

St. Teresa of Avila Parish

A Roman Catholic Faith Community

Armitage & Kenmore Avenues

Chicago, IL 60614



April 17, 2016
Fourth Sunday of Easter

Faith & Spirit.
Alive



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“I have made you a light to the Gentiles, that you may be an instrument of salvation to the ends of the earth.”

— Acts 13:47b

Stewardship

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Getting Involved

St Teresa of Avila runs nearly 40 ministries with the help of more than 400 volunteers. Read through this page for a few ideas on what's happening now and how you can help. If you'd like more information on any of our ministries, or to discuss how to put your God-given talents to work at St. Teresa, 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**
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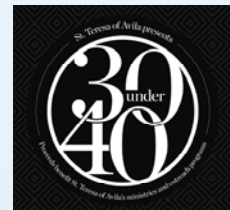
World's Smallest Block Party

Plans are underway for this year's "World's Smallest Block Party", slated to take place in early September. We are currently recruiting for the planning committee, seeking volunteers with an interest in decorations, entertainment, raffle, food service, kids' activities, and more! Please join us for our kickoff planning meeting on Monday, May 9 at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center.

For more information please contact Sara Hock at saramhock@gmail.com.

30 Under 40

All are invited to attend our 30 under 40 parties, mini-fundraisers hosted by our under 40 community. If you have questions or would like to host a party, email Christopher.parente@gmail.com. For more information, or to sign up visit st-teresa.net/30under40.



The Schmanski 5K
Saturday, May 7th at 10:00 am
Cost: \$20/runner

Host Matt Schmanski will lead us off as we meet at Montrose Avenue Beach for a great out-and-back run along Chicago's famous running path, followed by a picnic in Montrose Park. Food and drinks included. Custom race bibs will be provided and prizes will be awarded for fastest male and female, adult and under 13, runners. Family friendly event, so bring your kids and your strollers!

Flavor Tripping
Saturday, May 14th at 7:00 pm
\$100/person

Join host Anna Althoff for a flavor tripping party on a beautiful rooftop in Streeterville! When the fleshy part of a miracle berry is eaten it coats the tongue and tricks the taste buds, causing both bitter and sour foods to taste surprisingly sweet. And, that's where the fun and experimentation begins!! At this flavor tripping party we will sample a wide variety of foods. Wine and more traditional appetizers to also be served!

Shoe Drive for Immigrants

Donate a new pair of shoes for immigrants awaiting deportation at Broadview detention center. Shoes should be new and soft-soled, with no laces or buckles. Men's and women's shoes in a variety of sizes are needed. Shoes can be placed at the foot of the cross near the stained glass window depicting Jesus washing the feet of Peter.



*"That which you do for the least of my people,
you do to me."*

Visit st-teresa.net/volunteer to browse and sign up for a selection of recurring volunteer opportunities.

