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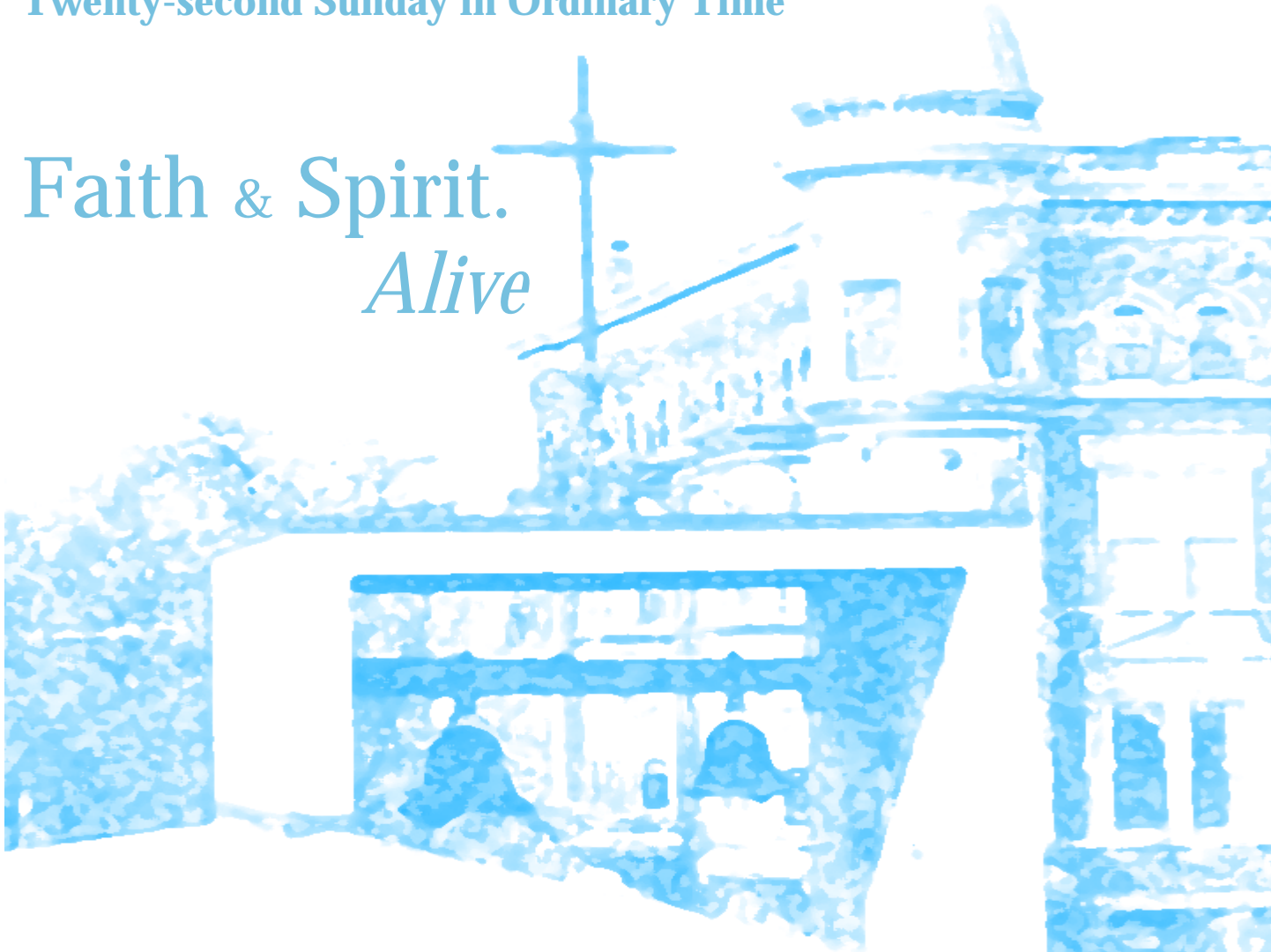
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August 31, 2014

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Faith & Spirit.
Alive



“Be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and pleasing and perfect.”

