CHURCH NAME: ST TERESA OF THE CHILD JESUS

358 Newport Avenue Pawtucket, RI 02861

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CHURCH # 500037

SUNDAY: FEBRUARY 14, 2021

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SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: Please send 350 bulletins

St Teresa of The Child Jesus Church

Pawtucket, RI



PASTOR Rev. David G. Thurber, Jr.

Minister To The Sick: Kathy Bessette

SPRED Coordinator:

Gloria Courtois 722-5431

Parish Trustees: Donald Sowa Raymond Ricard Madeline Glaude

Saturday

Sunday

Parish Auditors:

WEEKEND

4:00 PM

Ralph Tucci **Organist:** Parish Secretary:

DURING COVID 8:30 & 10:30AM Only

MASS SCHEDULE

CONFESSIONS Saturdays - 3:00 to 3:45 PM

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

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.

Rectory:

Web Site: www.stteresari.com

School:

Principal: Ms. Susan Mansfield

Parish Council

President: Alfred Hervieux 722-1351 PJ Shea 480-2365

Religious Education Sue Levesque......722-8650

Todd Sisson 727-3481 Don Curran 374-5597 Janice Murray 724-3092

DAILY MASS

Marie Lombardi.......722-4470

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

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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

<u>MASS</u> INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13

4:00 PM Hernando Guzman Tobon & Olga Giraldo Guzman, Remembrance, By Family

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14

8:30 AM Doris Foley, 25th Anniv. & Grandson Owen Michael O'Brien, 9th Birthday Remem., by Their Loving Family

10:30 AM Alexandra Costa, Valentine's Remem., By Her Loving Husband Jose Costa Ann S. Macksoud, Month's Mind Remem., By Her Loving Family

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15

7:15 AM For This Faith Community

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16

7:15 AM Thomas Berthelette & Deceased Family Members, Remembrance, By Maria Vaz-Kelley

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17 ASH WEDNESDAY

7:15 AM

12:00 NN

7:00 PM

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18

7:15 AM For This Faith Community

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19

7:15 AM For This Faith Community

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20

4:00 PM Hernando Guzman Tobon & Olga Giraldo

Guzman, Remembrance, By Family

Ebe Gamba, Birthday Remem., By Children

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21

8:30 AM For This Faith Community

10:30 AM Herve Govette, Remem., By Family

Jesus Marian Montoya, Anniv. Remem., By

Andres Montova

Celeste Martins, Birthday Remem., By Her

Loving Family

Fatima Fonseca, Remembrance, By Family



The Oil for the Sanctuary Lamp which burns in honor of our Lord's presence among us in the Eucharist Is For

Owen Michael O'Brien 9th Birthday Remembrance &

Doris Foley

Owen's Great Grandmother's 25th Anniversary Remembrance

By Their Loving Family

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 4:1-15, 25; Ps 50:1, 8, 16bc-17,

20-21: Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday: Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Ps 29:1a, 2, 3ac-4,

3b, 9c-10; Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday: Jl 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-6ab, 12-14, 17;

2 Cor 5:20 — 6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 9:22-25

Friday: Is 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-6ab, 18-19; Mt 9:14-

15

Saturday: Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-6; Lk 5:27-32

Sunday: Gn 9:8-15; Ps 25:4-9; 1 Pt 3:18-22;

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time;

World Marriage Day; Valentine's Day

Monday: Presidents' Day

Tuesday: Mardi Gras; Shrove Tuesday

Wednesday: Ash Wednesday; Fast and Abstinence;

Almsgiving

Friday: Abstinence



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 Fuel
 \$ 207.00
 \$ 506.00

 Msgr. Ryan
 \$ 286.00
 \$ 318.00



JESUS' WAY

Today's readings present a contrast between "Jesus' way" and the "old way." An example of the old way is the law given to Moses and Aaron about leprosy: the leper was unclean and cast out of the community. Jesus' way is the opposite: the leper is reached out to, touched, and finally cured.

Nor ought we think of the "old way" as restricted to the days of Moses and Aaron, or even to the "old" testament. The difference between the old way and Jesus' way arises in own lives. We still choose, every day, to live in our old way or in Jesus' way.

Jesus dared to touch a leper, disregarding the old way. The leper then was changed forever. He felt a calling. He couldn't keep himself from proclaiming that he had been touched by Jesus (even though Jesus told him not to!). Once Jesus touches us, we are called to proclaim his way.

