St. Teresa of Avila Parish

A Roman Catholic Faith Community
Armitage & Kenmore Avenues
Chicago, IL 60614



March 6, 2016 Fourth Sunday of Lent

Faith & Spirit.

Alive



Whoever is in Christ is a new creation: the old things have passed away; behold, new things have come.

Stewardship

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Such Talent at St. Teresa's!

These parishioners are using their unique personal talents in service:



Jose Cervantes: Chef and owner of Healthy Organic Kids is using his

kitchen skills to prepare meals for the Night Ministry. Jose picks the menu, shops for ingredients and works with the volunteer cooks to prepare the meal served to those in need. Plus, the volunteers get their own cooking lesson from the chef!

Kerry O'Brien: Carpenter and owner of Kiwi Carpenters, Ltd is using his woodworking skills to build coat racks for the parish center.

Janet Summins: Seamstress extraordinaire noticed the liners of our collection baskets looked a little worn so she offered to make us new ones. Janet also volunteers her time to maintain our website.

If you'd like to discuss how you can put your gifts to work at St. Teresa's, give me a call or an email. I'm always happy to meet up and chat about how you can find your best volunteer fit.

- Rebecca O'Brien, Director of Stewardship robrien@stteresaparish.org, (773) 528-6650

New Volunteer Role

Our Loaves & Fishes ministry serves a hot meal every Friday night to those in need. Volunteers, families or groups, are needed to host a "social hour" for our guests, before the meal



starts. Duties include making coffee, bringing light snacks, and mingling with the guests.

For more information about Loaves & Fishes volunteer opportunities, email Amir at amir@staying-true.com.

New Night Ministry Dates

Our partnership with the Night Ministry continues to grow. New dates have been scheduled and volunteers can sign up at vols.pt/d6ABZj. There are three ways to help within this ministry:



Cook: Join Chef Jose and the other volunteers to prepare the meal.

Serve: Take the food on the road to the uptown location and serve those on the streets.

Contribute: Bake cookies to be served with the meal.

For additional questions, email Rebecca at robrien@stteresaparish.org.

Refugee Ministry

Many thanks to Brother Joe from Catholic Charities for joining us last week to talk about the importance of help-



ing our Refugee brothers and sisters in Christ. We are excited to begin our own refugee ministry here at St. Teresa Parish.

Are you interested in getting involved? Fr. Frank would like to meet with an interested group of parishioners to discuss how we will support this ministry.

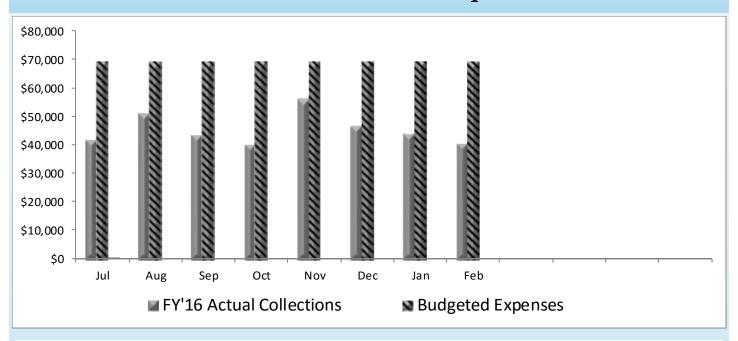
If you are interested in learning more about how you can help, email Rebecca at robrien@stteresaparish.org, or speak to Fr. Frank.

To donate to this ministry visit: givecentral.org/location/209/10945.

