

St. Teresa of Avila Parish

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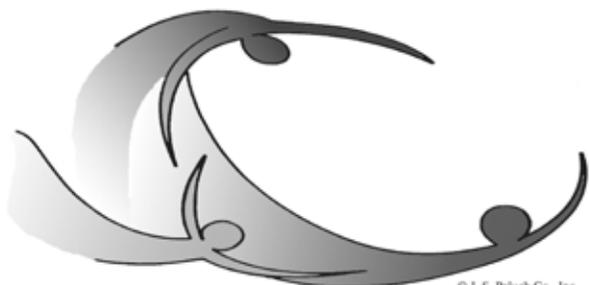
Chicago, IL 60614



June 28, 2015

Thirteenth Sunday in
Ordinary Time

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**You changed my morning into dancing;
O Lord, my God,
forever I will give you thanks.**

— Psalm 30:13

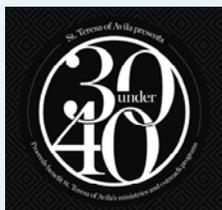
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Get Social and Raise Funds!

Sign up to attend any one of our 30 *under 40* parties. Parties are open to ALL, and 100% of the proceeds are donated to St. Teresa of Avila. Sign up before they sell out at st-teresa.net/30under40.



— **Tiki Boat Hooky Party, June 30th from 3-6pm.** Leave work early and join us on a 35' tiki-themed party barge, with a water slide! Spend a few hours on Lake Michigan enjoying the skyline, the sun, and tropical drinks of course!

Hosted by Rebecca and Kerry O'Brien.
\$125/person, only 3 spots left.

— **Chicago Crosstown Classic Party, July 11th, 3pm-5pm.** Come to O'Donovan's for drinks and appetizers during the Chicago Crosstown Classic. Gear up for an afternoon of watching the classic rivalry and get in on some Chicago baseball trivia for a chance to win a prize!

Hosted by Jon & Katie Assell
\$60/person, 13 spots left.

Auction Items Needed!

Your Life Auction committee needs the help of our interesting and dynamic parishioners to create yet another incredible line up of items. Who do you know that has access to one-of-a-kind experiences? Do you know anyone who could arrange any of the following?



- Fashion week tickets in NY or Paris?
- A visit with the Stanley Cup?
- VIP concert experiences
- Walk-on role on a TV show?
- Any other unique or priceless experience?

A simple phone call to one of your contacts can make a HUGE impact at our annual auction. Email Janel at janelpalm@mac.com or call Rebecca in the Parish office at (773) 528-6650 to discuss your idea.

Seeking New 9:00 AM Mass Refreshments Coordinator

The parish needs a new coordinator starting in September to schedule volunteers for 9:00am Refreshment Hosts.

This is an important job which enables St. Teresa to provide a comfortable, welcoming environment for people to mingle and meet on Sunday after 9AM mass.



- Volunteer recruiting occurs three times a year: in September, January, and May.
- Each round of recruiting requires about 3 Sundays diligent pursuit and active one-on-one invitation to fill the upcoming four-month schedule.
- The job requires entering assignments into Volunteer-Spot, the on-line scheduling system -- very easy to learn. Training and first-round support is of course included.

To explore this opportunity without obligation, please contact the current coordinator, Lina Hilko, at (312-399-1848) or LHilko@aol.com. Thank you for your prompt consideration toward this important ministry.



2015 Hunger Walk Many thanks to those who supported this year's Hunger Walk; it's estimated that we raised more than \$10,000 for St. Teresa's Food Pantry.

