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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**

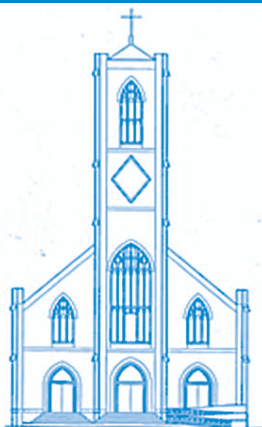
*Spanish*

**Friday 7:30pm**

*Bilingual*

**Saturday 12:00pm**

*Spanish*



# Church of Saint Teresa

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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.

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WISHING YOU A  
HAPPY NEW YEAR  
2017

### ***Baptism:***

English—12:45 PM

Spanish—12:00 PM

(Please call rectory)

### ***Confessions:***

Saturday 4:30-5:00pm

*weekdays by appointment*

### ***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

## **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.

**REFLECTIONS**

\*Family is the best and the most important unit of social living and backbone of society. Jesus belonged to a simple family but a family with deep faith...

\*Jesus has to be killed according to Herod the King for he fears the Child Jesus would compete and interfere with his authority...

\*Joseph acts and guards the child put in charge. He shows responsibility...

\*Competition and struggles are part of family life, how do I handle them? ...

\*God could leave Mary as a single mother and help her Himself as a God, why have a male figure in a child's life? ...

\*Is it right of the child to have father and a mother? ...

\*Why should we deprive the child of such loving family? ...

\*How would you feel, not having father and mother, or having a different type of family? ...

\*The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph is an exemplary family for us...

\*That's all God wants us to be responsible for who you give birth...

and to be good parents to one another in different ways...

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**HAPPINESS IN THE NEW YEAR**

The best way to look for happiness is to see how Our Heavenly Mother Mary, the Mother of God achieved it. We begin the year honoring Mary, the Mother of God because she has given us her own son and tried to follow his life as the first disciple. As the gospel says, she kept everything in her heart what was happening around her. The life of our lady is "the life of a mother" who trusted in God, prays to God and offers herself to God. It is the life of holiness and a life of living fully as a human person. It is the life of the mother a most dear person in our lives, we have the sense of true devoted mother who directs us to God and not herself. What a great mother is Mary, the gospels praise her and we praise her for the direction she gives to us, when we ask through her intercession to help us. Let us pray that she makes us like her as she is our mother

**WEEK DAY MASSES IN ENGLISH**

PLEASE NOTE: From 1st of January 2017 to 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2017, the week day Masses will be in English at 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.

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**THE CALENDARS OF THE NEW YEAR 2017**

We are grateful to VANELLA'S FUNERAL CHAPEL, INC. & PROVENZANO LANZA who always provide us generously with the calendars every year. We thank them for their donation. Calendars of the Year 2017 will be distributed this weekend.

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**Religious Education Program 2016-2017**

**No Confirmation Class—Grades 7 & 8**

Wednesday—December 28, 2016

**NO Classes for K—Grade 6**

January 1, 2017 nor January 8, 017

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Next week, **January 8<sup>th</sup>** at the 11:30am mass we will be celebrating The Three Kings Drama, after the mass there will be a small party for the children in the parish hall. All are welcomed.

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**December 18, 2016**

**Regular Collection — \$2,270.00**

**Christmas Flowers - \$1,218.00**

**Gold Envelopes \$187.00**

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**Sanctuary Lamp / Lampara Santuario**

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

**Peter Moy**

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**Bread & Wine / Pan y Vino**

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

**Peter Moy**

**REFLEXIONES**

\*La familia es lo mejor y la unión más importante de la vida social y las agallas de la sociedad. Jesús perteneció a una Familia simple pero una familia con fe profunda...

\*Jesús tiene que ser asesinado según el Rey Herodes que le teme al Niño Jesús porque puede competir con su interferir con su autoridad...

\*José actúa y protege al niño pon responsable. Él muestra la responsabilidad...

\*La competencias y las luchas son parte de vida de una familia, ¿cómo los manejo?...

\*Dios podría abandonar a María como una madre soltera y ayudarle Él mismo como Dios, ¿por qué tener un hombre en la vida de un niño?...

\*¿Es justo que el niño tenga al padre y una madre?...

\*¿Por qué deberíamos nosotros privar un niño de una familia cariñosa?...

\*¿Cómo te sentirías, no tener a un padre y una la madre, o teniendo una familia diferente?...

\*La Familia Santa de Jesús, María, y José son una familia ejemplar para nosotros...

\*Eso es todo lo que Dios quiere de nosotros, que seamos responsable de quien damos a luz... y ser padres buenos al uno y al otro de modo diferente.

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**FELICIDAD EN EL NUEVO AÑO:**

El mejor modo de buscar la felicidad es de ver como Nuestra Madre Divina María, la Madre de Dios lo alcanzó. Comenzamos el año nuevo honrando a María, la Madre de Dios porque ella nos ha dado a su propio hijo y ha tratado de seguir su vida como el primer discípulo. Como el evangelio dice, ella guardó todo en su corazón lo que pasaba alrededor de ella. La vida de nuestra señora es " la vida de una madre" quien confía en Dios, reza a Dios y se ofrece a Dios. Esto es la vida de santidad y una vida que se vive totalmente como una persona humana. Esto es la vida de una madre, la persona que es más querida en nuestras vidas, tenemos el sentido de una madre fiel que nos dirige a Dios y no ella misma. Qué gran madre es María, los evangelios la alaban y nosotros la alabamos por la dirección que ella nos da, cuando pedimos por su intercesión para ayudar nos. Recémosle a María que nos haga como ella que es nuestra madre.