Visit st-teresa.net/volunteer to browse and sign up for a selection of recurring volunteer opportunities.				
Most Wanted Volunteers	Catechists	Fundraising Committee Members	Greeters	Historical Website Admin
Interested in volunteering? Contact Rebecca at robrien@stteresaparish.org or (773) 528-6650				

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Fiscal Year (07/1 - 6/30) Comparison to Date



- In the graph above you will see that we have not yet met our budgeted expenses with our Sunday collections. We are on budget with our total income, versus expense. Total income includes Sunday collections, Christmas, Easter, fundraising, and miscellaneous donations.
- Our goal is to fund all operations and expenses from the weekly collections.
- 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 Business Manager, Erica Saccucci with any questions at esaccucci@stteresaparish.org, or Matt Donner, our Finance Council chair. Our financials are also available on our website at www.st-teresa.net.
- The next Finance Council meeting is March 21st at 7:00 pm

Parish Calendar

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This year's *Lenten Reconciliation Service* will be held March 9th at 7:00 pm at St. Vincent de Paul Parish.

YUU ARE St. Vincent is located at 1010 Webster Ave., two blocks north at the corner of Webster and Sheffield.

St. Teresa said ...

Everything seems to be a heavy burden, and rightly so, because it involves a war against ourselves.



Calendar at a Glance

Sunday, March 6

- º 9:15 am, REC, Children's Liturgy of the Word
- ° 10:00 am, PC, Hospitality
- ° 10:20 am, REC, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
- ° 7:00 pm, REC, Edge

Monday, March 7

4:00 pm, REC, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Tuesday, March 8

- 6:30 am, PC, Men's Spirituality Group
- ° 8:00 am, Church, Lectio Divina AM
- ° 12:00 pm, REC, Centering Prayer
- ° 4:00 pm, REC, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
- ° 6:15 pm, Church, Lectio Divina PM
- 6:30 pm, REC, SPRED Community
- o 7:00 pm, Church, Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, March 9

- ° 10:00 am, PC, Memory Care Meeting
- ° 5:30 pm, REC, CCFC Catechesis
- ° 6:00 pm, PC, Parish Transformation
- ° 7:00 pm, St. Vincent, Lenten Reconciliation

Thursday, March 10

No activities scheduled

Friday, March 11

- 9:30 am, REC, Playgroup
- ° 3:30 pm, PC, Loaves and Fishes Setup
- ° 5:00 pm, PC, Loaves and Fishes Dinner
- 7:00 pm, Church, Spanish Prayer Group

Saturday, March 12

- ° 10:00 am, PC, GS, Food Pantry Distribution
- o 11:00 am, Kitchen, Cuisine Desert Cooking

Saints & Special Observances

Sunday: Fourth Sunday of Lent

Monday: Ss. Perpetua and

Felicity

Tuesday: St. John of God Wednesday: St. Frances of Rome

Friday: Abstinence

Domingo: Cuarto Domingo de

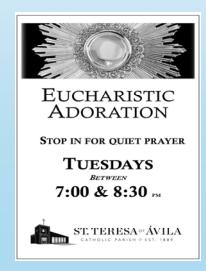
Cuaresma

Lunes: Santas Perpetua y Felicidad

Martes: San Juan de Dios

Miércoles: Santa Francisca de Roma

Viernes: Abstinencia



March 2016 Food Pantry Schedule

Saturday, March 5th

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

Saturday, March 12th

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

Saturday, March 19th

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

Saturday, March 26th

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



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.

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Eucharistic Adoration, 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm. Come join us in quiet prayer.

