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Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00pm

English

Sunday 8:00am

English

Sunday 9:00am

Cantonese-Mandarin

Sunday 10:15am

English

Sunday 11:30am

Spanish

Sunday 2:00pm

Mandarin

Monday

through

Thursday 8:30am

Spanish

Friday 7:30pm

Bilingual

Saturday 12:00pm

Spanish

Family Prayer

Spend time together as a family praying for our nation, remembering those who gave their lives to save others, and praying for our country in this important election season.



Church of Saint Teresa

A Roman Catholic Parish of the Archdiocese of New York

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Our Mission Statement

We commit ourselves to implementing dynamic evangelization programs to enlighten people in the Christian faith and values, recognizing and identifying the needs of the local larger community and to reach out and address them through meaningful service, and fostering unity and enriching the unique gifts of our dynamic multicultural communities of the Lower Eastside. We are a multicultural community rooted in the Catholic faith, ministering to diverse neighborhoods, on a pilgrimage towards the fullness of life.

Baptism:

2nd Saturday of the month

Congratulations on the birth of your child! We, with you, thank our Gracious God for the gift of your child. We thank you for bringing your child to be baptized into the Catholic faith.

Parents

Because of the natural relationship, parents have the most important role in the Baptism and life of their child. You along with God, co-created a human life and now seek to have your child as a member of God's Church. You are accepting for your child, the rights and privileges, as well as the obligations, of Roman Catholics. Therefore, it is imperative that you raise your child as an active member of God's Family, that is the Church. After the celebration of the Sacrament, it is the responsibility of the parents, in their gratitude to God and in fidelity to the duty they have undertaken, to enable their child to know God, whose adopted child they have become, to receive confirmation, and to participate in the Holy Eucharist.

Baptism:

English—12:45 PM

Spanish—12:00 PM

(Please call rectory)

Marriage:

Please contact the rectory
six months in advance

Exposition:

Every Friday
12 p.m.—7:15 p.m.

Grupos:

Santo Nmbre
Jornada
Voluntarios
Legion de Maria
Cursillistas
Ministros Eucaristia
Lectores
Ujieres
Catequistas

Pastor's desk

We thank all our parishioners of St. Teresa and St. James for cooperating in celebrating the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Our Special Thanks to Luzmila Pizzaro and family together with all the Volunteers that helped to make day very honorable for Mother Mary. We greatly appreciate your active participation and enthusiasm in arranging the liturgy, Mariachi Music and refreshments. "THANK YOU VERY MUCH"

WEEK DAY MASSES IN ENGLISH

PLEASE NOTE: Starting from 27th of December, 2016 to 27th January, 2017, the week day Masses will be in English at the usual time. However, one change will be made, on 29th December mass will be at 5pm instead of 8:30 AM. If there is any other change that will take place it will be announced to you. Weekend Masses For Saturday Evening at 5pm and the Sunday Masses will be at the usual time without any change.

ENVELOPES: I know that these days you will receive a lot of envelopes asking donations. For the church we have two collections only. One Regular and the second one is for the support of the church. When we have the second collection of the Archdiocese you can put the envelope of that week end. In that case you don't have to put envelopes which are kept in the church for parish support. We are forced to do the second collection as we cannot pay our daily bills. I am glad that you support the parish needs and have always been generous in your giving. I, as a Pastor, thank you for your kind interest and generosity.

The Archdiocese also wants us to use the website FORMED. ORG and the Parish Code is WFKJKJ. The other site is Arch.org. however, on FORMED.ORG you will get you will find daily readings, Sunday Readings, movies and other interesting topics. All parishes in the Archdiocese of New York are currently signed up for this online platform that provides Catholic content such as movies, E-books, audio talks, Bible studies, and more! There is an Advent study, as well as a new program on the Sacrament of Confession, called *Forgiven*. I especially encourage you to watch this and prepare for our Archdiocesan-wide *Reconciliation Monday* on **December 19**.

PARISH ACCESS CODE IS "WFKJKJ"

Starting tomorrow December 19th until December 23rd, the morning mass at Saint Teresa will be celebrated at 6:00 AM. There will be no other morning mass and on December 23rd there will not be a 7:30pm mass.