— Romans 12:2

1033 W. Armitage Ave.

*At the Corner of Armitage & Kenmore Avenues
Chicago, Illinois 60614*

Follow Him

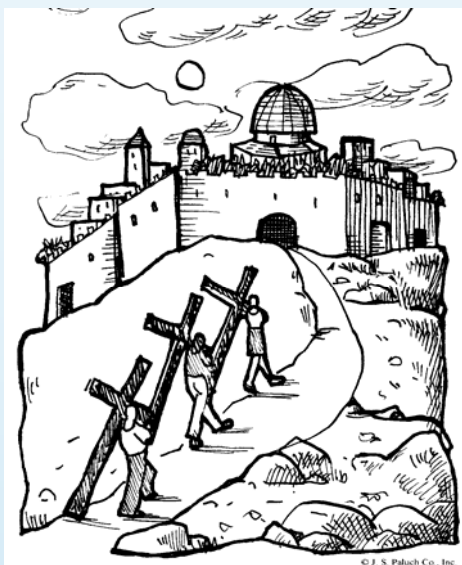
Today's readings contain some of the most moving descriptions of faith found in the scriptures.

The prophet Jeremiah, who preached reform at the time of the destruction of Jerusalem and subsequent exile, describes his call as a seduction, as being duped by God into carrying a message that brought him great misery and abuse. Yet he could not escape his vocation, for if he stopped proclaiming God's word, it became like fire in his bones.

Jeremiah survived many ordeals to compose the majestic verses of both lamentation and consolation that encompass Israel's exile and restoration. His fidelity through trial to triumph makes him one of the great voices in the Bible.

Today's Responsorial Psalm 62 cries out, "My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God!" It is the prayer of one parched for consolation, totally dependent on God for simple sustenance. Like the lament of Jeremiah, it is the voice of an anguished lover who fears he has been duped into a relationship that will bring great suffering. Yet he cannot turn away or remain silent.

The prophet and the psalmist give us a glimpse into the prayer of Jesus as he makes his way to Jerusalem with his disciples. A ministry that began with the exhilarating affirmation of love at his baptism, and miracles in Galilee, is now descending into conflict and suffering as they approach the Holy City, where all the prophets come to die.



They are all too eager to accompany the triumphant Messiah into the Holy City. But will they survive the passage he is about to make to fulfill his role as the Christ?

Did he sometimes wonder if it was too late to turn back, to stop this controversial campaign of preaching a message that brought only conflict and vilification from the authorities and threats from Herod and the Romans? But Jesus cannot turn away. The same Spirit that drove him out into the wilderness to be tested after his baptism is now urging him forward to complete his mission. He knows there is another baptism of fire and blood he must endure, and how he wishes it were over.

In Matthew's Chapter 16, Jesus finds himself near Caesarea Philippi in the far north of Israel, away from the crowds clamoring

for miracles, away from the incessant threats and criticism. It is here, in this retreat from danger, that he asks his disciples who they think he is. Is he seeking reassurance or a reality check against the chance this whole venture might be a delusion? Peter's inspired answer, "You are the Christ," makes this a turning point. Jesus knows he must head south again to Jerusalem, even though it means certain death. He is so vehement in his determination that he brushes aside Peter's caution by calling him "Satan" — tempter.

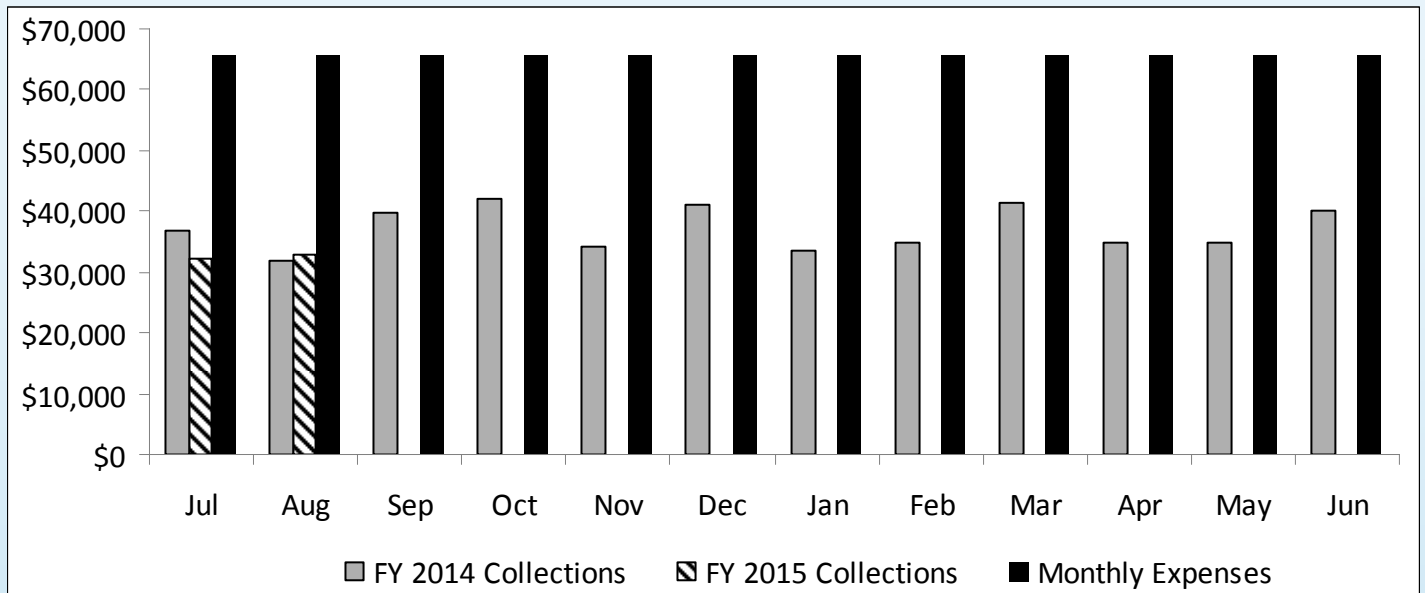
The road to glory will pass through the shadow of the cross, and Jesus immediately begins to prepare his disciples for the journey that lies ahead. They are all too eager to accompany the triumphant Messiah into the Holy City. But will they survive the passage he is about to make to fulfill his role as the Christ?