**Most
Wanted
Volunteers**

Catechists

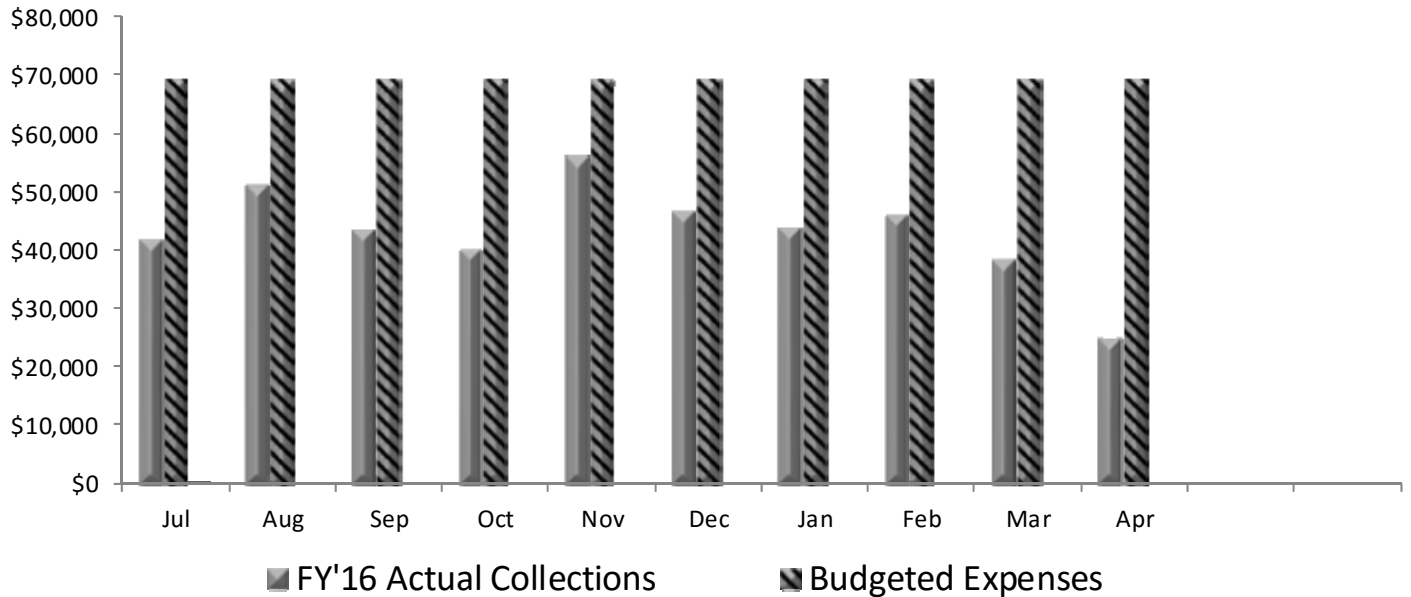
**Fundraising
Committee
Members**

Greeters

**Historical
Website
Admin**

Interested in volunteering? Contact Rebecca at robrien@stteresaparish.org or (773) 528-6650

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.
- The 2016 Easter collection was \$18,921.
- 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 April 18th at 7:00 pm

Parish Calendar

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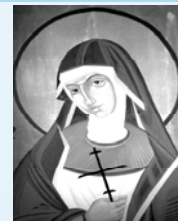
April Baptisms



John Lansana Sheriff (4-10-16)
Bebe Rose Francis (4-10-16)
Liv Madison Hedblom (4-17-16)
Ellen Margaret Hock (4-24-16)

St. Teresa said ...

I greatly love those who I see are more advanced and who are determined, detached, and courageous...I think God helps those who set out to do much for him...He never fails anyone who trusts Him alone.



Calendar at a Glance

Sunday, April 17

- 9:15 am, REC, Children's Liturgy of the Word
- 7:00 pm, PC, 6:51 Club Hospitality

Monday, April 18

- 7:00 pm, PC, Finance Council

Tuesday, April 19

- 6:15 pm, Church, Lectio Divina
- 7:00 pm, Church, Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, April 20

- 10:00 am, PC, Memory Care Meeting
- 5:00 pm, Kitchen-PC, Night Ministry Cooking
- 7:00 pm, PC, Parish Transformation

Thursday, April 21

- 6:30 pm, PC, Bradley Methods Class

Friday, April 22

- 9:30 am, REC, Playgroup
- 5:00 pm, PC, Loaves and Fishes Dinner
- 6:30 pm, Volunteer Appreciation (Fairways)
- 7:00 pm, Church, Spanish Prayer Group

Saturday, April 23

- 10:00 am, PC, GS, Food Pantry Distribution
- 4:30 pm, REC, CCFC Catechesis 8th & 9th

