





Faith & Spirit, Alive

Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time November 4, 2018

The second is this: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself."

-- Mark 12:31

Rev. Frank John Latzko, Pastor

Weekend Mass Schedule Saturday at 5 PM & 6:30 PM (En Française¹) Sunday at 9 AM, 10:30 AM (En Español²) 12 PM, 6 PM ¹First & Second Saturdays ²First Sundays

Daily Mass Schedule Monday — Thursday at 7:30 AM Friday Communion Service at 7:30 AM

Eucharistic Adoration Tuesdays 6 PM to 7:30 PM

Baptism Preparation 2nd Sunday of the Month 10 AM (Call to register)

Office Hours Monday – Friday 9 AM to 7:00 PM Saturday 9 AM to 12 PM



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Welcome, Babies!

As part of our parish refugee program we are working with Catholic Charities to supply items for two women who are expecting babies in November: Claudina Gato from DR Congo who is expecting a boy and Farkhunda Azizi from Afghanistan who will welcome a girl. The families are here with little or no support and we can help them by providing a few things they need. We are looking for gently used or new: fitted crib sheets, crib blankets, wearing blankets, changing pads

We would like to purchase two new cribs and highchairs for the babies, so cash gifts are welcomed to put toward those items. Baskets are available today to receive donations. If you are contributing blankets or sheets, please bring them to church on Sundays, not during the week. Thank you for your always generous response to help families in need. Please contact Mairead Reidy (mairead.reidy@yahoo.com) or Geneva Gorgo (genevag@hotmail.com) for more information.

Tax Credit Scholarships

Are you interested in supporting low income students with your tax dollars? A 75% state tax credit is available for donations toward a qualified scholarship granting organization (SGO). St. Teresa of Avila has partnered with St. Benedict the African, one of just two schools still servicing Chicago's Englewood neighborhood, to encourage funding scholarships through the new Illinois tax credit scholarship program.

This program is a great way to maximize your charitable dollars. For example, a net contribution of \$1,045 (\$4180 donation with a \$3,135 tax credit) you can support a full scholarship.

Visit archchicago.org/tcs to learn more, or contact the parish office.

Time of Your Life Gala

Back by Popular Demand: Instant Wine Cellar!

Donate a favorite bottle of wine (or two) and help us build an awesome auction prize: 100 bottles of wine to be auctioned on Nov 17th! You can also donate \$25 or more and we'll purchase the wine for you.

Drop off wine before or after Mass or donate online.

Get Your Tickets! Nov 17th | \$150/person

A "magical" auction evening with dinner, drinks and dancing to benefit St. Teresa. Take a chance on the Gala Getaway Raffle: \$100/ticket for the chance to win 1 of 4 great trips.

Buy tickets at: stap.givesmart.com

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Financial Collections

Date	Collections Basket	Give Central	Total
8-26-18	\$4,524	\$6,719	\$11,243
9-2-18	\$3,533	\$13,162	\$16,695
9-9-18	\$3,036	\$5,625	\$8,661
9-16-18	\$2,228	\$6,508	\$8,736
9-23-18	\$2,616	\$4,928	\$7,544
YTD 7-1-18 - 8-31-18	\$40,249	\$98,255	\$138,504

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Everyday Stewardship

"And 'to love him with all your heart, with all your understanding, with all your strength, and to love your neighbor as yourself' is worth more than all the burnt offerings and sacrifices." (MARK 12:33)

Of all the gifts that God gives us the one He wants the most is our heart. He wants us to share out of love, not out of obligation. Using our talent in parish ministry and contributing money to support our parish mission is important, but it's more important to spend time in prayer with God daily and discern how He is calling us to be generous with all of our gifts. Not just the visible ones, but the invisible ones like love, mercy and forgiveness.

Bible Study

St. Teresa's fall session of Bible Study kicks off soon with a seven week study: Introduction to the Bible. Email Jackie at jackiekoesters@gmail.com if you are interested in participating.

Stewardship of Prayer and Worship

Sunday: 10-28-18

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Saturday, 5:00pm Mass Attendance	62
Sunday, 9:00am Mass Attendance	330
Sunday, 12:00pm Mass Attendance	175
Sunday, 6:00pm Mass Attendance	150
Total Weekend Mass Attendance	717
Average Weekday Mass Attendance	10
6	
Average Friday Communion Service Attendance	5
Confessions this Week	0
Anointing/Sick Calls/Hospital Visits this Week	0
Funerals since January 2018	5
Weddings since January 2018	5
Baptisms since January 2018	43

There are 351 parishes in the Archdiocese of Chicago; only 55 parishes have weekend attendance that exceeds 2,000. St. Teresa's October Count averaged for 2016, 550; for 2017, 628 people at weekend Masses.

