HOLY FAMILY - ST. LAURENCE R.C. PARISH

WEBSITE: <u>https://holyfamilystlaurence-brooklyn.org/</u> FACEBOOK: Holy Family-Saint Laurence R.C. Parish



Mission Statement

We, the Roman Catholic Community of Holy Family – St. Laurence R.C. Parish in Canarsie and East New York, having been fed and nourished by the Word and Eucharist, strive for Unity in our diversity of culture, race and languages. We are committed to live our Baptismal call to Holiness by acknowledging and affirming the diversity of gifts and talents each of us brings to the building of God's Kingdom. As a family, we welcome everyone and challenge one another to be the Sharers of our Time, Talent and Treasure, so that together we too, as a Community of Faith, will grow in doing God's Will.



SERVED BY

VERY REV. EDWARD R. P. KANE, V.F., PASTOR

> Rev. Yvon-Hector Aurelien Parochial Vicar

Rev. Szymon A. Galazyn Parochial Vicar

Deacon Jean J. Rameau



OUR LOCAL CATHOLIC ACADEMY

Our Lady of Trust Catholic Academy Principal: Ms. Muriel Wilkinson Telephone: 1-718-241-6633 Grade: Pre-K 3, Pre-K 4, Kindergarten to Grade 8 Website: ourladyoftrustca.org

CELL PHONE POLICY

Please be sure to turn off your cell phone upon entering the church. It is disrespectful to have

these phones ringing during the Holy Mass.



HOLY FAMILY WORSHIP SITE 9719 Flatlands Ave., Brooklyn, N.Y. 11236

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OFFICE STAFF

Parish Secretaries: Ms. Jen Navarro Ms. Justine Menardy Directors of Music: Mr. Everett Wilson Mr. Reginald Magloire

FAITH FORMATION OFFICE

Director: Mr. Brendan Egonu Telephone: 1-718-257-8016 or 1-917-274-7631

<u>RECTORY OFFICE HOURS</u>

WEEKDAYS: 9:30am to 12:00pm Noon; 1:00pm to 4:30pm SATURDAYS: 9:00am to 1:00pm SUNDAYS: Closed Other times by appointment only.

MASS TIMES

WEEKDAYS: 9:00am HOLY HOUR: 1st Friday of Each Month

SATURDAYS: 9:00am; Vigil Mass at 5:00pm

SUNDAYS: 8:00am, 9:15am(Creole)* 11:15am (Family Mass)* & 12:45pm(Adult Choir)

HOLY DAYS of OBLIGATION: 9:00am & 7:30pm (Bilingual)*

Live-streamed:9:15am, 11:15am & Holy Days of Obligation

RECONCILIATION *(Confessions):* Saturdays 4:00pm to 4:45pm in the church or by appointment ST.LAURENCE WORSHIP SITE 122-65 Flatlands Ave., Brooklyn, N.Y. 11207

1020 Van Siclen Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11207 (Parish Office)

Telephone: 1-718-649-0545 *Fax:* 1-718-649-0546 *Email Address:*st.laurence1020@gmail.com

OFFICE STAFF

Parish Secretaries: Ms. Cindy Balliram Mrs. Paloma Medina-Moreno Directors of Music: Ms. Haidee Clarke Mr. Wandy Sanatana Tavarez

FAITH FORMATION OFFICE

Director: Mrs. Lori Ramos - Johnson **Telephone:** 1-646-772-3708

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

WEEKDAYS: 9:00am to 4:00pm SATURDAYS: 2:00pm to 6:00pm SUNDAYS: 8:30am to 2:00pm

MASS TIMES

Monday to Wednesday: 9:00am No Communion Service on Thursday &

Friday HOLY HOUR: 1st Friday of Each Month SATURDAYS: Vigil Mass at 5:00pm SUNDAYS:

9:30am & 12:00pm(Spanish)*

Family Mass every 3rd Sunday @ 9:30am

HOLY DAYS of OBLIGATION: 9:00am*

Live-streamed: 9:30am, 12:00pm & Holy Days of Obligation

RECONCILIATION *(Confessions):* Saturdays 4:00pm to 4:45pm in the church or by appointment

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: Every family in the parish must be properly registered and every adult should be receiving a bimonthly set of envelopes and use them. Registration of new parishioners can be done at the Parish Offices as soon as possible. The registration is our only means of certifying anyone as a member of our parish. If you move to another parish, please update your information at the Parish Offices.



