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Celebrated once a month in English, Spanish or Creole

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Confessions: Saturday 9 AM & 4 PM or by appointment

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Arrangements should be made at least 6 months in advance. call Rectory for appointment.

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Sunday Masses

Sunday Mass Schdule
5:00 PM Saturday; 8:30 AM (church) & 11:30 AM Sunday (chapel) – in English
10:00 AM - domingo en español;
11h30 AM - en créole – dans l'église
Weekday Masses: every day 8:30 AM

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER - May 17, 2026

On the way to Pentecost

John 17.1-11, Jesus says:
``This is eternal life:
that they should know You,
the only true God, and the
One Whom You sent, Jesus Christ."
And in the Acts of the Apostles:
``All these devoted themselves
with one accord to prayer,
together with some women,
and Mary the Mother of Jesus."
Let us join in prayer with our Mother as we await a new outpouring of the Holy Spirit!

Masses and Services for the Week May 17th

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, May 17
(Breaking Bread: p. 154)

8:30 AM † Jervis & Vivian Sorzano
by Dianne Sorzano

10:00 AM ***Misa en español***
Por el Pueblo de la Parroquia

11:30 AM ***Messe Haïtienne - église***
Blanca Thélus - Fête
par Josette Bellevue

11:30 AM ***English Mass - chapel***
Patricia Biron - Birthday
by Donica Allen

2:00 PM ***Baptisms***

3:00 PM ***Bautismos***

MONDAY, May 18 - Pope St. Jojm I

8:30 AM † Patricia Carbo & Blanca León
by Gina Ríos

TUESDAY, May 19

8:30 AM I Billy Emerson Cowart & Sheldon William *by Yves Martial Alphonse*

WEDNESDAY, May 20 - St. Bernardino

8:30 AM † Isidoe Boursiquot *by Alice Guercy*

Readings for the Week of May17, 2026

Sunday: ..... Acts 1:12-14/1 Pt 4.13-16/ Jn. 17.1-11
Monday: ..... Acts 19.1-8/Jn 16:29-33
Tuesday: ..... Acts 20:17-27/Jn 17:1-11
Wednesday: ..... Acts 20:28-38/Jn 17:11-19
Thursday: ..... Acts 22:30;23:6-11/Jn 17:20-26
Friday: ..... Acts 25:13-21/Jn 21:15-19
Saturday: ..... Acts 28:16-20,30-31/Jn 21:20-25
Next Sunday: ..... Acts 2:1-11/1 Cor 12.3-13/ Jn.20719-23

Please\Remember our Deceased

Theresa Adams; Dieuveille Neptune; Marie Ghislaine Bouzi; Gloria Wilson; Joseph St-Aubin; Agnes Ama; Flore Jean-Paul; Michael Weeks; Domingo Garcí; Phillipe Duvivier; Helen Terris; Yolande Alvarez; Teodoro Lozano; Miguel Estrada; Louisa Rainvil; Beryl Demercado; Agnes Hunter; Keith Hall; Marie Florival; Pauline Charles; Marie Rose Momplaisir; Jerome Sergeant; Louisa Johnson; Thomas Hinkson; Georgia Davis; June VanSluytman; Alethia Sandiford; Daisy Wilson; Rocner Joseph

For LiveStream of Masses, go to
Holycrossrcchurch.org
***or* - Facebook.Josephmalagreca**
***or* You Tube Holy Cross Church**

THURS., May 14 - ASCENSION OF THE LORD
[Breaking Bread p. 152]