The Reconciliation or confession day will be this Monday December 19th from 4pm to 8pm. In every parish in the Archdiocese there will be priests available to give the sacrament. So you all are invited to celebrate the healing, and also our CCD and Confirmation group can go to the priest of their choice to celebrate the sacrament. From 4pm to 6pm in English & Chinese Fr. Ruan and from 6pm to 8pm in English & Spanish Fr. Lino.

**December 11, 2016
Regular Collection— \$3,054.00
Second Collection - \$653.00
Gold Envelopes—\$340.00**

I thank you for your kind generosity.

CHRISTMAS PAGEANT AT ST. TERESA

Come and join us in our Annual Christmas Pageant at St. Teresa Church. Every year children of all ages participate in the pageant as Mary, Joseph, angels, shepherds and innkeepers

The Pageant takes place at our Family Christmas Mass on December 24th at 5:00pm.

CHRISTMAS FLOWER ENVELOPES

As the Christmas day is approaching, we request our parishioners to use the Christmas Flower Envelopes for your flowers' donations. The



envelopes are at the back of the church. This weekend the second collection is for Christmas decorations and flowers. So far from the envelopes we got around \$650. Thanks for your generosity as we are able to celebrate Christ's Nativity with dignity and honor. Don't forget to put a family religious ornament on the big Christmas tree of the Church.

There will not be Exposition of the Eucharist this Friday, December 23rd in Saint Teresa.

Escritorio del Pastor

Agradecemos a todos nuestros feligreses de St Teresa y Santiago para cooperar en la celebración de la fiesta de nuestra Señora de Guadalupe. Nuestro agradecimiento especial a Luzmila Pizzaro y familia junto con todos los voluntarios que ayudaron a hacer de día muy honorable para la madre de Mary. Agradecemos su participación y entusiasmo en la organización de la liturgia, música de Mariachi y refrescos. "GRACIAS MUCHO"

DÍA DE LA SEMANA LAS MISAS EN INGLÉS

NOTA: A partir de 27 de diciembre de 2016 a 27 de enero de 2017 las Misas del día será en inglés a la hora acostumbrada. Sin embargo, un cambio será el 29 de diciembre la misa vas hacer a las 5:00 pm. Si hay cualquier otro cambio que le llevará hasta el lugar que se anunciará. Misas de sábado por la tarde a 5:00 pm y las Misas del domingo será a la hora acostumbrada sin ningún cambio.

SOBRES: Sé que estos días que usted recibirá un montón de sobres pidiendo donaciones. Para la iglesia contamos con dos colecciones solamente. La primera y el segundo es para el apoyo de la iglesia. Cuando tengamos la segunda colección de la Arquidiócesis puede poner el sobre de ese fin de semana. En ese caso no tienes que poner los sobres que se conservan en la iglesia ayuda de parroquia. Nos vemos obligados a hacer la segunda colección que no podemos pagar nuestras facturas diarias. Me alegro de que satisfacer las necesidades de la parroquia y siempre han sido generosas en el dar. Yo, como Pastor, gracias por su amable interés y generosidad.

Comenzando mañana 19 de diciembre hasta el 23 de diciembre, se celebrará la Misa de la mañana en Santa Teresa a las 6:00am. Habrá ninguna otra misa por la mañana y el 23 de diciembre no habrá misa a las 7:30pm.

El día de la reconciliación o confesión será el lunes, 19 de diciembre de 4:00pm a 8:00pm. En todas las parroquias en la Arquidiócesis habrá sacerdotes disponibles para dar el Sacramento. Así que todos ustedes están invitados a celebrar la curación, y también nuestro grupo CCD y la confirmación puede ir al sacerdote de su elección para celebrar el Sacramento.

Cuarto Domingo de Adviento



SOBRES PARA LOS FLORES DE NAVIDAD
Se acerca el día de Navidad, le rogamos que nuestros feligreses el uso de los sobres de Flores de Navidad. Los sobres están atrás de la iglesia.

DRAMA DE NAVIDAD EN SANTA TERESA
Ven y Únete a nosotros en nuestro drama anual de Navidad en la Iglesia Santa Teresa. Cada año niños de todas las edades participan en el concurso como María, José, Ángeles, pastores y posaderos. Misa de Navidad de la familia el 24 de diciembre a 5:00pm.

