



ST. JEROME R.C. CHURCH

Brooklyn, New York 11226



PALM SUNDAY - MARCH 29, 2026

SCHEDULE OF MASSES / HORAIRE DES MESSES/ HORARIO DE MISAS

SUNDAY/ DIMANCHE/ DOMINGO

Upper Church

7:30 AM ~ Creole
9:45 AM ~ English
11:30 AM ~ Spanish
1:15 PM ~ Creole

WEEKDAYS/ JOURS DE LA SEMAINE/ DÍAS DE LA SEMANA

Lower Church

7:30 AM Monday ~ Friday: English
9:00 AM Monday ~ Saturday: Creole

EUCARISTIC ADORATION/ ADORATION EUCHARISTIQUE/ ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA

Every Friday after the 9:00 AM Mass with benediction at Noon.

PASTORAL STAFF

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PARISH OFFICE / PARISH CENTER

455 East 29th St. Brooklyn, NY 11226

Monday, Wednesday & Friday:

9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Closed for lunch 1:00 PM-2:00PM
2:00 PM – 7:30 PM

Tuesday & Thursday:

9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Closed for lunch 1:00 PM-2:00PM
2:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Saturday & Sunday: Closed

BAPTISM/ BAUTISMO/ BAPTÊME

Baptism registration takes place
Monday to Friday from during office
hours.

CONFESSIONS/ CONFESIONES

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PARISH MASS INTENTIONS

INTENTIONS DE MESSE PAROISSIALES
INTENCIONES DE LA MISA PARROQUIAL

SUNDAY, MARCH 29TH, 2026

- 7:30 AM **MESSE CRÉOLE**
Repos de l'ame de Marika Pierre
- 9:45 AM **ENGLISH MASS**
For the repose of the soul of Theophilus King
- 11:30 AM **MISA ESPANOL**
For the people of the Parish
- 1:15 PM **MESSE CRÉOLE**
Action de grace a Dieu pour Ginette
Cenatus nan okasyon anivese nesans li

MONDAY, MARCH 30TH, 2026

- 7:30 AM NO MASS INTENTIONS
- 9:00 AM NO MASS INTENTIONS

TUESDAY, MARCH 31ST, 2026

- 7:30 AM NO MASS INTENTIONS
- 9:00 AM NO MASS INTENTIONS

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1ST, 2026

- 7:30 AM NO MASS INTENTIONS
- 9:00 AM NO MASS INTENTIONS

HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 2ND, 2026

- 9:00 AM Bilingual morning Prayer
- 7:30 PM Last Supper ~ Trilingual Mass

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 3RD, 2026

- 9:00 AM Bilingual morning Prayer
- 10:00 AM Outdoor Stations of the Cross
- 3:00 PM Bilingual Service of the Passion
- 7:30 PM Service of the passion in Creole

SATURDAY, APRIL 4TH, 2026

- 9:00 AM NO MASS INTENTIONS

MASS INTENTIONS / INTENTIONS DE MESSE / INTENCIONES DE LA MISA

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 2026

Les Intentions du mois / Intenciones mensuales



March: *For disarmament and peace*

Let us pray that nations move toward effective disarmament, particularly nuclear disarmament, and that world leaders choose the path of dialogue and diplomacy instead of violence.

PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION

Dimanche des Rameaux et de la Passion du Seigneur
Domingo de Ramos "De la pasión del Señor"



My Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

An assessment of the Passion of the Lord has been made over and over through the ensuing centuries by learned and holy people, many of whom are recognized saints of our Church. Therefore, I exclude myself as a worth analyst. But I can at least offer my take on the matter as "a unique, powerful, and life-changing account of a love like no other. This is authenticated by another Gospel writer, namely John, who wrote that God is love.

That same writer, working later than Matthew, gives us another approach than the linear of the Three Days. He offers a circular approach, meaning that the Passion, Death, and Resurrection of Jesus is one Magnificent Event, one that saves the whole world and is clearly a mystery of faith. In his narrative, always proclaimed on Good Friday, Jesus is clearly in charge of events, a royal figure that allows what happens as part of His triumph over evil.

Today's account is powerful enough in depicting Jesus as the Suffering Servant of Isaiah, but it makes the other figures dominate what occurs and Jesus as the victim. The Responsorial Psalm today, however, makes the most important point for us hold dear: Jesus throughout the ordeal is "robed in the Father's love."

God love you and have profitable Holy Week.