Will they stay with him when he is arrested, tried and condemned as a heretic, handed over to the Romans to be humiliated, tortured and executed?

Will they say what Jeremiah said and Jesus himself has thought: "You duped me into this"?

True discipleship happens only after we hear and accept this challenge: "Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me. For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will find it."

Fiscal Year (07/01 - 06/30) Comparison to Date



- For the 2014 Fiscal Year, Sunday and Holy Day collections are even with the 2013 Fiscal Year.
- For the 2014 fiscal year, the cost per family per week is \$36 as 430 families contribute to the parish.
- Our goal is to fund all operations and expenses from the weekly collections, i.e. the goal is for the striped bars to exceed the black bars in the chart above.
- St. Teresa's annual fundraisers assist in meeting funding gaps. It is the Finance Council's and Fr. Frank's goal to increase weekly giving to meet our ongoing expenses, and use the proceeds from fundraisers to fund special initiatives and outreach programs of the parish.

Please contact the Chair of the St. Teresa Finance Council, Bill Mack, at williamdmack@hotmail.com or (312) 706-4266. Bill can provide you with the latest financial status, projections, and key issues.

Parish Calendar

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August-September Baptisms

Rudy Daniel Pierce (8-31-14)
Everly Mali Gaubatz (8-31-14)



Leo Dinslage (9-6-14)
Elizabeth Ryan Dean (9-6-14)
Sienna Barkinge (9-21-14)

About Love of Neighbor, St. Teresa said...



**“The more advanced you see you are in
love for your neighbor the more advanced
you will be in the love of God.”**

The Seven Principles of Catholic Social Teaching

- Life and Dignity of the Human Person
- The Call to Family, Community and Participation
- Rights and Responsibilities
- Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
- The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers
- Solidarity: One Human Family
- Care of God's Creation

Calendar at a Glance

August 31, Sunday

- 9:15 am, REC4, Children's Liturgy of the Word
- 10:00 am, GS, Hospitality

September 1, Monday

- Office Closed for Labor Day

September 2, Tuesday

- No Activities Scheduled

September 3, Wednesday

- No Activities Scheduled

September 4, Thursday

- No Activities Scheduled

September 5, Friday

- 3:00 pm, PC3, Loaves & Fishes Setup
- 5:00 pm, PC3, Loaves & Fishes Dinner
- 7:00 pm, PC3-4, Spanish Prayer Group

September 6, Saturday

- 9:00 am, PC3, GS, Food Pantry Setup
- 10:00 am, PC3, GS, Food Pantry Distribution
- 4:00 pm, PC3-4, Our Lady of Fatima Rosary
- 6:30 pm, PC3-4, CCFC Mass

Saints and Special Observances

Sunday: 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Labor Day

Wednesday: St. Gregory the Great

Friday: First Friday

Saturday: First Saturday; Blessed Virgin Mary

Domingo: Vigésimo Segundo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Lunes: Día del Trabajo

