Holy Cross Roman Catholic Church

Pastor
Msgr. Joseph P. Malagreca

Parochial Vicar
Rev. Jean-Farda Tanisma

Parish Deacon
Deacon Francis Cuffie

Parish Secretaries
Guadalupe Benítez
Margaret Casey
Yessenia Hernández

Director of Music
Patrick David

Spanish Mass
Sandra Roper

Haitian Mass
Roseline Frémond

Eglise Catholique Romaine de la Sainte Croix

Iglesia Católica Romana de la Santa Cruz

Director of Religious Education
Wendy Rutherford
347-406-6333

Baptism
Celebrated once a month in English, Spanish or Creole

Reconciliation
Confessions: Saturday 9 AM & 4 PM or by appointment

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

Social Media Coordinator
Doris Ulysse

On Line Giving:
GivCentral.org/holycross

2530 Church Ave, Brooklyn, NY 11226
718-469-5900; Fax 718-469-5901
e-mail: msgrjoe@aol.com Web Site: holycrossrcchurch.org

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

19th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - Aug. 9, 2026

``The Lord will be passing by...
and then there was a tiny whispering sound."

In Matthew 14.22-33, we hear:

``Take courage!
It is I, do not be afraid!"
``Lord, save me!"
Immediately Jesus
stretched out His hand
and caught Peter.
This Gospel is about
walking in faith:-
Have you ever stepped out
onto the water
with your eyes on Jesus?

Masses and Services for the Week Aug. 9th

19th Ordinary Sunday, Aug. 9
(Breaking Bread: p. 187)

8:30 AM For the People of the Parish
10:00 AM ***Misa en español***
Abel Tecuatl - Cumpleaños
por su Familia
11:30 AM ***Messe Haïtienne - église***
Angela Duplessis - Fête
par sa Famille
11:30 AM ***English Mass - chapel***
† Louise John
by the Men's Fellowship
2:00 PM ***Bautismos***

MONDAY, Aug. 10 - St. Lawrence
8:30 AM

TUESDAY, Aug. 11 - St. Claire
8:30 AM In Thanksgiving for Chidren & Grabddhildren *by Veronica Martin*

WED. , Aug. 12 - St. Frances de Chantal
8:30 AM † Yves Edwige Lalanne
by Marie Joelle Lalanne

Readings for the Week of Aug. 9 2026

Sunday: ..... 1 Kgs 19.9-13/Rm 9.1-5/Mt 14.22-33
Monday: ..... 2 Cor 9.6-10/Jn 12.24-25
Tuesday: ..... Ez 2.8-3.4/Mt 18.1-14
Wednesday: ..... Ez 9.1-7,10.18-22/Mt 18.15-20
Thursday: ..... Ez 12.1-12/Mt 18.21-19.1
Friday: ..... Ez 16.1-15,60,63/Mt 19.3-12
Saturday: ..... Rev 11.19-12.6/1 Cor 15.20-27/Lk 1.39-56
Next Sunday: ..... Is 56.1,6-7/Rm 11.13-15,29-32/Mt 15.21-28

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; Doris Wilson; Rocner Joseph; Claude Sealy; Vaughn Wooddrooffe; Adoph Moise; Julio Locarno; Normas Mésidor; Joseph James; Warren Jonathan Ramírez; Herbe Chatelain

THURSDAY. Aug. 13 - SS> Pontian & Hyppolitus
8:30 AM † Cassien Alexander

FRIDAY, Aug. 14 - St. Maximilian Kolbe
8:30 AM

Celebration of the Assumotion
7:30 PM **Multilingual Mass** *Pro Populo*
8:45 PM ***Candlelight Procession***

SAT.. Aug. 15 - The Assumption of Mary
8:30 AM † Juana Ashburn *by her Family*
1:00 PM ***Quinceañera*** Alexa Cruz
5:00 PM Katelyn & Julie Estaphane
- Birthdays *by Grandmother*
Bridget Jean-Philip

Candles the Month of August offered in **Memory of Yva Cantave & Charlyvia Cantave** ***by the Cantave Family***

Bread & Wine for the Month of July offered Rest in Peace **Rita & Monica Jerome** ***by Lisa Martin***

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

SIGHT & SOUND

JOSHUA

Friday, Sept. 11

Bus leaves at 10:30 AM
3:00 PM Show
6:30 PM Dinner

$210

See Theresa Gibbs; Aura Casprowitz or Gisèle Dieubin
($100 deposit now balance by Aug. 16th)

THE ASSUMPTION OF MARY

This Saturday, the entire Church celebrates the Feast of the **Assumption of Mary**. This dogma of the Church is the belief that Mary has been brought into heaven to experience the fullness of the Resurrection. Let us reflect on the Assumption as **MARY, THE SIGN OF CHRIST'S REDEMPTION**.

