## St. Teresa of Avila Parish

A Roman Catholic Faith Community

Armitage & Kenmore Avenues

Chicago, IL 60614



January 31, 2016 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Faith & Spirit.

*Alive* 



Faith, hope, and love remain, these three; but the greatest of these is love.

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### The Stewardship Report

In 2015, St. Teresa of Avila welcomed 147 new families and supported 38 Ministries & Programs. New additions this past year include:

- Stewardship Committee
- Liturgy Committee
- Eucharistic Adoration
- 6:00 pm Mass Choir
- Night Ministry Meal Service

#### In 2016 we aim to:

- Strengthen our Meal Service ministries
- Begin a refugee ministry
- Share our gifts by donating 6% of offertory to outside organizations
- Create a strategic 5-year plan to better live out our mission
- Welcome more people to know God's love
- Add more opportunities for spiritual growth
- Increase engagement within the community

For more information or to discuss how you'd like to get involved, contact Rebecca O'Brien at (773) 528-6650 or robrien@stteresaparish.org.

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 follow 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.



### Parish Transformation Survey Update

Thank you to everyone who has filled out the Parish Transformation survey! We are currently up to 101 responses! That's a big jump from last week's number of just 36. The largest category of respondents is ages 30-39 followed by 18-29. Twice as many women have responded than men.



Of the 585 people attending Mass each week, our hope is that at a *minimum*, roughly 1/3 will take the survey. The Parish Transformation team will evaluate the responses from the surveys to better understand how we can improve and grow as a community. The more surveys completed, the better.

We will begin the Parish Transformation meetings on Wednesday, March 2nd at 7pm in the parish center. I encourage anyone interested to attend this initial meeting and further discern if you are being called to participate as part of the team. You may also speak to me or contact the parish office for more information.

Er. Frank

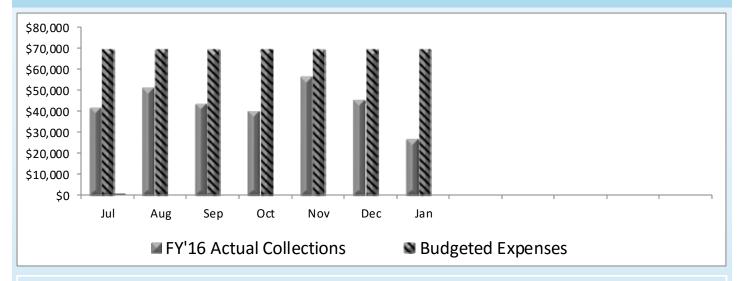
Fr. Frank

You can take the Parish Transformation Survey on our website, st-teresa.net, or at surveymonkey.com/r/StTeresaAvila.

Visit st-teresa.net/volunteer to browse and sign up for a selection of recurring volunteer opportunities.				
Most Wanted Volunteers	Social Media Posters	9:00 AM Hospitality Hosts	Night Ministry Captains	Historical Website Admin

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 met 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.
- Please contact the Business Manager, Erica Saccucci with any questions at esaccucci@stteresaparish.org, or Matt Donner, our Finance Council chair. Our financials are also available on our website at www.stteresa.net.
- The next Finance Council meeting is on February 15th at 7:00pm.

Please help us remain financially stable during the rest 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.

## Parish Calendar

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### Last Year's Palms, This Year's Ashes

## What St. Teresa said ...



Lent begins Wednesday, February 10. Please bring in last year's palms so they can be used for this year's ashes.

Drop them off in the sacristy or the office between now and February 7th.

O my Jesus, What a soul Inflamed in your love Accomplishes!