8:30 AM † Anick Pascal *by Marie Joseph*

7:30 PM ***Multilingual Mass***
Pro Populo

FRIDAY, May 15 - St. Isidore
(Beginning of the Holy Spirit Novena

8:30 AM Nancy Morrison
by Joycelyn Adrien

SATURDAY, May 16

8:30 AM † Carmelle Kénol
by her Daughter Magalie Clausius

11:00 AM ***Celebration of Confirmation***
Celebrant: Bishop DiMarzio

5:00 PM Agnes - Birthday *by her Children*

FRIDAY, May15th to May 23rd
Holy Spirit Novena

SUNDAY, May 24th
Pentecost Sunday

FRIDAY, June 5th - FIRST FRIDAY
7:30 PM ***Exposition & Rosary***
9:00 PM ***Holy Hour*** **10:00 PM** ***Benediction***

FRI., June 12th - THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS
8:30 AM English Mass 7:30 PM Haitian Mass
Corpus Chisti - 1:15 PM Procession

SUNDAY, June 7th
Corpus Chisti - 1:15 PM Procession

SATURDAY, June 13th - 7 00 PM
Gala Dinner at Glen Terrace ($160)
Msgr. Malagreca'a 50th Aniversary

SUNDAY, June 14th 11:30 AM
All Sacraments Mass

SATURDAY, June 20th
5:00 PM - Mass of Thanksgiiving
Msgr. Malagreca 50th Anniversary
Reception in Auditorium after Mass

Candles the Month of May offered **In Thanksgiving *by Mariyza Sheperd***

Bread & Wine for the Month of May
offered In Thanskgiving *by Marie Béliard*

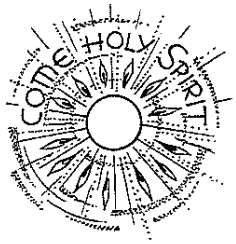
Paschal Candle
offered In Thanskgiving *by Jacqueline Dure Adams*

THE HOLY SPIRIT ≈ THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

The Holy Spirit is the Spirit of Jesus present in the world. Pentecost celebrates the reality that Jesus lives in the Church in the hearts of believers. Christian life is ***life in the Spirit.***

The Scriptures use many images to convey the idea of the Holy Spirit. Here are some:

1. THE HOLY SPIRIT IS THE LIFE OF THE BODY Just as a living human body has many members and one life, so the Body of Christ - the Church - has Christ as its head and the Spirit as its life force.



2. THE HOLY SPIRIT IS LIVING WATER Just as all living things rely on water to give life and freshness, so the Holy Spirit is the constant source of new life for the Church.

3. THE HOLY SPIRIT: BOND OF LOVE (DOVE) Often symbolized by a dove, the Holy Spirit is the Love of God uniting us into one Church.

4. THE HOLY SPIRIT IS THE POWER OF GOD (FIRE) There is a driving power within the heart of all Christians, a dynamic fire which strengthens us against evil and gives us the courage to give witness to Christ.

5. THE HOLY SPIRIT RENEWS THE EARTH (WIND) God constantly brings about new things on the earth. He has not abandoned the world - He touches people daily and makes them new in Him. He moves as He wills, accomplishing wonders and signs, and changing hearts, and forgiving sins.

Is the Holy Spirit obvious in your life? Pentecost Sunday is next Sunday - Prepare for a renewal in the Holy Spirit. Beg the Lord Jesus to re-awaken the flame of love and power in you by Baptism and Confirmation:

Come, Holy Spirit

WORLD YOUTH DAY IN SEOUL KOREA

August 1-9, 2027

Come join Msgr, Malagreca
with thebDiocese of Brooklyn
for this encounter eith Pope Leo
for Youth ages 18-35
$4,800 ($1,500 deposit by June 1)

Take courage! I have conquered the world!

ST. VINCENT de PAUL TRUCK

will collect clothes
Saturday, June 20 - 9:00 AM to noon
Woods Place Parking Lot

May 10TH 6th Sunday of Easter (Envs.)	$8,664
May 10TH 6th Sunday of Easter (On Line)	$ 604
Repairs	$ 3,266
N° of Envelopes (in the 1st Collection)	520

ANNUAL APPEAL 2026
NEW GOAL: $85,400

Number of Pledgers	73
Pledged to date	$ 35,865
Paid to date	$ 18,525

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

Sunday, June 7th is the Feast of Corpus Christi, the celebration of the Gift of the Body and Blood of Jesus

We invite all our parishioners to join the
Procession of the Blessed Sacrament at 1:15 PM
The route will be published next week.