**Most
Wanted
Volunteers**

**Graphic
Designers**

**Web Trainees
(Word Press)**

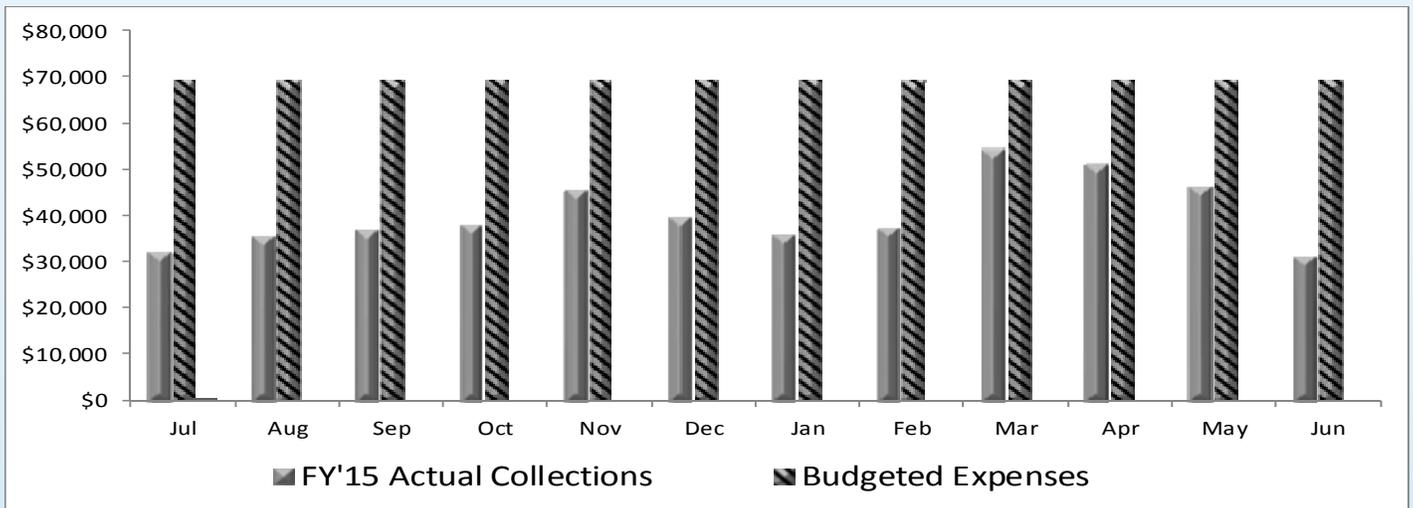
**Eucharistic
Adoration
Team**

**Hospitality
Host
Coordinator**

**Event
Committee
Members**

Interested in volunteering? Contact Rebecca at robrien@stteresaparish.org or (773) 528-6650

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



- In the graph above you will see that we have not yet our budgeted expenses with our Sunday collections. We are on budget with our total income, versus expense. Total income includes Sunday collections, Christmas, Easter, fundraising, and miscellaneous donations.
- Our goal is to fund all operations and expenses from the weekly collections.
- 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.
- A big THANK YOU to all who participated in our GiveCentral push over the past few months, we have been able to increase collections over 5%. Thank you, all donors, for your dedication to the parish.
- Please contact the Business Manager, Erica Saccucci with any questions at esaccucci@stteresaparish.org. Our financials are also available on our website at www.st-teresa.net.
- The next Finance Council meeting is to be decided.

“All my bags are packed, I’m ready to go...”

Going on vacation? Not on GiveCentral? Are you taking us with you? No?! What do you mean no? Ok, ok. We’ll miss you. Please help us remain financially stable during this vacation season by maintaining your financial commitment to the parish. Automated giving through Give Central is an easy way to ensure our collections do not dive when attendance is low. If you have already signed

up for automated giving, please be sure your credit card information is up to date. Call the office at 773.528.6650 to get help or offer to take us on vacation. Register at www.givecentral.org.

Finally, here’s a message from a friend.



Parish Calendar

June 28 — July 4

July Baptisms



Amadeo Nauhel Prieto Melesio (7-12-15)
Clare Cecilia Morales (7-12-15)
Jacob Anthony Parente (7-12-15)

Interested in the Catholic Faith?



The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process through which interested adults are introduced to the Roman Catholic faith and way of life.

The RCIA process is for the un-baptized who want to join the Catholic Church; and those who have been baptized either Catholic or in another Christian denomination, and want to enter into full communion with the Catholic Church.

If you or someone you know is interested in finding out more about the Catholic faith, please contact Tom Micinski at (773) 528-6650.