MINISTRY TO THE SICK: Urgent calls will be responded to at any time. Parishioners who through sickness or old age are unable to attend Mass should receive Holy Communion once a month at home. It is not fair for your loved ones if they have to wait until the last minute to receive God's life giving Sacraments. Kindly call the Rectory to make arrangements for a priest to administer the Sacraments to the Sick.



Masses For The Week Holy Family Worship Site

Masses For The Week St. Laurence Worship Site



Holy Family Worship Site	St. Laurence worship Site		
 Sunday, April 28, 2024 5 PM Vigil - Birthday blessings for Maudlyne Eze by Eze Family 8:00 AM - In loving memory of Nichelle Thorne by Family 9:15 AM - <i>People of the Parish</i> Birthday blessings for Gracita Marcellus Coq Birthday blessings of Carla Voltaire by Family In loving memory of Gouela Leveille, Yvette Moreau & Florilia Gedine by Solange Leveielle 	 Sunday, April 28, 2024 5 PM Vigil - In loving memory of Mercedes Donastor by Charles Donastor Prayer for the repose of the soul of Dr. Marc Frederique by Dr. Edwin Renau 9:30 AM - People of The Parish Blessings for healing & comfort for Hazel Radix by Gloria Ranjitsingh 12:00 PM - People of the Parish Heavenly birthday blessings for Jorge Torres by Maria Torres In loving memory of German Alicea by his sister, Myrna Cruz 		
11:15 AM - In loving memory of Hilaria Mary Pascard by Family 12:45 PM - <i>People of the Parish</i>	Monday, April 29, 2024 9:00 AM - Blessings for healing comfort for JR by daughter Celine		
Monday, April 29, 2024 9:00 AM - Birthday blessings for Rico Antenor	Tuesday, April 30, 2024 9:00 AM - People of the Parish		
Tuesday, April 30, 2024 9:00 AM - Healing over Stephanie Clark	Wednesday, May 1, 2024 9:00 AM - In loving memory of Orlando Varela by Father Kane		
Wednesday, May 1, 2024 9:00 AM - Deliverance Fleursaint for Daughter by Mom	Thursday, May 2, 2024 NO COMMUNION SERVICE		
 Thursday, May 2, 2024 9:00 AM - Thanksgiving to God by Reginald Antoin Friday, May 3, 2024(First Fridays Devotion) 9:00 AM - Sacred Heart 9:30 AM - Holy Hour Saturday, May 4, 2024 9:00 AM - People of the Parish 5 PM Vigil - Thanksgiving to Mother Mary by JM Sunday, May 5, 2024 8:00 AM - People of the Parish 9:15 AM - People of the Parish In loving memory of Minnes, Morissieu & Silfira Moreau by Solange Leveille Thanksgiving to God for Mary Fegaro by Mom In loving memory of Andrea Derosier Desir by Smark Joseph Desir 11:15 AM - In loving memory of Marie Hubert Charles by Richard Charles 12:45 PM - People of the Parish Healing for Loise Glasgow by Family Birthday blessings in Heaven for Millien Domingue by Daughter Micheline Thanksgiving to God for guidance & protection over Cordelia Eze by Eze Family 	Friday, May 3, 2024(First Fridays Devotion) 9:00 AM - Sacred Heart 9:30 AM - Holy Hour Saturday, May 4, 2024 5 PM Vigil - Prayer for the repose of the soul of Dr. Marc Frederique by Dr. Edwin Renaud Birthday blessings for Darlene Fesce by Linda Grissom Sunday, May 5, 2024 9:30 AM - People of The Parish People of the Parish 12:00 PM - People of the Parish People of the Parish 12:00 PM - People of the Parish People of the Parish MOTHER'S DAY MASS REMEMBRANCEMAY 2024 Mass Intentions The deadline for the Mass Intention to appear in the bulletin is every Tuesday by 3pm.		
From this New Fire was lit our 2024 PASCHAL CANDLE and carried into the darkened Church, a flame now symbolizing the Risen Christ, the Light and New Life of the World in our Easter Liturgy. Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ is among us still! Lighted duing special liturgies of the year, it celebrates also the new life of a Baptismand the new life of a Christian Burial. This PASCHAL CANDLE is a constant presence in our spiritual lives. We appreciate the kindness of Samuel Albano for sponsoring this candle for <u>Holy Family Worship Site</u> . We also the appreciate the kindness The Kouakou & Renaud Families for sponsoring this candle for <u>St.Laurence Worship Site</u> and was offered <i>"For God's Blessings for The Kouajou & Renaud Families"</i> .			
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In loving memory of Gain Pierre Louis by Claudette Jones People of the Parish People of the Parish People of the Parish People of the Parish



