

St. Teresa of Avila Parish

A Roman Catholic Faith Community

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January 26, 2014

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Faith & Spirit *Alive*



“Wait for the Lord with courage;
be stouthearted, and wait for the
Lord”

— Psalm 27:14

1033 W. Armitage Ave.

*At the Corner of Armitage & Kenmore Avenues
Chicago, Illinois 60614*

Come. See for yourselves.

Last year while studying in Rome, I was able to witness what happens when a Pope resigns. Yes, the announcement was made during one of my classes, creating a huge response of disbelief and then shock. I knew from a book I had read just a few months prior to Benedict's resignation that Popes do, indeed, resign, the last one being Pope Celestine 700 years ago.

I believe that Pope Benedict is the unsung hero in the Pope Francis phenomenon that has filled the Church. Benedict realized that, like John the Baptist, he needed to "decrease" and point the way to Christ, the "Lamb of God." Not only did he admit that he wasn't up to the demands of the office, but that someone else was needed at this moment in the Church's history to carry our mission forward. The mission of the Church must always point to Christ.

Our mission is to always step aside from our own personal agendas and egos, allowing for Christ to be front and center. Like Andrew, we must lead others to Christ by our own witness and love. We point the way to Christ by living the gospel and embodying the beatitudes and Sermon on the Mount.

At the heart of being a Catholic is following Christ within the Church, creating small communities united by the Eucharist and Apostolic ministry. At the heart of Catholicism is not following the Pope but following Christ. My



Our parish has to continue to strengthen its mission to "let it be known" what we are all about, or rather, who we are all about. The people hunger for Christ...

prayer for Pope Francis is that he take a cue from Benedict and John the Baptist, to step aside, allowing for his presence in the Church to diminish and be less prominent so that Christ may become more central.

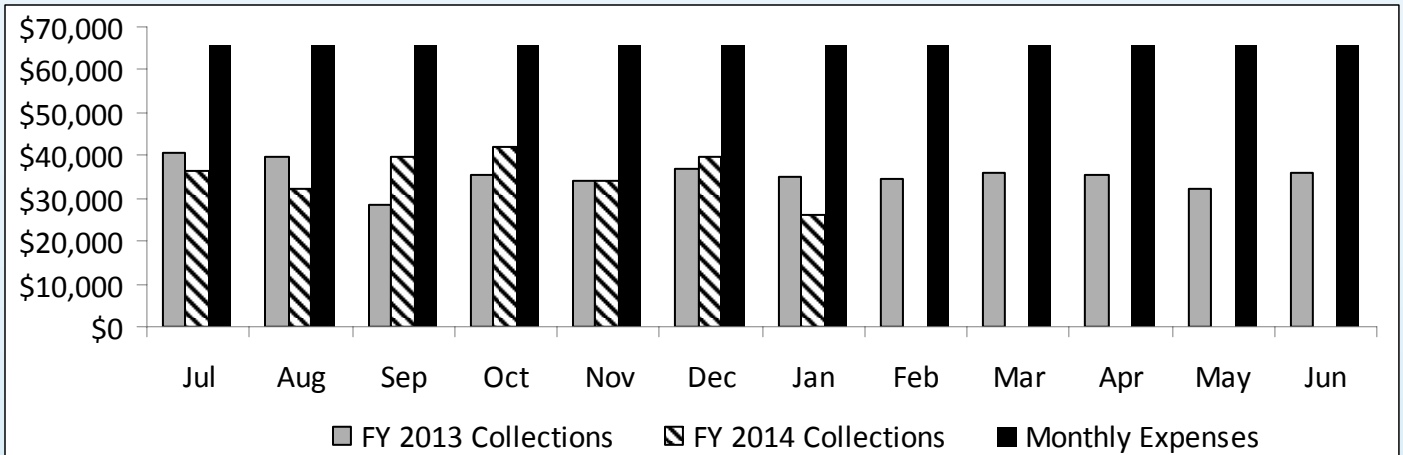
Yes, the Pope is a world leader and has much influence but this doesn't mean that he needs to overshadow the life of the local church or Bishop. Within our own parish community, we are called through our Baptism to point others to Christ...to evangelize, a word which simply means "to let it be known."

