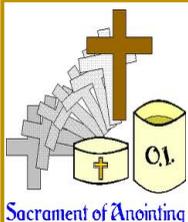


GARDEN FUND

We have resumed the process of designing the garden space. There are architectural renderings posted in the church and hall. Won't you please consider making a donation to this worthy cause, sure to benefit the entire parish community!



Sacrament of Anointing

ANOINTING

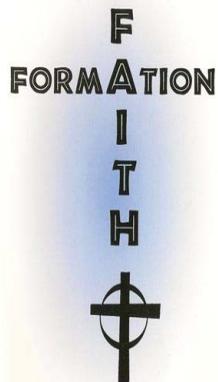
This weekend we will be offering the Sacrament of Anointing at all our Masses.

MONTHLY DONORS & SECOND COLLECTIONS — June

First Collection (Monthly Donors)	\$2,452
Building & Maintenance	\$1,964
Garden Fund	\$2,195
Peter's Pence	\$1,091
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 935

ST TERESA'S GREEN TEAM

Don't know what to do with your used coffee grounds? Add them to your garden! Used coffee grounds make good soil amendments and can also act as a great fertilizer because they slowly release nitrogen into the soil as they degrade. However, be aware that it may make the soil more acidic. If you don't have a garden, the used coffee grounds could also be used as a natural deodorizer. Put used coffee grounds in a bowl in the freezer to remove funky odors.



We are in the process of making preparations for the upcoming Religious Education programs.

Letters/emails will be sent out to parents of students enrolled in the programs last year. For families new to our programs, forms are available in the vestibule.

We encourage all parents to register early. Please note the parish expectation that parents and guardians participate in our Sunday Eucharistic celebrations as they are able and attend a number of our class sessions. The parents are the primary teachers and we are your helpers.

AVAILABLE ROOM???

Do you have a room in your home you would be willing to rent out to a professional person? If you do, please contact the Parish Office for more information.

YOUNG ADULTS

Angela Pollock, the Director for Youth & Young Adult Ministry for the Archdiocese of San Francisco, invites young adults of the Diocese to a gathering on the evening of Wednesday, July 20th. The agenda includes Restructuring the Young Adult Council and obtaining funds for Young Adult Activities in individual parishes. The meeting is open to all Young Adults in the Archdiocese.

Three Young Adult Parishioners from St. Teresa's have already made plans to attend. If you would like to participate, please contact Fr. Mike Kwiecien ASAP.

WE WELCOME YOU TO ST. TERESA OF AVILA CATHOLIC CHURCH

SERVED BY THE CARMELITES



JULY 10, 2016 FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil 4:15 pm
Sunday 8:30 &
10:00 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday 8:30 am
Friday 8:30 am

MARRIAGE

Please call six months in advance.

BAPTISM &

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Please call the Parish Office for an appointment.

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ST. TERESA'S MISSION STATEMENT

As members of St. Teresa's Parish we fulfill our baptismal commitment by being the hands and heart of Christ in our world. We achieve this commitment by accepting the human dignity of all persons, and by advocating for and serving those oppressed in our society. The community of St. Teresa's finds its strength to fulfill this through participation in the Eucharist, prayer, learning the building of relationships, and action for Justice.

Parish Calendar

- Sun, Jul 10 - Coffee & Donuts, following
8:30 & 10 am Masses
- Mon, Jul 11 - Choir Practice, 6:30pm
- AA Step Meeting, 6:30pm
- Tue, Jul 12 - SVdP Grocery Distribution
1:00pm, Church Hall
- Sat, Jul 16 - AA Meeting, 7pm, Church Hall
- Sun, Jul 17 - Coffee & Donuts, following
8:30 & 10 am Masses

MASS INTENTIONS

*As we celebrate Mass together
we include in our prayers:*

Saturday, July 9

- 4:15pm Audrey Rose (Spec. Int.)
Henry Morgan Jr. (Spec. Int.)

Sunday, July 10

- 8:30am The People of the Parish
10:00am † Mary Sullivan

Tuesday, July 12

- 8:30am The Sick of the Parish

Friday, July 15

- 8:30am The Deceased of the Parish

Saturday, July 16

- 4:15pm † Mike Comaich
Henry Morgan Jr. (Spec. Int.)

Sunday, July 17

- 8:30am The People of the Parish
10:00am † Vincent Cocciolone &
Cesarina Pilari

SECOND COLLECTIONS

July 9 & 10

There will be no second collection this week-end.