**DÍA DE LA SEMANA LAS MISAS EN INGLÉS**

NOTA: De el 1 de Enero hasta el 27 de enero de 2017 las Misas del día será en inglés a las 8:30 AM. 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.

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**Clases de Doctrina – 2016-2017**

**Clase de Confirmación**

**Grados 7 y 8**

Miercoles, 4 de Enero, 2017

**NO hay clases para K—Grado 6**

Domingo, 8 de Enero, 2017

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**LOS CALENDARIOS DEL AÑO 2017:**

Estamos agradecidos a la Funeraria VANELLA y PROVENZANO LANZA porque siempre nos proporciona generosamente los calendarios de cada año. Les agradecemos por su donación. Los calendarios del Año 2017 serán distribuidos este fin de semana.

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**El próximo semana, 8 de Enero en la misa de 11:30am vamos celebrar "Los Tres Reyes" con una fiesta para los niños en el salón parroquial. Todos están bienvenidos.**

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**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 Herrera, Yvonne Figueroa, Alfred Aherre, Maria Liranzo, Joaquin Cruz, Carmen Diaz, Antonio Tirado, James Leung, Jesus Concepcion, Miriam Colden, Daniel Garcia, Sonia Kirkaland, Maria Espinal, Gladys Guzman, Jose Noel Diaz

*THE SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD  
JANUARY 1, 2017*

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**Mass / Misa**

**Saturday / Sabado**

**December 31 / 31 de Diciembre**

Saint Sylvester I, Pope

San Silvestre I, papa

1 Jn 2:18-21/Jn 1:1-18

**12:00 PM—NO MASS / NO HAY MISA**

5:00 PM Peace—Chen Ke Family

**Sunday / Domingo**

**January 1 / 1 de Enero**

Solemnity of Mary

Nm 6: 22-27 / Gal 4: 4-7 / Lk 2: 16-21

8:00 AM Maria Isaac (dec) by Miriam Valette

9:00 AM June Don (dec) by Winnie & Andy Moy

10:15 AM Kimberly Zayas (dec) by Evelyn Zayas

11:30 AM Accion de Gracias—cumpleaños

Estela Arias por La Familia Arias

2:00 PM All the Donors of Saint Teresa

**Monday / Lunes**

**January 2 / 2 de Enero**

Saints Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen

1 Jn 2: 22-28 / Jn 1: 19-28

8:30 AM Saul Figueroa, Dominga Morel y Edwin Villarin (dif)

Por Lidia Figueroa

**Tuesday / Martes**

**January 3 / 3 de Enero**

1 Jn 2: 29-3:6 / Jn 1: 29-34

8:30 AM Peace for Zhu Liu Family

**Wednesday / Miercoles**

**January 4 / 4 de Enero**

Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton

1 Jn 3: 7-- 10/ Jn35-42

8:30 AM Accion de Gracias por Estela Arias

**Thursday / Jueves**

**January 5 / 5 de Enero**

St. John Neumann

1 Jn 3: 11-21 / Jn 1: 43-51

5:00 PM Joseph So (dec) by Patrick So & Family

**Friday / Viernes**

**January 6 / 6 de Enero**

1 Jn 5: 5-13 / Mk 1: 7-11 or Lk 3: 23-28 or 3:23,31-34,36,38

7:30 PM Alicia Herrera, Ulise y Ramona Torres,

Abigail y Maria Rodriguez (dif)

Por Sulin Y Gisela Rodriguez

**Saturday / Sabado**

**January 7 / 7 de Enero**

1 Jn 5: 14-21 / Jn2: 1-11

12:00 PM Domingo Antonio Torres (dif) por su hijos

5:00 PM Dorothy Vigna (dec) by Gladys Guzman & Family

**BLESSED & HAPPY NEW YEAR 2017 TO ALL**

As we enter this New Year, it is the year of Hope and trust in God to make a difference in our lives. God is the source of our time on earth that gives us true hope to live forever. Mary our Mother is our human point in starting the New Year. We celebrate her motherhood and the importance of our family life. We always pray that we may have a stable family at our side. Our broken and living together families have increased the stress in our young people. We need to pray for stable family life, the joy of our human living.

**UN FELIZ Y DICHOSO AÑO NUEVO DE 2017**

**A TODOS:** Este Año nuevo es el año de la esperanza y confianza en Dios para hacer una diferencia en nuestras vidas. Dios es la fuente de nuestro tiempo sobre la tierra que nos da la esperanza verdadera de vivir para siempre. María nuestra Madre es nuestro punto humano comenzado el Año nuevo. Celebramos su maternidad y la importancia de la vida familiar. Siempre rezamos que podemos tener una familia estable a nuestro lado. Nuestras familias rotas han aumentado la tensión en nuestros jóvenes. Tenemos que rezar para la vida de familia estable. La alegría de nuestra vida humana...



*Happy New Year's Day*  
*Feliz Año Nuevo*

2017

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