St. Laurence Worship Site: People of the Parish

BREAD & WINE for this week's Masses have been offered :

Holy Family Worship Site:

In loving memory of Gain Pierre Louis by Claudette Jones



St. Laurence Worship Site:

People of the Parish

PLEASE PRAY FOR

HOLY FAMILY WORSHIP SITE:

ALL THE SICK of the Parish, our friends and relatives particularly Theresa Francois, Owen Hodgeson, Gladys Adamos Manuel, Jed Lapid Galura, Christopher Benjamin, Thelma Clouden, Moxie Sylvia, Andy Villalon, Rommel Balancad, Philip Adamos, Barbara Labarca, Genoveva Goce, Marianna Schroeder, Pearl Thorne, Graciano Sonny Reyes, Edna Florentine, Ner Consolacion, Alma Valequez, Shane Ciaramitaro, Cynthia Coffin, Skylar Tucker, Laurence Maxwell, Pascal Cadet.....

ALL THE DECEASED Parishioners and Priests of our Diocese, particularly

ST.LAURENCE WORSHIP SITE: ALL THE SICK of the Parish, our friends and relatives Kerby M., Loraine

ALL THE SICK of the Parish, our friends and relatives Kerby M., Loraine Bennette, Judith Sewell, Selwin Coutain, Irwin DeSousa, Harry M., Shane Ciaramitaro, Viola Agard, Mariana Crespo, Baby Yemi, Anne Marie Carmelle Seraphin, Keith Oaklry, Frank Sutton, Greg Sutton, Joyce Collins, Mirna Cruz, Jose Aricea, Cenona Ramos, Kathleen Wilson, Eli Mendoza, Leonardo Nunez, Elida Cruz, Jay Island, Eddie Collazo & Hazel Radix

ALL THE DECEASED Parishioners and Priests of our Diocese particularly Abraham Bisbal, Aileen Fraser

We will keep names on the *sick list for four weeks* and names on the *deceased list for two weeks*. After that time, the family should call the rectory to have the person's name reinstated. Thank you.

SCRIPTURES FOR THE WEEK

For those who wish to pray with the Church each day, we offer a listing of the readings for the Masses of the week:

SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 2024 Acts 9:26-31/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8

MONDAY, APRIL 29, 2024 Acts 14:5-18/Jn 14:21-26

TUESDAY, APRIL 30, 2024 Acts 14:19-28/Jn 14:27-31a

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 2024 Acts 15:1-6/Jn 15:1-8

THURSDAY, MAY 2, 2024 Acts 15:7-21/Jn 15:9-11

FRIDAY, MAY 3, 2024 1 Cor 15:1-8/Jn 14:6-14

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2024 Acts 16:1-10/Jn 15:18-21

SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2024

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/1 Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17 (56)

Ministries and Organizations of Holy Family Worship Site	¹¹ <u>Ministries and Organizations of St. Laurence Worship Site</u>	
Sister in Spirit: Every 1st Sunday after 11:15AM Mass in the Chapel	Rosary Recitation: Meets every 1st Saturday of the month at 10:00 AM in the 1018 Basement	
Men's Group: Every 1st Saturday of the month after 5:00PM Mass in the Chapel	Spanish Prayer Group (Caminando Con Jesus): Wednesdays 7:00PM in the church	
Rosary Society: Meets every 3rd Sunday of the month, after the 12:45PM Mass in the Chapel	Legion of Mary English - Wednesdays after the 9am mass in the 1020 Basement Spanish - Saturdays 11am in the Parish Office Cursillistas: Tuesdays at 7:00 PM in the 1020 Basement	
English Prayer Group: <i>Tuesdays from 7:00PM to 9:00PM in the church with exposition of the</i> <i>Blessed Sacrament with Fr. Szymon</i>		
Haitian Prayer Group: Wednesdays 7:00PM in the church	Black History Committee: <i>Meets every 2nd Sunday of the month at 10:00 AM in the 1020 Basement</i>	
Mother's Prayer Group	The Laurencian Guild Rosary Society: Ist Sunday of the month in the 1020 Basement. Bereavement Ministry: Please email Ms. Ginger Wright at grwright04@yahoo.com	
Every 1st Saturday of the month after 9am Mass in the Chapel Legion of Mary English - Mondays 7pm in the rectory		
Creole - Thursdays 7pm in the rectory	Altagracia Committee: To be announced	
Choir: Adults English - Thursdays 7:30PM in the church Haitian - Saturdays 6:00PM in the church Children - Sundays after 11:15AM Mass in Chapel	Providencia Committee: To be announced	
Youth Group: 13-17 year olds, Meet every 1st & 3rd Fridays at 6:00PM in the Religious Education Office	Baptisms at Holy Family Worship Site The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on the 2 nd and 4 th Sundays in English and 1 st Sunday in Creole at 1:45pm of each month.	
Young Adult Group: 17 year olds with permission, 18-Adults. Meet every 2nd & 4th Friday in the Religious Education Office at 7:30PM	Baptisms at St. Laurence Worship Site The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on the 3^{rd} Sunday of each month for English & Spanish.	
Marian Praise: Every Last Sunday of the Month at 7:00PM in the Church	************	
Bereavement Ministry: Every 2nd Thursday of the Month at 7:00PM in the rectory. Please call Ms. Maureen Welsh at 1-718-709-6172 for more info	Parents and/or legal guardians must call the parish offices to make appointment to see Clergy for an interview. At the interview, parents must present the child original birth certificate (not a copy) and attend the instructions prior to the ceremony. The God-Parents MUST be fully initiated Practicing Catholics and have proof to show it via Sponsor letter from the church they are registered at cot other religious notarized documentation. Children 7 years old and above shoul register for Religious Education classes.	
Sacred Heart of Jesus: Every 1st Monday of the Month at 7:00pm in the Chapel		
Benediction and Litany Tuesday & Thursdays: Every Tuesday and Thursday after the 9am Mass to the Sacred Heart Jesus & the Holy Spirit	FAITH FORMATION OFFICES	
Immaculate Heart of Mary: Every 1st Saturday of the month, recitation the rosary after the 9am mass in honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary	The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA): Attention Adults, Older Teens Have you expressed an interest in becoming a Catholic? Baptized in an other Christian church? or were baptized Catholic but have not received First	
Children of the Light – Youth Group: Every 2nd & 4th Saturday of the month in the Chapel	Communion or Confirmation? We offer you an opportunity to come together a small group to learn about our faith. Call the faith formation offices for me info.	
MARRIAGES at Holy Family-St. Laurence R.C. Parish	RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AT HOLY FAMILY WORSHIP SITE For children and adults every Sunday at 9:30AM. Please call Mr. Brendan Egonu at 1-718-257-8016 or 1-917-274-7631 for more info.	
MARRIAGES at Holy Family-St. Laurence R.C. Parish By Diocesan Directives, arrangements made at least SIX months prior to any marriage commitment by a Parish. For your conveniences, please call the rectory to make an appointment with the Priest BEFORE setting up a date for reception hall.	RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AT ST.LAURENCE WORSHIP SITE For children and adults every Saturday at 10:00AM. Please call Mrs. Lori Ramos-Johnson at 1-718-649-0545 ext. 105 or 1-646-772-3708 for more info.	
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Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network meetings every 2nd Sunday of the month at Shrine Church of St. Jude at 3pm.

