

# CHURCH OF THE HOLY INNOCENTS



279 East 17th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11226  
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## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

**Monday—Friday:** 9:00 AM—5:00PM  
**Saturday:** 9:00 AM—3:30PM  
**Sunday:** 10:00AM—3:30PM

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Weekdays

Monday—Saturday:  
8:00 AM English

### Saturday Vigil

4:00 PM English  
7:00 PM Spanish

### Sunday

9:00 AM English  
11:00 AM Spanish  
1:00 PM Creole

### Reconciliation

Saturday at 3:00PM

## PARISH PASTORAL STAFF

### Pastor

Rev. Lucon Rigaud

### Religious Ed.

Ms. Nancy Gerard

### Parochial Vicars

Rev. Alfredo Garcia  
Rev. Michael Pierre Louis

### RCIA Coord.

Deacon Ronald Agnant

*RCIA Office Hours  
By Appointment Only*

### Deacons

Deacon Ronald Agnant  
Deacon Joseph Piaubert

### Trustees

Chantal Marie Isaac  
Gil Modesto Solis

### Admin. Assist.

Manouchka Jonky Louis

## SACRAMENTS

### Baptism

Individual Baptisms will be celebrated on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month in English, Spanish & Creole.

### Marriage

Arrangements for marriage must be made with a priest at least **SIX MONTHS** before the wedding.

## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The parish of the Holy Innocents in Brooklyn is a blessed multicultural community. We exist to proclaim, witness and celebrate the presence of Christ in the community through evangelization and Liturgical celebrations. We are committed to foster a strong spirituality, a sense of stewardship, responsible leadership by promoting unity, social justice and peace. We seek guidance from the Holy Spirit to achieve our mission as Disciples of Christ.

## NUESTRA MISION

La Paroquia de los Santos Inocentes en Brooklyn es una comunidad multicultural bendecido. Nosotros existimos para proclamar el testimonio y celebrar la presencia de Cristo a través de la evangelización y celebraciones litúrgicas. Estamos comprometidos a fomentar una espiritualidad, un sentido de la corresponsabilidad, el liderazgo responsable de promover la unidad, la justicia social y la paz. Buscamos la guía del Espíritu Santo para nuestra misión como Discipulos de Cristo.

## MISION NOU

Pawas Sent Inosan ki nan Brooklyn nan, nou se yon kominote beni e miltikiltirèl. Nou existe poun proklame, temwaye e selebre prezans Jezi-kri nan kominote a, nan jan nou evangelize e selebre litiji nou yo. Nou se yon komite ki gen yon spirtitu-alite djan-m. Nou pran responsablite ki pemet nou grandi nan inyon, jistis sosyal e kè poze. Nap chèche sekou Lespri Sen an poun kapab akonpli misyon nou kom vrè disip Kris la.

**TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

# MASS INTENTIONS

## MASSES FOR THE WEEK

### Saturday, October 1, 2022

8:00am Repose of the soul of the Purgatorial Society and Nicole Hill

4:00pm For the People of the Parish

7:00pm For the People of the Parish

### Sunday, October 2, 2022

9:00am For the People of the Parish

11:00am Por el eterno descanso de Felipe Alfonso Isidora y Aurelia Modesto Aurelio  
*Pedido por su hermana y cunada Teo Cayetano*

1:00pm Repos de l'ame de Nicole Hill  
*Recommande par Gracita Marcellus-Coq.*

### Monday, October 3, 2022

8:00am For the People of the Parish

### Tuesday, October 4, 2022

8:00am For the People of the Parish

### Wednesday, October 5, 2022

8:00am For the People of the Parish

### Thursday, October 6, 2022

8:00am Birthday Blessing for Rev. Fr. Michel Pierre Louis  
*Solicited by Gladys Phillpotts*

### Friday, October 7, 2022

8:00am For the People of the Parish

### Saturday, October 8, 2022

8:00am For the People of the Parish

## 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal



Respond  
in Faith, Hope & Charity

The 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal supports the mission of our parish and the daily work of the Church in Brooklyn and Queens in ways no one parish can accomplish alone by supporting the following ministries:

Catholic Youth Ministry Initiative, Catholic Charities;  
Hospital, College and Prison Chaplains; Diocesan  
Vocations Office;

Catholic Migration Services; Office of Faith Formation; Bishop Mugavero Residence for infirmed clergy; Futures in Education  
Scholarship Foundation

All donations made to the ACA above our parish goal are returned directly back to our parish for operations and improvements.