The Church is profoundly aware that Redemption and Salvation in Jesus penetrates **all aspects** of human life. Jesus saves us from sin, from sickness, from fear, from disunity, and from death. We believe that, when the fullness of Christ's Kingdom comes, there will be "no more death or mourning, crying out or pain" (Rev. 21.5) for "Christ will be "all in all" (1 Cor. 15.28).

Mary is the one who is "completely redeemed". Since by the grace of Christ she has been preserved from all sin ("full of grace" - Luke 1.28) she is the one person in whom Christ has always dwelt in fullness. Her Assumption is the completion of the Redemption. One day, you and I will be like her, without sin and fully the servants of Christ - in the Resurrection.

The three great mysteries of the life of Mary can be understood in their relationship to her Motherhood. Clearly, the greatest fact about Mary is that she is the **Mother of God**. She was invited by God to be the Mother of Jesus. She accepted -and at that moment became the only woman to conceive a child as a Virgin. Since her Child is God Himself become a man, she became the Mother of God.

In preparation for this, God prepared her by making her full of grace. The mystery of the fact that she was conceived without sin and preserved without sin is called the **Immaculate Conception**.

Since Mary did not cease to be the Mother of Jesus, but continues forever in her maternal role, she continues to live in the fullness of grace. Hence, after her time on earth, Jesus has brought her into the fullness of Redemption - **the Assumption**. ***"...a great sign appeared in heaven: a woman, robed with the sun, standing on the moon, and on her head a crown of twelve stars."***

The Assumption is the **Fourth Glorious Mystery** of the Rosary. The Glorious Mysteries invite us to contemplate the victory of Jesus over sin and death. Mary shares completely in that victory. As we contemplate her in glory with Jesus, we too long to behold Him as she does, and to join her in singing His praises.

Friday-Saturday, Aug. 14th-15th
The Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary
Friday evening, Aug. 14th
7:30 PM ***Multilingual Mass***
8:45 PM ***Candlelight Procession***
Saturday morning, Aug. 15th
8:30 AM Mass in English
The Saturday evening Mass will be the mass of Sunday

, Sept. 4 - First Friday
7:30 PM ***Exposirtion & Rosary***
9:00 PM ***Holy Hour*** **10:00 PM** ***Bnediction***

Sunday, Sept. 6 to Mon., Sept. 14
Holy Cross Novena
prayers at 8:30 Mass
Novena prayers will be in Aug. 30 Bulletin

Monday, Sept. 14
Feast of the Holy Cross
8:30 AM Mass in English
7:00 PM ***Procession of the Holy Cross***
7:45 PM ***Multilingual Mass***

Visit from the
Corona Self-Help Group
Saturday & Sunday, Aug. 8-9

Holy Cross Helpers -
Pilgrimagie to Our Lady of Lourdes
Litchfield, Connecticut
Sat., Aug. 22 at 8:00 AM
See Jean M^{c}Clain - 718-774-3592
Ticket $65

Souls in Harmony
is the choir whic sins at the 11:30 AM EnglishMass on the 4th Sunday of thre month
Looking for new members
See Danette Sampson

L'ASSOMPTION DE MARIE

Ce sameii, l'Église entière célèbre la Fête de **l'Assomption de Marie**. Ce dogme de l'Église est la croyance que Marie a été reçue aux cieux pour expérimenter la plénitude de la Résurrection.

Réfléchissons sur l'Assomption comme

MARIE, LE SIGNE DE LA RÉDEMPTION DU CHRIST

Nous Chrétiens nous croyons que Jésus-Christ est venu **nous racheter et nous sauver**. C'est le plan de Dieu que - **en Christ** - tous soient remplis de la vie de Jésus.

L'Église est profondément consciente que la Rédemption et le Salut en Jésus pénètre **tous les aspects** de la vie humaine. Jésus nous sauve du péché, de la maladie, de la peur, de la division et de la mort. Nous croyons que, lorsque viendra la plénitude du Royaume du Christ, il n'y aura "plus ni la mort, ni deuil, ni cri, ni souffrance" (Apoc. 21.4), parce que Christ sera tout en tous" (1 Cor. 15.28).

Marie est celle qui est "complètement rachetée". Étant donné que par la grâce du Christ elle a été préservée de tout péché ("pleine de grâce" - Luc 1.28), elle est la seule personne dans laquelle Jésus a toujours demeuré dans Sa plénitude. Son Assomption est l'accomplissement de la Rédemption. Un jour, vous-même et moi-même, nous serons comme elle, sans péché et complètement les serviteurs de Christ dans la Résurrection.

