

# Church of St. Teresa

June 21, 2026

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LIVE STREAMING

SUNDAY MASSES (10:00 AM & 11:30 AM)

FACEBOOK

Saint Teresa's Roman Catholic Church

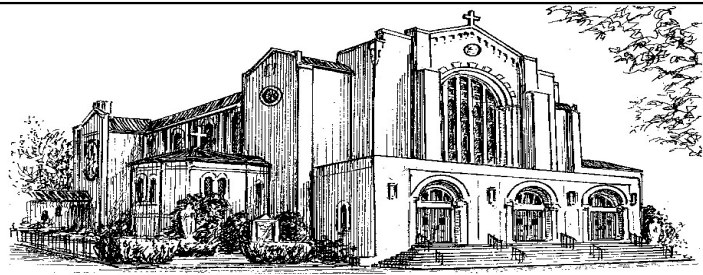


## 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday

I N O R D I N A R Y T I M E

"What I say to you in the darkness, speak in the light; what you hear whispered, proclaim on the housetops. And do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul." Matthew 10:27-28

"Y cuando vayan, prediquen diciendo: 'El reino de los cielos se ha acercado'. Sanen a los enfermos, resuciten a los muertos, sanen a los leprosos y expulsen a los demonios".  
Mateo 10,7-8



### **BAPTISM / BAUTISMO**

Please meet with a priest or deacon before making plans for baptisms.

Favor de hacer una entrevista bautismal con el diácono Martín Soraire antes de hacer plan para el bautismo

### **MARRIAGE / MATRIMONIO**

Please make an appointment with one of the priests or deacon at least six months before the wedding date.

Hagan una cita con un sacerdote o diácono de la parroquia por lo menos seis meses antes de la fecha de la boda.

### **DEVOTIONS/ DEVOCIONES:**

Miraculous Medal Novena: Mondays at 8:30 am

First Friday: Holy Hour: 8:30 am English

### **MINISTRY TO THE SICK / CUIDADO DE LOS ENFERMOS**

Contact the rectory to arrange for a sick, homebound or hospitalized person to receive Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick

*Comuníquese con la rectoría para que una persona enferma u hospitalizada pueda recibir la comunión o unción de los enfermos.*