Miercoles: San Gregorio Magno

Viernes: Primer Viernes

Sábado: Primer Sabado; Santa María Virgen

September 2014 Food Pantry Schedule

Saturday, September 6th

9:00 am to 10:00 am Set Up
10:00 am to 12:00 pm Distribution

Saturday, September 13th

9:00 am to 10:00 am Set Up
10:00 am to 12:00 pm Distribution

Saturday, September 20th

9:00 am to 10:00 am Set Up
10:00 am to 12:00 am Distribution

Saturday, September 27th

9:00 am to 10:00 am Set Up
10:00 am to 12:00 pm Distribution



The Religious Ed Center (REC) is located at 1940 N. Kenmore Ave., one block south of the Parish Center (PC) at 1950 N. Kenmore. The Gathering Space (GS) is the entrance area to the PC at Kenmore Avenue. The Reconciliation Room (RR) is at the back of church next to the baptismal font.

Mass Schedule & Intentions

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Mass Intentions

August 30

5:00 pm	Living and deceased members of the parish
9:00 am	Carlos Hernandez Timothy Halpin Charley Pierce
12:00 pm	Living and deceased members of the parish
6:00 pm	Living and deceased members of the parish

August 31

Our Mass intentions have many openings. If you would like to have a Mass said for someone alive or deceased, contact Dean Vaeth at the parish office at (773) 528-6650 or dvaeth@stteresaparish.org

In order to be added to our prayer list, a member of the immediate family should request that a person's name be added. We list the names of the deceased parishioners and friends for six months. If you wish the name of a loved one left on the list longer than six months, please contact Dean Vaeth in the parish office.

In Our Prayers

Please pray for our deceased friends and parishioners...

Robert Byerwalter, Casillas Family, Dorothy Cooney, Margaret Dean, Mark Dudley, Pedro Garcia, Genevieve Gorgo, Dickie Harris, Jack Heil, Francisca Hernandez, Betty Hultberg, Pat Johnson, Therese Kotowski, Carol Marquez, Eleanor Monak, John Mondschean, Donald & Maggie Finn Morich, Sally Jo Morrow, Walter Mulvihill, P. A. O'Neil, Honorata Alicea Peña, Charley Pierce, Patrick Reidy, Jeremy Rivera, Angel Santana, Maurice Shatto, Jennifer Schubeck, Paulette Zuckerman, Victims of War & Domestic Violence

Let us also pray for those who are ill, especially...

Alicia Anderson	Peg Hausen	Deacon Hector Rivera
Dorothy Barns	David Hoffman	Hector J. Rivera
Dolores Berendsen	David Ivanac	Pedro Rodriguez
Berta Billalvazo	Chuck Jabaley	Ray Romero
Sr. Barbara Jean Ciszek	Liz Kunkel	Jeffrey Roscoe
Michael DeBlasis	Betty LaCour	Sr. Camilla Mary Marney, OCD
Kathy Derrick	Carmen D. Lorenzana	Sr. Jean Ryan, OCD
Jackson Fineske & Family	Palmira Mancini	Jack Schank
Alice Flynn	George Marroquin	Mima Tome
Padraig Gallagher	Jose Marroquin	JoAnn Jahnke Trainer
Eloisa Gallegos	Lisa Marquez	John Wagner
Michael Gibbons	Margaret Sue Meadors	Bernadine Walters
Angela Goldberg	Bill Mobley	Jack Williams
Kaylee Gommel	John Monier	Mae Witry
Les Gordon	Fr. Barry Moriarty, C.M.	David Zeunert
Mrs. Grabarczyk	Elda Myers	
George Halloran	Angel Nieves	
David Harmeier	Msgr. Kevin O'Neill	Survivors and perpetrators of sexual abuse
Kellar Harris	Clayton Poe	

Celebrant and Minister Schedule

DATE	TIME	CELEBRANT	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC BREAD	EUCCHARISTIC WINE
9-6-14 Saturday	5:00 PM	Fr. Frank	Raquel Bech	Lisa Marquez	Barb Schell Carly Johnston
French Mass 9-6-14 Saturday	6:30 PM	Rev. Timothy Monahan			
9-7-14 Sunday	9:00 AM	Rev. Jim Osendorf, CM	Jane Ott	Geneva Gorgo Mike Usiak Michael Zost	Theresa Murray Rose Ohiku Lina Hilko Frank Swiderski
Spanish Mass 9-7-14 Sunday	10:30 AM	Rev. Octavio Munoz	Belen Gonzales Carmen Vazquez	Bolivar Gonzales	Maria Montes
9-7-14 Sunday	12:00 PM	Fr. Frank	Laura King	Bob Pedro	Bert Olson Karen Secrest
9-7-14 Sunday	6:00 PM	Fr. Frank	Karen Carpino	Jon Assell Aubre Hewett Mary Serrahn	Kate Assell Eileen Raia Jonathan Hewett Mollie Wanek