VOCATION / VOCACIÓN – 3/29/2026

"Blessed are they who come in the Name of the Lord!" Are you being called to proclaim Jesus as a priest, deacon, religious brother, or sister? If you think this may be so, contact the Vocation Office at 718-827-2454 or email: vocations@diobrook.org

READINGS FOR THE WEEK / LECTURES DE LA SEMAINE/ LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Monday, March 30, 2026 ~ Is 42:1-7 Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14 Jn 12:1-11 **Tuesday, March 31, 2026** ~ Is 49:1-6 Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 and 17 Jn 13:21-33, 36-38 **Wednesday, April 1, 2026** ~ Is 50:4-9a Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-34 Mt 26:14-25 **Thursday, April 2, 2026** ~ Christm Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9 Ps 89:21-22, 25 and 27 Rv 1:5-8 Lk 4:16-21 **Thursday, April 2, 2026** ~ Night Ex 12:1-8, 11-14 Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18. 1 Cor 11:23-26 Jn 13:1-15 **Friday, April 3, 2026** ~ Is 52:13 — 53:12 Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25 Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9 Jn 18:1-19:42 **Saturday, April 4, 2026** ~ Gen 1:1—2:2 or Gen 1:1, 26-31a Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35 or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20 and 22 Gen 22:1-18 or Gen 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18 Mt 28:1-10 **Sunday, April 5, 2026** ~ Acts 10:34a, 37-43 Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8 Jn 20:1-9 or Mt 28:1-10

MASS ATTENDANCE

Attendance de la Messe / Atendieron a Misa

SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 2026

<u>Mass Time:</u>	<u>Number Of attendees:</u>
7:30 AM CREOLE MASS	240
9:45 AM ENGLISH MASS	187
11:30 AM SPANISH MASS	120
1:15 PM CREOLE MASS	227



ALTAR SERVER MINISTRY

"Let the Children come to me," says the Lord. Altar Servers are needed: Parents with children who have already received First Communion are invited to volunteer their children for the ministry of Altar Server. Training will be provided. If interested, call the rectory at 718-462-0223 and leave names and phone number.

DONATIONS FOR EASTER FLOWERS



The Parish is in need of donations to purchase Easter flowers for the Altars of the Upper and Lower Churches for the Easter season. Please bring your donations to Mass or to the Parish office in an envelope marked Easter flower donation. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK ESPECIALLY

VEUILLEZ PRIER POUR LES MALADES, EN PARTICULIER / POR FAVOR, RECEN POR LOS ENFERMOS, ESPECIALMENTE.

Yvrose Auguste, Giselle Beausoleil, Agatha Bristow, Georgette Charles, Umatile Pierre, George Farid Puzo, Herma Farrell, Gertrude Flowers, Jean Harbin, Ghenane Herbert, Andre Innocent, Amina Joseph, Marie Jean Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Nayel Birotte, Dennese Reddie-Fraser, and T Perard

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO HAVE RECENTLY DEPARTED ESPECIALLY:

Marie Dumay



FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION INSCRIPTION À LA FORMATION À LA FOI/ INSCRIPCIÓN PARA LA FORMACIÓN EN LA FE

Registration for Religious Education is ongoing. All 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. For more information, please contact Mother Vilma, our Faith Formation Director, at 718-462-0223.



EASTER CONCERT / KONSÈ PAK /
CONCIERTO DE PASCUA



Troupe Eclat of St Jerome's
31st Annual
Easter Concert
Sunday, April 12, 2026

Join us for an uplifting evening of praise and worship as we celebrate the resurrection of the Lord.

Admission: \$30 | Time: 6:30pm

St Jerome RC Church
2900 Newkirk Ave, Brooklyn NY

Call for tickets: Mairy: 347-866-6425
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"He is Risen!"

PLEASE REMEMBER TO USE YOUR PARISH ENVELOPES

All parishioners are encouraged to register and to use their offering envelopes as a sign of commitment. If you are not registered, we cannot issue testimonial letters in connection with sponsorship for the sacraments of Baptism, and Confirmation.

Please register at the Parish office if you are new to the parish.

Please also inform us of any change of address. Also, if you are a registered parishioners and NOT receiving the envelopes, PLEASE call the Parish Offices. If you do receive the envelopes, PLEASE USE THEM.

It is important

- ✚ Your Gift to God
- ✚ For proving that you attend church
- ✚ For support of your church
- ✚ For tax purposes
- ✚ To be a sponsor for Baptism/Confirmation

HOLY WEEK

Palm Sunday / Dimanch Ramo/ Domingo de Ramos 3/29/2026



7:30 AM - Creole Mass
9:45 AM - English Mass
11:45 AM - Spanish Mass
1:30 PM - Creole Mass



Reconciliation Monday / Lendi Rekonsilyasyon / Lunes de la Reconciliación 3/30/2026



10:30 AM - 12:30 PM
2:30 PM - 4:30 PM
7:30 PM to 9:00PM
In the Lower Church



Holy Thursday/ Jedi Sen / Jueves Santo 4/2/2026

9:00 AM- Bilingual Morning Prayer
(English & French) -Upper Church
7:30 PM - Last Supper ~ Trilingual Mass
In the Upper Church
Followed by Adoration & Tenebrae
In the lower Church