## Calendar at a Glance

### Sunday, January 31

- o 9:15 am, REC, Children's Liturgy of the Word
- ° 10:00 am, PC, Hospitality
- ° 10:20 am, REC, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
- ° 7:00 pm, Kitchen, Edge

### Monday, February 1

4:00 pm, REC, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

### Tuesday, February 2

- ° 6:30 pm, REC, SPRED Preparation
- ° 6:30 pm, PC, Book Club
- ° 7:00 pm, Church, Eucharistic Adoration

### Wednesday, February 3

No Activities Planned

### Thursday, February 4

No Activities Planned

### Friday, February 5

- 9:30 am, REC, Playgroup
- o 3:30 pm, PC, Loaves and Fishes Setup
- 5:00 pm, PC, Loaves and Fishes Dinner
- ° 7:00 pm, Church, Spanish Prayer Group

### Saturday, February 6

- 9:00 am, PC, GS, Food Pantry Setup
- ° 10:00 am, PC, GS, Food Pantry Distribution
- 4:00 pm, Church, Our Lady of Fatima Rosary
- 4:30 pm, REC, CCFC Catechesis
- 6:30 pm, Church, CCFC Mass

## Saints & Special Observances

Sunday: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary

Time

Tuesday: The Presentation of the Lord

Wednesday: St. Blaise; St. Ansgar; Blessing of Throats

Friday: St. Agatha; First Friday
Saturday: St. Paul Miki and Compan-

ions; First Saturday

Domingo: Cuarto Domingo del Tiempo

Ordinario

Martes: La Presentación del Señor Miércoles: San Blas; san Óscar;

San Blas; san Óscar; Bendición de las gargantas

Viernes: Santa Águeda; Primer viernes Sábado: San Pablo Miki y compañeros;

Primer sábado

### February 2016 Food Pantry Schedule

### Saturday, February 6th

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

### Saturday, February 13th

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

#### Saturday, February 20th

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

#### Saturday, February 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.

## Mass Schedule & Intentions

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	Mass Intentions	Let Us Pray		
5:00 pm	January 30  For the deceased parishioners of St. Teresa of Avila  January 31	Please pray for our deceased friends and parishioners  Rodolfo Bech, Barbara Byrd, Sr. Barbara Jean Ciszek, Georgina Garcia, Bolivar Gonzales, Jerica Elaine Harris, Fred Jabaley, Rev. Oscar Lukefahr, CM, James H. Mack, Frank Mirabella, Jennifer Mosher, Walter and Germaine Mulvihill, John and Margaret O'Neill,		
9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm	For the deceased parishioners of St. Teresa of Avila For the deceased parishioners of St. Teresa of Avila For the deceased parishioners of St. Teresa of Avila	Robert Rooney, Bridie Ryan, Rev. David Stagaman, SJ, Lucille Stanko, John Wagner Victims of War & Domestic Violence  Let us also pray for those who are ill, especially		
6:00 pm	For the deceased parishioners of St. Teresa of Avila  February 1	Alicia Anderson Dorothy Barns Dolores Berendsen Berta Billalvazo	Peg Hausen David Hoffman David Ivanac Chuck Jabaley	Clayton Poe Carol Poyner Marie Koesters-Ranley Deacon Hector Rivera
7:30 am	Dr. Patrick McCarthy; Dr. Pablo Denes  February 2	Beria Bulalvazo Ann Buehler Lauren Dittrich Bilyeu Susan Conway Michael De Blasis	Ronald Jakubec Tom Kinsella Liz Kunkel	Hector J. Rivera Luis Rivera Pedro Rodriguez
7:30 am	Tom Mahoney	Michael De Blasis Kathy Derrick Kim Duffy Jackson Fineske & Family Alice Flynn	Betty LaCour Carmen D. Lorenzana Palmira Mancini George Maroquin Jose Maroquin	Ray Romero Jeffrey Roscoe Sr. Camilla Mary Marney, OCD Sr. Jean Ryan, OCD Jack Schank
Our Mass Intentions have many openings. If you would like to have a Mass said for someone alive or deceased, contact Deacon Dean 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		Aute I 15th Padraig Gallagher Eloisa Gallegos Michael Gibbons Angela Goldberg Kaylee Gommel Bolivar Gonzales, Jr. Les Gordon Mrs. Grabarczyk George Halloran Kellar Harris	Lisa Marquez Margaret Sue Meadors Daniel Meyer Bill Mobley Fr. Barry Moriarty, C.M. Elda Myers John Paul Nelson Angel Nieves Msgr. Kevin O'Neill Frank O'Toole	Auk Schuink Will Sullivan Laura Szejka Mima Tome JoAnn Jahnke Trainer Susan Violapiano Jack Williams Mae Witry David Zeunert Survivors and perpetrators of sexual abuse
friends for six months. If you wish the name of a loved one left on the list longer than six months, please contact Deacon Dean in the parish office.		We pray for those who have died and those who are ill every Tuesday at Eucharistic Adoration, 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm. Come join us in quiet prayer.		