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Mass Intentions		Let Us Pray		
March 5 5:00 pm Georgina Garcia March 6 9:00 am Marjorie Reidy 10:30 am Ethel & Maurice Brumleve; John Wagner; Georgina Garcia 12:00 pm Georgina Garcia Our Mass Intentions have many openings. If you would like to have a Mass said for someone alive or deceased, contact Deacon Dean 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 Deacon Dean in the parish office.		Please pray for our deceased friends and parishioners Rodolfo Bech, Barbara Byrd, Dolores Berendsen, Shaun Cantrell, Sr. Barbara Jean Cisz, Georgina Garcia, Bolivar Gonzalez, Jerica Elaine Harris, Fred Jabaley, Rev. Oscar Luk fahr, CM, James H. Mack, Frank Mirabella, Jennifer Mosher, Walter and Germaine Mul hill, John and Margaret O'Neill, Robert Rooney, Bridie Ryan, Rev. David Stagaman, SJ, Lucille Stanko, John Wagner, Victims of War & Domestic Violence Let us also pray for those who are ill, especially Alicia Anderson David Hoffman Marie Koesters-Ranley Dorothy Barns David Ivanac Deacon Hector Rivera Berta Billalvazo Chuck Jabaley Hector J. Rivera Ann Buehler Ronald Jakubec Luis Rivera		
		Lauren Dittrich Bilyeu Susan Conway Liz Kunkel Ray Romero Slizabeth Ryan Dean Michael De Blasis Carmen D. Lorenzana Kathy Derrick Palmira Mancini Sr. Jean Ryan, OCD Jack Schank Jackson Fineske & Family Alice Flynn Lisa Marquez Padraig Gallagher Margaret Sue Meadors Michael Gibbons Mill Mobley Angela Goldberg Fr. Barry Moriarty, C.M. Kaylee Gommel Bolivar Gonzales, Jr. John Paul Nelson Betty LaCour Jeffrey Roscoe Sr. Camilla Mary Marn Sr. Jean Ryan, OCD Sr. Jean Ryan, OCD Jack Schank Will Sullivan Lisa Marquez Laura Szejka Mima Tome Johnn Jahnke Trainer Susan Violapiano Jack Williams Kaylee Gommel Elda Myers Bolivar Gonzales, Jr. John Paul Nelson David Zeunert		Ray Romero Jeffrey Roscoe Sr. Camilla Mary Marney, OCD Sr. Jean Ryan, OCD Jack Schank Will Sullivan Laura Szejka Mima Tome JoAnn Jahnke Trainer Susan Violapiano Jack Williams Mae Witry David Zeunert Survivors and perpetrators of sexual abuse
		Kellar Harris Peg Hausen	Clayton Poe	are ill every Tuesday at

Celebrant and Minister Schedule

DATE	TIME	CELEBRANT	LECTOR	EUCHARISTIC BREAD	EUCHARISTIC WINE
Saturday 3-12-16	5:00 PM	Rev. Chas Shelby, CM	Casey Bowles	Kari Richardson	Carly Johnston Lisa Marquez
Next French Mass Saturday 3-19-16	6:30 PM				
Sunday 3-13-16	9:00 AM	Fr. Frank	Children's Service	Mary Serrahn Rose Ohiku Theresa Jabaley	Margaret Burke Minister Needed (C2) Jocelyn Lutkus Ellen Moiani
Next Spanish Mass Sunday 4-3-16	10:30 AM	Rev. Jose Rubio, CM			
Sunday 3-13-16	12:00 PM	Fr. Frank	Raquel Bech	Maria Montes	Alice Morales-Villenas Anne Seigenthaler
Sunday 3-13-16	6:00 PM	Fr. Frank	Luke Kolman	Cara Gannon Lauren Hogel Kevin Ludden	Veronique Caffrey Jane Bronson Dani Shain Eileen Raia

Readings/Lecturas

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Readings for the Week

Monday: Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13b; Jn

4:43-54

Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn

5:1-16

Wednesday: Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-

18; Jn 5:17-30

Thursday: Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-23; Jn 5:31-47

Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-21, 23;

Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday: Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-12; Jn

7:40-53

Sunday: Is 43:16-21; Ps 126:1-6; Phil 3:8-14;

Jn 8:1-11

Lecturas de la Semana

Lunes: Is 65:17-21; Sal 30 (29):2, 4-6, 11-

13b; Jn 4:43-54

Martes: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Sal 46 (45):2-3, 5-6, 8-

9; Jn 5:1-16

Miércoles: Is 49:8-15; Sal 145 (144):8-9, 13cd-14,

17-18; Jn 5:17-30

Jueves: Ex 32:7-14; Sal 106 (105):19-23; Jn

5:31-47

Viernes: Sab 2:1a, 12-22; Sal 34 (33):17-21,

23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Sábado: Jer 11:18-20; Sal 7:2-3, 9bc-12; Jn