### **THE PASTORAL STAFF/EQUIPO PARROQUIAL**

**Rev. Richard Conlon, Pastor**

**Rev. William McLaughlin, Parochial Vicar**

**Rev. Jesus Mariano Santiago, Parochial Vicar**

**Rev. Bob Lloyd, M.M., Visiting Assistant**

**Mr. Martin Soraire, Deacon**

**Mr. Norberto Saldaña, Pastoral Minister/  
Director of Religious Education 718-937-4819**

**Mrs. Divina Lopez, Parish Secretary, 718-784-2123**

**Mr. Michael Koerber, Director of Parish Plant**

**Mr. Anthony Allel, Director of Music**

**Annabelle Han & Joel Saavedra Cantors**

**Ms. Jean Marie Barrett & Ms. Diane Mucha,  
Lay Trustees**

### **7 GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT**

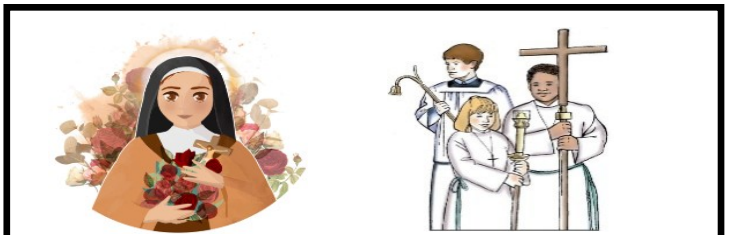
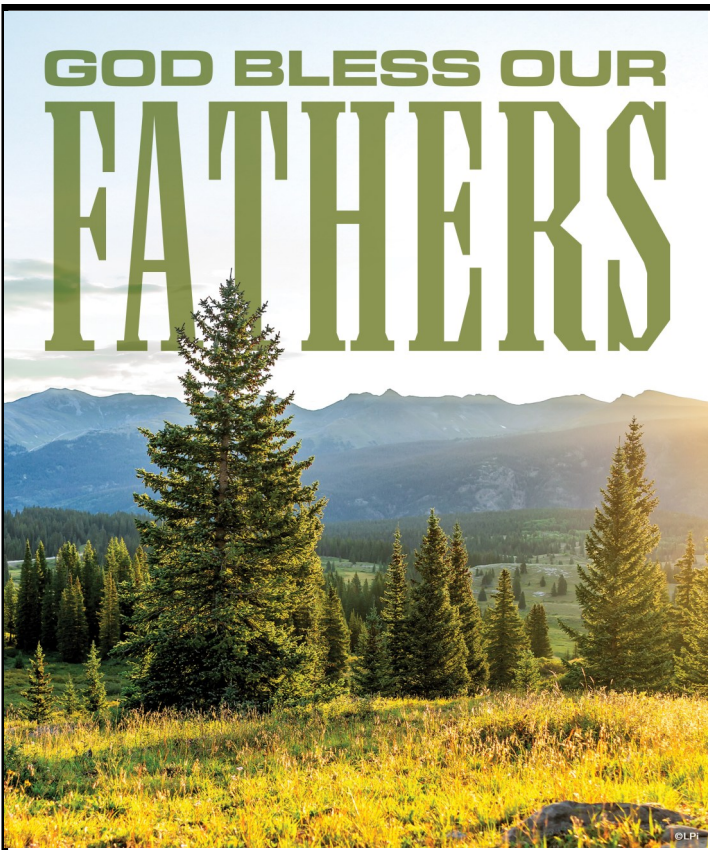


**Thanks to all who have helped to prepare these young adults for this sacramental celebration: Parents, catechist, Elizabeth Lutas, Nahi Ajaka, Fayez Salloum, Evelyn Muñoz, Deacons Martin, the secretary Marcela, Joel and Zaida Verdugo, Norberto the Director of the program from Saint Teresa and Kiara from St Raphael, May the Holy Spirit fill each of you with grace and peace.**

**Confirmands:** Noah Arias, Joanne Bautista, Zayana Bonete, Rachel Cadena, Dilan Caizaguano, Doris Caizaguano, Maite Caizaguano, Nicole Cajamarca, Andrew Chaca, Kendrick Cisneros, Daniel Delgado, Madison Delgado, Emely Dota, Carter Fontaine, Matthias Gayoso, Alex Gómez, Catalina Gomez, Daniel Hernandez, Nayeli Hernández, Lucia Hipo, Lesley Lema, Kaela Lliguicota, Camila Llivisupa, Aydan Lyons, Alexis Melendez, Evelyn Melendez Hansel Mendoza, Yessly Minchala, Abimael Mitre, Sophia Monsalve, Emelyn Montero, Aylin Morocho, Eric Paredes, Evelyn Paredes, Maykel Ortiz, Nayeli Pulgarin, Sarah Quinde, James Quizhpi, Justin Remache, Andy Reyes, Angie Rojas, Matthew Rojas, Giselle Romero, Giselle Rosales. Angelina Ross, Alex Sanango, Giselle Sarmiento. Leonardo Serrano, Cesar Sinchi, Alex Tamay, Joseph Tendilla, Adan Terrero, Annie Terrero, Eimi Toaquiza, Matthias Vélez, Andrew Verdugo, Dylan Zaca, Kimberly Fernández, Frida Rosas, Eloísa Hernández, Oliva Martínez, Lucino García, Brandon Romero, Gleomara Rodríguez, Crystal de la Rosa, Michael J. Lema, Jessica Meléndez, Xiomara Félix, Santiago Hernández, John Hernández, María B. Ortega, Emili Prado, Alejandro Obando, Lilian Toscano.

