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Saturday

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.

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DAILY MASS

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend

4:00 PM Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday - 7:15AM

Sunday **DURING COVID** 8:30 & 10:30AM Only

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

SATURDAY, JULY 3

4:00 PM Jay Paul Laferrie, 28th Anniv. Remem., By

Family

Michael Laferrie, 2nd Anniv. Remem., By

Family

SUNDAY, JULY 4

8:30 AM For This Faith Community

10:30 AM For This Faith Community

MONDAY, JULY 5

7:15 AM For This Faith Community

TUESDAY, JULY 6

7:15 AM For This Faith Community

THURSDAY, JULY 8

7:15 AM For This Faith Community

FRIDAY, JULY 9

7:15 AM For This Faith Community

SATURDAY, JULY 10

4:00 PM Annita (Gamba) Duquette, 14th Anniv. Remem.,

By Family

Bertrand Balthazard, 30th Anniv. Remem., By

Family

Charlie Joyce, Remem., By

Paul & MaryAnn Riveira

SUNDAY, JULY 11

8:30 AM Aurette Strumm, 7th Anniv. Remem., By

Daughter & Son-In-Law

10:30 AM Owen Michael O'Brien, 9th Anniv. Remem., By

His Loving Family

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 28:10-22a; Ps 91:1-4, 14-15ab; Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday: Gn 32:23-33; Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b, 15;

Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday: Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a;

Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19; Mt 10:1-7

Thursday: Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Ps 105:16-21;

Mt 10:7-15

Friday: Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28,

39-40; Mt 10:16-23

Saturday: Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Ps 105:1-4, 6-7;

Mt 10:24-33

Sunday: Am 7:12-15; Ps 85:9-14;

Eph 1:3-14 [1:3-10]; Mk 6:7-13

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time;

Independence Day

Monday: St. Anthony Zaccaria; St. Elizabeth of

Portugal

Tuesday: St. Maria Goretti

Friday: St. Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

THE SHAPE OF THINGS

We cannot help conforming ourselves to what we love.

-St. Francis de Sales



JUNE 27

Budget \$ 5,625.00 Fuel \$ 110.00

My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.

— 2 Corinthians 12:9

WELCOME BACK!

SENIOR

SCHEDULE

All Meetings In Church Hall

August 12	10:00 AM	Board Meeting
September 23	1:00 PM	First Meeting
October 7	12:30 PM	Rosary In Church
	1:00 PM	Meeting and Luncheon
October 21	1:00 PM	Halloween Party
November 4	1:00 PM	Meeting
November 18	12:00 PM	Harvest Dinner @
		Davenports
December 2	1:00 PM	Meeting
December 16	12:00 PM	Christmas Party
January 6, 2022	2 1:00 PM	Penny Social:
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NO BAD NEWS

There are many times when we say, "Tell me what I want to hear, and don't confuse me with facts." And we don't take kindly to someone who might be bold enough to snuff out our expectations.

The biggest problem with such an attitude is not that we miss out on the truth or the facts, but that we miss out on the new and surprising gifts others can give us. Like the townspeople in today's Gospel story, we too often refuse to allow others to display the talents that can be good news for us.

Today's readings call for hospitality and faith and discernment. Hospitality opens the doors of our hearts and minds to the "stranger" among us, no matter how familiar he or she may seem to be. Faith enables us to accept the gifts of others, no matter how alarming or "strange" they may seem to be. Discernment helps us discover the prophets in our midst, no matter how amazing they may seem to be. Hospitality, faith, and discernment—cultivate these. Then, nobody can bring bad news.

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FEAST OF FAITH Little Mysteries

Two small rites—or, as one liturgist has called them, "little mysteries"—accompany the preparation of the gifts. The priest or deacon takes a small cruet of water from the server and adds a drop of water to the wine. Then, after the elevation of the chalice (and the incensation, if incense is used), the priest washes his hands. Both of these actions were at first practical, matter-of-fact realities: in the ancient world the wine was usually quite

realities: in the ancient world the wine was usually quite thick, and was generally mixed with water before it was drunk. And in the early church, when the faithful brought forward a great variety of gifts at this time, there was a definite need for the presider to wash his hands!

