

# PARISH MASS INTENTIONS

## SATURDAY, JULY 27TH, 2024

5:00 PM For the People of the Parish

## SUNDAY, JULY 28TH, 2024

7:30 AM LOWER CHURCH – MESSE CRÉOLE

Action de grace a Dieu pour ses bienfaits pour la famille José -par Martha Jose

10:00 AM UPPER CHURCH– ENGLISH MASS

In loving memory of Ruby Graham -by her daughter, dennese Reddie-Fraser

11:00 AM LOWER CHURCH – MISA ESPANOL

For the People of the Parish

1:00 PM UPPER CHURCH – MESSE CRÉOLE

For the People of the Parish

## MONDAY, JULY 29TH, 2024

7:30 AM No Mass Intentions

9:00 AM Action de grace a Dieu, 4eme anniversaire de

naissance du groupe Coeur de Marie online – par Joseph Francois

## TUESDAY, JULY 30TH, 2024

7:30 AM No Mass Intentions

9:00 AM No Mass Intentions

## WEDNESDAY, JULY 31ST, 2024

7:30 AM No Mass Intentions

9:00 AM Action de grace a Dieu, 4eme anniversaire de

naissance du groupe Coeur de Marie online – par Joseph Francois

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 1ST, 2024

7:30 AM No Mass Intentions

9:00 AM No Mass Intentions

## FRIDAY, AUGUST 2ND, 2024

7:30 AM No Mass Intentions

9:00 AM No Mass Intentions

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 3RD, 2024

8:00 AM No Mass Intentions

9:00 AM Action de grace a Dieu, 4eme anniversaire de

naissance du groupe Coeur de Marie online – par Joseph Francois

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### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK ESPECIALLY

Yvrose Auguste, Giselle Beausoleil, Agatha Bristow, Georgette Charles, Umatile Pierre, George Farid Puzo, Herma Farrell, Jean Harbin, Andre Innocent, Amina Joseph, Elisa Quashie Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Nayel Birotte Fleurisca Lexius, Dennese Reddie-Fraser, Mateo Michel, T Perard, Rosalind Wahab

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

Yvon Charles, Georges Bossous, Emmanuel Delma, Louis Ponyx Chery, Philonie Jean, Edlin Bruno, Leonard Bruno, and Enot Etienne

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## SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

My Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

My The compassion of Jesus to teach the crowd in last week's Gospel from Mark finds him feeding the large crowd in today's Gospel from John. The Gospel of Mark is so short that we have six weeks of readings from John's Bread of Life Discourse as rich food for us in Year B. Elisha used the barley loaf offering from the first fruits of the man from Baal-shalishah to feed a hundred people in today's first reading. Similarly, Jesus takes what is available and uses it to feed over five thousand people in today's Gospel. The lesson for us seems too obvious at first. Take what you have, your first fruits, not your leftovers. Thank God for what you have. And then feed others using those resources. It sounds too simple, so simple that we forget the power of this obvious example. When we live this lesson, we often discover that there is more than enough to satisfy the hungers of the human heart and our physical needs, too.

Following the example of Elisha and Jesus asks us to change our focus. Focus on what we have, not what we lack. Develop an attitude of gratitude. Discover that we often have enough and more. As a meditation I read taught me, enough is a feast. The virtues named in the Letter to the Ephesians—humility, gentleness, patience, forbearance through love, unity, and peace—also provide enough for a feast. One could spend an entire retreat chewing on their meaning and role in life. Chew on them today. Focus your mind's eye on the virtues you have. Thank God for such rich food. Then see how the hand of the Lord feeds you and that God is near to all who cry out in truth.

Giver of all that is good, thank you for the gift of life this day. Help me to live it in your service and thus to feed others so they know that you are near.