### **CONFIRMATION PHOTOS**

The Confirmation photos have arrived. They can be picked up in the rectory **only after 4:00 pm. Monday to Friday, or on Sunday after each mass.**



**Saint Teresa's Youth Ministry** invites all participating youth in the 4<sup>th</sup> grade to 12<sup>th</sup> grade (Altar Servers). To our 2026 Dorney Park outing. Monday, June 29<sup>th</sup> 2026 from 7am-8pm Dorney Park – 4000 Dorney Park Road - Allentown, PA 18104. Please contact Ms. Evelyn Muñoz for more information. (718) 784-2123

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**El Ministerio Juvenil de Santa Teresa** invita a todos los jóvenes participantes desde 4.º grado hasta 12.º grado (monaguillos) a nuestra excursión 2026 a Dorney Park. Lunes 29 de junio de 2026, de 7:00 a.m. a 8:00 p.m. Dorney Park – 4000 Dorney Park Road, Allentown, PA 18104. Para más información, comuníquese con la Srta. Evelyn Muñoz (718) 784-2123.



The 2026 Annual Catholic Appeal supports the daily work of our Church throughout Brooklyn and Queens in ways no one parish can accomplish alone by supporting the following ministries:

***Catholic Charities; Hospital, College and Prison Chaplains; Diocesan Vocations Office; Catholic Migration Services; Parish Assistance Program; Office of Faith Formation; Bishop Mugavero Residence for infirmed clergy; Futures in Education Scholarship Foundation***

As of June 7, 2026  
 Our parish goal: \$47,068.  
 Number of donors: 79  
 Pledges made: \$34,088.  
 Amount paid: \$20,681.

We encourage *all* to make a pledge and continue the good works God has designed.

La Apelación Católica Anual 2026 apoya el trabajo diario de nuestra Iglesia en Brooklyn y Queens en maneras ninguna parroquia puede lograr solo mediante el apoyo a los siguientes ministerios:

***Caridades Católicas; Capellanes de la Prisión, Hospital y Universidad; Oficina Diocesana de Vocaciones; Servicios de Migración Católica; Programa de Ayuda de Parroquia; Oficina de Formación de Fe; Obispo Mugavero Residencia para enfermos de clero; Futuros en la Fundación de Becas de Educación***

A partir del 7 de junio 2026  
 Nuestra meta parroquial: \$47,068.  
 Número de donantes: 79  
 Compromisos: 34,088.  
 Cantidad pagado: \$20,681.

Nos animamos a *todos* a hacer una promesa y continuar las buenas obras que Dios ha diseñado.



**FOTOS DE CONFIRMACIÓN**

Las fotos de confirmación han llegado. Se pueden recoger en la rectoría **solo después de las 4:00 pm. de lunes a viernes, o después de la misa los domingos.**

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday - June 20th

8:00 p.m. Norah Histon & David Histon

### Sunday - June 21st

8:30 a.m. Father's Day Novena

10:00 a.m. Father's Day Novena

11:30 a.m. Father's Day Novena

### Monday - June 22nd - St. Paulinus of Nola

8:00 a.m. Father's Day Novena

### Tuesday - June 23rd

8:00 a.m. Father's Day Novena

### Wednesday - June 24th - The Nativity of St. John

#### The Baptist

8:00 a.m. Father's Day Novena

7:00 p.m. Father's Day Novena

### Thursday - June 25th

8:00 a.m. Father's Day Novena

### Friday - June 26th

8:00 a.m. Father's Day Novena

### Saturday - June 27th - St. Cyril of Alexandria

5:00 p.m. Mary Jane Kelly

### Sunday - June 28th

8:30 a.m. Olga y Enrique Zambrano (D)

10:00 a.m. Nirza Algeciras/Juan

11:30 a.m. Jael Jeconia Zhinin Sumba

## PRAYER LIST

The names of the sick will remain in the bulletin for four weeks. To include names, please contact the rectory office at 718-784-2123.