Rose Petals

If you have roses in your garden, you can donate the petals to Jesus. Cut them on June 6th and bring them to the Rectory.

First Communion Children

Any child who received First Communion this year is iunvited to dress and throw rose petals. There will be two practices:

Sat., May 30th & June 6th
at 11:00 AM

L'ESPRIT-SAINT ≈ LA VIE DE L'ÉGLISE

L'Esprit-Saint est l'Esprit de Jésus présent dans le monde. La Pentecôte célèbre la réalité que Jésus demeure dans l'Église au cœur des croyants. La vie Chrétienne est la ***vie dans l'Esprit.*** Les Écritures utilisent beaucoup d'images pour rendre l'idée de l'Esprit-Saint. En voici quelques-unes:

1. L'ESPRIT-SAINT EST LA VIE DU CORPS: De la même façon que le corps humain a beaucoup de membres, mais une seule vie, ainsi le Corps du Christ - l'Église - a le Christ comme sa tête et l'Esprit comme sa force de vie;

2. L'ESPRIT-SAINT EST L'EAU VIVANTE: Comme tout ce qui vit dépend sur l'eau pour donner de la vie et de la fraîcheur, l'Esprit-Saint est la source constante de vie nouvelle pour l'Église;

3. L'ESPRIT-SAINT EST LE LIEN D'AMOUR (COLOMBE): Souvent symbolisé par une colombe, l'Esprit-Saint est l'Amour de Dieu Qui nous unit dans une seule Église;

4. L'ESPRIT-SAINT EST LA PUISSANCE DE DIEU (FEU) Il y a une puissance éclatante dans le cœur des Chrétiens, un feu dynamique qui nous fortifie contre le mal et nous donne le courage à rendre témoignage au Christ;

5. L'ESPRIT-SAINT RENOUVELLE LA TERRE (VENT): Dieu réalise des nouvelles choses sur la terre constamment. Il n'a pas abandonné le monde - Il touche beaucoup de monde chaque jour et Il les renouvelle. Il agit comme Il veut, en accomplissant des signes et des merveilles, en changeant des cœurs et en pardonnant péchés.

L'Esprit-Saint, est-Il évident dans votre vie? Le Dimanche de la Pentecôte est le dimanche prochaine. Préparez-vous pour un renouvellement dans l'Esprit-Saint. Suppliez le Seigneur Jésus de réveiller la flamme d'amour et la puissance qui est en vous par le Baptême et la Confirmation:

Viens, Esprit Saint!

JOURNÉE CHARISMATIQUE
SAMEDI, 23 MAI - 19h00 AM
St-Joseph, Norwalk, Connecticut
``L'Horizontal et le Vertical"
Autobus à 8h00 AM - $50
voyez Gisèle

GALA DINNER-SHOW
presented by the
Angels of God
Sunday, May 24th
6:00 PM to Midnight
in our Auditorium
Tickets: $600
see Josette Bellevue

0487 Holy Cross , Brooklyn

VENDREDI, 15 MAI su SAMEDI, 23 MAI
la neuvaine de l'Esprit-Saint

SAMEDI, 23 MAI
Journée Charismatique
St-Joseh, NORWALK, CT*n - Bus à 8h00 Am - $50*

DIMANCHE, 24 MAI - LA PENTECÔTE

VENDREDI, 5 JUIN
7h30 PM *Exposition & Chpelet*
9h00 PM *Heure Sainte* **10h00 PM Bénédiction**