7:40-53

Domingo: Is 43:16-21; Sal 126 (125):1-6; Fil

3:8-14; Jn 8:1-11;

Treasures from Our Tradition

One of the first steps to a Catholic wedding takes place in the parish rectory, as the newly engaged come forward to "set a date." We owe this scenario to reforms made by the emperor Charlemagne late in the eighth century. He re-

quired that nobles and commoners alike have public weddings, and also required that marrying couples be examined for factors that would block a marriage, such as previous marriages or close kinship. The pope was more conservative, however, and resisted the emperor's creativity. It was enough for the pope that the couples exchange consent.

That tradition is passed on to this day, to some couples' surprise. In 866, Pope Nicholas ruled that a marriage was legal and binding even without a liturgy or public celebration. After that, it was the consent of the couple, not the blessing of parents or priest, that made a marriage "count." If consent was lacking, such as through abduction or fear, then the marriage could not "take." Charlemagne got a great deal done, but he was a political flash in the pan, and the empire had virtually collapsed by the year 1000. Europe broke into a checkerboard of princedoms and languages, and at last all marriages came under the church, the glue holding the known world together. —Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

Tradiciones de Nuestra Fe

Cuaresma es tiempo de reconciliación por medio del perdón. En este espíritu, el Papa san Juan Pablo II pidió perdón por pecados cometidos por la Iglesia. Uno de estos pecados es la manera como América fue cristianizada.

La relación del latino con la religión católica ha sido entre buenas intenciones y antagonismos. Gracias a Dios, ¡somos cristianos! Lamentablemente, nuestro bautizo, en la mayor parte de los casos, fue en agua bendita y sangre indígena a la vez, ya que América fue evangelizada con cruz y espada. Los pobres misioneros que con fatiga, predicaron en nuestras tierras venían acompañados por hombres poderosos en busca

de riquezas.

El filósofo romano-español Séneca (siglo I) afirmaba: "la religión es algo que para la persona común es verdad, para el sabio es falso y para el poderoso es útil". A su vez, el romano-judío Pablo de Tarso declara que en Cristo, Dios ha revelado que la persona común y necia derribará la falsedad de los sabios (1 Cor 1:18-31).

El latino creyente reconoce que su fe nació del dolor de la conquista y no niega los abusos clericales, pero confía en el Evangelio reconciliador. — Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glz, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

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A Sunday for Rejoicing

Today's Gospel story of the prodigal son is a favorite of many. We can identify with all the major figures and their

crisscross of emotions. The father's initial grief over his young son's avarice is turned to relief at his return. The son's grief over his loss of fortune, family, and friends is turned to delirious joy at the sight of his father.

We understand the eldest son's bewilderment over his father's generosity. For the older son, virtue seems not to be its own reward. For all his honorable toil and loyalty, there seems to be no celebration. The father, however, is prodigal in his forgiveness and mercy. He expects the same generosity from his older son. He wants all to rejoice when the lost one is found

This is a Sunday for rejoicing. It's time to pause, consider, and encourage one another. We are the prodigal children heading home. We are the elder siblings waiting with the eager Father, who scans the horizon. In Christ Jesus we are reconciled to the Father and one another. In his death and resurrection we have passed over. We are a new creation. In this we rejoice. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

Un Domingo Para Alargrarse

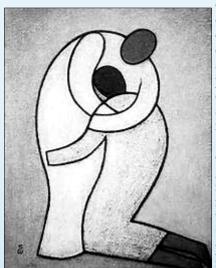
Pocas parábolas del Evangelio son tan queridas por el pueblo cristiano como la del hijo pródigo. Nos podemos identificar

con todos sus personajes, y con las emociones que se entrecruzan entre ellos. El dolor del padre por la avaricia y desconsideración de su hijo se convierte en alegría al verlo regresar. El dolor del hijo por haber perdido todo lo que tenía – dinero, familia, amigos – se convierte en alegría delirante al ver como su padre lo recibe.