**Prenez Courage, J'ai Vaincu le Monde.**



*Radakka vous invite a trois soirees de priere et de louanges pour celebrer leur 28eme anniversaire*  
**5 au 7 Octobre 2022**  
**Huere: 7:30pm**

*Invite Special: Reverend P. Schned Bruno et autres*

Holy Innocents R.C Church  
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Brooklyn, NY 11226

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## STEWARDSHIP

Week Ending: September 18, 2022

Total Regular Collection:  
\$ 4,191.00

Week Ending: September 25, 2022

Total Regular Collection:  
\$ 3,338.00

Mass Attendance  
9/17/-9/18/2022

Mass	Adults	Children	TOTAL
4:00 PM	50	05	55
7:00 PM	93	19	112
9:00 AM	140	40	180
11:00 AM	259	53	312
1:00PM	91	05	96

Mass Attendance  
9/24/-9/25/2022

Mass	Adults	Children	TOTAL
4:00 PM	40	05	45
7:00 PM	76	04	80
9:00 AM	98	90	188
11:00 AM	193	37	232
1:00PM	92	03	95



For information, please contact the Faith Formation Office at 718 469-9500, Ext 104

Times are tough, and our mental health is being challenged now more than ever. For therapeutic counseling please contact:  
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M.S.Ed., CMHC-LP*

Address: 279 East 17<sup>th</sup> Street, Brooklyn, NY 11226

Phone: (917)-412-2632

Email Address: lucon@livingwaterstherapy.org

## DAILY MASS READINGS

3 Mon - Week Day

Gal 1:6-12 / Lk 10:25-37

4 Tue - Week Day

Gal 1:13-24 / Lk 10:38-42

5 Wed - Week Day

Gal 2:1-2, 7-14 / Lk 11:1-4

6 Thu- Week Day

Gal 3:1-5 / Lk 11:5-13

7 Fri- Week Day

Gal 3:7-14 / Lk 11:15-26

8 Sat - Week Day

Gal 3:22-29 / Lk 11:27-28

9 Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

2 Kgs 5:14-17; Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4; 2 Tm 2:8-13; Lk 17:11-19

## Stewardship Reflection

Our readings today show us that living a stewardship way of life, that is, a life focused on serving God and His Kingdom, is not easy. They also show us that our lives belong to God, not to us and that God will indeed bring about the fulfillment of His kingdom. We just need to have faith that He can do it and commit to our small part in His grand design. This is both our privilege and responsibility as Christian stewards.

Jesus makes this privilege and responsibility clear in today's Gospel passage from Luke. When the apostles ask the Lord to increase their faith, He tells them that even a mustard seed-sized faith is all that is needed to move mountains (because it is God who does the heavy lifting). We need only take the tiniest step forward, and He will do the rest.

But living our lives in His service is also very much our responsibility, as Jesus explains through the parable of the unprofitable servant later in this passage. Our Lord describes a scene in which a servant has just come in from tending to the master's affairs and asks whether it would be reasonable for the master to begin waiting on his servant. Of course, it would not be reasonable! The servant would be expected to continue to serve his master until he has completed the work the master has given him that day. Jesus says we should have this same attitude before God.

The time, talents, and treasure entrusted to us are all God's. Our very lives belong to Him. Whatever we do on God's behalf with our lives and our gifts is simply our God-given responsibility.

The stewardship way of life makes the privilege and responsibility of serving Christ and His kingdom a reality.



Every child in the program must re-register.

### **NEW STUDENT**

\*New Registrants: 1 child: \$60.00 - family registered member

\*\$80.00 - nonregistered family

### **RETURNING STUDENT REGISTRATION**

\*Second Year Class

1 child: \$50.00 - family registered member

\*\$60.00 – nonregistered family

\*Discount for 2 or more children (same parent)

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Cada niño en el programa debe volver a registrarse.

### **ESTUDIANTE NUEVO**

\*Nuevos registrados: 1 niño: \$ 60.00 - miembro familiar registrado

\*\$80.00 - familia no registrada

### **REGISTRO DE ESTUDIANTES QUE REGRESAN**

\* Clase de segundo año

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\*\$60.00 – familia no registrada

\*Descuento por 2 o más hijos (mismo padre)

## The logo for 'AMAZING CATECHISTS' features the word 'AMAZING' in red and 'CATECHISTS' in blue, with a large red cross integrated into the letter 'A' of 'CATECHISTS'.

## **IS GOD CALLING YOU TO BE A CATECHIST?**

Do you love Jesus and His Church and have a desire to share that love with others? Then you may be called to be a catechist. If you answer YES to this question, then you already have what it takes to be a catechist. The qualifications to be a catechist is not necessarily a degree in theology or being a teacher by trade. It is your WITNESS that makes you a great catechist. Our leader guides are easy to use, and training and support is available.

Our Religious Education Program is in great need for SUMMER and FALL catechists. If you are interested in serving as a catechist, please answer the questions below and we will contact you. You can also call us at 718 469-9500 EXT. 104

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## **¿TE LLAMA DIOS A SER CATEQUISTA?**

¿Amas a Jesús y Su Iglesia y tienes el deseo de compartir ese amor con los demás? Entonces usted puede ser llamado a ser catequista. Si responde SÍ a esta pregunta, entonces ya tiene lo que se necesita para ser catequista. Las calificaciones para ser catequista no son necesariamente un título en teología o ser un maestro de oficio. Es vuestro TESTIMONIO lo que os convierte en un gran catequista. Nuestras guías para líderes son fáciles de usar y se encuentran disponibles capacitación y soporte.

Nuestro Programa de Educación Religiosa tiene una gran necesidad de catequistas para el VERANO y el OTOÑO. Si está interesado en servir como catequista, responda las siguientes preguntas y nos pondremos en contacto con usted. También puede llamarnos al 718 469-9500 EXT. 104



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