Saints & Special Observances

Sunday: Fourth Sunday of Easter; World Day of Prayer for Vocations

Thursday: St. Anselm
Saturday: St. George; St. Adalbert

Domingo: Cuarto Domingo de Pascua; Jornada Mundial de Oración por las Vocaciones

Jueves: San Anselmo
Sábado: San Jorge; san Adalberto

April 2016 Food Pantry Schedule

Saturday, April 2nd

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

Saturday, April 9th

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

Saturday, April 16th

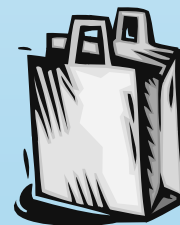
9:00 am to 10:00 am Set Up
10:00 am to 12:00 pm Distribution

Saturday, April 23rd

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

Saturday, April 30th

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



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

STOP IN FOR QUIET PRAYER

TUESDAYS
BETWEEN
7:00 & 8:30 PM

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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

Mass Intentions

Let Us Pray

April 16

5:00 pm Deceased Parishioners of St. Teresa of Avila Parish

April 17

9:00 am Carmela Nurmi
12:00 pm Gary Legleitner; Miguel & Estella Montes
6:00 pm Deceased Parishioners of St. Teresa of Avila Parish

April 20

7:30 am Shaun Cantrell

Please pray for our deceased friends and parishioners...

Rodolfo Bech, Barbara Byrd, Dolores Berendsen, Shaun Cantrell, Sr. Barbara Jean Ciszek, Jerica Elaine Harris, Dorothy Holdsworth, Fred Jabaley, Rev. Oscar Lukefahr, CM, Carmela Nurmi, John and Margaret O'Neill, Robert Rooney, Bridie Ryan, Rev. David Siagaman, SJ, Lucille Stanko, John Wagner, Victims of War & Domestic Violence

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

<i>Alicia Anderson</i>	<i>Chuck Jabaley</i>	<i>Luis Rivera</i>
<i>Dorothy Barns</i>	<i>Ronald Jakubec</i>	<i>Pedro Rodriguez</i>
<i>Berta Billavazo</i>	<i>Tom Kinsella</i>	<i>Ray Romero</i>
<i>Lauren Dittrich Bilyeu</i>	<i>Liz Kunkel</i>	<i>Jeffrey Roscoe</i>
<i>Elizabeth Ryan Dean</i>	<i>Betty LaCour</i>	<i>Sr. Camilla Mary Marney, OCD</i>
<i>Michael De Blasis</i>	<i>Carmen D. Lorenzana</i>	<i>Sr. Jean Ryan, OCD</i>
<i>Kathy Derrick</i>	<i>Palmira Mancini</i>	<i>Jack Schank</i>
<i>Kim Duffy</i>	<i>George Maroquin</i>	<i>Will Sullivan</i>
<i>Isabelle Eiffert</i>	<i>Jose Maroquin</i>	<i>Laura Szejka</i>
<i>Jackson Fineske & Family</i>	<i>Lisa Marquez</i>	<i>Mima Tome</i>
<i>Alice Flynn</i>	<i>Margaret Sue Meadors</i>	<i>JoAnn Jahnke Trainer</i>
<i>Padraig Gallagher</i>	<i>Daniel Meyer</i>	<i>Susan Violapiano</i>
<i>Eloisa Gallegos</i>	<i>Bill Mobley</i>	<i>Jack Williams</i>
<i>Michael Gibbons</i>	<i>Fr. Barry Moriarty, C.M.</i>	<i>Mae Witry</i>
<i>Angela Goldberg</i>	<i>Elda Myers</i>	<i>David Zeumert</i>
<i>Kaylee Gommel</i>	<i>John Paul Nelson</i>	<i>Survivors and perpetrators of sexual abuse</i>
<i>Bolivar Gonzales, Jr.</i>	<i>Angel Nieves</i>	
<i>Les Gordon</i>	<i>Msr. Kevin O'Neill</i>	
<i>Mrs. Grabarczyk</i>	<i>Frank O'Toole</i>	
<i>George Halloran</i>	<i>Clayton Poe</i>	
<i>Kellar Harris</i>	<i>Carol Poyner</i>	
<i>Peg Hausen</i>	<i>Marie Koesters-Ranley</i>	
<i>David Hoffman</i>	<i>Deacon Hector Rivera</i>	
<i>David Ivanac</i>	<i>Hector J. Rivera</i>	

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.