Our parish has to continue to strengthen its mission to "let it be known" what we are all about, or rather, who we are all about. The people hunger for Christ and not the Pope, who is an instrument in the Church to keep our hearts on the Person of Christ.

Once the woman at the well told the people in her village about her encounter with Christ, they didn't flock around her, they went to see for themselves. We are called to let people see for themselves, which means stepping aside.

After Pope Benedict resigned, I walked down to St. Peter's Square after a tremendous thunder storm. Amidst all the reporters and cameras, I looked up to the window of the Pope's balcony and said a thank you to Benedict for stepping aside and allowing Christ to breathe a little bit more freely in his church.

Fiscal Year (07/01 - 06/30) Comparison



- The offertory collection for January 18-19 was \$6,009.
- For the 2014 Fiscal Year, Sunday and Holy Day collections are 3.3% over Fiscal Year 2013 collections; versus expenses, we have a \$63,602 deficit.
- For the 2014 fiscal year, the cost per family per week is \$36 as 430 families contribute to the Parish.
- Our goal is to fund all operations and expenses from the weekly collections, i.e. the goal is for the striped bars to exceed the black bars in the chart above.
- 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 Chair of the St. Teresa Finance Council, Bill Mack, at williamdmack@hotmail.com or (312) 706-4266. Bill can provide you with the latest financial status, projections, and key issues.
- The Finance Council meets the third Monday of every month at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center.

Parish Mission Statement

The 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.

Food Pantry Shopping List

Four items the Food Pantry could *really* use:

Boxed Cereal (sweetened and unsweetened)

Hearty Soups

Hotel Bathroom Lotions and Shampoos

Extra-strength grocery bags with handles



And if you have Thursday mornings free, even occasionally, it would be great to have another van driver to pick up groceries at the Greater Chicago Food Depository. If you are willing and able to do so, please contact Karen Vogel, kbrenvo-gel@gmail.com or contact Dave Hilko at dahilko@deloitte.com.

Parish Calendar

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February Baptisms

Hudson Gilmore Giangreco (2-16-14)

Elisa Vallejo (2-16-14)

Naiya Eva Osorio (2-23-14)

St. Teresa said...



“Let truth dwell in your hearts, as it should through meditation, and you will see clearly the kind of love we are obliged to have for our neighbor.”

The Seven Principles of Catholic Social Teaching

- Life and Dignity of the Human Person
- The Call to Family, Community and Participation
- Rights and Responsibilities
- Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
- The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers
- Solidarity: One Human Family
- Care of God's Creation

Calendar at a Glance

January 26, Sunday

Third Sunday of Ordinary Time •
Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

- 9:15 am, REC, Children's Liturgy of the Word
- 10:00 am, PC3-4, Hospitality
- 10:30 am, REC1-4, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
- 4:30 pm, REC, Confirmation Preparation
- 4:30 pm, REC, CCFC Catechesis
- 6:00 pm, Church, Youth Mass
- 7:00 pm, PC4, Edge
- 7:00 pm, REC3-4, Quest

January 27, Monday

St. Angela Merici • Santa Ángela Mérici

- 12:30 pm, PC4, Chicago House
- 4:00 pm, REC1-4, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
- 7:00 pm, PC3, Finance Council

January 28, Tuesday

St. Thomas Aquinas • Santo Tomás de Aquino

- 6:15 am, PC3, Men's Spirituality
- 4:00 pm, REC1-4, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
- 6:00pm, PC3-4, REC, SPRED Community
- 7:00 pm, Church, Eucharistic Adoration
- 7:30 pm, REC, Women's Spirituality

January 29, Wednesday

- 12:00 pm, Kitchen, Loaves & Fishes Cooking
- 4:00 pm, REC4, Lection Divina
- 7:00 pm, PC3, RCIA



Eucharistic Adoration

TUESDAYS

7:00-8:30PM



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January 30, Thursday

- 10:30 am, REC4, Thursday Morning Play Group
- 11:00 am, PC3, Impact 100
- 8:00 pm, REC, CCFC Bible