Readings/Lecturas

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Readings for the Week

Monday: 1 Cor 2:1-5; Ps 119:97-102; Lk 4:16-30; for Labor Day, from the Mass “For the Blessings of Human Labor,” nos. 907-911

Tuesday: 1 Cor 2:10b-16; Ps 145:8-14; Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday: 1 Cor 3:1-9; Ps 33:12-15, 20-21; Lk 4:38-44

Thursday: 1 Cor 3:18-23; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6; Lk 5:1-11

Friday: 1 Cor 4:1-5; Ps 37:3-6, 27-28, 39-40; Lk 5:33-39

Saturday: 1 Cor 4:6b-15; Ps 145:17-21; Lk 6:1-5

Sunday: Ez 33:7-9; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Rom 13:8-10; Mt 18:15-20

Lecturas de la Semana

Lunes: 1 Cor 2:1-5; Sal 119 (118):97-102; Lc 4:16-30, ó las lecturas de la Misa “Por la santificación del trabajo”

Martes: 1 Cor 2:10b-16; Sal 145 (144):8-14; Lc 4:31-37

Miércoles: 1 Cor 3:1-9; Sal 33 (32):12-15, 20-21; Lc 4:38-44

Jueves: 1 Cor 3:18-23; Sal 24 (23):1bc-4ab, 5-6; Lc 5:1-11

Viernes: 1 Cor 4:1-5; Sal 37 (36):3-6, 27-28, 39-40; Lc 5:33-39

Sábado: 1 Cor 4:6b-15; Sal 145 (144):17-21; Lc 6:1-5

Domingo: Ez 33:7-9; Sal 95 (94):1-2, 6-9; Rom 13:8-10; Mt 18:15-20

Treasures from Our Tradition

One of the most memorable images from the pontificate of Pope John Paul II is not his shocked expression as he is hit by a bullet, but rather his tender meeting with his assailant, and his forgiveness. It is far more compelling because, although people are struck by bullets every day, true reconciliation is in relatively short supply. An outside observer might list attempting to kill the pope as an unforgivable sin, but of course we know that forgiveness of sin is woven deeply into our tradition of living as Christ did.

Interestingly enough, the Church took a hard line on these matters early on. Until the second century, people expected Christ's return in the near future, so they deferred judgment to him. Soon, however, bishops began to grant forgiveness for sin after baptism, but only once. What we know as the sacrament of penance takes its life from Jesus' work of reconciliation, but just as scripture shows Jesus forgiving people in one life-changing encounter, so the church granted one chance only. Great sins were the target, such as idolatry, adultery, and murder. Penance was lengthy, difficult, and public, and the bishop was in charge of the process. For the next several weeks, we'll look at subsequent creative and helpful changes in the celebration of this sacrament. — Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



Tradiciones de Nuestra Fe

Más del 40% de la población católica en Estados Unidos es de origen hispano y sólo el 6% de los sacerdotes son hispanos. Hay algo que está mal en las cifras. Parte del problema es que en los seminarios estadounidenses no saben qué hacer con las vocaciones y culturas hispanas. Por otra parte, los hispanos deseamos que nuestros hijos tengan mejor vida y la vocación sacerdotal no constituye un lugar privilegiado en la escala social.

Ciertamente, había un tiempo en que los sacerdotes se trataban con mucho respeto, ya no. Últimamente la escasez de sacerdotes y los escándalos en la Iglesia han hecho que el sacerdocio pierda mucho de su encanto. La vida sacerdotal se ha hecho muy difícil. Hoy día el joven que busca el sacerdocio lo busca por servicio y vocación, no por prestigio o posición social.

El sacerdocio es un apostolado que se recibe con el sacramento del Orden. Ser ordenado es recibir órdenes, es decir, ser obediente. Hoy más que nunca, el sacerdote está llamado a la misma obediencia de Jesucristo, obediencia que lo llevó a la cruz y a la resurrección. Oremos por nuestros sacerdotes para que su entrega sea total. — Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Gluz, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

Doing God's Will

Hacer La Voluntad de Dios

The language of Jeremiah as he addresses his yearnings to God—he says, “You duped me, O LORD, and I let myself be duped” (Jeremiah 20:7)—indicates a close and personal relationship with God. It is one the prophet obviously cherishes despite the derision and reproach it brings him. In the Gospel, Jesus indicates a similar bond with his Father. In spite of the difficult challenges presented by following God's will, Jesus is not deterred. Giving up our own worldly cares and dreams, even as we accept pain and suffering, is more than a fair exchange for doing the will of God.