Pero también comprendemos el desconcierto del hijo mayor ante la generosidad de su padre. Para el hijo mayor, la virtud no es su propia recompensa. Ha trabajado duro, y ha sido un hijo leal, pero eso no se celebra con fiestas ni banquetes. Pero su padre es un padre pródigo, y prodiga su perdón y su misericordia. Y espera que su hijo mayor tenga esa misma generosidad. Quiere que

todos se regocijen porque el que estaba perdido ha sido hallado.

Este es un domingo para alegrarse. Es día de hacer una pausa, y de considerarnos y alentarnos unos a otros. Porque todos somos hijos pródigos, en el camino de regreso al hogar de nuestro padre. Y debemos también ser hermanos mayores, pero hermanos mayores que esperan junto con el padre ansioso, mientras vislumbra el horizonte. En Cristo Jesús nos vemos reconciliados, con Dios Padre, y con



Today's Readings

First Reading — God's people enter the promised land, observe the Passover, and eat of the produce of

the land (Joshua 5:9a, 10-12) *or 1 Samuel 16:1b*, *6-7*, *10-13a*.

Psalm — Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34) *or Psalm 23*.

Second Reading — We are now ambassadors for Christ (2 Corinthians 5:17-21) *or Ephesians* 5:8-14.

Gospel — We must rejoice when our brother who was dead in sin repents and comes back to life (Luke 15:1-3, 11-32)

Lecturas de Hoy

Primera lectura — El pueblo de Dios entra a la tierra prometida (Josué 5:9a, 10-12) *o 1 Samuel 16: 1b, 6-7, 10-13a.*

Salmo — Haz la prueba y verás qué bueno es el Señor (Salmo 34 [33]) *o Salmo 23(22)*.

Segunda lectura — Ahora somos embajadores de Cristo (Corintios 5:17-21) *o Efesios 5:8-14*.

Evangelio — Debemos celebrar

cuando nuestro hermano se arrepiente y vuelve a la vida (Lucas 15:1-3, 11-32)

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Celebrate with Our Children on March 13th

St. Teresa's next Children's Participation Mass is Sunday, March 13th at 9:00 am. All children are invited to partici-



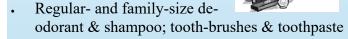
pate and celebrate in community. Consider choir, ushering, or gift bearing.

Contact Kate Lynch at (773) 528-6650 or kolynchdre@gmail.com in advance to learn more or indicate interest or come early that day (8:40 am) to join choir practice or find other ways to help.

Food Pantry Shopping List

There are five items the Food Pantry could *really* use:

- Pasta & rice (all kinds)
- Oatmeal
- Boxed cereal
- Hearty canned soups



We no longer need extra-strength grocery bags. If you are interested in volunteering at the Food Pantry,

contact Dave Hilko at dahilko@deloitte.com.

Friday Morning Playgroup Forming

A new baby-toddler playgroup is forming at St. Teresa of Avila.

Friday Mornings 9:30 — 11:30 am

Religious Education Center 1940 N. Kenmore Ave. (Next to the Parish Center)

Contact Clare Pasquesi for more information clarepasquesi@gmail.com.

Lenten Regulations

Abstinence from meat is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years old and older on Ash Wednesday and on all Fridays in Lent.

Fasting is to be observed on Ash Wednesday by all Catho-

lics 18 years old but not yet 59. Those who are bound by this may take only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one's needs, but eating solid food between meals is not permitted.

The Paschal fast, as well as abstinence, are prescribed for Good Friday and encouraged for Holy Saturday.

Regulaciones de Cuaresma

La abstinencia de carne es para ser observado por todos los católicos de 14 años o mayores en el Miércoles de Ceniza y todos los viernes de Cuaresma.