January 31, Friday

St. John Bosco • San Juan Bosco

- 3:00 pm, PC3-4, Loaves & Fishes Set Up
- 5:00 pm, PC 3-4, Loaves & Fishes Dinner
- 7:00 pm, Church, Spanish Prayer Group
- 8:00 pm, REC, CCFC Youth

February 1, Saturday

Blessed Virgen Mary; First Saturday •
Santa Maria Virgin; Primer Sábado

- 9:00am, PC3, GS, Food Pantry Setup
- 10:00am, PC3, GS, Food Pantry Distribution
- 4:00 pm, Church, Our Lady of Fatima Rosary
- 4:30 pm, REC, CCFC Catechesis
- 5:30 pm, PC4, CCFC Choir Practice
- 6:30 pm, Church, CCFC Mass

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. The Reconciliation Room (RR) is at the back of church next to the baptismal font.

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Mass Intentions

In Our Prayers

January 25

5:00 pm All deceased members of the parish.

January 26

9:00 am Viola Baker

Jim Teterycz

12:00 pm All deceased members of the parish.

6:00 pm All deceased members of the parish.

Please pray for our deceased friends and parishioners...

Robert Byerwalter, Maria Louisa Cervantes, Dorothy Cooney, Margaret Dean, Mark Dudley, Emmanuel & Julia Faloyin, Pedro Garcia, Dickie Harris, Jack Heil, Pat Johnson, Jack Kavanagh, Teresa Joan Kilcullen, Therese Kotowski, Laura Lee, Catherine Malec, Mike McCabe, Melory Mizicko, John Mondschean, Donald & Maggie Finn Morich, Sally Jo Morrow, P. A. O'Neil, Honorata Alicea Peña, Henry Pryor, Jeremy Rivera, John Ryan, Sophia Sanchez, Angel Santana, Maurice Shatto, Ruth Schmitz, Jennifer Schubeck, Robert Summins, John Sylvester, Jim Teterycz, Oscar R. Torres, Jon Wagenknecht, Lindsay Walleman, Paulette Zuckerman Victims of War & Domestic Violence

Let us also pray for those who are ill, especially...

Alicia Anderson	David Hoffman	Hector J. Rivera
Berta Billalvazo	David Ivanac	Pedro Rodriguez
Margaret Brumfield	Chuck Jabaley	Ray Romero
Michael DeBlasis	Betty LaCour	Jeffrey Roscoe
Kathy Derrick	Adolfo Lorenzana	Sr. Camilla Mary Marney, OCD
Jackson Fineske & Family	Palmira Mancini	Sr. Jean Ryan, OCD
Padraig Gallagher	George Maroquin	Jack Schank
Eloisa Gallegos	Jose Marroquin	Mima Tome
Michael Gibbons	Lisa Marquez	JoAnn Jahnke Trainer
Angela Goldberg	Margaret Sue Meadors	John Wagner
Kaylee Gommel	Bill Mobley	Bernadine Walters
Les Gordon	John Monier	Jack Williams
Genevieve Gorgo	Fr. Barry Moriarty, C.M.	Mae Witry
Mrs. Grabarczyk	Elda Myers	David Zeunert
George Halloran	Angel Nieves	Survivors and perpetrators of sexual abuse
David Harmeier	Msgr. Kevin O'Neill	
Kellar Harris	Clayton Poe	
Peg Hausen	Deacon Hector Rivera	

Our Mass intentions have many openings. If you would like to have a Mass said for someone alive or deceased, contact Dean Vaeth 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 friends for six months. If you wish the name of a loved one left on the list longer than six months, please contact Dean Vaeth in the parish office.

Celebrant and Minister Schedule

DATE	TIME	CELEBRANT	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC BREAD	EUCCHARISTIC WINE
2-1-14 Saturday	5:00 pm	Fr. Chas Shelby, C.M.	Lector Needed	Annie Monak	Barb Schell Minister Needed (C2)
Next French Mass 2-1-14 Saturday	6:30 pm	Fr. Timothy Monahan			
2-2-14 Sunday	9:00 am	Fr. Frank	Elizabeth Rooney	Karen Secrest Lina Hilko Carly Johnston	Theresa Jabaley Geneva Gorgo Michael Zost Jane Ott
2-2-14 Sunday	10:30 am	Fr. Octavio Munoz			
2-2-14 Sunday	12:00 pm	Fr. Frank	Raquel Bech	Alice Morales-Villenas	Bert Olson Amy McCue
2-2-14 Sunday	6:00 pm	Fr. Frank	Katie Assell	Sharon Lindstrom Jon Assell Eileen Raia	Jamie Lutkus Karen Melchert Sara Hock Kathy Richgels