Celebrant and Minister Schedule

DATE	TIME	CELEBRANT	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC BREAD	EUCCHARISTIC WINE
4-23-16	5:00 PM	Rev. Chas Shelby, CM	Becky Francis	Lisa Marquez	Lisa Hanzelka Luke Kolman
Next French Mass 5-7-16	6:30 PM				
4-24-16	9:00 AM	Fr. Frank	Geneva Gorgo	Chris Parente Carly Johnston Kevin Ludden	Karen Secrest Rose Ohiku Jocelyn Lutkus Margaret Burke
Next Spanish Mass 5-1-16	10:30 AM	TBA			
4-24-16	12:00 PM	Fr. Frank	Mike Usiak	Laura Moran	Anne Seigenthaler Alice Morales-Villenas
4-24-16	6:00 PM	Fr. Frank	Krista Katz	Barb Schell Minister Needed (H3) Sara Hock	Cara Gannon Eileen Raia Bert Olson Laura King

Readings/Lecturas

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Readings for the Week

Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4;
Jn 10:11-18

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-7; Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12:24 — 13:5a; Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8;
Jn 12:44-50

Thursday: Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25,
27; Jn 13:16-20

Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6

Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14

Sunday: Acts 14:21-27; Ps 145:8-13; Rv 21:1-5a;
Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

Lecturas de la Semana

Lunes: Hch 11:1-18; Sal 42 (41):2-3; 43:3, 4;
Jn 10:11-18

Martes: Hch 11:19-26; Sal 87 (86):1b-7; Jn 10:22-30

Miércoles: Hch 12:24 — 13:5a; Sal 67 (66):2-3, 5-6,
8; Jn 12:44-50

Jueves: Hch 13:13-25; Sal 89 (88):2-3, 21-22, 25,
27; Jn 13:16-20

Viernes: Hch 13:26-33; Sal 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6

Sábado: Hch 13:44-52; Sal 98 (97):1-4; Jn 14:7-14

Domingo: Hch 14:21-27; Sal 145 (144):8-13;
Ap 21:1-5a; Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

Treasures from Our Tradition

Just as the early church consecrated women living alone in the world, today that consecration is available to women who take solemn vows as cloistered nuns (different from religious sisters), women who follow a way of life in communities called “secular institutes,” and laywomen. Oddly, the ritual is not permitted for religious sisters. The prayers talk about the woman’s self-gift to Christ, and her self-gift to the Church. Up until recent years, this was a solemn ceremony performed only for cloistered nuns under certain circumstances. In its new form, we have a ritual that revives a very ancient and little-known way of life. Today, a woman can live independently at home, without association with any religious sisterhood or institute, yet be consecrated to holiness and service. Normally, a ring and/or a veil may be given in the liturgy of consecration. It is a rite very different from religious profession, where the sister makes promises or vows, and is rather an expression of approval and blessing for a way of life already embraced. Unlike ancient times, which valued actual virginity, the new rite may be celebrated for anyone provided there has never been a marriage and the woman has always lived a virtuous life. — Rev.

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El 25 de abril la Iglesia conmemora a Pedro de Betancur (1626–1667). Originalmente de las Islas Canarias, a la edad de 24, se trasladó a Cuba. En 1651 llegó a Guatemala con la ambición de predicar a Cristo. Esto lo hizo, no como sacerdote ni religioso. El fue como laico, reconociendo su deber bautismal de evangelizar.

En 1655 ingresó en la Orden Seglar Franciscana y como laico quiso poner en práctica la espiritualidad franciscana, ayudando a los pobres. Con su propio pan o casa el alimentaba al hambriento y amparaba al indigente. A todos recordaba la necesidad de la salvación y en la simplicidad de su mensaje derretía el egoísmo de los ricos. Les abría el corazón enseñándoles a compartir con los más pequeños de sus hermanos y hermanas.