Calendar at a Glance

June 28, Sunday

- 10:00 am, PC, Hospitality

June 29, Monday

- No Activities Planned

June 30, Tuesday

- 7:00 pm, PC, Block Party Meeting

July 1, Wednesday

- No Activities Planned

July 2, Thursday

- 9:00 am, PC3-4, Food Depository Delivery

July 3, Friday

- 3:30 pm, PC, Loaves & Fishes Setup
- 5:00 pm, PC, Loaves & Fishes Dinner
- 7:00 pm, Church, Spanish Prayer Group

July 4, Saturday

- 4:00 pm, Church, Our Lady of Fatima Rosary



Saints & Special Observances

- Sunday:** Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Father's Day
- Monday:** Ss. Peter and Paul
- Tuesday:** The First Martyrs of the Church
- Wednesday:** Blessed Junípero Serra
- Friday:** St. Thomas; First Friday
- Saturday:** First Saturday; Blessed Virgin Mary

- Domingo:** Décimotercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
- Lunes:** San Pedro y San Pablo
- Martes:** Los Primeros Santos de la Iglesia
- Miércoles:** Beato Junípero Serra
- Viernes:** Santo Tomás; Primer Viernes
- Sábado:** Primer Sábado ; Santa María Virgen

July 2015 Food Pantry Schedule

Saturday, July 4th No Food Pantry

Saturday, July 11th

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

Saturday, July 18th

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

Saturday, July 25th

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



Mass Schedule & Intentions

Mass Intentions

June 27

5:00 pm For Fr. Daniel Costello, the Parishioners of St. Joan of Arc (Evanston)*

June 28

9:00 am For Fr. Peter Heidenrich and the Parishioners of St. John (Glenwood)*
 12:00 am Carroll Family; and for Fr. Edward Romanski and the Parishioners of St. John the Baptist
 6:00 pm For Fr. Wayne Watts, and the Parishioners of St. John Berchmans *

* We continue to pray for all the parishes in the Archdiocese.

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...

Sr. Barbara Jean Ciszek, Teresa Dempsey, Georgina Garcia, Bolivar Gonzales, James H. Mack, Carol Marquez, Frank Mirabella, Eleanor Monak, Jennifer Mosher, Walter and Germaine Mulvihill, Charley Pierce, Victims of War & Domestic Violence

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

<i>Alicia Anderson Dorothy Barns Dolores Berendsen Berta Billalvazo Ann Buehler Susan Conway Michael De Blasis Kathy Derrick Kim Duffy Jackson Fineske & Family Alice Flynn Padraig Gallagher Eloisa Gallegos Michael Gibbons Angela Goldberg Kaylee Gommel Bolivar Gonzales, Jr. Les Gordon Mrs. Grabarczyk George Halloran Kellar Harris Peg Hausen</i>	<i>David Hoffman David Ivanac Chuck Jabaley Ronald Jakubec Tom Kinsella Liz Kunkel Betty LaCour Carmen D. Lorenzana Palmira Mancini George Maroquin Jose Maroquin Lisa Marquez Margaret Sue Meadors Daniel Meyer Bill Mobley John Monier Fr. Barry Moriarty, C.M. Elda Myers John Paul Nelson Angel Nieves Msgr. Kevin O'Neill Clayton Poe</i>	<i>Marie Koesters-Ranley Deacon Hector Rivera Hector J. Rivera Pedro Rodriguez Ray Romero Jeffrey Roscoe Sr. Camilla Mary Marney, OCD Sr. Jean Ryan, OCD Jack Schank Mima Tome JoAnn Jahnke Trainer Susan Violapiano John Wagner Bernadine Walters Jack Williams Mae Witry Jim Woods David Zeunert Survivors and perpetrators of sexual abuse</i>
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Celebrant and Minister Schedule

DATE	TIME	CELEBRANT	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC BREAD	EUCCHARISTIC WINE
Saturday 7-4-15	5:00 PM	Rev. Chas Shelby	Lisa Hanzelka	Carly Johnston	Luke Kolman Lisa Marquez
Sunday 7-5-15	9:00 AM	Fr. Frank	Peggy Teterycz	Ellen Moiani Nancy Van Grinsven Mark Van Grinsven	Frank Swiderski Mike Usiak Minister Needed (C3) Geneva Gorgo
Next Spanish Mass 7-5-15 Sunday	10:30 AM	Rev. John Rybolt, CM	Maria Montes Alex Lopez	Carmen Vazquez	Francesco Perez
Sunday 7-5-15	12:00 PM	Fr. Frank	Karen Carpino	Bert Olson	Mollie Wanek Laura King
Sunday 7-5-15	6:00 PM	Fr. Frank	Mary Serrahn	Chris Parente Sara Hock Aubre Hewett	Jonathan Hewett Cara Gannon Eric Fredericks Eileen Raia