Readings/Lecturas

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Readings for the Week

Monday:	2 Sm 5:1-7, 10; Ps 89:20-22, 25-26; Mk 3:22-30
Tuesday:	2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19; Ps 24:7-10; Mk 3:31-35
Wednesday:	2 Sm 7:4-17; Ps 89:4-5, 27-30; Mk 4:1-20
Thursday:	2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29; Ps 132:1-5, 11-14; Mk 4:21-25
Friday:	2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17; Ps 51:3-7, 10-11; Mk 4:26-34
Saturday:	2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17; Ps 51:12-17; Mk 4:35-41
Sunday:	Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 [22-32]

Lecturas de la Semana

Lunes:	2 Sm 5:1-7, 10; Sal 89 (88):20-22, 25-26; Mc 3:22-30
Martes:	2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19; Sal 24 (23):7-10; Mc 3:31-35
Miércoles:	2 Sm 7:4-17; Sal 89 (88):4-5, 27-30; Mc 4:1-20
Jueves:	2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29; Sal 132 (131):1-5, 11-14; Mc 4:21-25
Viernes:	2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17; Sal 51 (50):3-7, 10-11; Mc 4:26-34
Sábado:	2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17; Sal 51 (50):12-17; Mc 4:35-41
Domingo:	Mal 3:1-4; Sal 24 (23):7-10; Hb 2:14-18; Lc 2:22-40 [22-32]

Treasures from Our Tradition

The prayers surrounding baptism often speak of being “clothed in Christ,” and clothes are an important consideration. In ancient times, adults were probably baptized without any clothes at all, and old texts survive asking people to leave fancy garb and jewelry behind as they enter the font. Baptism was typically in a private place, the community waited elsewhere, and the casting off of clothing was hardly a public moment, nor was it embarrassing in ancient cultures where privacy was largely unknown.

Nonetheless, what was left behind on one side of the font was replaced on the other as a white robe was wrapped around the newly baptized. It was a robe of honor, a dazzling sign of a new beginning for a society that valued clothing as a sign of personal identity. For the newly baptized, a whole week in white garments was the rule, through the second Sunday of Easter, called “Sunday *in Albis*,” because of all the folks wearing their baptismal robes. — Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



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Tradiciones de Nuestra Fe

Esta semana recordamos la memoria de san Juan Bosco conocido como “Don Bosco”. Es curioso el apelativo de “Don” ya que es un título para nobles señores. En siglos pasados era el título común para un sacerdote diocesano, mientras que el título hermano se reservaba para sacerdotes y hermanos religiosos. En la Iglesia católica existen dos clases de sacerdotes. Unos son diocesanos o seculares quienes dedican su vida a la diócesis a la que pertenecen. Estos sacerdotes hacen voto de celibato y obediencia al obispo local. El otro grupo de sacerdotes son los que pertenecen a órdenes religiosas. Ellos viven en comunidad y hacen votos de pobreza, celibato y obediencia a su comunidad.

En muchas partes a todos los sacerdotes religiosos o diocesanos se les llama “padre”. Este título fue usado en la Primera Iglesia y durante la Edad Media para honrar a hombres santos, ya fueran laicos o sacerdotes. Se les llamaba “padres” sólo cuando habían llegado a mostrar, con una larga vida, que podían animar a los demás con su buen ejemplo. Todos los sacerdotes debían vivir de tal manera que merecieran el título de padre, sin desearlo directamente. — Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glz, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

Division

It is a situation that plays itself out in more and less significant ways: Christians divided.

A CYO basketball game between two neighboring parishes. Parents of the young players scream insults and threats at one another and assert their “superiority.”

A Protestant and a Catholic church sit on adjoining properties. Each is vigilant about having parking violators removed from its own “private” parking lot.