## Celebrant and Minister Schedule

DATE	TIME	CELEBRANT	LECTOR	EUCHARISTIC BREAD	EUCHARISTIC WINE
Saturday 2-6-16	5:00 PM	Rev. Chas Shelby, CM	Karen Carpino	Lauren Hogel	Lisa Hanzelka Casey Bowles
Next French Mass Saturday 2-6-16	6:30 PM				
Sunday 2-7-16	9:00 AM	Fr. Frank	Children's Service	Geneva Gorgo Frank Swiderski Jocelyn Lutkus	Nancy Van Grinsven Mark Van Grinsven Minister Needed (C3) Carly Johnston
Next Spanish Mass Sunday 2-7-16	10:30 AM	Rev. John Rybolt, CM			
Sunday 2-7-16	12:00 PM	Fr. Frank	Claire Kenkel	Laura Moran	Laura King Aimee Jaszczor
Sunday 2-7-16	6:00 PM	Fr. Frank	Doug Lovette	Dan Shain Cara Gannon Bert Olson	Minister Needed (C1,P) Eileen Raia Elizabeth Cuda Luke Kolman

## Readings/Lecturas

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## Readings for the Week

**Monday:** 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Ps 3:2-7;

Mk 5:1-20

**Tuesday:** Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18;

Lk 2:22-40 [22-32]

**Wednesday:** 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 6:1-6

**Thursday:** 1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Chr 29:10-12;

Mk 6:7-13

**Friday:** Sir 47:2-11; Ps 18:31, 47, 50, 51; Mk 6:14-

29

**Saturday:** 1 Kgs 3:4-13; Ps 119:9-14; Mk 6:30-34

**Sunday:** Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; Ps 138:1-5, 7-8; 1 Cor

15:1-11 [3-8, 11]; Lk 5:1-11

## Lecturas de la Semana

**Lunes:** 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Sal 3:2-7;

Mc 5:1-20

**Martes:** Mal 3:1-4; Sal 24 (23):7-10; Heb 2:14-18;

Lc 2:22-40 [22-32]

**Miércoles:** 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Sal 32 (31):1-2, 5-7;

Mc 6:1-6

**Jueves:** 1 Re 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Cr 29:10-12;

Mc 6:7-13

**Viernes:** Sir 47:2-11; Sal 18 (17):31, 47, 50, 51;

Mc 6:14-29

**Sábado:** 1 Re 3:4-13; Sal 119 (118):9-14; Mc 6:30-

34

**Domingo:** Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; Sal 138 (137):1-5, 7-8;

1 Cor 15:1-11 [3-8, 11]; Lc 5:1-11

### **Treasures from Our Tradition**

For the first four centuries or so, there seems not to have been a sense of marriage as a church institution. Christians followed civil law, which kept the wedding in a family setting. Bishops wanted people to be good citizens insofar as

possible, and so they recognized the government's role in marriage. In general, they expected Christians to know that marriage was good, that marriage to other Christians was best, and to take it easy on the wild wedding parties. They agreed that marriage was a divine institution, that Christ blessed it especially, and they loved referring to the miracle at the wedding feast of Cana. Still, even when Christianity became the official religion of the empire in 380, marriage remained a family matter.

On wedding days people gathered in the bride's house, where the father would "give her hand" to her husband, draping a garland of flowers over the couple. There were no official words to say, there was no blessing to be given. Everyone walked in procession to the bride's new home for the concluding rites and the feast. In the Eastern Empire, it soon became customary to invite a priest or bishop to give a blessing at the meal or the day before. It was a nice thing to do, completely optional, but had a "photo-op" feel to it that was widely emulated. Before long, at least in the East, it looked as if the priest were joining the couple in marriage and blessing the union. —Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

### Tradiciones de Nuestra Fe

En muchos hogares latinos el tiempo de Navidad terminó el día dos de febrero con la levantada del Niño Dios en la fiesta de la Candelaria. Es interesante como el pueblo cristiano tiene un cierto afecto para Jesús en su aspecto de

niño. Desde hace siglos con el evangelista Lucas y la virgen María la imaginación cristiana ha ido buscando al Divino Niño en el templo; con san Cristóbal lleva cargando al Niño Dios sobre los hombros mientras cruza el rió de la vida y san Antonio de Lisboa juega con el Niñito Jesús sobre un libro teológico mientras estudia la Palabra de Dios.