On peut comprendre les trois grands mystères de la vie de Marie par ses relations à sa Maternité. Claire-ment, le fait le plus grand de Marie est qu'elle est la Mère de Dieu. Environ l'âge de quinze ans, elle a été invitée par Dieu à être la Mère de Son Fils. Elle a accepté - et à ce moment elle est devenue la seule femme qui concevrait un enfant comme une vierge. Étant donné que son Enfant es Dieu Lui-Même devenu un homme, elle est devenue la Mère de Dieu.

En préparation de ceci, Dieu l'avait préparée en la créant pleine de grâce. Le mystère de qu'elle a été conçue sans péché et préservée de tout péché s'appelle **l'Immaculée Conception**.

Parce que Marie n'a pas cessé d'être la Mère de Jésus, sinon qu'elle continue à exercer son rôle maternel, elle continue à vivre dans la plénitude de la grâce. Ainsi, après son temps ici sur la terre, Jésus l'a emportée dans la plénitude de la Rédemption- **l'Assomption**.

"...un grand signe apparut dans le ciel: une femme, vêtue du soleil, la lune sous les pieds, et sur la tête une couronne de douze étoiles." (Apoc. 12.1)

L'Assomption est le **Quatrième Mystère Glorieux** du Rosaire. Les Mystères Glorieux nous invite à contempler la victoire de Jésus sur le péché et la mort. Marie partage complètement de cette victoire. En la contemplant dans la gloire avec Jésus nous aussi désirer de Le regarder comme elle, et de nous joindre avec elle en chantant Ses louanges.

MARDI, 11 août
7h30 PM Messe Charismatique Haïtienne
VENDREDI - SAMEDI, 14-15 AOÛT
L'ASSOMPTION DE LA VIERGE MARIE
vendredi, 14 août
7h30 PM ***Messe multilingue***
8h45 PM ***Procession aux Flambeaux***
samedi, 15 août
8h30 AM ***Messe en anglais***

dimanche, 6 sept. au lundi, 14 sept.
Neuvaine de la Sainte Croix
on priera avant la Messe de 8h30 AM
On distribuera les prieres le 30 août
Lundi, 14 septembre
Fête de la Sainte Croix
8:30 AM Messe en anglais
7:00 PM ***Procession de la Sainte Croix***
7:45 PM **Messe *Multilingue***

Aug. 2nd 18th Ord Sunday (Envs.)	**$8,070**
Air Conditioning	**$1,856**
N° of Envelopes (in the 1st Collection)	**390**
ANNUAL APPEAL 2026	
NEW GOAL: $85,400	
Number of Pledgers	**110**
Pledged to date	**$ 49.378**
Paid to date	**$ 339701**

LA ASUNCIÓN DE MARÍA

Este sábado, la Iglesia entera celebra la Fiesta de la **Asunción de María**. Este dogma de la Iglesia es la creencia que María ha sido traída al cielo para experimentar la plenitud de la Resurrección.

Vamos a reflexionar sobre la Asunción como

MARÍA, EL SIGNO
DE LA REDENCIÓN EN CRISTO.

Nosotros Cristianos creemos que Jesucristo vino a **redimirnos y salvarnos**. Es el plan de Dios que **-en Cristo -** todos se llenen de la vida de Jesús.

La Iglesia es profundamente consciente de que la Redención y la Salvación de Jesús penetran **todo aspecto** de la vida humana. Jesús nos salva de pecado, de enfermedad, de miedo, de división, y de la muerte. Creemos que, al llegar la plenitud del Reino de Cristo, no habrá "muerte, ni llanto, ni lamento, ni dolor" (Rev. 21.5) porque Cristo será "todo en todo" (1 Cor. 15.28).

María es la "completamente redimida". Por la gracia de Cristo preservada de todo pecado ("llena de gracia" - Lucas 1.28), ella es la única persona en quien Cristo ha habitado siempre en plenitud. Su Asunción es el cumplimiento de la Redención en ella. Un día, tú y yo seremos como ella, sin pecado y completamente siervos de Cristo - en la Resurrección.

Los tres grandes misterios de la vida de María se pueden entender en sus relaciones a su Maternidad. .

Claramente, el hecho más grande de María es que ella es la Madre de Dios. A la edad de quince años, ella fue invitada por Dios a ser la Madre de Su Hijo Ella aceptó - y en ese momento ella llegó a ser la única mujer que concebiría a un hijo como virgen. Ya que su Hijo es Dios Mismo hecho hombre, ella ha llegado a ser la Madre de Dios.