Readings/Lecturas

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Readings for the Week

Monday: Vigil: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 19:2-5; Gal 1:11-20; Jn 21:15-19 Day: Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-9; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19
Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29; Ps 26:2-3, 9-12; Mt 8:23-27
Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-13; Mt 8:28-34
Thursday: Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-6, 8-9; Mt 9:1-8
Friday: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc-2; Jn 20:24-29
Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-6; Mt 9:14-17;
Sunday: Ez 2:2-5; Ps 123:1-4; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6:1-6a

Lecturas de la Semana

Lunes: Vigilia: Hch 3:1-10; Sal 19 (18):2-5; Gal 1:11-20; Jn 21:15-19 Día: Hch 12:1-11; Sal 34 (33):2-9; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19
Martes: Gn 19:15-29; Sal 26 (25):2-3, 9-12; Mt 8:23-27
Miércoles: Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Sal 34 (33):7-8, 10-13; Mt 8:28-34
Jueves: Gn 22:1b-19; Sal 115 (114):1-6, 8-9; Mt 9:1-8
Viernes: Ef 2:19-22; Sal 117 (116):1bc-2; Jn 20:24-29
Sábado: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Sal 135 (134):1b-6; Mt 9:14-17;
Domingo: Ez 2:2-5; Sal 123 (122):1-4; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mc 6:1-6a

Treasures from Our Tradition

The premier poet of the English language, Geoffrey Chaucer, introduced one of his most beloved characters, the “Wife of Bath,” by this telling remark: “Husbands at church door she had five.” Four times widowed, she was setting off on a pilgrimage, notably without number five. The church door is a curious detail, pointing to the fourteenth-century wedding custom of marrying on the porch of the parish church. The goal was to give maximum publicity to the consent of the groom and bride, and so consent was moved from the bride’s home to a public venue. The priest would stand in the doorway and begin by sprinkling the couple with holy water. He needed to make sure they weren’t too closely related and give them some instruction. He would direct the groom to pay the bride’s family a dowry, and then announce the monetary amounts to the interested passersby. Only then would the guests enter the church for the wedding Mass, during which the bride and groom would hold lighted candles. The gradual move from home to church and the shift from the bride’s father to the priest’s authority helped to protect the freedom of brides who weren’t quite as confident as the Wife of Bath. — Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



Tradiciones de Nuestra Fe

Muchos hispanos que vivimos en Estados Unidos somos personas bilingües. Podemos leer la Palabra de Dios en inglés o español. Por ejemplo, el texto de Juan 21:15-19, en el que Jesús le pregunta a Pedro si lo ama. El texto en inglés nos dice que Jesús le pregunta tres veces: Peter, do you love me? Pedro le responde: Lord, you know that I love you, mientras que en español le dice: “Señor, tú sabes que te quiero”.

La diferencia es casi imperceptible, pero importante. El texto original fue escrito en griego y usaba dos palabras que significan amor, ágape (amor que se sacrifica) y fileo (amor fraterno). En inglés, Jesús y Pedro usan la misma palabra, love, mientras en español Jesús dos veces pregunta por “amor”, y Pedro responde con “querer”. La tercera vez, Jesús se acopla a Pedro y sólo pregunta en torno al “querer”, reconociendo que en ese momento, Pedro no puede darle más que eso. Jesús le asegura que algún día Pedro sería capaz del amor ágape entregando su vida por él. Jesús se acopla a nosotros pidiendo lo que le podemos dar y ayudándonos a crecer hasta que podamos darle toda nuestra vida. — Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Gluz, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

The Lord of Life

At this bountiful time of year, our Sunday readings teem with life and abundance. Both the first reading, from the book of Wisdom, and the Gospel passage from Mark assure us that God

did not make death or even will us to be ill. Illness and death entered the world through the presence of evil, the Wisdom author tells us. Mark's stories of Jesus healing a hemorrhaging woman and resuscitating a dead little girl make it clear that Jesus is from God. As the Son of God he does not will that anyone suffer illness or death. In the face of such

power, the second reading, from Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians, provides a stark contrast. Jesus, who could raise the dead to new life, "though he was rich, for your sake he became poor" (2 Corinthians 8:9). Our gift of new life from Christ demands our response in charity. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