The only way to do God's will is offer our whole selves to God. As St. Paul writes in the Letter to the Romans: “Do not conform yourselves to this age but be transformed by the renewal of your mind” (Romans 12:2a). Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



El lenguaje de Jeremías al dirigir sus anhelos al Señor diciéndole: “Me has seducido, Señor, y me dejé seducir por ti” (Jeremías 20:7), indica una relación muy íntima. Es una que el profeta obviamente valora a pesar de los reproches y burlas que le trae. En el Evangelio, Jesús indica un lazo similar con su Padre. A pesar del difícil reto de seguir la voluntad de Dios, Jesús no se detiene. Dejar atrás los cuidados del mundo y los sueños, aunque sea para aceptar el dolor y el sufrimiento, es más que un intercambio justo para hacer la voluntad de Dios.

La única manera de hacer la voluntad de Dios es ofrecer todo nuestro ser a Dios. Como san Pablo escribe en la carta a los romanos: “No sigan la corriente del mundo en que vivimos, más bien transfórmense por la renovación de su mente” (Romanos 12:2a). Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

Today's Readings

First Reading — The name of the LORD has become like fire burning in Jeremiah's heart (Jeremiah 20:7-9).

Psalm — My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God (Psalm 63).

Second Reading — Be transformed; renew your mind; discern what is good (Romans 12:1-2).

Gospel — Those who lose their lives for Jesus' sake will find them (Matthew 16:21-27).

Lecturas de Hoy

Primera lectura — Me sedujiste, Señor, y me dejé seducir por ti (Jeremías 20:7-9).

Salmo — Mi alma está sedienta de ti, Señor, mi Dios (Salmo 63 [62]).

Segunda lectura — No se dejen llevar por las cosas del mundo, más bien transfórmense por la renovación de su mente (Romanos 12:1-2).

Evangelio — Si quieres seguirme, renuncia a ti mismo, carga con tu cruz y sígueme (Mateo 16:21-27).

Building Faith Together Collections Now \$736,133

\$1,320,000

We have collected \$736,133 in pledges so far in our Building Faith Together campaign.

There is a “thermometer” depicting pledges collected located at the back of church that we will update in \$88,000 increments.

Even though we have reached our pledge goal, we are still accepting pledges to cover unanticipated costs from changes in fees on the renovation of the church.

\$736,133

I pray that everyone will rejoice in the graces and hard work of so many of our fellow parishioners and make a meaningful gift that will lead us through a successful effort.

Thank you and God Bless!

Fr. Frank

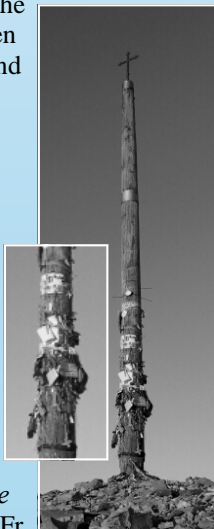
Connect to the Camino: Fr. Frank to Leave Prayers & Mementos at La Cruz de Ferro

La Cruz de Ferro is a large iron cross on the Camino de Santiago and is located between the towns of Foncebadón and Manjarín, and a traditional site of prayer for Camino pilgrims.

La Cruz de Ferro sits upon a tall wooden pole. There are many traditions associated with *La Cruz de Ferro*.

One of the traditions is to attach prayers, holy cards and other small remembrances of loved ones to the wooden pole as a way to connect to the Camino and to also connect the Camino to life.

When Fr. Frank walks the Camino de Santiago in October, he would be happy to attach your prayer intentions to *La Cruz de Ferro* (inset). If you're interested, talk to Fr. Frank.



125th Anniversary of St. Teresa Parish

Our nearing parish anniversary pairs with the 500th anniversary of the birth of St. Teresa of Avila. A book is being planned to commemorate both events. Can you help? We will be asking for:



The St. Teresa of Avila campus (church, school and convent) prior to the 1959 Easter fire.

- **Writers** to submit event and committee stories and personal memories;
- **Photographers** to take pictures at parish gatherings;
- **People with long memories** to fill in the last 125 years!