Eventualmente su nobleza de espíritu atrajo a hombres y mujeres que deseaban compartir su apostolado y fundó la Orden Betlehemitá. También fundó la primera escuela de niños en Centro América convirtiéndose en el alfabetizador de Guatemala. Así dio ejemplo de lo que la Iglesia debe hacer por el pobre y marginado. — Fray Gilberto

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The Shepherd's Flock

In Christian art, the earliest depictions of Jesus Christ were not of his crucifixion or of his resurrection. The first known renderings of Jesus show him as the Good Shepherd, the image put before us in today's readings. In the Gospel passage Jesus reveals that he is the shepherd and his followers are his "flock."

In the first and second readings, we are told more about the flock. The passage from Acts assures us that both Jews and Gentiles are called to follow Jesus. It is faith, not birthright, that makes us part of the company of believers. In the passage from the book of Revelation we learn that the flock that follows this Lamb of God will also be washed in his blood. They will endure a time of trial before they enjoy eternal life. Be assured of the promise, we are told, but know there is a price to be paid. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



El Rebaño del Pastor

En el arte cristiano, las primeras imágenes de Jesucristo no fueron de su crucifixión ni de su resurrección. Fueron de Jesús como el Buen Pastor, tal como nos lo presentan las lecturas de hoy. En el pasaje evangélico Jesús se nos revela como el pastor y sus seguidores son su "rebaño".

La primera y la segunda lecturas nos cuentan un poco más sobre el rebaño. El pasaje de los Hechos nos asegura que tanto los judíos como los gentiles están llamados a seguir a Jesús. Es la fe, no el derecho de cuna, lo que nos permite pertenecer a la comunidad de creyentes. En el pasaje del libro del Apocalipsis, aprendemos que el rebaño que le sigue a este Cordero de Dios será también purificado en su sangre. Tendrán que sobrellevar un tiempo de prueba antes de gozar de la vida eterna. Estén seguros de la promesa, nos avisa, pero sepan que hay un precio que pagar. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

Today's Readings

First Reading — The Jews angrily reject Paul and Barnabas' preaching. They then turn their energies to the Gentiles (Acts 13:14, 43-52).

Psalm — We are his people, the sheep of his flock (Psalm 100).

Second Reading — John envisions a great white-robed multitude standing before the throne and before the Lamb. (Revelation 7:9, 14b-17).

Gospel — My sheep hear my voice; they follow me. I give them eternal life (John 10:27-30).



Lecturas de Hoy

Primera Lectura — Los judíos rechazaron airados la predicación de Pablo y de Bernabé. Luego concentraron sus energías en los gentiles (Hch 13:14, 43-52).

Salmo — El Señor es nuestro Dios y nosotros su pueblo. Aleluya (Salmo 100 [99]).

Segunda lectura — Juan tiene la visión de una multitud en vestiduras

blancas ante el trono y ante el Cordero (Apocalipsis 7:9, 14b-17).

Evangelio — Mis ovejas conocen mi voz; ellas me siguen. Yo les doy vida eterna (Juan 10:27-30).

Our Annual SPRED Mass April 24th at 12PM



Pope Francis has said, “The family is where we are formed as people. Every family is a brick in the building of society.”

Our SPRED group is but one brick in our greater St. Teresa community, We want to share the gift of our love and invite you to our annual SPRED mass.

What is SPRED you may ask? SPRED stands for SPecial RELigious Development which is an archdiocesan program ministering religious growth and development to our friends with special needs. St. Teresa's SPRED program is for our friends from 11 to 16 years of age.

Our Mass uses music and interpretive movements to interpret the psalms, readings and the Gospel. Please come join us for this beautiful and inspirational way to experience our Mass.

If you are interested in knowing more about SPRED or possibly becoming a catechist, please contact Carrie Mondschean at (312) 320-1160 or cmondschean@hinshawlaw.com for more information.