Please pray for, Alexander Gonzalez, Marlene Montoya, Carmen de Lourdes Quirola, Isabella Primo, Jairo Bernal, Elizabeth Buckley, Alina Lebron, Edith Reyes, Nereida Vergara, Robert Schum, Jorge Cajamarca.

## FILL IN THE BLANKS

We have many available spaces in the mass book that need to be filled. Masses are \$20 each.

## RELLENA LOS ESPACIOS EN BLANCO

Tenemos muchos espacios disponibles en el libro de misas que necesitan ser ocupados. Las misas cuestan 20 dólares cada una.

## EVENTS OF THE WEEK

### Sunday

Cursillo (Aud. K) 9:30 am

### Monday

Legion of Mary (Sp.) Aud. K 7-8:30 pm

### Tuesday

Food Pantry - Parish Center 4pm - 5:30 pm

Faith Formation - Aud. K 7pm to 9pm

### Wednesday

A.A. - Parish Center - 5:30pm - 8:00 pm

### Thursday

Carismatic Group - Church 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm

A/N Parish Center - 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

### Saturday

Legion of Mary (PC 1-2:30 pm)

## Weekly Parish Support

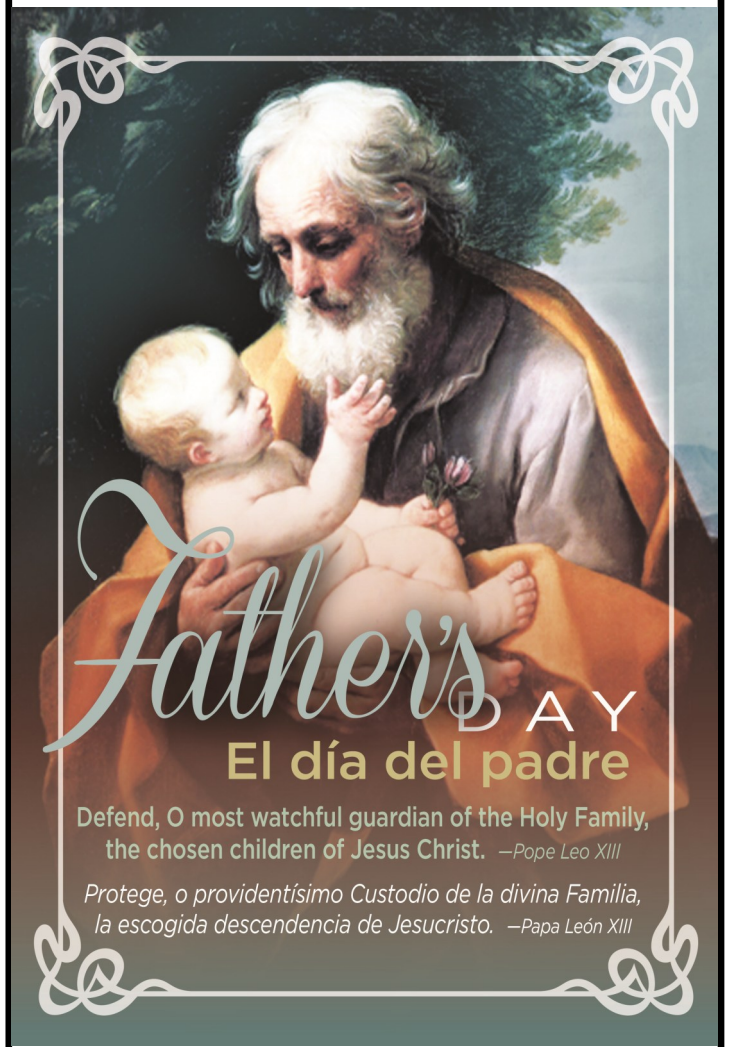
June 7, 2026

\$ 3,581.00

June 8, 2025

\$3,325.00

Thank you for your generosity to St. Teresa



**GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE  
DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF  
SCRIPTURE**

**June 21, 2026**

**12th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Matthew 10:26-33**

Jean Améry, a Holocaust survivor tortured by the Nazis, later wrote about the abyss of human evil. He described his reaction as an “indignant despair.” Haven’t we all, to some degree, felt that abyss opened beneath us? A sudden loss, a violent headline, a moment of loneliness or panic, when the world feels fragile and meaning seems to collapse?

