

Mass Intentions

**Saturday/Sabado – January 24 / 24 de Enero
Saint Teresa**

5 :00 PM Antonio Manuel Liendo (dec)
by Carol Caraballo & Family

**Sunday/Domingo – January 25 / 25 de Enero
Saint Teresa**

8:00 AM Israel Rodriguez (dec) by Cerda Family
9:00 AM Thanksgiving by Ka Lung Chan & Family
10:15 AM Harry Litwin (dec) by Margo Litwin
11:30 AM Accion de Gracias – cumpleaños
Marilyn Baez Peralta
por Ana Rodriguez

Nativity

10:15 AM **George Barbosa (health)**
12:00 PM **Josephine Leo**

**Monday/Lunes – January 26 / 26 de Enero
Saint Teresa**

8:30 AM Cristobal Peralta (dif) por Jose Peralta
Nativity

5:30 PM

**Tuesday/Martes – January 27 / 27 de Enero
Saint Teresa**

8:30 AM Accion de Gracias – cumpleaños
Juan Carlos y Vanessa Arias
por La Familia Arias

Nativity

5:30 PM Josefina & Sixto Marte

**Wednesday/Miercoles – January 28 / 28 de Enero
Saint Teresa /**

8:30 AM Special Intentions by Ping Sum Chan & Family
Nativity

5:30 PM Carmen M. Pagan

**Thursday/Jueves January 29 / 29 de Enero
Saint Teresa**

8:30 AM Tomas y Higinia Canales (dif) por Dora Caneles
Nativity

5:30 PM

**Friday/Viernes – January 30 / 30 de Enero
Saint Teresa**

7:30 PM Horacio Smith (dif) por Carmen Smith
Nativity

5:30 PM Josefina Ramos (health)

**Saturday/Sabado - January 31 / 31 de Enero
Saint Teresa**

12:00 PM Deceased Members of The Camuti Family
by Oi Tai Chen

5:00 PM Carmen Martinez (dec)
by Nellie Castillo & Family

Sick List for Saint Teresa Church

Beth Israel – Miriam Rivera

Home: Fernando Vega, Ramona Tirado, Carmen Diaz, Angelina Burgos, Felita Cabrera, Luz Camacho, Maria Liranzo, Gladys Rivera, Amelio Estevez, Rafael Toledo, Carmen Cortes, Teresa Rodriguez, Clara Howard, Gregoria Muñoz, Henry Diaz, Harry Gonzalez, Maria Guzman, Domitilia Soltren, Isis Nicole Brown, Alma Varner, Quisqueya Torres, Ralph Carrero, Anibal Rosa, Carlos Alvarado, Luis Liendo, Ana Melendez, Antonia Torres, Inocencia Diaz, Maria Acosta Josefina Irizarry, Elba Arocho, Carlos Torres, Ana Josefa Cerda, Gloria Tirado, Nellie Escobar, Jalissa Peralta, Celenia Raymond, David Clark, Melania Montero, Ana Acosta, Adalberto Soto, Chris Dowd, Gregory Travis, Lydia Lopez, Porfiria Rivera, Tessie De Rosa

**Communion will be brought to the sick of Nativity /
Llevarán comunión a los enfermos de Nativity:**

Justina Cintron, Dominga Sánchez, Sara Olivar,
George Morales, Miguelina Acevedo



*This week the Sanctuary Lamp burns at Saint Teresa for/
Esta semana La Lampara Santuario será encendida en
Santa Teresa por...Thanksgiving – Birthday – Joel Rebollo*



*This week the Bread & Wine at Saint Teresa are offered for
Las ofrendas de Pan y Vino en Santa Teresa fueron donadas
por.....Special Intentions – Steven & Carol Caraballo*

Coffee Hour at Nativity: We thank “The Altigracia’s
Society” for serving coffee this Sunday. Next Sunday’s
coffee will be served by “The Marian Group”.

Café los Domingos:en Nativity Les damos las gracias
a “La Sociedad Altigraciana” por servir el café hoy. El
próximo Domingo les toca a “ El Grupo Mariano”.



Come as a Guest
Leave as a Friend

**You are always welcomed at
Saint Teresa and Nativity**

**Estas siempre bienvenidos a
Las Iglesias Santa Teresa y Nativity**



Let us pray for
Antonio Figueroa
Parishioner of Nativity Church
who died last week
May God console his family during this time.

