

St. Jerome R.C. Church

2900 Newkirk Avenue, Brooklyn, New York 11226



July 6, 2025

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Rectory Office Hours

Monday through Friday:

9:00AM – 12:30 PM

1:30 PM – 4:30 PM

Saturday & Sunday: Closed

Schedule of Masses

Saturday Evening

5:00 PM Lower Church: English

Sunday

7:30 AM Lower Church: Creole

10:00 AM Upper Church: English

11:00 AM Lower Church: Spanish

1:00 PM Upper Church: Creole/French

Weekdays

7:30 AM Monday - Friday: English

9:00 AM Monday - Friday: Creole

8:00 AM Saturday: English

9:00 AM Saturday: Creole

BAPTISM

Baptism registration takes place Mondays to Fridays from during office hours.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday, Samedi, Sabado 4:00 PM- 4:45 PM in the Lower Church or by appointment.

MARRIAGE/ MATRIMONIO/ MARIAGE

Call 6 months in advance - Llame 6 meses antes de la fecha - Appelez 6 mois à l'avance.

Eucharistic Adoration every Friday after the 9:00 AM Mass with benediction at Noon.

PRAYER GROUPS

- **English:** Legion of Mary Saturday at 10:30AM in the Rectory
- **Haitian:** Charismatique chaque Mercredi a partir de 7:00 heures du soir au sous-sol de l'Eglise
- **Haitian:** Legion de Marie pour les Haitiens a 8:30 AM et 4:00 PM chaque Samedi dans la cafeteria.

ACTIVE GROUPS

- Troupe Éclat meets on Saturday at 6:00 PM in the Rectory
- Témoins du Christ meets on Sunday after the 1:00 PM Mass in the Rectory
- Les Jeunes disciples de Jesus meets on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month in the cafeteria after the 1:00 PM Mass
- Feu D'amour meets on the 2nd Sunday of the Month after the 1:00 PM Mass in the cafeteria
- Choeur d'Homme meets on Tuesdays from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM in the Rectory Basement
- Ushers meet on the 4th Sunday of every 2 months at 3:30pm in the convent.
- Grande Chorale choir meets on Saturdays from 7:00 PM to 8:45 PM in the lower Church.

OTHER MINISTRIES

- RCIA English meets every Tuesday at 7:30 PM online
- RCIA Spanish meets on Sundays after Mass
- RCIA pour les Haitiens vous pouvez contacter le Rectory 718-462-0223
- Altar Servers meet on Saturday at 11:00 AM in the Upper Church
- English Bible Group Contact 718-462-0223

PARISH MASS INTENTIONS

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY, JULY 6TH, 2025

- 7:30 AM **MESSE CRÉOLE**
Repos de l'âme de Christiane Aristide
-par sa fille
- 9:45 AM **ENGLISH MASS**
In loving memory of Cecil Gilbert
- 11:15 AM **MISA ESPANOL**
Por el descanso del alma de Marta Betty Acuña
- 1:00 PM **MESSE CRÉOLE**
Repos de l'ame de Willy Sica

MONDAY, JULY 7TH, 2025

8:30 AM No Mass Intentions

TUESDAY, JULY 8TH, 2025

8:30 AM No Mass Intentions

WEDNESDAY, JULY 9TH, 2025

8:30 AM No Mass Intentions

THURSDAY, JULY 10TH, 2025

8:30 AM No Mass Intentions

FRIDAY, JULY 11TH, 2025

8:30 AM No Mass Intentions



MASS INTENTIONS

We invite all parishioners to consider requesting a daily Mass for their intentions.

The Mass is the highest form of thanksgiving, whether you're celebrating an anniversary, expressing gratitude for healing or blessings, or praying for loved ones who have passed. It is always a meaningful way to honor these intentions within the Mass.

Monthly Intentions for 2025

JULY: For Formation In Discernment



Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO HAVE RECENTLY DEPARTED ESPECIALLY:



Noemie Anne Germain and Marta Acuña

ARE YOU A REGISTERED PARISHIONER?

To better serve you as a parishioner, we kindly ask that you register your family with the parish. Attendance at Mass does not automatically imply registration. Registration is necessary for fulfilling Baptism requests, arranging weddings, Mass, or obtaining a Sacramental sponsor certificate. To register, please visit the rectory.

My Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The seventy-two are sent totally dependent upon God and mutually dependent upon others, carrying only their experience of Jesus and the power to heal. If rejected, they are to shake the dust off their feet but still announce that God's kingdom is at hand. Some say this means that if the message will be received, it will happen when people are ready. When they return, they learn to boast not in themselves, but, that their "names are written in heaven." Their boast is God and the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ.