July 16 & 17

There will be no second collection next week-end.

WEEKEND COLLECTION

JULY 2 & 3

\$1,787

THANK YOU!

KID STOCK

St. Teresa's hall is being used by a day camp, Kid Stock, weekdays from July 18 — August 5. Please call the Parish Office if you need access to the hall during this time.

Ministers Schedule for Next Week

July 16 & 17

4:15 PM

Lector:	T. Jackson	1 Lector:	G. Femec
Bread:	J. Daddio	2 Lector:	B. Doyle
Cup:	E. Perea	1 Bread:	S. Miller
Hosp:	L. Lechich	2 Bread:	J. Warnock

10:00 AM

3 Bread:	M.K. Law
1 Cup:	C. Allen
2 Cup:	G. McGrath
Hosp:	J. Warnock

Lector:	T. Lang
Bread:	R. Kingman
Cup:	S. Lang
Hosp:	T. Lando

8:30 AM

THE FEAST OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

At times during the liturgical year, we are allowed to “deviate” from the universal liturgical calendar. An example of this would be on October 4th, the feast of St. Francis. Because Francis of Assisi is the patron saint of the Archdiocese of San Francisco, when October 4th falls on a Sunday we have the option of celebrating the feast instead of the Sunday in Ordinary Time.

A similar exception applies when it comes to the patron saint of a parish. For example: the feast of St. Teresa of Avila is October 15th, and when October 15th falls on a Sunday, we have the option of using the feast day propers instead of those normally prescribed for that day.

Religious communities may also choose to celebrate their founder's feast day as a solemnity. July 31st is the feast of St. Ignatius Loyola (the founder of the Jesuits), and August 8th is the feast of St. Dominic (the founder of the Dominicans). When July 31st or August 8th falls on a Sunday, the parishioners at St. Ignatius' or St. Dominic's may celebrate the feast instead of the Sunday in Ordinary Time, not only because Ignatius and Dominic are the patron saints of each parish, but also because they are the founders of the religious orders serving each parish.

The Carmelites – as a religious order – don't have a founder like Ignatius Loyola or Francis of Assisi. Instead, Carmelites trace their roots to Elijah, the first of the prophets. Elijah lived about 1000 BC, and hermits following the tradition of Elijah have continuously been living on Mount Carmel for over 3000 years. In New Testament times, this practice continued for 1200 years before the group formally came into existence as the Carmelites. This occurred at the beginning of the 13th century when the hermits officially became the “Order of the Brothers of the Blessed Virgin Mary of Mount Carmel”. The “patron” of the order is Our Lady of Mount Carmel, and for Carmelites July 16th is the closest we have to a “founder's day”.

Next Saturday is July 16th, the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. We will be using the *Carmelite Sacramentary* and *Carmelite Lectionary*, which means that readings, proper prayers, and preface will be that of Our Lady of Mount Carmel instead of those for the 16th Sunday of Ordinary Time. Instead of “ordinary time green”, white vestments will be worn, and the music of the day will be decidedly “Carmelite”: we will sing the *Flos Carmeli* as the gathering and recessional hymn, *Elijah's Call* will serve as the psalm response, and the *Salve, Regina!* will be chanted following the post-communion prayer.

When Mary is portrayed in art as “Our Lady of Mount Carmel”, she is dressed in a brown habit with white cloak. She holds the child Jesus in one arm, and from the other drapes a small piece of brown cloth, the scapular. This small scapular is derived from the scapular cloth worn by Carmelite religious originally to protect their habit while they were at work . . . in a sense, a kind of apron. It serves as a constant reminder that our spiritual journey is lived out in the everyday, working-world events of our daily lives.

In next week's column, I'll be writing more about Our Lady of Mount Carmel, her giving of the scapular to St. Simon Stock, and some possible explanations for the symbols on the Carmelite Shield.

Also: on the actual feast (July 16th), we plan to have an informal “cheese & crackers” snack after the 4:15 mass. Those attending the 8:30 and 10:00 o'clock services on Sunday morning will have to be content with the customary coffee & donuts.

Michael Kwiecien, O. Carm.

Welcome to St. Teresa's Parish Community

We extend our hands and hearts in Christian fellowship to you here celebrating with us. Whether long-time residents or newly arrived in our parish, we thank God that you are with us. If you are not registered or have changes to your registration, please fill in the form below.

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

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