DIMANCHE,7 JUIN - LA FÊTE-DIEU
1:15 PM - Procession du St-Sacrement

VENDREDI, 12 JUIN - 7h30 PM
Messe Haïtienne en l'Honneur
du Sacré Cœur de Jésus

SAMEDI, `13 JUIN - 7 00 PM
Gala Dinner à Glen Terrace ($160)
Msgr. Malagreca 50ème Anniversaire

SAMEDI, 20 JUIIN
5:00 PM - Messe d'Action de Grâce
Msgr. Malagreca 50ème Anniversaire
Réception à l'Auditorium après la Messe

EL ESPÍRITU SANTO - ≈ LA VIDA DE LA IGLESIA

El Espíritu Santo es el Espíritu de Jesús presente en el mundo. Pentecostés celebra el hecho que Jesús vive en Su Iglesia en el corazón de los creyentes. La vida cristiana es ***vida en el Espíritu.***

Las Escrituras utilizan muchas imágenes para dar la idea del Espíritu Santo. Aquí tiene algunas:

1. EL ESPÍRITU SANTO ES LA VIDA DEL CUERPO: Como un cuerpo humano tiene miembros y una sola vida, así también el Cuerpo de Cristo - la Iglesia tiene a Cristo como cabeza y el Espíritu como su fuerza.

2. EL ESPÍRITU SANTO ES AGUA VIVA Como todo lo que vive depende de agua para vida y frescura, así también el Espíritu Santo es la fuente constante de nueva vida para la Iglesia.

3. ES ESPÍRITU SANTO ES EL LAZO DEL AMOR (PALOMA) A menudo simbolizado por una paloma, el Espíritu Santo es el Amor de Dios que nos une en una sola Iglesia.

4. EL ESPÍRITU SANTO ES EL PODER DE DIOS (FUEGO) Hay un poder dentro del corazón de todos los cristianos, un fuego dinámico que nos fortalece contra el mal y nos da la valentía de dar testimonio a Cristo.

5. EL ESPÍRITU SANTO RENUEVA LA TIERRA (VIENTO) Dios realiza cosas nuevas en la tierra constantemente. Él no ha abandonado el mundo - Él toca mucha gente cada día - los renueva. Se mueve como quiera, haciendo signos y milagros, cambiando corazones y perdonando pecados.

¿Está manifesto el Espíritu Santo en tu vida? El Domingo de Pentecostés es el domingo próximo. Prepárate para una renovación en el Espíritu Santo. RuégaLe al Señor Jesús, para que despierte la llama de amor y de poder que está en ti por el Bautismo y la Confirmación:

¡Ven, Espíritu Santo!

PRÓXIMA ASAMBLEA
DOMINGO, 24 de mayo - 2:30 PM
en el templo de la parroquia Santísimo Sacramento el Domingo de Pentecostés

PROCESIÓN DEL CUERPO DE CRISTO

El domingo, 7 de junio es la Fiesta del *Corpus* la celebración del Regalo del Cuerpo y Sangre de Jesús

Invitamos a todos nuestros feligreses a caminaren la ***Procesión del Santísimo a la 1:15 PM***

La ruta se va a publicar la semana próxima

Pétalos de Rosas

Si Ud. tiene rosas en su jardín, podría dar los pétalos a Jesús. Córtelos el 6 de junio y llévelos a la casa parroquial.

Los niños de la Primera Comunión

Todo niño que ha recibido la Primera Comunión este año se invita a vestirse para echar flores, Habrá dos ensayos:

sábado, 30 de mayo a las 11:00 AM
sábado, 6 de junio a las 11:00

50th Anniversary of Msgr. Malagreca's Priesthood
Mass of Thanksgiving
Saturday, June 20th
5:00 PM
Reception to follow in the Auditorium

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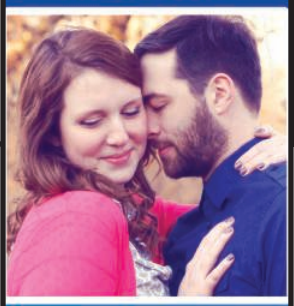

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