Icon Series Starts May 1st



On May 1st, 15th and 22nd Tom Kosnik will offer three one-hour sessions after the 12:00 pm Mass at St. Teresa Parish to “break open” some of our beautiful icons in order to seek out some of the symbolism and meaning and to learn how to pray with them. This special three-part expose is something you will not want to miss.

Icons are a doorway into the spiritual world; they are alive, and they can tell us something about ourselves and our relationship with God when we learn how to unlock their meaning. Praying with icons is about learning how to “gaze” upon the icon while remaining open and listening to our inner voice. Praying with icons is learning how to “reflect” on what was communicated to us. Please join us for this wonderful Easter experience.

Blood Drive May 15th

Please join us in the parish center by sharing God's gift of life with others who are most in need.

Date: Sunday, May 15th, the Sunday after Mother's Day

Time: 9:00am to 1:30pm

Invite a friend or family member to join you. Two or three pints are better than one!

Kindly make an appointment so we can serve you better at: www.heartlandbc.org



Blood Drive Hospitality Volunteers Needed

If you can't donate blood, we still need you and your smile.

Could you volunteer for an hour or two?

**Please contact Mark Buciak at:
mark.buciak@rcn.com**

Also looking for massage therapists to give our donors a chair massage before they donate.

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.

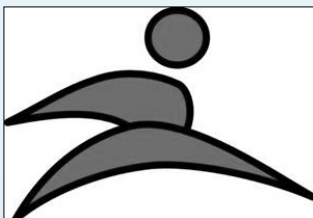
St. Teresa of Avila's Running Club Spring Social

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

Everyone is welcome!

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



Newly Married Couples Marriage Retreat April 23rd

Saturday, April 23
10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Hosted by St. Vincent de Paul and St. Teresa of Avila Parishes

Held at St. Vincent de Paul Parish,
1010 W. Webster Ave.



Connect with your spouse and other newly married couples. Encounter the ways in which God is active and present in your journey as a married couple. Grow in understanding of how your marriage can be a sign of hope and love in the world.

Register and pay online at <http://charis.website/retreats/retreat-details/?id=69> (The \$30 reduced cost of this retreat is made possible through a grant from the Schwab Endowment Fund.)

Registration deadline Tuesday, April 19.

For more information, please contact Rebecca at rcarmic1@depaul.edu

RUNNERS SPRING SOCIAL

Meet Coach Mark
Share Your Dreams

Come Meet Fellow Runners

- Date:** Friday, April 22nd
- Time:** 5:30 to 9:30 pm
- Location:** The Café at Formula Fitness Club, Gold Coast
- Address:** 1030 N. Clark Street, 6th floor
- Cash Bar:** Beer, wine, smoothies & more
- RSVP:** www.theroadtoboston.info

Bring your friends & family!
Non-runners are welcome!

6:51 Club this Sunday

Please join us on the third Sunday of every month after the 6:00 pm Mass for fellowship and free dinner in the Parish Center!

The 6:51 Team is currently looking for hosts for May 15, June 19, July 17, and August 21. As the weather warms up, you are invited to us the parish grill and BBQ for dinner.



For more information or to host a 6:51 Club dinner, please contact Sara Hock, at saramhock@gmail.com

Hear and Follow

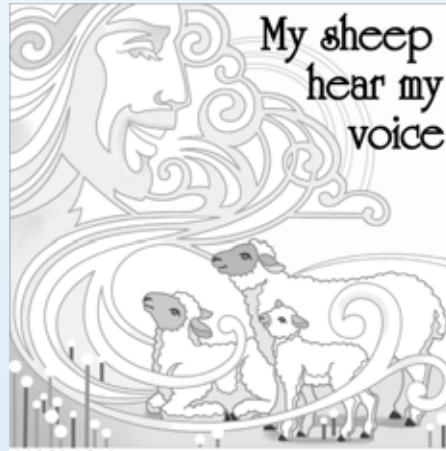
When today's older Catholics were young, almost everything we learned about our faith was in catechisms. These learning tools were intended to describe our faith in ways beginners would understand, memorize and repeat.