THIS WEEK ANNOUNCEMENTS......

On the behalf of the Clergy and staff of the Parish, we wish you and your family a very blessed Easter Season.

<u>Religious Education Dates</u>

- ⇒ Confirmation Mass on Saturday May 4th @ 5pm with Bishop Sanchez at Holy Family Worship Site for both programs
- \Rightarrow First Communion on Saturday May 11th @ 11am for Holy Family Worship Site Students
- ⇒ First Communion on Saturday May 11th @ 1pm for St.Laurence Worship Site Students
- ⇒ Crowning of Mother Mary on Sunday May 12th @ 11:15am with Holy Family Worship Site Students

• Novena to our lady of Fatima

The month of May is around the corner. It's the month of Mary, our Mother. This year again, The Novena to Our Lady of Fatima will be in person, from Saturday, May 4th, through Sunday, May 12th. The Feast Day is Monday, May 13; the mass is at 7:00pm. The Novena will feature Blessed Sacrament, brief reflection, the novena prayer, and benediction. All will be done in one hour each night, from 7:30pm - 8:30pm. For more information, please contact Fr. Yvon Hector. Each one, bring one!

• May is the month of Mother Mary and the following events are times of devotion to her:

- * The Rosary Society at Holy Family Worship site will have the Crowing of Mary at the 12:45pm mass on May 19th.
- * Saturday May 25th, 2000 Hail Mary's at St. Jude Church from 7am to 5pm.
- * Monday May 28th, 2000 Hail Mary's at Holy Family Worship Site after the 9am mass.
- The 2024 Mass book, Candles and Bread & Wine books **ARE OPENED** for the parish at both worship sites. It is first come, first served. Please keep in mind that the offices only see one person at time.
- Alternative Offerings Options are by dropping off your envelopes through the slot on the Parish offices doors or sent it via mail or visit our parish website and donate online to continue your support to your parish. You can access our E-giving page at https://givecentral.org/location/768. Or simply text the word SUNDAY to (646) 736-4646. Thank you for you donation. Please note that when writing checks, the parish name is...HOLY FAMILY ST. LAURENCE R.C. PARISH.

SAVE THE DATES

Holy Family Worship Site

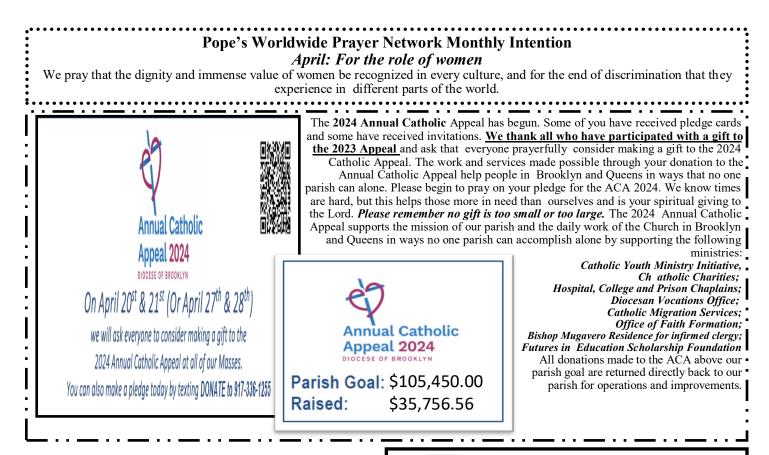
• <u>Spring Festival hosted by Filipino American Family 2024</u> Saturday June 1st at Roma View from 6:30pm to 11:30pm. Tickets are \$130 for 13yrs old to Adults \$45 for 5yrs old to 12yrs old. Tickets include dinner, full cocktail hour and live entertainment. **Deadline for payment in cash or check is May 15th.** There will also be a raffle, tickets are \$5 and all prizes are CASH! Both tickets can be purchased from a committee member or at the rectory.

