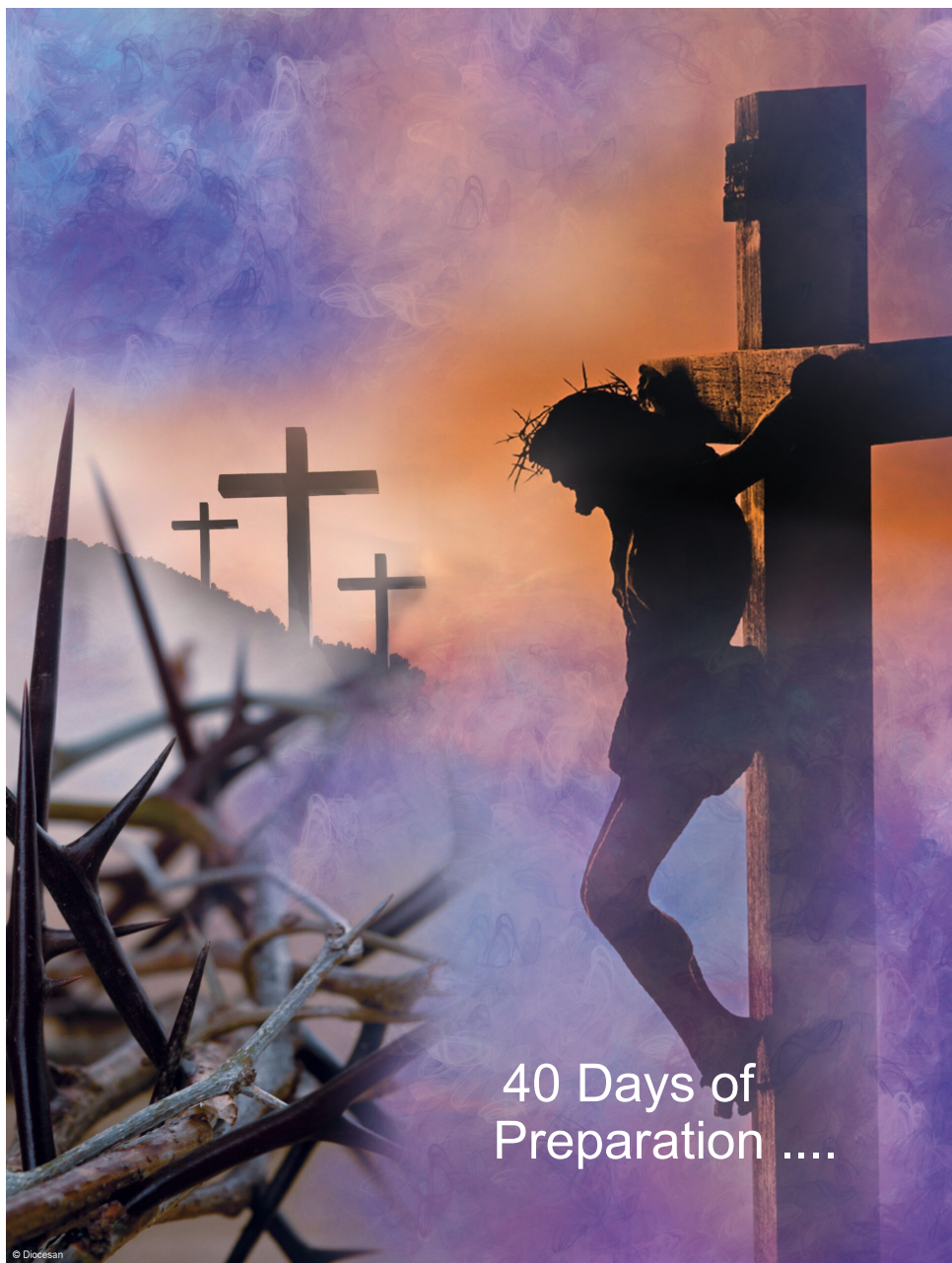


Bulletin

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH, SOUTH JAMAICA, NEW YORK

FEBRUARY 2026



40 Days of
Preparation

Mass Intentions

SUNDAY, January 25, 2026
3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass at 9:00 AM

For Birthday Blessings, good health and guidance for Jean Charite

By Jean Charite

Happy Birthday Jean Charite, may God bless you on your special day and continue to bless you always

By Jacqueline Duroseau

In memory of Willie Ruth Trotter, happy birthday mom in heaven, may your soul rest in peace

By Daughter - Jewel D. Rowe

SUNDAY, February 1, 2026
4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass at 9:00 AM

In memory of Will & Ruth Plaskett, may their souls rest in peace

By Plaskett Family

Birthday Blessings, good health & guidance for Yvonne Calderon on her Birthday

By Calderon Family

SUNDAY, February 8, 2026
5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass at 9:00 AM