En vista de esto, Dios la había preparado, creándola llena de gracia. El misterio de que ella ha sido concebida sin pecado y preservada de todo pecado se llama la **Inmaculada Concepción**.

Porque María no ha dejado de ser la Madre de Jesús, sino que ella continúa a ejercer su papel maternal, ella continúa a vivir en la plenitud de la gracia. Así, después de su tiempo aquí en la tierra, Jesús la tomó en la la plenitud de la Redención- **la Asunción**.

"...apareció en el cielo una señal grandiosa: una Mujer, vestida del sol, con la luna bajo sus pies y en su cabeza una corona de doce estrellas" (Apoc. 12.1)

La Asunción es el **Cuarto Misterio Glorioso** del Rosario, Los Misterios Gloriosos nos invitan a contemplar la victoria de Jesús sobre el pecado y la muerte. María comparte completamente de esa victoria. Al contemplarla en la gloria con Jesús, nosotros también queremos mirarLo como ella, y juntarnos con ella cantando Sus alabanzas.

DÍA AL AIRE LIBRE
sábado, 5 de septiembre
Haverstraw, NY
Boletos - $50 - vea Esteban o Santiago

RAYON D'ESPOIR
Sunday, Aug. 16 - 1:15 PM - Auditorium
This Youth Group invites all forrefreshments and a chance o meet everyone

VIERNES - SÁBADOI, 14-15 de AGOSTO
LA ASUNCIÓN DE LA VIRGEN MARÍA

viernesi, 14 de agosto
7:30 PM ***Misa multilingüe***
8:45 PM ***Procesión con velitas***

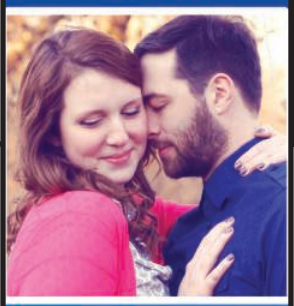
sábaado, 15 de agosgo
8:30 AM ***Misa en inglés***

domingo, 6 sept. al lunes, 14 sept.
Novena de la Santa Cruz
se rezará antes de la Mksa de las 8:30 AM
Se distribuyerán las oraciones el 30 agosgo

Lunes, 14 de septiembre
Fiesta de la Santa Cuz
8:30 AM Misa en inglés
7:00 PM ***Procesión de la Sante Cruz***
7:45 PM **Misa *Multilingüe***

Blair-Mazzarella
FUNERAL HOME
Since 1904, Blair-Mazzarella Funeral Home has been providing low cost, dignified funeral & cremation services to the New York community. We continue to maintain an excellent facility & strive to deliver quality funeral services to families in need.
Please call to find out more information on pre-arrangements, direct cremations & memorial services.
723 Coney Island Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11218
(718) 282-1164

catholicmatch® New York



CatholicMatch.com/dateNY

FRANK J. BARONE FUNERAL HOME
4502 Avenue D, Brooklyn, NY 11203
Located at Corner of Ave D & E. 45 St.
718-629-2047

DESIGN FENCING
Joe Palumbo, *Parishioner*
Specializing in PVC Fencing...Call for a FREE Estimate!
(718) 227-0025
www.DesignFencingNYNJ.com

OUR SPONSORS & OUR COMMUNITY

Sponsors can offer promotions, discounts and/or up-to-date contact information to the ***ENTIRE*** community

FindingFABER™

ANYONE in the community, not only Parishioners, can access realtime offers from their favorite sponsors to save, share & support

Google Play App Store

MALLORY'S ARMY® Foundation
United Together In The Fight Against Bullying...
Don't Just Teach Kindness...
BE KINDNESS!
www.MallorysArmy.com
(973) 440-8657
info@mallorysarmy.org
It's easy to join our mailing list! Just send your email address by text message: Text MALLORYSARMY to 22828 to get started.
Message and data rates may apply.

American Red Cross
Someone Needs You!
VOLUNTEER
and make a difference.

RIDESHARING SAFETY TIPS
BEFORE YOU GET IN A RIDE SHARE
ASK #WHATSMYNAME
S stop
A ask
M match
I inform
in remembrance of *samantha josephson*

WHAT WOULD Jesus DO?

Dan Linnell
Church Bulletin Representative
I'm here to help your business be noticed!
dlinnell@jppc.net
508-566-2717
www.jppcadvertising.com

JOHN PATRICK
publishing company, inc.

FindingFABER

Advertise your business in the Church Bulletin

- **In print, online and interactive app**
- **Reaches parish families and visitors each week**
- **Constant presence keeps a strong link between you and customers**
- **Well-read publication - a trusted source**
- **Affordable Advertising – local, targeted to community**