El Señor de la Vida

En este tiempo tan fecundo del año nuestras lecturas dominicales rebosan con vida y abundancia. Tanto la primera lectura, del libro de la Sabiduría, como la

tercera del Evangelio de san Marcos nos aseguran que Dios no creó la muerte, ni quiere que suframos de ninguna enfermedad. Fue por la envidia del diablo que la muerte entró al mundo, según nos dice el Sabio. Y lo que san Marcos nos cuenta sobre la curación de la hemorroisa y cómo revivió la hija de Jairo nos muestran claramente que Jesús viene de Dios. Como Hijo de Dios,

Jesús no quiere que nadie sufra enfermedad ni muerte. Pero en el contexto de tanto poder, la segunda lectura, de la segunda carta de san Pablo a los corintios, nos presenta un fuerte contraste. Jesús, que puede levantar a los muertos a una nueva vida, "siendo rico se hizo pobre por ustedes" (2 Corintios 8:9). Así pues, la nueva vida que recibimos como regalo de Cristo exige una respuesta: nuestra caridad. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

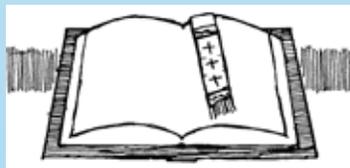
Today's Readings

First Reading — God did not make death, nor does God rejoice in the destruction of the living (Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24).

Psalm — I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me (Psalm 30).

Second Reading — Your abundance should supply the needs of the others (2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15).

Gospel — Your faith has saved you (Mark 5:21-43 [21-24, 35b-43]).



Lecturas de Hoy

Primera lectura — Por envidia del diablo entró la muerte en el mundo (Sabiduría 1:13-15; 2:23-24).

Salmo — Te alabaré, Señor, eternamente (Salmo 30 [29]).

Segunda lectura — Que la abundancia de ustedes remedie la necesidad de sus hermanos pobres (2 Corintios 8:7, 9, 13-15).

Evangelio — ¡Oyeme, niña, levántate! (Marcos 5:21-43 [5:21-24, 35b-43]).

Join in the Men's *Silent Retreat* At Bellarmine Hall, September 11-13

A group from St. Teresa will be attending the Men's Silent Retreat at Bellarmine Hall in Barrington the weekend of September 11 -13. Our participation has been growing the last few years, and we want to continue that momentum as the experience is even more meaningful when one shares the "silence" with friends. **All men 18 and older are welcome!**



Past participants know this as a powerful opportunity to take time for yourself, get away from distractions of the day and have space for reflection, meditation and come into closer contact with God. You can attend the retreat master talks, meet one-on-one with a priest, participate in Mass and other traditions, or simply spend the time alone on the beautiful grounds.

Sign-ups are at bellarminehall.org, click on Retreat Listings / Retreats for Men / Sept 11-13 Retreat. Please indicate you are with the Matt Carpenter group, which has special priority for the weekend. The retreat lasts from Friday evening until late morning on Sunday. We will 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.

Questions? Contact Craig Dean at cdeanhockey@gmail.com or 312-948-5605.

First Saturday—Primer Sábado July 4 — 4 de Julio

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



Todos son bienvenidos a unirse a la devoción del rosario Primerasábado a Nuestra Señora de Fátima el 4 de Julio a las 4:00 pm en la iglesia.

Food Pantry Shopping List

There are four items the Food Pantry could *really* use:

- Oatmeal
- Boxed Cereal (sweetened and unsweetened)
- Hearty Canned Soups
- Extra-strength grocery bags with handles

If you are interested in volunteering at the Food Pantry, please contact Dave Hilko at dahilko@deloitte.com.



Loaves & Fishes Shopping List

Our Loaves & Fishes team could really use the following three items for the preparation of their Friday evening meals:

- Flour
- Vegetable Oil
- Sugar



If you're interested in volunteering to either cook for Loaves & Fishes or serve our guests, contact Amir at amir@staying-true.com.

