

**CHURCH NAME:** ST TERESA OF THE CHILD JESUS  
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**CHURCH #** 500037

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**SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:** Please send 350 bulletins

# St Teresa of The Child Jesus Church

Pawtucket, RI



**PASTOR**  
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**Principal:** Allison M. Amodie

## Parish Council

|                                   |          |                  |          |
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| <b>President:</b> Alfred Hervieux | 722-1351 | Patricia Germani | 724-0036 |
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**Parish Secretary:** Marie Lombardi.....722-4470



## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

*St. Teresa of the Child Jesus Church is an open and inviting Roman Catholic community dedicated to discern and accept God's call to faith and service. Our mission is to foster spiritual growth and to celebrate in community our shared faith at God's altar. Our mission is to preach, teach, and give witness to the Gospel of Jesus Christ. We do this mindful of our Catholic heritage and the ever-pressing needs of humanity. We are a people inspired by the lived faith of the apostles and a people who remain open to the empowerment of the Holy Spirit to fulfill our sacred mission.*

## MASS SCHEDULE

### WEEKEND

Saturday 4:00 PM  
Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM & 5:00 PM

### DAILY MASS

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday - 7:15AM

### CONFESSIONS

Saturdays - 3:00 to 3:45 PM

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

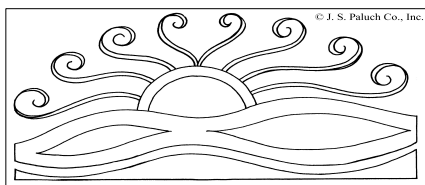
Third Sunday of the month at 11:30 AM  
Arrangements required in advance  
Please call Sue Levesque for an appointment 722-8650

### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples should contact Parish Priest at least one year in advance

### HOLY COMMUNION TO SICK AND SHUT-INS

Please call the Rectory if you would like communion at home regularly



## **MASS** **INTENTIONS**

### **SATURDAY, AUGUST 8**

**4:00 PM** Alexandra S. Costa, Wedding Anniv. Remem.,  
By Husband Jose  
Kenneth Dunne, Remembrance, By Friends  
For The Deceased Members of The Czerwonka  
Family  
Kathleen Estrella, 1st Anniv. Remem., By  
Husband Peter & Family

### **SUNDAY, AUGUST 9**

**8:30 AM** For This Faith Community

**10:30 AM** Lucy Figueiredo, Anniv. Remem., By Family

### **MONDAY, AUGUST 10**

**7:15 AM** John F. Montanaro III, 29th Birthday  
Remembrance, By His Loving Mom, Dad, &  
Family

### **TUESDAY, AUGUST 11**

**7:15 AM** For This Faith Community

### **THURSDAY, AUGUST 13**

**7:15 AM** For This Faith Community

### **FRIDAY, AUGUST 14**

**7:15 AM** For This Faith Community

### **SATURDAY, AUGUST 15**

**4:00 PM** For The Deceased Members of The Czerwonka  
Family  
Joseph Gamba, 72nd Anniv. Remem., By  
Grandchildren  
Louis Gamba, 32nd Anniv. Remem., By Children  
Jose Pereira, 13th Anniv. Remem., By His Wife  
& Daughters

### **SUNDAY, AUGUST 16**

**8:30 AM** Jane Kenerson, 13th Anniv. Remem., By  
Daughter Kelly & Granddaughters

**10:30 AM** Jane Kenerson, 13th Anniv. Remem., By  
Daughter Kelly & Granddaughters

## **READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:** 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9;  
Jn 12:24-26

**Tuesday:** Ez 2:8 — 3:4; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111,  
131; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

**Wednesday:** Ez 9:1-7; 10:18-22; Ps 113:1-6; Mt 18:15-  
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**Thursday:** Ez 12:1-12; Ps 78:56-59, 61-62:  
Mt 18:21 — 19:1

**Friday:** Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 [59-63];  
Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mt 19:3-12

**Saturday:** Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2;  
Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-  
57; Lk 11:27-28 Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-  
6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-  
27; Lk 1:39-56

**Sunday:** Is 56:1, 6-7; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8;  
Rom 11:13-15, 29-32; Mt 15:21-28

## **SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

**Sunday:** Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time;  
Nagasaki Memorial Day

**Monday:** St. Lawrence

**Tuesday:** St. Clare

**Wednesday:** St. Jane Frances de Chantal

**Thursday:** Ss. Pontian and Hippolytus

**Friday:** St. Maximilian Kolbe

**Saturday:** Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Truth shall spring out of the earth,  
and justice shall look  
down from heaven.

— Psalm 85:12

## Weekly Offering



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### AUGUST 2

|              |             |
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| Budget       | \$ 8,341.00 |
| Fuel         | \$ 442.00   |
| Peters Pence | \$ 290.00   |
| Assumption   | \$ 65.00    |

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR  
CONTINUED SUPPORT!**

### GOD'S IMAGE

Nature has perfections in order to show that  
she is the image of God, and  
defects to show  
that she is only  
God's image.