An old pastor retires but continues to reside at the parish. A new pastor arrives and quickly finds his faith “community” choosing sides against him.

Saint Paul addresses similar disagreements in the early church at Corinth. He encourages the church there to make up their differences and to be united again in their belief and practice.

Today’s first reading from Isaiah speaks of a people weighed down by the yoke of sin and darkness. Certainly the bickering and differences among us can be classified as such. The Gospel tells of the begin-



División

Es una situación que se presenta con más o menos importancia: cristianos divididos.

Un juego de baloncesto de la CYO pone a dos equipos de parroquias vecinas en oposición. Los padres de los jóvenes que juegan se insultan y lanzan amenazas unos a otros para mostrar su “superioridad”.

Una iglesia protestante y una católica están en propiedades aledañas. Cada una está

alerta para remover a los que se estacionan violando las señales “privadas” de dónde estacionar.

Un pastor de avanzada edad se jubila y permanece como párroco emérito residente en su parroquia. Un nuevo párroco toma su lugar y muy pronto se entera de que su “comunidad” de fe no está de acuerdo con sus decisiones.

San Pablo se enfrenta a desacuerdos similares que ocurrían en la iglesia joven de Corinto. Él los anima a que se pongan de acuerdo y a que vivan unidos en el mismo pensar y sentir.

La primera lectura de hoy tomada del profeta Isaías habla de un pueblo agobiado por el peso del

Today’s Readings

First Reading — God has restored the land, and brought great joy to the people. (Isaiah 8:23 — 9:3).

Psalm — The Lord is my light and my salvation (Psalm 27).

Second Reading — Paul exhorts the believers at Corinth: As there is one Christ, so too must there be no divisions among you. (1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17).

Gospel — After calling his first disciples, Jesus goes throughout Galilee (Matthew 4:12-23 [12-17]).

Lecturas de Hoy

Primera lectura — El Señor glorificó el distrito de los gentiles (Isaías 8:23 — 9:3).

Salmo — El Señor es mi luz y mi salvación (Salmo 27 [26]).

Segunda lectura — Les ruego que se pongan de acuerdo, que no haya divisiones entre ustedes (1 Corintios 1:10-13, 17).

Evangelio — Jesús les decía: “Cambien su vida y su corazón” (Mateo 4:12-23 [12-17]).

Parish Life

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Building Faith Together Collections Now \$447,239

\$1,320,000

We have collected \$447,239 in pledges so far in our Building Faith Together campaign. There is a “thermometer” depicting pledges collected located at the back of church, which we will update in \$88,000 increments.

Even though we have reached our pledge goal, we are still accepting pledges to cover unanticipated costs from changes in fees, demolition of the old school and convent buildings, or the renovation of the church.

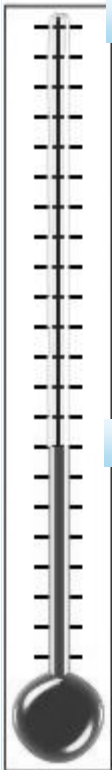
\$447,239

Pledge cards are available on the tables in the gathering space.

I pray that everyone will rejoice in the graces and hard work of so many of our fellow parishioners and make a meaningful gift that will lead us through a successful effort.

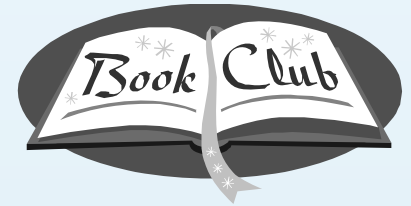
Thank you and God Bless!

Fr. Frank



Book Club Starting

Feeling stagnant in your faith? Looking for something more? Join our book club! Our goal is to build camaraderie and look at and discuss big issues in our lives and faith as we keep on this adventure called life. Our first book will be *The Four Signs of a Dynamic Catholic* by Matthew Kelly. We are ordering books now and would love for you to join us for our first meeting in February!



Date: Wednesday, February 12th

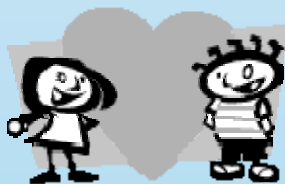
Time: 7:00 pm

Location: Religious Education Center, Room 4 (1940 N. Kenmore)

Contact: For additional information please contact Addison Carpenter (addison@idreamtalent.com) or Paul Drake (pdrake12@gmail.com).

