirva Elisee

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9th 2021,**

7:30 AM  No Mass Intentions

9:00 AM  Repos de l’ame du Reverend Père Isaie Jean Louis –

par le Groupe La Sainte Famille

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10th, 2021**

7:30 AM  No Mass Intentions

9:00 AM   Repos de l’ame du Reverend Père Isaie Jean Louis –

par le Groupe La Sainte Famille

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11th, 2021**

7:30 AM   No Mass Intentions

9:00AM Repos de l’âme de Lecerne Moise

– par Serge Delice

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12th, 2021**

7:30 AM  No Mass Intentions

9:00 AM  No Mass Intentions

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13th, 2021**

8:00 AM   No Mass Intentions

9:00AM  Action de grace a Dieu pour ses bienfaits par Sisse et Edvard Mathador

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­­ **BREAD AND WINE OFFERINGS**

The bread and wine, this week, is offered in thanksgiving to God as requested by Maira Josefina Melo and Luis Manon.

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**MASS INTENTIONS & BREAD AND WINE OFFERINGS**

A Mass intention or Bread and Wine offerings

can be requested for a loved one (living or deceased),

or for a friend, or in thanksgiving to God for favors

granted etc.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK ESPECIALLY**

Kenneth Culajay, Marie Jean-Louis, Amina Joseph,

Marie Anne T. Germain, Bernard Louison, Umatile Pierre

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

My Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The poet Elizabeth Barrett Browning asked: “How do I love thee?” Jesus answers a similar question with the Shema, “Hear, O Israel! The Lord of our God is Lord alone! Therefore, you shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart…soul…strength.” Then he adds: “You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” How do I love you, God? I love you by loving my neighbor in concrete ways. Who is my neighbor? Throughout the Gospels, Jesus includes one’s enemy, someone foreign to me, those different from me, those I envy, covet, take for granted, or might abuse. How do I love you, God? By loving all God’s people, that is, everyone, for God is Creator of all.

Love can be simple, like making a phone call, sending a card, writing an e-mail, or making a visit. Love can take a bit more work, like helping a sister or brother with chores, doing errands for someone, making a meal for those who are incapacitated, or helping at a local shelter. Love can take a lot of work, like being the first to say, “I’m sorry,” working to reconcile with someone who has hurt us, welcoming an immigrant into our neighborhood, or standing up when another human being is publicly ridiculed or discriminated against. I know that when I have not loved my neighbor, I feel regret or shame for what I have done and what I have failed to do. Moses tells us to hear and observe God’s statutes and commandments in order to grow, prosper, and become the people God calls us to be. How do I love you, God? By loving all your people, in word and in deed.

God, our Lord, you love us so much that you became human and reached out to us, even when we had ignored your prophets. You continue to reach out to us after the death of your Son. Widen the space of our hearts to love you as generously, by the ways we love our sisters and brothers with the same love you show us.

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**Vocation**

“You are not far from the kingdom of God.” Are you being called to love the Lord with an undivided heart as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Contact the Vocation Office at (718) 827-2454 or email: [vocations@diobrook.org](mailto:vocations@diobrook.org).

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**YOUR** **WEEKLY GIFT TO GOD\***

**Sunday, October 31st:**

**Regular Contributions** $ 6,580

**Online Offerings 525**

**Weekly budget** -10,525

**Difference -3,420**

**All Saints $522**

**All Souls $377**

Number of Registered Parishioners **2,000**

Number of Envelopes Used **-260**

**Parishioners using online giving -13**

\*Parishioners who need to use envelopes 1,727

\* Give to God with love by placing your gift inside the offering

Envelopes. May God continue to bless you.

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**Online Offering**

Your generosity is what allows us to sustain our parish during this time. Please consider using our convenient electronic giving method. You can access our E-giving page at

**https://givecentral.org/stjbrooklyn**

**Or simply text the word SUNDAY to 917-905-2031.**

***We are very grateful for your sacrificial giving.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_***

***Annual Catholic Appeal 2021***

The 2021 Annual Catholic Appeal is underway. Our goal this year is $44,000. We ask all parishioners to contribute towards the Catholic Appeal. Your donation supports the many needs of our Diocese. Those who have not received a pledge card in the mail, please ask an usher for a card. As mandated by Jesus Christ, we are to care for our brothers and sisters.

**FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION**

Registration for Religious Education is ongoing. Please contact the Faith Formation office at 646-664-6738 or via email: stjeromeff@outlook.com to make an appointment to register. You can also register online at: [www.givecentral.org/stjb-ff](http://www.givecentral.org/stjb-ff)

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**ARE YOU A REGISTERED PARISHIONER?**

In order to better serve you as our parishioners, we are asking you to register your family. Please do not assume because you attend Mass here you are registered in the Parish. Are you on our mailing list? Are you receiving envelopes? If not, it would be very embarrassing to us, to you and to your family when someone calls to make wedding plans, to have an infant baptized, or if you need a certificate of sponsor for baptism or confirmation.

We will be unable to honor your request because we have no record of your registration as a parishioner. To register, all you need to do is stop by the rectory during business hours and fill out a registration form.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**MEMORIAL MASS FOR REV. JULIEN ESTIVERNE**

A Memorial Mass will be celebrated for the Reverend Julien Estiverne, brother of Reverend Saint Martin Estiverne.

**Holy Cross Church**

2530 Church Avenue

Brooklyn, NY 11226

**Saturday, November 20, 2021**

11:00 AM

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Reverend Julien

Estiverne and for the consolation of his family and friends.

**Safe Environment Mandates**

This month is Child Abuse Awareness Month, please keep in your prayers those affected by abuse. The parish of St. Jerome’s complies with all Safe Environment mandates set forth by the Diocese of Brooklyn and the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops. All employees and volunteers who have contact with children must attend a Virtus session, sign a code of conduct and submit to a background search. If you need to register for a Virtus session, please do so at www.virtus.org. The Diocese of Brooklyn wishes to do everything possible to see that all people, particularly children, are safe in all pastoral settings. Excuses and rationalizations for such criminal actions will not be accepted. To report sexual abuse involving diocesan personnel--priests, deacons, teachers, employees or volunteers at schools or parishes, please call The Diocese of Brooklyn’s toll-free, confidential reporting number (888) 634-4499.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Diocesan Pilgrimage Oberammergau**

Every 10 years, the little town of Oberammergau puts on its world-famous Passion Play! This reenactment of the crucifixion of Christ has a 400-year-old history within Germany, and the people within this town, as they are the Actors, Stage Hands, and Costume Designers. The Passion Play will visit Wurzburg, Rothenberg, Rebensburg, Passau, Salzburg & Munich from May 17- 26, 2022 with Bishop Octavio Cisneros, Spiritual Director and Rev. Frank Schwarz, Chaplain. For a Brochure Call: Peters Way Tours. (516)-605-1551 and email: pete@petersways.com\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Readings for the Week – November 7,2021\_**

**Monday**: Wis 1:1-7; Ps 139:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, 9-10; Lk 17:1-6  
**Tuesday**: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22  
**Wednesday**: Wis 6:1-11; Ps 82:3-4, 6-7; Lk 17:11-19  
**Thursday**: Wis 7:22b — 8:1; Ps 119:89, 90, 91, 130, 135, 175; Lk 17:20-25  
**Friday**: Wis 13:1-9; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5ab; Lk 17:26-37  
**Saturday**: Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43; Lk 18:1-8  
**Sunday**: Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11; Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_