Fueron los monjes cistercienses del siglo XII quienes primero desarrollaron esta devoción al Niño Jesús. En su afán por conocer mejor al Dios hecho humano entraban por medio de la meditación imaginativa en los cuatro evangelios. Esta meditación es un entrar en la vida de Jesús de tal manera que vives los eventos en tu corazón y desarrollar así una relación afectiva con el Señor. La devoción al Niño Dios debe ser acompañada de la *lectio divina*. — Fray Gilberto Cavazos-GIZ, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

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## The Great Hymn to Love

It is doubtful that Saint Paul, when he sat down to write

what we now know as the thirteenth chapter of First Corinthians, knew that he was penning what was to become one of the keystones of Christian ethics. In this brief passage, he set down ideals about love that have held fast through the centuries. Sometimes we may think that because these are ideals to which we aspire, we are excused from them in our daily living.

But what Paul was writing was a letter to his friends, providing them with some sound advice about what it meant—and still means—to live in love, day by day, as a follower of Christ. We find in his words to his friends a broadening of the great commands of Jesus to love God and neighbor. Today we hear what this love must look like in our own actions, and how it ought to guide our relationships with others. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

## El Gran Himno al Amor

Cabe dudar que, cuando san Pablo se sentó a escribir lo que



ahora conocemos como el capítulo trece de la primera carta a los corintios, supiera que lo que estaba escribiendo se convertiría en una clave principal de la ética cristiana. En este breve pasaje, ha consignado ideales sobre el amor que se han mantenido firmes en el transcurso de los siglos. A veces pensamos que porque estos son sólo ideales a

los que uno aspira, estamos libres de no practicarlos en nuestra vida diaria.

Lo que Pablo estaba escribiendo era una carta a sus amigos, dándoles buenos consejos sobre lo que significaba —y todavía significa— vivir en el amor, día a día, en seguimiento de Cristo. Encontramos en las palabras a sus amigos una ampliación del gran mandamiento de Jesús de amar a Dios y al prójimo. Hoy en día escuchamos cómo este amor debe expresarse en nuestras acciones, y cómo debe regir nuestras relaciones con los demás. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

## Today's Readings

First Reading — God appoints Jeremiah as prophet to the nations (Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19).

**Psalm** — I will sing of your salvation (Psalm 71).

Second Reading — Love with its many facets is the most important of the virtues (1 Corinthians 12:31 — 13:13 [13:4-13]).

Gospel — When Jesus claims his

salvific mission is for all people, not just the Jews, he is expelled by the enraged members of the Nazarean synagogue

(Luke 4:21-30).

## Lecturas de Hoy

**Primera lectura** — Dios destina a Jeremías a ser profeta de las naciones (Jeremías 1:4-5, 17-19).

Salmo — Señor, tú eres mi esperanza (Salmo 71 [70]).

Segunda lectura — El amor con todas sus muchas facetas es la más importante de las virtudes (1 Corintios 12:31 — 13:13 [13:4-13]).

Evangelio — Cuando Jesús reclama que su misión salvífica es para todos los pueblos, los miembros de la sinagoga de Nazaret enfurecidos lo echan fuera (Lucas 4:21-30).

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### Friday Morning Playgroup Forming

A new baby-toddler playgroup is forming at St. Teresa of Avila.

Friday Mornings 9:30 —11:30 am



Food

Pantry

Religious Education Center 1940 N. Kenmore Ave. (Next to the Parish Center)

Contact Clare Pasquesi for more information clarepasquesi@gmail.com.