Note: No need to bring anything but yourself and maybe a friend!

Tot Spot Valentine's Day Party



Are you interested in attending a Valentine's Day party with your 0-3 year old? Then why not join us for our St. Teresa's Tot Spot Valentine's Day Party!!! Come and let your little

one play with kids the same age while you get together with other parents and caregivers.

When: Thursday, February 13
from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm

Where: Religious Education Center
1940 N. Kenmore Ave.

**For More
Information:**

stt.totspot@gmail.com

First Saturday—Primer Sábado

February 1 — 1 de Febrero

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



Todos son bienvenidos a unirse a la devoción de Rosario sábado primero a nuestra señora de Fátima el 1 de febrero a 16:00 en la iglesia.

A CELEBRATION OF REGIONAL FRENCH FOOD
SUNDAY – MARCH 2, 2014
11 a.m.-3 p.m.



*Mascarade
en Noir et Blanc*

La Cuisine du Coeur

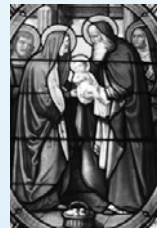
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St. Teresa of Avila Parish, in cooperation with its French Community, is sponsoring an afternoon luncheon featuring an assortment of home-made regional French specialties accompanied by wine and beer. Proceeds from this event will be used for parish operating expenses including Social Outreach Ministries.

Adults – Thirty five dollars Children – 18 years of age and under – Ten dollars

BLACK and WHITE ATTIRE PREFERRED

Candlemas Celebration *Our Festival of Lights*



Forty days after the birth of Christ Mary complied with Mosaic law; she redeemed her first-born from the temple (Numbers 18:15), and was purified by the prayer of Simeon the Just, in the presence of Anna the prophetess (Luke 2:22.).

No doubt this event, the first solemn introduction of Christ into the house of God, was in the earliest times celebrated in the Church of Jerusalem. The date of February 2nd places the Candlemas celebration forty days after Christmas and continues the religious cycle that leads up to Easter Sunday. February 2nd is also the mid-point between the Winter Solstice and the Spring Equinox, which is the basis for various ancient European celebrations that commemorate the annual beginnings of the agricultural season.

For the Church, however, Candlemas remains a day of hope and light. It is a time to honor the Lord as the Light of the World and to remind us that we too have that light within us.

On February 2nd, St. Teresa Parish will celebrate Candlemas with a candlelight procession in honor of the Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord in the Temple. Parishioners are encouraged to their own bring candles to be blessed.

After the Sunday Masses, Fr. Frank will conduct the traditional Blessing of Throats in Honor of St. Blaise whose feast day is February 3rd.

Hospitality Volunteers Needed

Thanks to all those who host refreshments after 9:00 am mass. We are currently scheduling hosts for February through May. Please consider which week you are available and sign up today on the sheet at the refreshment table in the Parish Center.

Also, a link to the sign-up website is available on the parish website under the Religious Education | Family Service Opportunities menu (<http://www.st-teresa.net/religious-education/family-service-opportunities/>). If you have questions about hosting, please talk to Lina Hilko or email her at LHilko@aol.com.



You Really Count!!

Do you have a few spare hours during the month? Why not put those to good use and help the parish?!

We are looking for new members for the Counting Team. Groups meet for a few hours once a month to help the parish count the collection for the week. Please contact Erica if you're interested at: esaccucci@sttereseparish.org



Men's Spirituality

**Come join us at the next session
of the
Men's Spirituality Group
on Tuesday, January 28,
at 6:15 am
in the Parish Center**

Contact Matt Priesbe at mpriesbe@aol.com and (847) 729-1220 for more information.