BAPTIZED INTO THE FAITH



We welcomed the following children into our faith community during the month of JANUARY

Congratulations and blessings wished for the families and Godparents!

Camden Gray Deranamie Axel Myles Goulart Jair Luis Rodriguez Emersyn Rose Williams

FEAST OF FAITH The Gloria (2)

The Gloria is a rejoicing prayer, an exclamation of praise. It begins with the song of the angels at the announcement of the birth of Jesus (Luke 2:14), a heavenly burst of praise for God's loving action in the world. But in the Gloria, the song goes on, leaping, as it were, from height to height, with every kind of praise, blessing, adoration, glory, and thanksgiving.

We begin by thanking and praising God the Father; then we turn our gaze to Christ, the Lamb of God. The paschal mystery of Christ's suffering, death, and resurrection is found here, at the heart of this prayer, which descends to the depths with Christ, but then rises with him to the heavens, where he is seated at the Father's right hand. The Gloria ends with a series of acclamations to Christ, emphasizing over and over that he "alone" is the Holy One, the Lord, the Most High, truly God, with the Father and the Holy Spirit. Our prayer of praise ends where it began, in the "glory of God the Father." The Gloria, with its arc leading us from the glory of God to the suffering of Christ and again to glory, is the pattern of the Mass itself. At the center of all our prayer is the sacrificial love of Christ.

Religious Education

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

religiouseducation@stteresa.necoxmail.com

Office Hours Week of February 15

Monday: 12pm-5pm Tuesday: 8am-2pm Wednesday: 8am-2pm Thursday: closed

And by appointment

2020/21 Religious Education Classes

Grade 1-8 Remote/Home School

Please follow the schedule as given.

First Communion Parent Meeting

Re-scheduled – February 15 at 6:30pm

Confirmation I & II Classes

Arrival at the school 11:00-11:10am

Dismissal 12:30pm

Sunday, February 14

Sunday, February 28

Sunday, March 7

Confirmation Retreats

Note change:

Year 2 at March 20, 2021 Year 1 at April 10, 2021

Baptisms

Ceremonies have resumed at St. Teresa with restrictions.

Please Contact the office to request a registration/informational packet.

Homeless Emergency Need Request

The Religious Education office is collecting items to be donated to *Midnight Moments Outreach to the Downtrodden*.

a "Christ-centered" outreach to the people in the streets of Providence.

Money or gift cards from any store where groceries are purchased for needed lunch/meal ingredients.

toothpaste, toothbrushes, women personal hygiene products, shaving cream, disposable razors, small size hand sanitizer, bacterial wipes travel packs, full size moistened body wipes, travel size facial tissue, full size deodorant, rain ponchos, new unused socks, body warmers

ALL of these items can be purchased at the local Dollar Tree
Please feel free to donate any of the requested items

gloves, hats, scarves, full size blankets (new and used in good condition), and the like are also appreciated.

DROP OFFCollecting through March 2021

Mark items for homeless – attention Sue L

Items can be put in a bin at the side entrance to the church during Mass times, ...brought to the rectory

Monday – Thursday 8am-12pm,

Religious Education office or school office during business hours.

During Confirmation class time at the school

"That you do to the least of my brothers...
you do unto me".....Jesus



MONDAY FEBRUARY 15TH

RECTORY
&
SCHOOL
CLOSED
FOR
HOLIDAY



ASH WEDNESDAY the start of lent

FEBRUARY 17

MASSES ARE AS FOLLOWES

7:15 AM 12:00 NN 7:00 PM

ASHES WILL BE DISTRIBUTED
DURING EACH
MASS

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SAVE THE DATE GOLF TOURNAMENT

The St. Teresa's Coaches Association is sponsoring their Seventeenth annual Golf Tournament on Saturday, May 22nd, at the Swansea Country Club. The entry fee is \$110.00 per player and includes 18 holes of golf with cart, buffet meal, a large raffle, and a golfer's gift. There will be prizes for the top foursome and also various other awards: (longest drive for men and women, closest to the pin, and closest to the center line.) There will be three sets of tees this year; men's, seniors (60 and over), and women and super senior men (80 and over).

There may be some openings for groups this year. For more information please contact Buster Wall (724-4012) or Phil Shea at (722-4549). Any non golfer wishing to attend the dinner the fee is \$30.00. The deadline for registrations is May 5th. Any individual or business interested in a tee sponsorship (\$75), or donating a prize for the raffle, or additional information about the tournament may contact Buster Wall or Phil Shea.