**Parish Mass Intentions**

**SATURDAY, JULY 23rd, 2022**

 5:00 PM   In thanksgiving to God– by Yvane Georges

  **SUNDAY,** **JULY 24th, 2022**

7:30 AM     LOWER CHURCH – MESSE CRÉOLE

     For the People of the Parish

10:00 AM   UPPER CHURCH– ENGLISH MASS

      Birthday blessings for Chandra Farquhar -

 by her parents

11:00 AM   LOWER CHURCH – MISA ESPANOL

      For the People of the Parish

1:00 PM      UPPER CHURCH – MESSE CRÉOLE

 Repos de l’âme de Delivrance Casseus – par

 ses enfants

**MONDAY, JULY 25th, 2022**

 7:30 AM  No Mass Intentions

9:00 AM  Action de grace á l’Enfant Jesus de Prague –

 par Chantal Doréus

**TUESDAY, JULY 26th, 2022**

7:30 AM   No Mass Intentions

9:00 AM  Repos de l’ âme de Marie Gracieuse Zephir

 –par Marie Estimé

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 27th, 2022**

7:30 AM     No Mass Intentions

9:00 AM   Action de grace de anniversaire de naissance

 de Susette Bellier – par Susette Bellier

**THURSDAY, JULY 28th, 2022**

7:30 AM    No Mass Intentions

9:00 AM  Action de grace de anniversaire de naissance

 de Renée Morisseau –par ses enfants

**FRIDAY, JULY 29th, 2022**

7:30 AM    No Mass Intentions

9:00 AM    Action de grâce pour Le Groupe Coeur de Marie

 -2eme anniversaire d’existence sur le reseau

**SATURDAY, JULY 30th, 2022**

8:00 AM   No Mass Intentions

9:00 AM   Repos de l’âme de Jeanine Georges –

 par Gerald Gousse

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**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***

Arthur V. Calixte, Kenneth Culajay, Tania Harbin, André Innocent, Bob Johnson, Marie Jean-Louis, Amina Joseph, Sr. Levilia Monopol

***PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO HAVE RECENTLY DEPARTED ESPECIALLY:***

 Jean St. Jean, Gustave Adrea

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

My Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Where do you focus your prayer? On God, self, others, or a combination of these? At times I only pray for what I need. I become self-centered in prayer, almost to the exclusion of God’s kingdom. At times I pray for what I hear people say they need or the world needs. My prayer is other-centered. At times I ask God to help me seek God’s will. My prayer is God-centered. Most often my prayer reflects a combination of these elements.

Abraham’s prayer is God-centered, even if he only seems to barter for what he wants. Abraham reminds God who God is: “Far be it from you… to make the innocent die with the guilty” (Genesis 18:25a). And Abraham is persistent, like the friend in the Gospel. The friend asks for his needs and for his guest. By asking, the friend in the Gospel. The friend asks for his needs and for his guest. By asking, the friend is also God-centered. Jesus offers a model for prayer that focuses on all three elements. We focus on God when we hallow God and pray for God’s kingdom to come. We focus on self when we ask for daily bread, forgiveness, and freedom from the final test. We focus on others when we pray to “forgive everyone in debt to us,” (Luke 11:4). When our primary focus is on God and living in right relationship with God, we will be given the Holy Spirit, who dwells in all and takes us out ourselves in prayer.

St. Francis de Sales says that we talk to God and God speaks to us in prayer. Our focus is always on God when we bring all of life before God and listen for God’s voice in every situation. Talk to God with Abraham’s persistence. Pray to God as Jesus taught. Live God’s will with St. Paul’s confidence.

Lord, teach me to pray just as you taught your disciples. Whatever my focus, help me to seek you and your kingdom, that might become one with you and live the words that you teach us.

­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Vocation**

 “Give us this day our daily bread.” Are you being called to help feed the people of God as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Contact the Vocation Office at (718) 827-2454 or email: vocations@diobrook.org.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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

**Sunday, July 17th:**

****Regular Contributions** $ 5,141

 **Online Offerings 390**

 **Weekly budget** -10,525

 **Difference -4,994**

**Air Conditioning $767**

\***Give to God with love by placing your gift inside the offering envelopes. May God continue to bless you.**

***Annual Catholic Appeal 2022***

The 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal is underway. Our goal this year is $44,000. We will ask everyone to consider making a gift to the 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal at all of our Masses. You can also make a pledge today by texting ACA to 917-336-1255. Your donation supports the many needs of our Diocese.

If 150 Parishioners pledge $300 each to the 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal, we will exceed our goal.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**The Pope's Monthly Intentions For 2022**

Each year, the Holy Father asks for our prayers for a specific intention each month. You are invited to answer the Holy Father's request and to join with many people worldwide in praying for this intention each month.

**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.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**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).

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**SAVE THE DATE!!!**

ST. JEROME ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH ANNUAL DINNER DANCE

DATE: FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH, 2022

PLACE: GLEN TERRACE

5313 AVENUE N. (off Utica Avenue)

COCKTAILS: 8:00pm – 9:00pm

DINNER/DANCING: 9:00pm – 1:00am

Donation: Adults: $125.00;

Children under 12 years: $100

For tickets call: (718) 462-0223

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Diocese of Brooklyn-Marian Pilgrimage-Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception**

Join Bishop Brennan in a Marian Pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC on Saturday, October 22, 2022. This day includes a multi-lingual rosary, confessions, Eucharistic Liturgy led by Bishop Robert J. Brennan. For bus reservations, please leave your name, phone number and the number of tickets needed.at the rectory office at 718. 462.0223.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**ST. JEROME PARISH SPIRITUAL CONCERT**

You are invited you to a fundraising concert on the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. For more information, please refer to the information below.

DATE: SUNDAY, AUGUST 14th, 2022

TIME: 6:00 PM

LOCATION: ST. JEROME UPPER CHURCH

TICKETS-ADULTS: $20.00

CHILDREN under 12: $10.00 at the door

Come and spend an evening of praise and worship.

Tickets are on sale at the end of every Mass and at the rectory office: 718.462.0223.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**JERICHO**

**“Lève-toi, prends to bancart et marche” (Jn: 5, 8)**

JERICHO DU

28 AOÛT SEPTEMBRE AU 3 SEPTEMBRE

6:30 PM

INVITES SPECIAUX: BENEDICT LAMARTINE

REV. PERE MICHEL PIERRE-LOUIS

REV. PERE GUSTAVE MIRACLE

REV. PERE JOMANAS EUSTACHE

REV. PERE GILBERT NERILUS

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Readings for the Week –July 24th 2022**

**Monday**: 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6; Mt 20:20-28
**Tuesday**: Jer 14:17-22; Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13; Mt 13:36-43
**Wednesday**: Jer 15:10, 16-21; Ps 59:2-3, 4, 10-11, 17, 18; Mt 13:44-46
**Thursday**: Jer 18:1-6; Ps 146:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab; Mt 13:47-53
**Friday**: Jer 26:1-9; Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
**Saturday**: Jer 26:11-16, 24; Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34; Mt 14:1-12
**Sunday**: Ecc 1:2; 2:21-23; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17; Col 3:1-5, 9-11; Lk 12:13-21

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_-\_\_