February Food Pantry Schedule

Saturday, February 1st

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

Thursday, February 6th

5:30 pm to 6:30 pm Set Up

Friday, February 7th

10:00 am to 12:00 pm Distribution

Saturday, February 15th

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

Thursday, February 20th

5:30 pm to 6:30 pm Set Up

Friday, February 21st

10:00 am to 12:00 pm Distribution

Steve & Amir's 4th Annual Super Bowl Party to Benefit St. Teresa February 2nd, 2014 @ Kincade's (950 W. Armitage)



Party Start Time: 5:00pm (Kick Off at 5:27pm) and lasts until the End of the Game (glad for that Long Halftime)

Cost: \$ 75.00 per person

Includes: Unlimited Domestic Bottled and Draft Beer, House Wine and Cock-

tails (i.e., Rum, Whiskey, Vodka, etc.) also call drinks, Pop, Juices, and Food Buffet (Pasta, Wings, Dips, other assorted Appetizers)

Prizes: 1st and 2nd Half Contest Winners

RSVP and payment before Wednesday, January 29 if at all possible, but we will welcome payment the day of the game.

If you have questions, etc., please contact Steve Kolinski at kolinski@midlandtoledo.com or Amir Rafizadeh at amir@staying-true.com

Women's Spirituality January 28th

Women's Spirituality will begin the New Year together on Tuesday, January 28th, at 7:30 pm in the Religious Education Center (1940 N. Kenmore Avenue). Enter at the doorway south of the main Parish Center entrance on Kenmore Avenue.

Take a deep breath after the holidays and come in for quiet reflection, prayer and discussion.

For more information, contact Cathy Flaherty, cgflaherty@aol.com



Speaking About the Pope

DePaul University's Center for World Catholicism and Intercultural Theology presents a series of lectures New World Pope: Pope Francis & the Future Church on February 7-8, 2014. Speakers from Europe, South America and the United States include:



- Francesca Ambrogetti and Sergio Rubin, co-authors, *Pope Francis: His Life in His Own Words*
- Peter Bernardi, Loyola University
- Barbara Reid, OP, Catholic Theological Union
- Rabbi Abraham Skorka, Coauthor with Jorge Bergoglio, *On Heaven & Earth*
- Andrea Torielli, author, *Francis: Pope of a New World*
- Francis Cardinal George, OMI, Archbishop of Chicago
- Allan Figueroa Deck, SJ, Loyola Marymount University
- Emanuele Colombo, DePaul University
- Ann Astell, University of Notre Dame
- Maria Clara Bingemer, contributing author, *Francisco: Renasce a esperança*

This free lecture series is open to the public, but advance registration is required. Call (773) 325-4158 for more information.

This lecture series to be held at University Conference Center 525 S. State St., Lake Room, Chicago.

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Rebecca O'Brien

Paolo Basil

Amir Rafizadeh

Addison Carpenter

The Parish Pastoral Council is a consultative body to the pastor and represents a cross section of the parish. PPC is kept abreast of the activities of the Parish and its operations. Together with the Pastor, the PPC helps to craft and carry out the Mission of the Parish. PPC also researches the needs of the parish and works with Parish leadership to evaluate and improve our quality of life as a faith community.

The Parish Council usually meets the second Monday of the month at 7:00pm in the Parish Center.

FINANCE COUNCIL

Bill Mack, Chair

Justin Peters

Jane Bronson

Jack Halpin

Jane Ott

Dave Hilko

Steve Fortino

Andrew Deye

Becky Francis

The St. Teresa Finance Council reviews the financial documents and position of the parish and advises the pastor and business manager on financial matters, including the preparation of the annual parish budget.

The Finance Council usually meets the third Monday of the month at 7:00pm in the Parish Center.

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Information

Weekend Masses

Saturday	5:00 pm
<i>en Francaise</i>	6:30 pm ⁺
Sunday	9:00 am
<i>en español</i>	10:30 am*
	12:00 noon
	6:00 pm

⁺ First Saturday of the month

* First Sunday of the Month

Weekday Masses

Monday to Thursday	7:30 am
Friday *	7:30 am

* Communion Service only

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesdays	7:00 pm
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Office Hours

Monday to Friday: 9:00 am—7:30 pm
Saturday: 9:00 am—Noon
Closed Sundays & Holidays.

For information about ...

Baptism, Marriage, Reconciliation, Mass Intentions, RCIA or Communion for the Sick

Please contact Dean in the Parish Office

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dvaeth@stteresaparish.org

For information about ...

Thursday 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)

Please contact Kate in the Religious Education Center

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