—Blaise Pascal

### THE PRESENCE OF GOD

After the miracle of Jesus walking on water, the disciples exclaimed, "Truly, you are the Son of God" (Matthew 14:33). Most Christians will probably never experience such a dramatic miracle. Like Elijah, we await the manifestation of God in other moments. Perhaps the biggest challenge for the believer is to be constantly attuned to the possible presence of God in the everyday events of life. This is a stance that takes some people years to develop. Others seem to find the Lord easily in the simple things. As the week unfolds, let us look for the presence of God in the little things around us. Perhaps, like Elijah, we will be surprised at what we find. And, like the disciples, we can add our voice to the confession, "Truly you are the Son of God."

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### SAINT TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS (EDITH STEIN) (1891-1942)

"Come," Edith gently whispered, taking her sister Rosa's hand, "let us go for our people!" These were Edith Stein's last words as the Nazis, enraged at the Dutch bishops' condemnation of their genocide, took into custody all Catholic converts from Judaism. Born Jewish, but non-practicing from her teens, Edith's search for truth led to a doctorate in philosophy, a brilliant career as professor and author and, finally, to the *Autobiography of Saint Teresa of Ávila*, which she read in one sitting, then declared, "That is the Truth!" Baptized on January 1, 1922, observed then as the feast of Jesus' initiation into the covenant of Abraham, confirmed on February 2, the feast of Jesus' Presentation in the Temple, Edith entered the cloistered Carmelites in Cologne, transferring to a convent in Holland when she realized that, because of the Nazi persecution of the Jews, her presence could imperil the safety of the other nuns. She died in the gas chambers of Auschwitz as a daughter of Israel and of the Church.

—Peter Scagnelli, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



Assumption of the  
Blessed Virgin Mary

**SATURDAY  
AUGUST 15TH**

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Office in St. Teresa School, 140 Woodhaven Rd.

*Office entrance back of school at wooden ramp*

phone number: 401-722-8650

Email: [religiouseducation@stteresa.necoxmail.com](mailto:religiouseducation@stteresa.necoxmail.com)

**Week of August 10 Office hours**

Monday 12pm-5pm Tuesday 8am-1pm

Wednesday 8am-1pm Thursday 8am-1pm  
*and by appointment*

**Religious Education Program Information and  
options will be sent home**

**in an email the last week in August.**

**Thank you for your understanding and  
patience at this time.**

**2020-21 Registration**

Fee is 40.00 per child

Speak to Sue if you are experiencing financial difficulties.

**Hard copy Registration form/letter**

**Grade 2 and Confirmation pledges/requirements**

***Has been mailed home to families***

Contact the office if you have not received yours

**Grade 1 or new students require proof of Baptism.**

**Call the office to register.**

Forms can also be found at the side  
entrance to the Church

Return of all paperwork can be mailed dropped in the  
rectory mail-slot, or put in the weekend  
collection to my attention.

**Early registration is appreciated**

**Payment can be sent in later  
a reminder will be sent**

**CONGRATULATIONS!**

The following young people received  
The Gifts of the Holy Spirit  
The Sacrament of Confirmation  
August 5 & 6

Jessica Lorenzo  
Joshua Pereira  
Matthew Carney  
Christina Wilk  
Bria Dunphy  
Joshua Farrell  
Logan Justa  
Cameron Fiore  
Jake Kelly  
Andre Gray  
Clinton Lank  
Madison Mirabile

Alexis Strohl  
Liv DaSilva  
Rodrick Beaubrun  
Noah Vargas  
Stephanie Letourneau  
Megan Bonin  
Jean-Luc Preira  
Giuliano Cozzo  
Nathan Pires  
Cameron Culpan  
Maranda McGinn  
Meaga Pinto  
Lauryn Pouliot

**PRAYER SHAWLS**

**New prayer shawls are now available to anyone who needs one, for the asking.**

**Please call the rectory to get a shawl, for anyone who would like to have one, especially during these concerning times.**

**A GARDENER'S CREED**

One is nearer God's heart in a garden  
than anywhere else on earth.

Anonymous

**PRAYER LINE  
725-5063**

**KEEP YOUR  
PARISH  
INFORMED**

***MOVING? ADDRESS CHANGE? TO  
BECOME A MEMBER OF  
ST. TERESA'S? NAME CHANGE?  
PLEASE FILL OUT THE FORM BELOW  
AND DROP IT IN THE COLLECTION  
BASKET OR MAIL.***

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***Budget #*** \_\_\_\_\_

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***New Address***

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**Please notify the Parish Office at  
722-4470 if you or a loved one is  
confined to home or hospitalized.**

**We have trained volunteers  
who are willing to bring communion  
to home or hospital.**

**Privacy laws do not allow the hospital to  
notify the Parish.**