El ayuno es para ser ob-



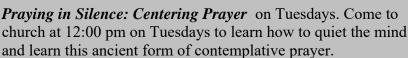
servado el miércoles de ceniza por todos los católicos de 18 años, pero aún no 59. Los que están obligados por la presente puede tomar sólo una comida completa. Dos comidas más pequeñas se permiten si es necesario para mantener la fuerza de acuerdo a las necesidades de uno, pero comer alimentos sólidos entre comidas no está permitido.

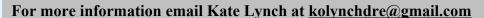
El ayuno, así como la abstinencia Pascual, se prescriben para el Viernes Santo y alentó para el

Is Your Prayer Life on Autopilot?

Then *seize the moment* and try two new ways to pray this Lent:

Praying with Scripture: Lectio Divina on Tuesdays. Come to church at either 8:00 am or 6:30 pm to learn how to meditate on Scripture.







Ministry of Care

The Ministry of Care program at St. Teresa of Avila brings the Eucharist to the faithful who are unable to attend church.



If you know of someone who cannot come to Mass and would like to receive Holy Communion, please contact Dean in the office at (773) 528-6650 or dvaeth@stteresaparish.org to arrange a visit.

Sign up for online giving at

GiveCentral 4 6 1

for your weekly offertory and other donations!

Three reasons to sign up:

- 1. Give Central is completely safe and secure as it follow SSL encryption standards.
- 2. It's easy to sign up, update throughout the year, and review your gifts as often as you like.
- 3. You can make your gifts through most credit cards or online checking.



Living Stations on Good Friday

Experience the Passion of Christ through live interpretation. This annual event will be held on Good Friday at 3:00 pm and all are welcome.



We are also looking for some additional "actors" to help (children and adults). Every year, we have parishioners read each station while the costumed actors interpret the station with no movement. It is a very beautiful and minimal way of interpreting the story of Christ's passion.

If you are interested in participating this year, please contact Carrie Mondschean at (312) 320-1160 or cmondsch@hinshawlaw.com, or Kristen Castelloni at (773) 710-0068 or krisen@rlcanning.com.

There will be two rehearsals - on Wednesday, March 23rd at 7:00 pm and a mandatory dress rehearsal will begin at 1:00 pm sharp on March 25th prior to the Stations.

Loaves & Fishes Shopping List

Our Loaves & Fishes team could really use the following three items, **especially flour**, for the preparation of their Friday evening meals:

- Flour
- Vegetable Oil
- Sugar



If you're interested in volunteering to either cook for Loaves & Fishes or serve our guests, contact Amir at amir@staying-true.com.

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Our Prayer of Mission

We face the world filled with Gospel hope and joy.

We gaze on the world and all humanity, with Mary, Agnes, Elizabeth of Hungary, and Teresa of Avila – a gaze of love...God's love.

This God, who is love, sends us out into the world as missionary disciples, filled with the Word, as it takes root in our hearts, and the Eucharist, which nourishes our souls so that we may draw others, by our words and actions, to Christ and His Church.

As the assembly, we sit on the shell of Baptism, etched in our floor...we are "poured out" into the world... filled with the spirit of Baptism... sharing in the priesthood of Christ.

May our hands be the hands of Christ's healing touch.

May our feet walk the way of the Gospel by washing the feet of broken humanity.

May our ears hear the cry of the poor and lonely.

May our eyes gaze on every human being with love.

We leave here giving praise to the God of all creation, encountering God in all creation, as people on a mission to build bridges in the human family...furthering the first gift that Christ breathed on His Church...peace.

Amen.

St. Teresa's Running Club — Guaranteed Entries for the 2016 Chicago Marathon

We are pleased to announce that St. Teresa will be starting a running club for walkers and runners of all abilities! Everyone is welcome!



More good news: Now

The focus will be on

health, fun, supporting one another and a charity. There will be Saturday group runs from Oz Park, monthly evening fun runs, and even a runners retreat.