Post-renovation 7:30am Friday Communion Services Resume

There is 7:30am Mass on Monday through Thursday.

We also have resumed brief communion services on Friday mornings, also at 7:30am, for those who want to reflect on scripture and receive Eucharist.



Next Men's Spirituality July 14th

Are you interested in enriching your faith through discussion with men of all ages? Join the Men's Spirituality Group on one of the Tuesdays below at 6:30am in the Parish Center. Please contact Matt Priesbe at mpriesbe@aol.com for more information.



This summer, we will also be reading and discussing the book *Baseball as a Road to God: Seeing Beyond the Game* by John Sexton.

Join us for some of those meetings before your team is mathematically eliminated...

July 14 St. Benedict and Benedictine Spirituality
July 28 *Baseball as a Road to God: Innings 7-9*

About Self-denial, St. Teresa said...

If people wish to gain freedom of spirit and not always be troubled, let them begin by not being frightened by the cross, and they will see how the lord helps them carry it..."



Our Online Parish History



Check out the St. Teresa of Avila Online Parish History at:
<http://125years.st-teresa.net>

Ministry of Care

The Ministry of Care program at St. Teresa of Avila brings the Eucharist to the faithful who are unable to attend church.

If you know of someone who cannot come to Mass and would like to receive Holy Communion, please call Dean in the office at (773) 528-6650 to arrange a visit.



Get updates on happenings at St. Teresa...

It's easy to join our email list.

Text
TERESA
to 22828 to get started.



Sign up for online giving at

GiveCentral

for your weekly offertory and other donations!

Three reasons to sign up:

1. Give Central is completely safe and secure as it follows SSL encryption standards.
2. It's easy to sign up, update throughout the year, and review your gifts as often as you like.
3. You can make your gifts through most credit cards or online checking.

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Altar Dedication

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“May He make you a people of the Eucharist; a people of welcome and inclusion; a people of faith and commitment. May this altar be a symbol of the grace and hope that is alive in your community. May God Bless you and keep you strong.” — Bishop Francis Kane, Mass of Dedication, June 21, 2015

“The one saint who most profoundly lived in the 8th day of creation was St. Francis. Along with St. Teresa, he guides us in our mission of outreach to the poor, the homeless, the lonely...as we live out the incarnation through our soup kitchen and food pantry; helping undocumented immigrants in California; and building water wells in Haiti...” — Fr. Frank, June 21, 2015, Mass of Dedication



“Christ has no body but yours; no hands, no feet on earth but yours; yours are the eyes with which he looks with compassion on this world; yours are the feet with which he walks to do good; yours are the hands with which he blesses all the world. Yours are the hands, yours are the feet, Yours are the eyes — you are his body.” — St. Teresa of Avila (1515-1582)

St. Teresa of Avila Parish Leadership Teams

Pastoral Council

Jessica Marx
Bert Olson
Anna Althoff
Alex Lopez

Justin Peters
Amir Rafizadeh
Laura King

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
Matt Donner

Chris Parente
Dave Hilko
Steve Fortino
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
John Mitchell
Dan Summins

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

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 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.

Parish Offices are 1950 N. Kenmore, (773) 528-6650, FAX (773) 871-6766. Hours are 9:00 am to 7:30 pm Monday through Friday, and Saturday 9:00 am to 12:00 pm.

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Evangelization

Seeking a Leader

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.

Dealing with Stress...

The Holbrook Center, a service of Catholic Charities, provides confidential counseling at many locations, including its newest office at Holy Name Cathedral. Licensed counselors, affordable fees, and convenient appointment times, including evenings.

The Holbrook Counseling Center is in the network with BC/BS PPO. For more information or to schedule an appointment, please call at (312) 655-7725.

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](mailto:kolynchdre@gmail.com)
kolynchdre@gmail.com

For information about ...

Baptism, Marriage, Reconciliation, Mass Intentions, RCIA or Communion for the Sick
[Contact Dean in the Parish Office](mailto:dvaeth@stteresaparish.org)
dvaeth@stteresaparish.org

Weekend Masses

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

⁺ First and third Saturdays, October through June

* First Sundays

Weekday Masses

7:30 am Monday through Thursday
7:30 am Fridays Communion Service