No Hay Exposición de La Eucaristía este viernes 23 de Diciembre en la Iglesia de Santa Teresa

Mass / Misa**Saturday / Sabado****December 17 / 17 de Diciembre**

Gn 49:2, 8-10/Ps 72/Mt 1:1-17

5:00 PM Joan Chen's Grandparents by Joan Chen

Sunday / Domingo**December 18 / 18 de Diciembre**

4th Sunday of Advent

4º Domingo de Adviento

Is 7:10-14/Mt 1:18-24

8:00 AM James Lizzio (dec) by Kathy Lizzio

9:00 AM Deceased Members of Chinese Assoc.

By Chung Foo Chow

10:15 AM Francisca Carrillo (dec) by Felicita Madera &

The children & Grandchild of Francisca Carrillo

11:30 AM Jobino Diaz (dif) por Ana Diaz

2:00 PM All Souls

Monday / Lunes**December 19 / 19 de Diciembre**

Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a/Lk 1:5-25

6:00 AM Deceased Members Of Zhuliu's Family

Tuesday / Martes**December 20 / 20 de Diciembre (English)**

Is 7:10-14/Lk 1:26-38

6:00 AM Deceased Members Of Aizhu's Family.

Wednesday / Miercoles**December 21 / 21 de Diciembre**

St. Peter Canisius, Priest and Doctor of the Church

San Pedro Canisio, sacerdote y doctor de la Iglesia

Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a/Lk 1:39-45

6:00 AM Accion de Gracias—Aniversario

Sulin y Gisela Rodriguez

Thursday / Jueves**December 22 / 22 de Diciembre**

1 Sm 1:24-28/Lk 1:46-56

6:00 AM Accion de Gracias—Cumpleños

Fabio Marmol por Monica Marmol

Friday / Viernes**December 23 / 23 de Diciembre**

St. John of Kanty, Priest

Juan Cancio, sacerdote

Mal 3:1-4, 23-24/Lk 1:57-66

6:00 AM Delila Toro Delgado (dif) por Carmen Martinez

Saturday / Sabado**December 24 / 24 de Diciembre**

Christmas Eve / La Noche Buena

Vigil: Is 62:1-5/Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25

Night: Is 9:1-6/Ps 96/Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-14

5:00 PM Thanksgiving—Birthday

Maria Rodriguez by Claudio Rodriguez

10:00 PM Parishioners of Saint Teresa

12:00 AM Parishioners of Saint Teresa

Sanctuary Lamp / Lampara Santuario

This week the Sanctuary Lamp is for
Esta semana la Lampara Santuario es para.....

Deceased Members of Zhulan’s Family

Bread & Wine / Pan y Vino

This week the Bread & Wine is for.....
Esta semana el Pan y Vino es para.....

Acción de Gracias por Sulin Rodriguez y Familia

Get Well Soon!

Gouverneur Nursing Facility - Nancy Esquivel

Home: Concheta Colon, Lourdes Cortes, Edwin Cortes,
Carmen Lourdes Marco, Chaya Isabel Cheng, Barbara
Wagner, Maria Lopez, Marta Suriel, Enrique Correra,
Yvonne Figueroa, Alfred Aherre, Maria Liranzo, Joaquin
Cruz, Carmen Diaz, Antonio Tirado, James Leung,
Jesus Concepcion, Miriam Colden, Daniel Garcia,
America Torres, Sonia Kirkaland, Maria Espinal,
Gladys Guzman, Jose Noel Diaz

Christmas Schedule

Horario de Navidad

Christmas Eve / Noche Buena

5PM Family Mass (English)
10PM Christmas Vigil
English /Spanish/Chinese
12AM Chinese Mass

Christmas Day / Navidad

8:00 AM English Mass
9:00 AM Chinese Mass
10:15 AM English Mass
11:30 AM Spanish Mass
2:00PM Chinese Mass

Religious Education Program 2016-2017

Confirmation Class—Grades 7 & 8

Wednesday—December 21, 2016

NO Classes for K—Grade 6

December 25, 2016

Clases de Doctrina – 2016-2017

Clase de Confirmación—Grados 7 y 8

Miercoles, 21 de Diciembre

6:30—8:00 pm

NO hay clases para K—Grado 6

25 de Diciembre, 2016

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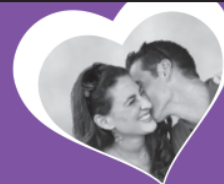
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