Chicago Marathon! We will be running and fundraising for Erika's Lighthouse which helps

teenagers with depression. For more information and to re-

ceive your guaranteed entries go to: www.erikaslighthouse.org

Coach Mark Buciak will be in the church lobby after the 9:00 am Mass on Sunday, March 13th to answer your questions or you can e-mail him at: theroadtoboston@rcn.com

Miles, Smiles, Burgers & Beer!

Walkers and runners at all levels are welcome to join us for our first fun run.

Date: Monday, March 7th

Location: Universal Sole, 3052 N. Lincoln Ave

Distances: 5K to 5 miles at an easy pace

Check-in: 6:00 pm* Start Time: 6:30 pm Cost: The run is free

RSVP to Coach Mark at:theroadtoboston@rcn.com

* Look for Coach Mark wearing a red Erika's Lighthouse tshirt or call his cell: (773) 307-0033

And join us after the fun run for \$5 burgers at: Diag Bar & Grill, 2856 N. Southport — and your first beer is free!

St. Teresa of Avila Parish Leadership Teams

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Pastoral Council		Finance Council		Building Committee	
Jessica Marx Bert Olson Anna Althoff	Alex Lopez Justin Peters	Jane Bronson Jack Halpin Chris Parente Ray Genellie Elissa Sirovatka	Justin Alden Dave Hilko Steve Fortino Becky Francis	Steve Kolinski Caleb Marx Bill Mack Jane Bronson Jose Cervantes Carol Christiansen	Dan Hurley Karen Kinsella Frank Swiderski Dave Espinoza John Mitchell Dan Summins
Jessica Marx is president of the Parish Pastoral Council; her email is chicago2381@hotmail.com		Matt Donner is president of the Parish Finance Council; his email is mdonner19199@gmail.com		Dave Hilko	Dan Summing
The Parish Pastoral Council usually meets the second Monday of the month at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center.		The Finance Council usually meets the third Monday of the month at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center.		Dan Summins is president of the Building Committee; his email is dsummins@hotmail.com The Building Committee meets to discuss renovation fundraising issues in the Parish Center.	

Renovation Committee

Frank Swiderski Steve and Anmarie Kolinski Dave Hilko Kim Walter Phyllis Halloran Kelly Dean Jack Halpin

Marilee Halpin **Justin Peters** Nancy Van Grinsven Alicia Slubowski Dante Domenella, Architect Dwayne Piyatilake, Stained Glass Artist Fr. Frank

Parish Offices are at 1950 N. Kenmore, (773) 528-6650, FAX (773) 871-6766. Hours are: 9:00 am to 7:30 pm Monday through Friday, and Saturday 9:00 am to 12:00 pm.

The submission deadline for Sunday bulletins is 11:00 am on the Monday before. The bulletin is also published electronically on st-teresa.net.

Contact Dean in the Parish Office

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Ministry Leadership Chart

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Buildings & Facilities	Special Events & Fundraising	Stewardship	Evangelization Seeking a Leader
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Our Mission 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.

Dealing with Stress...

The Holbrook Center, a service of Catholic Charities, provides confidential counseling at many locations, including its newest office at Holy Name Cathedral. Licensed counselors, affordable fees, and convenient appointment times, including evenings.

The Holbrook Counseling Center is in the network with BC/BS PPO. For more information or to schedule an appointment, please call at (312) 655-7725.

For information about ...

Friday 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)

Contact Kate in the Parish Office kolynchdre@gmail.com

For information about ...

Baptism, Marriage, Reconciliation, Mass Intentions, RCIA or Communion for the Sick Contact Dean in the Parish Office dvaeth@stteresaparish.org

Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:00 pm 6:30 pm⁺ en Français Sunday 9:00 am 10:30 am* en Español 12:00 pm

6:00 pm

+ First and third Saturdays, October through June

* First Sundays

Weekday Masses

7:30 am Monday through Thursday 7:30 am Fridays Communion Service