As a Church we are to proclaim the good news of Jesus, "so that faith in him might spread to every corner of the earth." (Evangeliu Gaudium, 19). We are missionaries whose lives proclaim the joy of the gospel. We are dependent upon God for everything: faith, talents, the ability to develop our talents, and life. We are mutually dependent upon one another. No one is an island, even in our highly individualistic society. When sick, I need someone to help me. When in need, people turn to others for assistance. God's comfort is known by how we accept our mission to live the gospel and share the gifts God has given us.

We can invite others to God's kingdom but we are not in control of how people respond. As St. Francis de Sales taught, do all through love, nothing through fear or force. Take time to deepen your union with God in prayer. Give thanks for God's gift of life and the gifts you've been given. Ask for help where you are in need. Turn to the Body of Christ to fill in the gifts you lack. Now go and proclaim the gospel one person, one day, one moment at a time.

Loving God, nurse me with the food of your love and mercy, so that strengthened by you, I can proclaim the gospel of your Son, Jesus, whose cross I bear and whose message I live.

VOCATION

"The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few." Are you being called by the Lord of the harvest to proclaim His kingdom as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Contact the Vocation Office at (718) 827-2454 or email: vocations@diobrook.org.

MASS ATTENDANCE

SUNDAY, JUNE 29TH, 2025

| <u>Mass Time:</u> | <u>Number Of attendees:</u> |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
| 7:30 AM CREOLE MASS | 315 |
| 10:00 AM ENGLISH MASS | 103 |
| 11:00 AM SPANISH MASS | 115 |
| 1:00 PM CREOLE MASS | 264 |

Readings for the Week – July 6TH, 2025

Monday Gen 28:10-22a Ps 91:1-2, 3-4, 14-15ab Mt 9:18-26 **Tuesday** Gen 32:23-33 Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b and 15 Mt 9:32-38 **Wednesday** Gen 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19 Mt 10:1-7 **Thursday** Gen 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5 Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 Mt 10:7-15 **Friday** Gen 46:1-7, 28-30 Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40 Mt 10:16-23 **Saturday** Gen 49:29-32; 50:15-26a Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7 Mt 10:24-33 **Sunday** Dt 30:10-14 Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 Col 1:15-20 Lk 10:25-37



Catholic Appeal 2025

This year, we ask you to be a witness of faith and a messenger of hope. By participating in the 2025 Annual Catholic Appeal, you are answering God's call to be an instrument of His love.

Our parish goal for the Annual Catholic Appeal is \$48,400. Every dollar raised beyond this amount will come directly back to support our parish. We thank those who have made a pledge to support the appeal. We invite everyone to consider making a pledge or a one-time gift. Remember that the well-being of the church is the responsibility of all of us together. Thank you for your continued generosity and support of our parish community.

FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION

Children from 1st grade to 8th grade attending public School are to be registered in our parish religious education program to be educated in the faith. They will receive the sacraments when they are ready in 2nd grade for First Communion, and in 8th grade for Confirmation. Please contact Mrs. Rosey Gilbert, the faith formation director, the rectory via phone at 718-462-0223 or email at faithformation@stjeromechurch.org. You can also register online at: www.givecentral.org/stjb-ff

Any youth or adults who have not received the sacraments of Baptism, Holy Communion, and Confirmation, or who was Baptized but has never received the sacraments of Holy Communion and Confirmation should register in the RCIC or RCIA. Please Contact Mrs. Rosey Gilbert or the rectory for more information.

PRAY for the SICK

Please pray for the sick & those that care for them

- Yvrose Auguste
- Giselle Beausoleil
- Agatha Bristow
- Georgette Charles
- Melroy Daniel
- Umatile Pierre
- George Farid Puzo
- Herma Farrell
- Jean Harbin
- Ghenane Herbert
- Andre Innocent
- Amina Joseph
- Mr. and Mrs. Nayel Birotte
- Fleurisca Lexius
- Dennese Reddie-Fraser
- T Perard
- Rosalind Wahab

MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE SUMMER

As of July 7, 2025 there will be one mass from Monday to Friday at 8:30 am. The latest schedule is as follows:

Monday
Wednesday
Friday
In Creole

Tuesday
Thursday
In English.

Any feast day will be in three languages. Saturday morning will be reserved for funerals. Mass will be celebrated only on the first Saturday of the month and on feast days in the church calendar.