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### VOCATION

"I urge you to live in the manner in which you have been called." 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](mailto:vocations@diobrook.org)

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### The Pope's Monthly Intentions for 2024

*July: For the pastoral care of the sick*

We pray that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick confer to those who receive it and their loved ones the power of the Lord and become ever more a visible sign of compassion and hope for all

# MASS ATTENDANCE

JULY 21, 2024

| <u>Mass Time:</u>    | <u>Number Of attendees:</u> |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| 5:00PM VIGIL MASS    | 40                          |
| 7:30 AM CREOLE MASS  | 290                         |
| 10:00AM ENGLISH MASS | 87                          |
| 11:00AM SPANISH MASS | 70                          |
| 1:00PM CREOLE MASS   | 229                         |

## Annual Catholic Appeal 2024

Thank you to everyone who has already pledged to support the Annual Catholic Appeal 2024. This year, our parish's goal is to raise \$44,000 for the Diocese. Currently, we have raised \$26,032.50 in paid donations, received pledges totaling \$51,732.00, with a remaining balance of \$25,699.50.

Once we reach our goal, any funds collected beyond \$44,000 will benefit our parish directly. We encourage everyone to consider making a pledge or a one-time donation. Remember, the well-being of our parish is a responsibility shared by each and every one of us.



*"Honor your father and your mother,  
that you may have a long life in the  
land the Lord your God is giving you."*

*Exodus 20:12*

## 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](mailto: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)

## RCIA-Rites of Christian Initiation of Adults

New RCIA classes for the preparation of adults to become members of the Catholic Church Family have begun. St Jerome's Church welcomes all non-Catholic adults who are currently attending church and are interested in becoming members of our family; adults who are Catholics but have not completed their Sacraments of Confirmation and Holy Eucharist; adults who have not been baptized; and also, adults who have received all the sacraments of initiation but have a great desire to learn more about the faith. All are welcome. Please call the rectory during office hours at 646-664-6738 to register.

## ST. JEROME PARISH SPIRITUAL CONCERT

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

**DATE:** SUNDAY, AUGUST 18th, 2024

TIME: 6:30 PM

**LOCATION:** ST. JEROME UPPER CHURCH

TICKETS: \$20.00

Come and spend an evening of praise and worship.  
Please contact 718-462-0223 for more information

## JERICHO

*"Priez sans cesse"* (1 Thessalonians 5:17)"

25 AOÛT AU 31 AOÛT 2024

À, 6:30 PM

**INVITES SPECIAUX:** BENEDICT LAMARTINE

REV. PERE JOMANAS EUSTACHE

REV. PERE MICHEL PIERRE-LOUIS

REV. PERE DIMITRY DEMESMIN

REV. PERE ONAC AXENAT

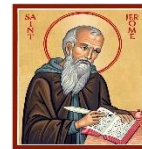
## ST. JEROME'S FEAST DAY MASS SCHEDULE

**Monday, September 30<sup>th</sup> 2024**

7:30 AM - Lower Church: English

9:00 AM - Lower Church: Creole

7:30 PM - Upper Church: Trilingual



## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup>**- Annual prayer breakfast

**Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup>**- Spanish retreat

**Monday, Sept 16<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday, Sept 17<sup>th</sup>**-English retreat

**Wednesday Sept 18<sup>th</sup> & Thursday Sept 19<sup>th</sup>**- Creole retreat

**Saturday, September 28<sup>th</sup>** - St. Jerome family fun day

**Monday, September 30<sup>th</sup>**- St. Jerome's Feast Day

**Friday, November 8<sup>th</sup>:** Annual dinner dance

**Sunday, November 24<sup>th</sup>** – Feast of Christ the King/ Evening Vespers

**Saturday, November 30<sup>th</sup>**-Community Thanksgiving Dinner

**Thursday, December 12<sup>th</sup>:** Our lady of Guadalupe feast

## Readings for the Week –July 28<sup>TH</sup>, 2024

**Monday** Jer 13:1-11 De 32:18-19, 20, 21 Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

**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 Mt 13:54-58

**Saturday** Jer 26:11-16, 24 Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34 Mt 14:1-12

**Sunday** Ex 16:2-4, 12-15 Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54 Eph 4:17, 20-24 Jn 6:24-35