Needed are pictures of events including sacraments, parties, group, meetings, classes, etc. that have been collected over the years. Photos need to be: **clear, black and white or color, and captioned.**

Captioned pictures may be placed in the box in the gathering space labeled **Photos**; pictures will all be returned to the owners. Please identify the people in the photo, the event, and if possible, the year. Put your name on the back so the pictures may be returned. Digital photos may be sent, with captions, to genevag22@gmail.com.

Questions and suggestions may be given to members of the Book Committee: Cathy Flaherty, Geneva Gorgo, Myrna Kinsella, Tom Kinsella, Carmen Ubides and Carmen Vazquez.

Food Pantry Welcomes Volunteers!

Thanks to all who volunteered for Food Pantry during our recruiting Sunday on August 24th! We had an immediate outpouring which filled 20 out of the 32 openings through September 20th. And others said they'd sign up online after checking their schedule.

The Food Pantry continues to invite new people to help in this energizing, fast-paced, and gratifying job. Please visit the Volunteer-Spot site (<http://vols.pt/AFsRya>) to browse openings and hopefully choose a date that works for you.

The schedule is set up through December. There's no obligation to simply browse the calendar of needs.

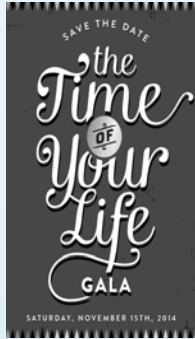


The Time of Your Life Early Bird Raffle this Weekend

Join members of The Time Of Your Life Planning Committee at a complimentary champagne reception after all the Masses this weekend.

- Preview the Gala Getaway Raffle and live auction items up for bid at The Time Of Your Life Gala, Saturday, November 15, The Mart Plaza Hotel, Chicago.
- Last chance to purchase Gala tickets for the August Early Bird Raffle of a VIP Pass for 2 to Fiesta de Avila on September 13 which includes food and beverages for the day.
- Early Bird Raffle Winner to be chosen following the 6pm Mass on August 31. Help us reach our goal of 100 tickets sold in August.

Purchase your Gala tickets for \$100 today after Mass or online at www.timeofyourlifegala.com



The *Fiesta de Avila* neighborhood lot party will be held on Saturday, September 13th, 11:00 am – 9:00 pm in St. Teresa's parking lot. **We need many VOLUNTEERS to work the event.** Most tasks are two-hour shifts.

You can sign up on sheets in the Gathering Space after all masses or on-line through the VolunteerSpot link (<http://vols.pt/5P6QWt>) that you can also access through St. Teresa's home page (click on the Fiesta article). Contact Lina Hilko with questions at LHilko@aol.com.

We have 113 task/shifts to fill over the next



Men's Retreat Set for September 5th-7th at Bellarmine in Barrington

Calling all Men – Bellarmine Retreat House in Barrington, September 5 - 7th.

All men in the parish are invited to join a silent retreat at the Bellarmine Jesuit Retreat House starting Friday evening, September 5th, and continuing through lunch on Sunday, September 7.

A growing number of men from St. Teresa's Men's Spirituality Group have been attending this retreat for the last few years. We would love to have more parishioners join us, as the weekend is even more meaningful when sharing the "silence" with friends. **All are welcome whether you make the Tuesday meetings or not.**

Silence is a big element of the experience. While the prospect of a silent retreat can be a bit intimidating, it promotes a focus on personal prayer and reflection. There are also a number of talks by the retreat master (based on the Ignatian Spiritual Exercises) as well as op-

portunities to meet one-on-one with the priests, along with Mass, confession, and many other Catholic traditions. You can take advantage of some or all of those, or just spend the time alone on the beautiful grounds.

Sign up for the retreat at bellarminehall.org and click on Retreat Listings/Retreats for Men/ Sept 5-7 Retreat. Please indicate you are with the Matt Carpenter group.

An \$85 deposit is required, but is refundable with a three day notice. The \$285 cost of the weekend is also optional for anyone who might not have it in their budget right now.

We usually arrange car pools for those headed out from the city and toast the weekend with a beverage at a local watering hole before the retreat begins.

Call Craig Dean at 312-948-5605 with questions or more information.