TRIDIUM á ND du PERPETUEL SECOURS

Thank you to Fr. Frantzy Petit-Homme of Pitit Manman Mari for leading the 3-day Tridium at our parish St. Jerome last week. Your presence and message were truly a blessing to our community. May God continue to bless your ministry!

Here are some highlights:



Labourers in the Harvest

Luke 10:1-12, 17-20



I am sending you out as lambs in the midst of wolves.

In today's Gospel reading, Jesus sends out seventy-two disciples to tell the people in the towns that He is coming, and to heal the sick. He tells them that they should pray to the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.

Jesus compares the souls of the people to a harvest. He needs people who will go out into the world and gather the souls for Him, and tells the people that they should pray that God will send out these labourers. Do you know who these people are? They are the priests and other missionaries who work to bring people to Jesus.

Do you think that God might be calling you to be a labourer in the harvest of souls? Pray every day that you will know how you can best serve God. Also pray that God will send many holy priests and missionaries into the world.



Answer to puzzle on front: cross of Our Lord Jesus Christ. 1.lambs 2.wolves 3.sandals 4.road 5.house 6.you 7.wages

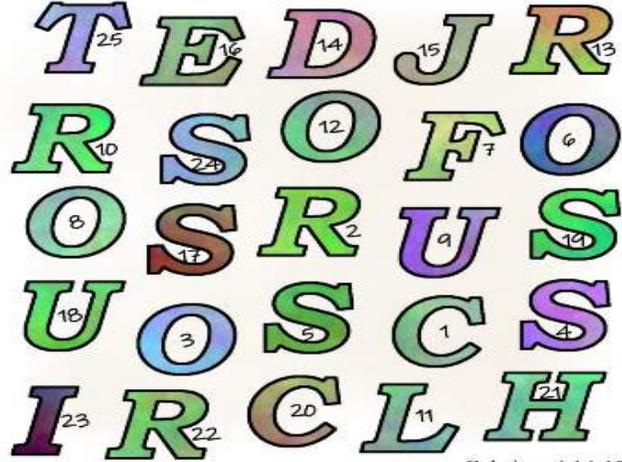
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The Kids' Bulletin

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 6th, 2025

What did Saint Paul say in today's second reading?
Sort out the letters by number to find out!

Far be it from me to glory except in the



Galatians 6.14-18

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25

Saint Nicholas Pieck July 9

NICHOLAS PIECK WAS BORN TO A STRONG CATHOLIC FAMILY IN HOLLAND IN 1534. HIS FATHER HAD FOUGHT AGAINST THE CALVINIST HERESY.

You are making a mistake, leaving the Church!

NICHOLAS WAS EDUCATED AND BECAME A FRANCISCAN FRIAR AND A PRIEST.

HE ALSO FOUGHT HERESY EVERYWHERE HE PREACHED.

Jesus said "This is My Body" so we believe it.

HEY! FATHER NICHOLAS!

FR. NICHOLAS WAS HUMBLE, HAPPY AND FRIENDLY, SO MANY PEOPLE LIKED HIM.

HIS SUPERIORS MADE HIM GUARDIAN OF THE MONASTERY IN HIS HOMETOWN, GORKUM.

I think you will do well there, Father Nicholas.

WHEN THE TOWN WAS TAKEN OVER BY THE CALVINIST HERETICS, THEY THREW THE PRIESTS AND MONKS IN A DUNGEON.

This will teach them a lesson!

WHEN NICHOLAS AND THE OTHERS WOULD NOT DENY THE POPE AND THE REAL PRESENCE OF JESUS IN THE EUCHARIST THEY WERE HUNG FROM THE RAFTERS AND KILLED.

SAINT NICHOLAS PIECK WAS A FRIENDLY AND HAPPY MAN. HE BROUGHT PEOPLE BACK TO GOD AND THE CHURCH BY TELLING THEM THE TRUTH AND BY BEING KIND. YOU CAN HELP PEOPLE BECOME CLOSER TO GOD BY BEING NICE TO THEM TOO, BUT NEVER GIVE UP TELLING THEM THE TRUTH, NO MATTER WHAT!

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Match-Up Puzzle: Jesus Sends out the 72 Disciples

Jesus gave the seventy-two disciples some instructions as He sent them out to the towns.
Can you find the right words to finish the phrases?

- Go your way; behold, I send you out as • road
- in the midst of • wolves
- Carry no purse, no bag, no • sandals
- and salute no one on the • you
- Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace be to this • wages
- And if a son of peace is there, your peace shall rest upon him; but if not, it shall return to • lambs
- And remain in the same house, eating and drinking what they provide, for the laborer deserves his • house



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