Good Friday / Vandredi Sen / Viernes Santo 4/3/2026



9:00 AM- Bilingual Morning Prayer
(English & French) -Upper Church
10:00 AM- Trilingual outdoor Stations of the
Cross at Holy Cross Cemetery.
We will Gather at 10am at the intersection of
Brooklyn Ave. and Tilden Ave.
3:00 PM- Bilingual Service of the Passion
(English & Spanish)-Upper Church
7:30 PM- Service of the Passion in Creole
(Upper Church)

Holy Saturday / Samdi Sen / Sábado Santo 4/4/2026

9:00 AM- Bilingual Morning Prayer
(English & French) -Upper Church
8:00 PM- Trilingual Mass
(English, Creole & Spanish)-Upper Church



Easter Sunday / Dimanch Pak / Domingo de Resurrección 4/5/2026

7:30 AM - Creole Mass
9:45 AM - English Mass
11:45 AM - Spanish Mass
1:30 PM - Creole Mass



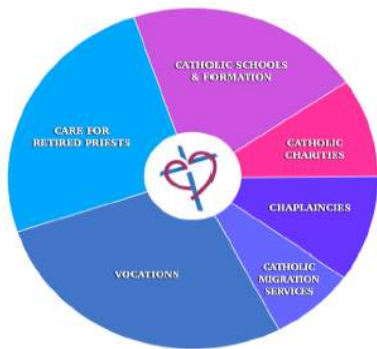
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The Annual Catholic Appeal helps fund essential ministries across the Diocese while supporting parish initiatives here at **St. Jerome**. Our parish goal is **\$53,240.00**. Once we reach it, every dollar raised above the goal is returned directly to our parish. To learn more or to make a contribution, please contact the Parish Office at **718-462-0223**



ACA Case 2026 Components



	VOCATIONS \$2,200,000	28%
	CARE FOR RETIRED PRIESTS \$2,000,000	25%
	CATHOLIC SCHOOLS & FORMATION \$1,650,000	21%
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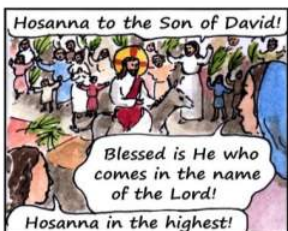
FOOD PANTRY

Our Parish Food Pantry continues to serve families in need, and we invite parishioners to support this ministry by donating non-expired dry goods and canned foods. Donation boxes are available at the back of the church, or items can be dropped off at the Parish office during office hours.

PROTECTING ALL CHILDREN SAFE ENVIRONMENT

St. Jerome R.C. Church complies with all Safe Environment mandates set forth by the Diocese of Brooklyn and the US 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 contact Mother Vilma D. Orejola or online at www.virtusonline.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, priest, deacons, teachers, ushers (adult & youth), altar servers, employees or volunteers at schools or parishes please call the Diocese of Brooklyn toll-free, confidential reporting number 1-888-634-4499.

Palm Sunday



ON PALM SUNDAY EVERYBODY CHEERED FOR JESUS, BUT A FEW DAYS LATER THEY SHOUTED AT HIM AS HE WAS LED TO HIS DEATH. WE MUST BE FAITHFUL TO JESUS WHEN IT'S EASY AND EVERYONE AROUND US IS, AND WE MUST ALSO BE FAITHFUL WHEN IT'S REALLY HARD AND EVERYONE ELSE IS AGAINST HIM.

thekidsbulletin@gmail.com



Good Friday Word-Find

H H W E D B H E A V Y
 D I E D M U E S J I V
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 E S A V E D F N S C N
 P I L A T E O F R O I
 H S C R O S S E S D C
 I N C Y R E N E T E A
 N E H A N D S T O M B
 N A I L S J O H N U R
 M A G D A L E N E S S

See if you can find all the words in CAPITALS in the puzzle.

Use the leftover letters to fill in the blanks:

What did Jesus do on the cross?

On Good Friday JESUS was taken before King HEROD and the governor, PILATE. Even though He had not committed any crime He was scourged and condemned to die on the CROSS. He CARRIED the cross as far as He could up CALVARY hill, but when He got too weak a man named SIMON of CYRENE was forced to help Him. On the way He met His mother, MARY, who WEPT at seeing her Son in such pain. A woman named VERONICA wiped the blood and sweat from His face with a cloth. At the top of the HILL Jesus was thrown onto the cross and His HANDS and FEET were fastened to it with NAILS. They raised the cross, where Jesus hung for three hours before He DIED. He did all this to SAVE us from Hell. At the cross were JOHN, Mary MAGDALENE, His mother, and some other women. At the moment He died the curtain of the old Temple was TORN in half. When His body was taken down from the cross JOSEPH of Arimathea and NICODEMUS BURIED Him in a new TOMB and rolled a HEAVY STONE in front of the door.



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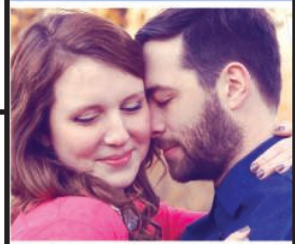
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