But now these rites serve a purely symbolic function. The mingling of the water and wine is accompanied by a prayer that speaks of the wonderful exchange of the Mass, the mingling of Christ's divinity and our

humanity. And as the priest washes his hands, he prays words of supplication from Psalm 51, acknowledging his own sinfulness in the presence of the assembly before he dares to approach the altar for this most sacred action.

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Religious Education

Office: In St. Teresa School 140 Woodhaven Rd., Pawtucket 401-722-8650

Email: religiouseducation@stteresa.necoxmail.com

Week of July 5 Office Hours

Monday: Closed Tuesday: 7am-2pm

Wednesday: 7am-2pm Thursday: 7am-2pm

And by appointment

2020/21 Religious Education Classes

Home School Books return for correction:

Put books in the bin in the church at the top of the stairs of side door (on the garage rectory side of the building) during Mass times.

You may drop at my office (in the school) or Rectory office during business hours.

Registration for 2021-2022

A registration packet has been mailed to all 20/21 registered families.

We plan to have in person classes in the school for all grades.

Forms for new students can be found at the side entrance of the Church,
Rectory and Religious Education Office.

Call 722-8650 if you need one mailed to you.

Thank you for early registration!

Confirmation Makeup Retreat

Tuesday, July 20 from 9am-12:30pm Religious Education Office

Baptisms

Please Contact the Religious Education Office to request a registration/informational packet.



If you would like to become a member of St. Teresa's please call the Parish Office at 722-4470

or

Fill out the form below

<u>KEEP YOUR</u> <u>PARISH</u> <u>INFORMED</u>
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. ***********************************
Budget #
New Address



WELCOME FR. JOSHUA BARROW ST. TERESA'S NEW PASTOR

Greetings St. Teresa parish! I am very excited that Bishop Tobin assigned me as your new pastor.

Fr. David has been very gracious to me; introducing me to the many good people of the parish the many good works that this parish accomplishes. I look forward to getting to know you, and most especially I look forward to serving you as pastor.

By way of introduction I can share some of my background with you. I am a native Rhode Islander (no doubt my accent will give me away). I grew up in Warwick near Hoxsie Four Corners (or in true Rhode Island fashion: near where Benny's was). I attended public school until college. My vocation to the priesthood began when I started serving as an altar server. In sixth grade I needed service hours. I thought serving would be an easy way to finish and be done with them. Unknown to my family and I, this simple motivation to serve Mass would eventually turn into a vocation to the priesthood. God will use many ways to draw us to Himself! I entered seminary right after High School in 2007. I lived at Our Lady of Providence Seminary and attended classes at Providence College. In 2011 I was assigned to the Pontifical North American College in Rome. I was ordained a priest in 2015 and finished my studies in 2016.

I returned and was assigned to Our Lady of Mercy Parish in East Greenwich for five years until my assignment as pastor here.

When I learned of the patron of my new assignment I was thrilled immediately. The "Little Flower" has captured the minds and hearts of Catholics since her short time on earth from 1873 to 1897. As she herself said: "The good God does not need years to accomplish His work of love in a soul..." Her life and impact on the world certainly show the truth of her words. I look forward to learning more about her as well as the parish of her namesake.

Please pray for me as I will for you. Together may we strive for holiness, love of God and love of neighbor. St. Teresa of the Child Jesus, pray for us.



Monday
July 5
The Rectory
Office
Will be closed
In Observance
of
the
4th of July
Holiday



The BLOODMOBILE
will be OUTSIDE of St. Teresa Church
in the parking lot
having a much needed Blood Drive

SUNDAY JULY 18 8AM-12PM

Please Donate if you can!