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CHICAGO, ILL. 60606

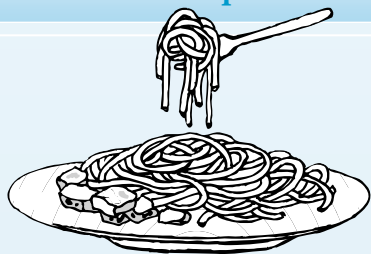
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Save the Date September 27th



All-You-Can-Eat Spaghetti Dinner

**Saturday, September 27th
6:00 pm – 10:00 pm
In the Parish Center**

Update #7 —Demolition Completed



As the cuts in the cement floor in the church indicate, room is being made for mechanical, electrical, and plumbing improvements.

Fatima Rosary September 6th

Everyone is welcome to join the First-Saturday rosary devotion to Our lady of Fatima on September 6 at 4:00 pm in the church.



Todos son bienvenidos a unirse a la devoción de Rosario sábado primero a nuestra señora de Fátima el 6 de Septiembre a 16:00 en la iglesia.

Tour St. Teresa Atriums September 7th

There will be tours of our atriums (our Montessori based religious education classrooms) on Sunday, September 7th from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm for those who are interested in learning more about *Catechesis of the Good Shepherd* for 3- to 12-year-olds.



HighSight/Insight Needs Tutors and Mentors

Tutors and mentors are needed for low income Insight and HighSight students at 315 W. Walton.

The Grade School meets Mondays 6:00 to 7:30pm. For Grade School, call Sr. Stephanie Schmidts, Insight Director, at (312) 787-9824.

The High School meets Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 5:30 to 7:30pm and Saturdays 10:00am to 12:00pm. For High School, call Mark Duhon or Dean Sullivan at (312) 787-9825.



Tour Italy with Fr. Frank in March 2015

Interested in touring Florence, Rome and Assisi with Fr. Frank?

Plans are being made for the first two weeks in March, 2015. If you're interested, talk to Fr. Frank.



Florence, Rome and Assisi



St. Teresa of Avila Parish Leadership Teams

Pastoral Council

Jessica Marx
Bert Olson
Michael/Marjorie Rice
Ann Althoff
Alex Lopez

Justin Peters
Rebecca O'Brien
Paolo Basil
Amir Rafizadeh
Addison Carpenter

Lina Hilko is president of the Parish Council; her email is lhilko@aol.com

The Parish Pastoral Council usually meets the second Monday of the month at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center.

Finance Council

Justin Peters
Jane Bronson
Jack Halpin
Jane Ott

Dave Hilko
Steve Fortino
Andrew Deye
Becky Francis

Bill Mack is president of the Parish Finance Council; his email is williamdmack@hotmail.com

The Finance Council usually meets the third Monday of the month at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center.

Building Committee

Steve Kolinski
Caleb Marx
Bill Mack
Jane Bronson
Jose Cervantes
Carol Christensen
Dave Hilko

Dan Hurley
Karen Kinsella
Frank Swiderski
Dave Espinoza
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Dan Summins is president of the Building Committee; his email is dsummins@hotmail.com

The Building Committee meets to discuss renovation fundraising issues in the Parish Center.

Renovation Committee

Paolo Basil
Frank Swiderski
Steve and Anmarie Kolinski
Dave Hilko
Kim Walter
Phyllis Halloran
Kelly Dean

Jack Halpin
Marilee Halpin
Justin Peters
Nancy Van Grinsven
Alicia Slubowski
Dante Domenella, *Architect*
Dwayne Piyatilake, *Stained Glass Window Artist*

Fr. Frank is president of the Renovation Committee; his email is fjsasso@aol.com.

The Renovation Committee usually meets once per month at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center to discuss progress on the church renovation.

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Our Mission Saint Teresa of Avila Parish is a diverse Catholic community of faith that embraces everyone, without exception. We see ourselves as uniquely able to engage in dialogue with people of all faiths and act as peacemakers in our city. Challenged by the Gospel, nourished by the Eucharist and inspired by the teachings of Saint Teresa of Avila, we are called to be witnesses of Christ's Love, for the salvation of all people. We are a stewardship parish. Three percent of our operating income is shared with other missions.



For information about ...

Thursday Playgroup (0-3 year-olds), Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (3-12 year-olds), The EDGE Youth Group (12-14 year-olds), or Quest Youth Group (High School)
Contact Kate in the Parish Office
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For information about ...

Baptism, Marriage, Reconciliation, Mass Intentions, RCIA or Communion for the Sick
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Weekend Masses

Saturday	5:00 pm
<i>en Française</i>	6:30 pm ⁺
Sunday	9:00 am
<i>en Español</i>	10:30 am*
	12:00 noon
	6:00 pm

⁺ First Saturdays, October through June

* First Sundays