Summer Outdoor Flea Market SATURDAY June 1 from 8am to 4pm. Vendor Forms are around the church, at the parish office and in the back of this bulletin. Rental include a table and two chairs, \$35 for non-food and \$50 for food. For guarantee space, payments must be in check or money order are due May 24th.

- <u>Sacred Heart of Jesus</u>
 - \Rightarrow Triduum June 5th to 7th after the 9am mass
 - \Rightarrow Solemnity Mass on Friday June 7th @ 7:30pm
 - ⇒ Solemnity Of The Most Sacred Heart Of Jesus on Friday June 7th at 7:30PM. We invite you to join us in the Triduum prayers with benediction in preparation for the feast of the most Sacred Heart of Jesus. Registration forms are around the church and the cost is \$20.
- Jericho 2024

Sunday, 6/16 - Saturday, 6/22 @ 7:30pm





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 testimonial letters in connection with issue sponsorship for the sacraments of Baptism, and Confirmation. We can give character references for positions, schools etc. only to those who have been registered for at least 3 months. Please register at the rectory 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 every 2 months, PLEASE call the Parish Offices. If you do receive the envelopes, PLEASE USE THEM.

It is important

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





PROTECTING ALL CHILDREN Safe Environment

Holy Family - St. Laurence Parish comply 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 either Mr. Brendan Egonu or Ms. Lori Ramos-Johnson 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.

The Cluster Food Pantry is available to those of our parishes who are in need of food. The Pantry is located in the basement of Our Lady of Miracles Rectory (757 E. 86th St. Between Flatlands Ave. & Glenwood Rd.) Entrance through parking lot, back



of rectory. Open from 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM Saturdays ONLY.

There is a box in the back of the church for food donations for the pantry. Please bring non-perishables to church with you and leave in the back of the church. We will be sure to send it to Our Lady of Miracles food pantry. The Panty is being stocked by volunteers from the cluster parishes.



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Sponsored by the Hoty Tamity Mea's Group Ministry



MARKET**

IN THE SCHOOL YARD

**(IN CASE OF RAIN, THE FLEA MARKET WILL BE HELD INSIDE SCHOOL GYM/AUDITORIUM)

SATURDAY, JUNE 1ST, 2024

8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

VENDOR INFORMATION:

- Setup 7:00 am
- Table Rental w/2 chairs \$35.00 each table rental
- Table Rental w/2 chairs if food is sold \$50.00 each table rental.
- TO GUARANTEE A SPACE, you can send an advanced payment.
 Send payment (CHECK or MONEY ORDER ONLY. NO CASH) to: Holy Family - St. Laurence RC Church 9719 Flatlands Avenue - Brooklyn, NY 11236

Attention: Elba O. Melendez or Walter Campbell

Application Form - Flea Market

Name:				
Tel:	Cell:			
Email:				
Address:				
City:	State	Zip		
How many spaces needed?				
What will you be selling at Flea Market?				
Deadline to reserve and pay for tables is May 24, 2024 (Office use only)				
Total submitted: \$ Re	ceived by:	Date:		
For more information, please call Elba O. Melendez at 646-327-8364 or Walter Campbell at 917-693-1970				