Happy Birthday to Marie Duroseau, may God and your Angels protect and proud for you always and forever

By Mom - Jacqueline Duroseau

SUNDAY, February 15, 2026
6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass at 9:00 AM

In memory of Will & Ruth Plaskett, may their souls rest in peace

By Plaskett Family

WEDNESDAY, February 18, 2026
Ash Wednesday

Mass at 6:30 PM

In memory of Will & Ruth Plaskett, may their souls rest in peace

By Plaskett Family

SUNDAY, February 22, 2026
1st Sunday of Lent

Mass at 9:00 AM

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday
9:00 AM to 3:00 PM
Saturday 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

9:00 AM in English
10:45 AM in Polish

CONFESSIONS

Friday, February 6
7:00-8:00 PM

STEEL PAN BAND REHEARSALS

Sundays at 5:00 PM



FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

There will be an exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and an occasion for confession from **7:00 to 8:00 PM** on **FEBRUARY 6th**.

REGISTRATION AT ST. JOE'S

Those who would like to register at our church, must fill out a form that is available at stjjamaica.org/registration. After the registration, the pastor will contact the household over the phone. We remind you that **it takes 3 months of residence until the registration is in full effect**. Without proper registration the pastor and parish does not have full faculties to address many sacramental, official legal, and charitable needs.

Parish registration is NOT OPTIONAL, and it shows lack of serious attitude. "I come to church/mass" is not enough to establish a proper membership at St. Joe's, or elsewhere for that matter. **There will be no exceptions to that rule!**

Those households who have not been active for 6 months or more will receive a letter from the pastor informing them that are no longer members of St. Joseph Church Community.

GOLDEN AGE MEETING

The meeting will be resume on **Thursday, February 5th at 1pm** in the St. Joseph Parish Hall.

ASH WEDNESDAY

On **Wednesday, February 18**, we will begin the season of Lent. There will be Mass said that day **in English at 6:30 PM**. This is not a holy day of obligation

LENTEN REGULATIONS

ABSTINENCE: All the faithful who have reached 14 years of age are required to abstain from eating meat on **Ash Wednesday** (February 18) and on all the Fridays of the Lenten Season.

FASTING: All the faithful between the ages of 18 and 59 (inclusive) are bound

to fast on Ash Wednesday and on Good Friday (April 18) by limiting oneself to one full meal and avoiding food between meals. Light sustenance may be taken at two other occasions during the day.

EASTER DUTY: After having been initiated into the Most Holy Eucharist, the faithful are obligated to receive Holy Communion at least once a year, this precept to be fulfilled during the Easter Season, unless it is fulfilled at some other time for a good reason. In the United States the period for fulfilling this precept is extended from the First Sunday of Lent (February 22) until Pentecost Sunday (may 24).

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

We invite you join us as we are celebrating the Stations of the Cross **every Friday of Lent at 7:00 PM** in English.

BLESSING OF THE THROATS

Next Sunday, **February 1st** at the **end of the Mass** there will be a Blessing of the Throats in honor of St. Blaise.

PRESIDENTS DAY

Due to federal feast of the Presidents Day, the Parish Office, just like all diocesan offices, **will be closed on Monday, February 16th**.

FEBRUARY BLACK HISTORY MONTH !

We will have Black History Event on **February 22nd** after the **9AM Mass**. **Civil Rights Movement**, Food, Music & Dance. See Flyer for moere details.

SUPPORT THE STEEL PAN

Join us and support the Steel Pan by purchasing a **Raffle Tickets only \$2 per ticket, \$20 per Book of 12 tickets**. Prizes are **1st place \$1,000, 2nd place \$500 and 3rd place \$300**. See Mr. Diaz, Steel Pan Crew or Events Committee member to purchase your ticket. Good Luck!

COLLECTIONS AND ATTENDANCE IN THE PAST MONTH

MASS	FIRST COLLECTION	SECOND COLLECTION	ATTENDANCE
DECEMBER 21 AT 9:00 AM	\$473	\$734	108
DECEMBER 21 AT 10:45 AM	\$340	\$584	53
DECEMBER 28 AT 9:00 AM	\$320	\$548	77
DECEMBER 28 AT 10:45 AM	\$375	\$627	57
JANUARY 4 AT 9:00 AM	\$566	\$617	135
JANUARY 4 AT 10:45 AM	\$415	\$401	66
JANUARY 11 AT 9:00 AM	\$431	\$614	107
JANUARY 11 AT 10:45 AM	\$276	\$406	55
JANUARY 18 AT 9:00 AM	\$430	\$489	112
JANUARY 18 AT 10:45 AM	\$304	\$424	46



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