Catechisms were constructed in a question/answer format. They were successful learning tools with a measurable outcome, but in retrospect they had at least one glaring flaw: They referred to the Bible but seldom quoted the words of the Bible.

I can still remember my first college theology class. It revolved entirely around reading and studying the Bible. What an eye-opener! I was stunned by the freshness, the depth and the power of such rich material. It was like hearing the Original Voice instead of *about* it.

Then came another new experience: a pope — Pope John XXIII — encouraging us to read the Bible, study it, pray from it. The Second Vatican Council restored the Bible to its place as the primary source of all theology and tradition. Pope John reassured us that the truth of the Gospel had not changed but that our understanding of it was growing.

The council gave fresh impetus to the study of God's word, and this influenced our Catholic approach to spirituality, meditation and prayer. A renewed focus on the Liturgy of the Word at Mass restored regular preaching, especially about practicing justice in the world.



When we *listen* deeply through meditating on God's Word, then we will be motivated and strengthened to *follow*.

Today's Gospel reading, for example, gives us a scene fraught with threat and conflict. The issue is Jesus' claim that "I and the Father are one." Jesus is boldly asserting that he and God are totally united and that all those who "hear" Jesus and "follow" Jesus are hearing and following God.

To the people of the synagogue, this was utter blasphemy. They were so incensed that they wanted to stone Jesus, (John 10:31-33).

What this passage from the Bible emphasizes is that we need to grasp as clearly as we can the two characteristics Jesus considers indispensable for those who call themselves members of his flock: "My sheep hear my voice ... and they follow me."

Hear and Follow

First, we must "hear" Jesus. What better way to do that than by reading and absorbing his teachings in the Gospels; in the letters of Paul; in the marvelous Exodus tales of rescue from enslavement; in the preaching of the prophets about how mercy, not sacrifice, is most pleasing to God; and in the promise contained in the hope for One who will come to liberate us from suffering and death?

And then we must take up the most difficult task of all: We must follow. Not just worship. Not just praise. We must undertake the hard work of doing, of following.

Here's how Fr. Jose Anotnio Pagola sums up what following Jesus means: "It is to believe what Jesus believed, to love what Jesus loved, to defend the dignity of the human person as Jesus defended it; to be with the powerless and vulnerable as Jesus was; to be free to do good as Jesus did; to trust the Father as Jesus trusted Him, and to face life and death with the great message of Easter: Hope! Victory!" (*Following in the Footsteps of Jesus*, Convivium Press, 2010).

When we *listen* deeply through meditating on God's Word, then we will be motivated and strengthened to *follow*. The reward? We, too, become one with the Father! Alleluia!

St. Teresa of Avila Parish Leadership Teams

Pastoral Council

Jessica Marx
Bert Olson
Anna Althoff

Alex Lopez
Justin Peters

Jessica Marx is president of the Parish Pastoral Council; her email is chicago2381@hotmail.com

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

Finance Council

Jane Bronson
Jack Halpin
Chris Parente
Ray Genellie
Elissa Sirovatka

Justin Alden
Dave Hilko
Steve Fortino
Becky Francis

Matt Donner is president of the Parish Finance Council; his email is mddonner19199@gmail.com

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

Building Committee

Steve Kolinski
Caleb Marx
Bill Mack
Jane Bronson
Jose Cervantes
Carol Christiansen
Dave Hilko

Dan Hurley
Karen Kinsella
Frank Swiderski
Dave Espinoza
John Mitchell
Dan Summins

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

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Evangelization

Seeking a Leader

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)

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For information about ...

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

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Weekend Masses

Saturday	5:00 pm
<i>en Français</i>	6:30 pm ⁺
Sunday	9:00 am
<i>en Español</i>	10:30 am*
	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