## Food Pantry Shopping List

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

- Pasta & rice (all kinds)
- Oatmeal
- Boxed cereal
- Hearty canned soups
- Regular- and family-size deodorant & shampoo; toothbrushes & toothpaste

### We no longer need extra-strength grocery bags.

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

### 9AM Hospitality Hosts Needed

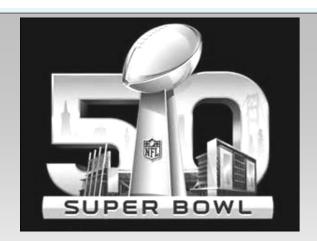
We are currently looking for volunteers to host refreshments after the 9:00 am Mass for February through May. This is a great way for your family to help make St.



Teresa a welcoming community. Please consider participating. You can host alone or with a group of families. Click on the word 'Volunteer' from St. Teresa's home page to get to the parish VolunteerSpot Sign-Up, or go directly to http://vols.pt/XV1s5m).

Thank you for sharing a spirit of welcome and for helping to build community at St. Teresa.

Questions/training, contact Mairead Reidy at mairead.Reidy@yahoo.com.



Steve & Amir's 6th Annual Super Bowl Party Benefiting St. Teresa

February 7, 2016

@ Kincade's

950 W. Armitage

Party starts at 5:00pm Kick Off at 5:20pm Lasts until the game ends

Cost: \$75.00 per person

**Includes:** 

*Unlimited drinks* — Call & house cocktails (Rum, Whiskey, Vodka); house wine, domestic bottled and draft beer.

**Food** — served buffet style, includes pasta, wings, dips and assorted appetizers

Prizes for 1st & 2nd-half contest winners!

Please RSVP and pay before Wednesday, January 27th, to:

Steve Kolinski at kolinski@midlandtoledo.com or Amir Rafizadeh at amir@staying-true.com

## Mid-life Singles Retreat

Reflect is for and about single men and women (mid-30s to 50s) looking to connect with others who also face the unique challenges of being a mid-life single in a couple's



world. It's a great way to get to know and share with others in a caring, Christ-centered environment.

Register today for a life-changing *Reflect* weekend retreat at the Cardinal Stritch Retreat House, Mundelein, IL (in the northern suburbs), on March 4-6, 2016. Cost is \$197 for meals and a single room.

### Take a chance and get involved... you won't regret it!

Call us at (312) 532-8286 or e-mail to reflect.chicagoland@gmail.com, or visit www.ReflectRetreat.com for details.

### First Saturday—Primer Sábado February 6 — 6 de Febrero

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



Todos son bienvenidos a unirse a la devoción del rosario Primerasábado a Nuestra Señora de Fátima el 6 de Febrero a las 4:00 pm en la iglesia.

## **Loaves & Fishes Shopping List**

Our Loaves & Fishes team could really use the following three items, **especially** 

**flour**, 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.

# Celebrate with Our Children on February 7th

St. Teresa's next Children's Participation Mass is Sunday, February 7th at 9:00 am. All children are invited to partici-

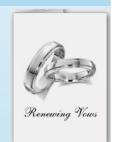


pate and celebrate in community. Consider choir, ushering, or gift bearing.

Contact Kate Lynch at (773) 528-6650 or kolynchdre@gmail.com in advance to learn more or indicate interest or come early that day (8:40 am) to join choir practice or find other ways to help.

# Renew Your Wedding Vows on February 13th

Celebrate St. Valentine's Day on Saturday, February 13th at the 5:00 pm Mass. All married couples will be invited to renew their wedding vows during this Mass.



This is a wonderful way to celebrate your marriage and to start the St. Valentine's Day weekend. Immediately following Mass there will be a reception in the Parish Center.

Please invite your friends, neighbors and family members even if they don't regularly attend our church. If you have evening plans, you'll still have time to go out for dinner after the reception. All are welcome.

### St. Teresa of Avila Book Club



Join us for Lively Discussion on Begging for Change

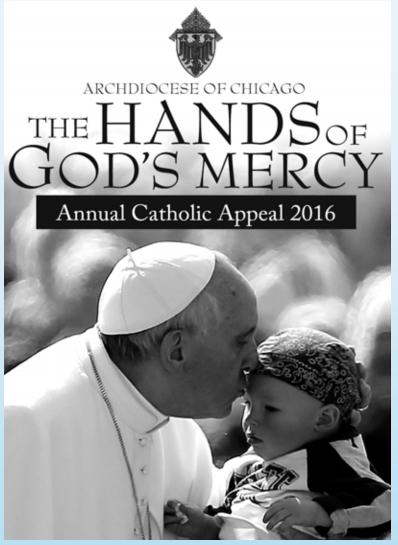
> Tuesday, February 2 6:30-8:00 PM

Read the Book, Bring a Friend All are Welcome!