Descanso eterno a
Antonio Figueroa
Feligres de Iglesia Nativity
que fallecio la semana pasada.

Que Dios consuele a su familia durante este tiempo

CLASSES TODAY AT SAINT TERESA
January 25, 2009

Grades K,1,3,4,5,6,RCIC - after the 10:15 AM Mass
Wednesday - Grades 2 - 3:15 PM - 4:45 PM
Grades 7 & 8 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

CLASES HOY EN SANTA TERESA
el 25 de Enero

Grados K,1,3,4,5,6,RCIC
despues de la Misa 10:15 AM
Wednesday - Grades 2 - 3:15 PM - 4:45 PM
Grades 7 & 8 - 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Schedule at Nativity

Classes for grades: First - Fifth:
Sunday January 25th at 11:30 AM

Classes for Confirmation
Wednesday at 5:15 P.M. in the Rectory.

Horario en Nativity

Las clases para los grados Primero hasta el Quinto,
comienzan el Domingo, 25 de Enero
a las 11:30 A.M.

Las clases para Confirmacion

Miercoles, a las 5:15 p.m. en la Rectoria

Cenaculo de Oracion: Tendremos un (Cenaculo de
Oracion) todos los Jueves a las 7:00 p.m. en la Capilla.
de Nativity

Reminder / Recuerdo

Parish Council Meetings

Saint Teresa - January 27, 2009

Nativity - January 29, 2009

As winter approaches and the weather
sometime is bad that you can not get to church,
please do not forget your Sunday Envelopes,
your contribution helps to pay for the fuel bill
that we get in the winter time.

El invierno se acerca y el tiempo es alguna vez
malo que usted no puede llegar a la iglesia, no
olvide por favor sus sobres de domingo, su
contribucion ayuda a pagar la cuenta del
combustible que conseguimos en invierno.

Open House - Wednesday - January 28, 2009

9 AM to 3 PM

For Girls 5th grade to 8th grade

Holy Child School
220 East 4th Street

(between Avenue A and Avenue B)

For Boys 6th grade to 8th grade

Nativity Mission Center
204 Forsyth Street

(between Houston and Stanton Street)

phone # 212-477-2472

Applications are available at the school every day.

We Are A Tithing Parish

Saint Teresa Church

January 11, 2008

\$2,202.00

January 18, 2009

\$2,634.00

Nativity Church

January 11, 2008

\$834.00

January 18, 2009

\$733.00

Dance / Baile - January 17th

\$1,451.00

If you would like to dedicate the Sanctuary Lamp for an intention,
you can do so for an offering of \$12.00. We have two sanctuary
candles. One in the Church and one in the Chapel. Please call the
office.

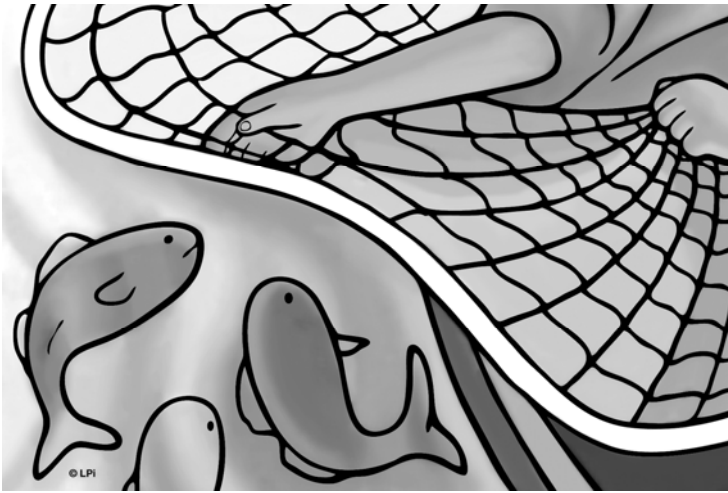
Le gustaria dedicar una "Lampara Santuaria" (Vela) para una
intencion. La ofrenda es de \$12.00. Tenemos dos Santuarios de
Velas, una en la Iglesia, la otra en la Capilla. Para mas
informacion, favor de llamar a la oficina.