It is to this fear that Jesus speaks in today’s Gospel: **“Do not be afraid of those who can kill the body.”** (Matthew 10:28) He does not deny evil or pretend we will never suffer. Instead, He reframes the abyss: do not fear those who can kill the body but cannot kill the soul. Your life is seen, known, and counted by the Father. Even the hairs of your head, even the sparrow’s fall.

This is no superficial comfort. Jesus himself has entered the abyss: suffering, death, even our sense of forsakenness, and he has come through it. That is why his words, “Do not be afraid,” hold such weight. They do not erase the abyss but build a bridge across it.

Faith is not pretending everything is fine. It is staring into the abyss and still choosing trust. And in that trust, we discover we are never alone. Christ stands with us, and the Father’s care surrounds us. That is the only comfort deep enough for our (often fearful) hearts.

**MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO –  
ALENTAR UN ENTENDIMIENTO MÁS  
PROFUNDO DE LA ESCRITURA  
(Gospel Meditations)**

**21 de junio de 2026**

**XII Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**

**Mateo 10:26-33**

Actualmente estamos llenos de miedo: miedo a perder el trabajo, a ser deportados, o a que nuestros hijos e hijas se queden solos en este país. Son muchos los miedos que nos aterrorizan y nos paralizan de varias formas. Contra el miedo existe la confianza en que saldremos adelante de las dificultades. Pero, ¿cómo? ¿Qué hacer, cómo actuar? La única forma es prepararnos con un plan, para que no nos tome desprevenidos si llegara a suceder alguna circunstancia difícil en nuestra vida. La Palabra de Dios en la liturgia de hoy nos dice que Jesús sigue preparando a sus discípulos para afrontar las adversidades: *“Pero no les tengan miedo. Nada hay oculto que no llegue a ser descubierto, ni nada secreto que no llegue a saberse”* (Mateo 10:26).

El miedo lo experimentamos todos, viejos y jóvenes. Por eso, Jesús prepara a sus discípulos para que estén listos, y nos prepara a nosotros para lo mismo. Decía el Papa Francisco que el miedo es uno de los peores enemigos de la vida cristiana. Todo lo que genera inseguridad en la vida es lo desconocido: lo que no vemos ni sentimos, lo que no podemos controlar. Pongámonos del lado de Dios y tengamos confianza. En nuestra oración digamos, como sus apóstoles: *“Señor, auméntanos la fe”* (Lucas 17:5). Confiar en Dios es un proceso de toda la vida, pero Él no defrauda y calma toda tempestad, por muy dura que sea. ¡Gracias Señor, por estar siempre conmigo!

**Office of Faith Formation**

Registration for the Religious Education 2026/2027

For: New students, returning students and transfers students

Registration will be Thursday and Friday 4 pm to 7 pm in the rectory.

Please bring the day of the registration the following item or registration will not be processed.

- Child Birth and Baptismal Certificate
- Communion Certificate (for students requesting confirmation)
- Transfer letter from previous religious education program or Catholic School
- Registration fee is **\$80.00** per student (Due the day of registration)

**Note:** The sacrament preparation program is consecutive two (2) years for Communion and two (2) years for confirmation. Confirmation occurs when the student is in 8<sup>th</sup> Grade. Here we celebrate communion in 2<sup>nd</sup> grade and 4<sup>th</sup> Grade

**Religious Education Class is on Saturday’s**

5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> Grades from 9:30am to 11:00am  
1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> Grades sacrament from 11:30am to 1:00pm