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## Annual Catholic Appeal for 2016 Begins



The earliest disciples heard the words of Jesus, and so do we. Centered on Jesus and bonded by His word, we make up the Catholic Church — the Body of Christ — in the Archdiocese of Chicago.

We have known the gifts of God in our lives, beginning with God's call and love given generously to each one of us. God's generosity to us prompts us to support those in need and to support the Church herself, for she connects us to Christ and has been a rich source of blessing for us and so many others.

Each year the Archdiocese of Chicago reaches out to the Catholic Faith Community and asks for support for the schools, programs, agencies, and ministries that serve the educational, physical, and spiritual needs of our people.

Your gift provides the much-needed financial resources to help advance the mission of the Church in Chicago.

www.AnnualCatholicAppeal.com

Many of you have responded to the Annual Catholic Appeal mailing from Archbishop Cupich. On behalf of those served by the ministries and services funded by the ACA, we thank you for your gifts. If you received the mailing and have not responded, please do so as soon as possible.

In this Jubilee Year of Mercy, Pope Francis asks us to understand God's mercy in our own lives and then to be the hand of mercy for others. The ACA offers a wonderful opportunity to extend God's mercy to many others.

In addition to providing for ministries and services throughout the Archdiocese, the Appeal also funds ser-

vices that are of great help to ministries here in our parish. For example, Appeal funds support SPRED (Special Religious Education), Catholic Relief Services, and many more.

As we contemplate God's many gifts to us, we should also reflect on our gratitude for these gifts. Your financial support for the work of our parish, our Archdiocese and the Church throughout the world is, in fact, one way to express this gratitude. Please give generously to the 2016 Annual Catholic Appeal.

When our parish reaches its goal of \$32,998 in paid pledges, 100% of the additional funds received will be returned to us for use in our parish.

## St. Teresa of Avila Parish Leadership Teams

#### **Pastoral Council Finance Council Building Committee** Alex Lopez Jessica Marx Jane Bronson Justin Alden Steve Kolinski **Dan Hurley Bert Olson Justin Peters** Dave Hilko Caleb Marx Karen Kinsella Jack Halpin Anna Althoff Frank Swiderski **Chris Parente Steve Fortino** Bill Mack **Becky Francis** Ray Genellie Jane Bronson Dave Espinoza Elissa Sirovatka Jose Cervantes John Mitchell Carol Christiansen **Dan Summins** Jessica Marx is president of the Parish Pastoral Matt Donner is president of the Parish Finance Dave Hilko Council; her email is chicago2381@hotmail.com Council; his email is mdonner19199@gmail.com The Parish Pastoral Council usually meets the sec-The Finance Council usually meets the third Mon-Dan Summins is president of the Building Commitday of the month at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center. ond Monday of the month at 7:00 pm in the Parish tee; 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

Parish Offices are at 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.

The submission deadline for Sunday bulletins is 11:00 am on the Monday before. The bulletin is also published electronically on st-teresa.net.

**Contact Dean in the Parish Office** 

dvaeth@stteresaparish.org

### Parish Staff

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Jason Krumweide, **Director of Music** musicalnut1@mac.com

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### Ministry Leadership Chart

Faith Formation	Social Justice Deacon Dean Vaeth dvaeth@stteresaparish.org	Liturgy	Adult Spirituality
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Buildings & Facilities Tom Micinski tmicinski@stteresaparish.org	Special Events & Fundraising Rebecca O'Brien robrien@stteresaparish.org	Stewardship Rebecca O'Brien robrien@stteresaparish.org	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 eve-

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 ...

Friday 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 kolynchdre@gmail.com

#### For information about ...

Baptism, Marriage, Reconciliation, Mass Intentions, RCIA or Communion for the Sick Contact Dean in the Parish Office dvaeth@stteresaparish.org

### **Weekend Masses**

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