HAGAMOS BUEN USO DEL TIEMPO

El deseo de muchos es vivir una vida larga y saludable. En verdad, muchos piensan que uno sería afortunado si uno tuviera la oportunidad de vivir cien años. Pero aunque uno viva tantos años como Matusalén - quien vivió 969 años según el libro de Génesis (5:27) – esto sería poco tiempo comparado con la eternidad. Por eso San Pablo les decía a los Corintios: *“La vida es corta.”* (2da lectura: 1 Cor 7, 29-31) No sabemos cuanto tiempo duraremos en esta vida. ¿Qué hubiéramos hecho si vivíamos en la ciudad enorme de Nínive en los tiempos de Jonás? Él caminó por la ciudad (1ra lectura: Jonás 3, 1-5.10) pregonando: *“Dentro de cuarenta días Nínive será destruida.”* Los ninivitas *aprovecharon el poco tiempo que tenían de vida para arrepentirse de sus pecados y cambiar su modo de pensar, hablar y vivir.* ¿Y nosotros? Algunos quizás dirían, “me entregaría a Dios sin reservas,” otros, “yo me confesaría,” y otros mas, “yo me reconciliaría con fulano de tal.” ¿Pero porqué no hacer aquellas cosas ahora?” En el Evangelio de hoy (Mc 1, 14-20), Jesús está predicando, diciendo: *“Se ha cumplido el tiempo y el Reino de Dios ya está cerca. Arrepiéntase y crean en el Evangelio.”* En esta vida, lo mas importante no es cuantos años vivimos sino cómo lo vivimos. Cada día que el Señor nos da es una nueva oportunidad de recordarnos que fuimos creado para Él y que *“este mundo que vemos es pasajero.”* Pero Dios no es pasajero. Él es eterno.

LET US MAKE GOOD USE OF TIME

Many desire to live a long and healthy life. In fact, many think that one would be fortunate if one were to have the opportunity to live one hundred years. But even if one were to live as many years as Methuselah – who lived 969 years according to the book of Genesis (5:27) – this would be just a short time in comparison to eternity. For this reason St. Paul said to the Corinthians: *“Time is running out.”* (2nd reading: 1 Cor 7: 29-31) We do not know how long we will last in this life. What would we have done if we lived in the enormously large city of Nineveh in the time of Jonah? He journeyed through the city announcing: *“Forty days more and Nineveh shall be destroyed.”* (1st reading: Jonah 3: 1-5.10) The people of *Nineveh took advantage of the little time they had left to repent of their sins and change their way of thinking, speaking and living.* What about us? Some would probably say, “I would surrender to God without reservations,” others, “I would confess,” and still others, “I would reconcile with so-and-so.” But why not do these things now? In today's Gospel (Mc 1: 14-20), Jesus is preaching, saying: *“This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the Gospel.”* In this life, how many years we live is not as important as how we live those years. Every day the Lord gives us a new opportunity to remember that we were created for Him and that *“the world in its present form is passing away.”* But God would never pass away. He is eternal.



As he passed by the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting their nets into the sea; they were fishermen. Jesus said to them, "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." - Mk 1:16-17

Caminaba Jesús por la orilla del lago de Galilea, cuando vio a Simón y a su hermano Andrés, echando las redes en el lago, pues eran pescadores. Jesús les dijo: "Sígueme y haré de ustedes pescadores de hombres". - Mc 1, 16-17

Readings for the Week of January 25, 2009

Sunday: Jon 3:1-5, 10/1 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20
Monday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Mk 3:22-30
Tuesday: Heb 10:1-10/Mk 3:31-35
Wednesday: Heb 10:11-18/Mk 4:1-20
Thursday: Heb 10:19-25/Mk 4:21-25
Friday: Heb 10:32-39/Mk 4:26-34
Saturday: Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/Mk 4:35-41
Next Sunday: Dt 18:15-20/1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28

Lecturas para la semana del 25 de enero de 2009

Domingo: Jon 3, 1-5. 10/1 Cor 7, 29-31/
Mc 1, 14-20
Lunes: 2 Tm 1, 1-8 o Tit 1, 1-5/Mc 3, 22-30
Martes: Heb 10, 1-10/Mc 3, 31-35
Miércoles: Heb 10, 11-18/Mc 4, 1-20
Jueves: Heb 10, 19-25/Mc 4, 21-25
Viernes: Heb 10, 32-39/Mc 4, 26-34
Sábado: Heb 11, 1-2. 8-19/Mc 4, 35-41
Domingo siguiente: Dt 18, 15-20/1 Cor 7, 32-35/
Mc 1, 21-28