The 2017/2018 monthly averages are: January 489/644; Februrary, 570/566; March, 640/637; April, 705/810; May, 573/583; June, 541/523; July, 463/511; August, 510/509; September, 566/563; October, 628; November 622.

In the Archdiocese there is 1 priest for every 1525 parishioners; in the USA the ratio is 1:1653 Catholics; 27 percent of US parishes do not have a resident priest. In comparison, South America has a ration of 1:7094 Catholics.

Parish Calendars

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Celebrant/Minister Schedule					
Date	Date Time Celebrant Sacristan/Lector Eucharistic Ho		Eucharistic Host	Eucharistic Cup	
Saturday 11-10-18	5:00 PM	Fr. Richard Benson, CM	Sacristan: Lisa Marquez Lector: <i>MINISTER NEEDED</i>	Margaret Burke	Leigh Hartley Kari Richardson
Sunday 11-11-18	9:00 AM	Fr. Frank	Sacristan: Frank Swiderski Lector: Children's Service	Deirdre Curry Bormes Barb Schell Jocelyn Lutkus	Phillip Malloy Molly Malloy Rose Ohiku Brian Shea
Sunday 11-11-18	12:00 PM	Fr. Frank	Sacristan: Franciso Perez Lector: Christopher Toups	Bob Pedro Anne Seigenthaler Carmen Ubides	Tyler Paul Daniel Kang Maria Montes Alice Morales-Villenas
Sunday 11-11-18	6:00 PM	Rev. Tony Dosen, CM	Sacristan: Eryn Gronewoeller Lector: John DeWyze	Alyssa Stella Eileen Raia Luke Kolman	Daniel Cortese Roberto Martinez Abel Gonzalez Dani Shain

Week's Activities	Saints & S	pecial Observances	Upcoming Food Pantry Dates
Sunday, November 4 10:00 am, PC, Sunday Hospitality 10:30 am, REC, CGS 4:30 pm, REC, Edge & Quest Mass 5:30 pm, REC, CGS III Monday, November 5 4:00 pm, REC, CGS 7:00 pm, PC, Parish Council Tuesday, November 6	Sunday: Tuesday: Friday: Saturday:	Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time Election Day The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica St. Leo the Great	Saturday, November 10 9:00 am to 10:00 am Set Up 10:00 am to 12:00 pm Distribution Saturday, November 17 9:00 am to 10:00 am Set Up 10:00 am to 12:00 pm Distribution
 6:00 pm, PC, SPRED 6:00 pm, Church, Eucharistic Adoration 6:00 pm, PC2, Time of Your Life Wednesday, November 7 No Activities Planned Thursday, November 8 9:00 am, PC, Food Pantry Delivery Friday, November 9 3:00 pm, PC, Loaves & Fishes 7:00 pm, PC, Spanish Prayer Group 	Domingo: Martes: Viernes: Sábado:	Trigésimo Primer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario Día de Elecciones La Dedicación de las Basílica de San Juan de Letrán San León Magno	Saturday, November 24 9:00 am to 10:00 am Set Up 10:00 am to 12:00 pm Distribution Saturday, December 1 9:00 am to 10:00 am Set Up 10:00 am to 12:00 pm Distribution Saturday, December 8 9:00 am to 10:00 am Set Up
Saturday, November 10 9:00 am, GS-PC, Food Pantry 5:00 pm, Time of your life Gala			10:00 am to 12:00 pm Distribution

Mass Intentions & Prayers

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Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 3 5:00 pm James Woods Sunday, November 4

9:00 am Deceased Parishioners of St. Teresa of Avila Parish
12:00 pm Teresa Hernandez, Marilyn Zost
6:00 pm Deceased Parishioners of St. Teresa of Avila Parish

Let Us Pray

Please pray for the deceased ...

Jeffrey Bergen, Nancy Hadler, Chuck Jabaley, Joyce Jaszczor, Marie Koesters-Ranley, Frank Kolman, Thomas Latoski, Sage Mesen, Bob Semmer, Pat Stanley, and the Victims of War & Domestic Violence

November Baptisms

Bryn Anne Hughes (11-11-18), Blair Margaret Hughes (11-11-18) Theodore Joseph Rausch (11-23-18), Mariana Ly Antiporta (11-25-18)

Please pray for all those who are ill, especially for ...

Alicia Anderson Dorothy Barns Berta Billalvazo Michelle Brandt Carol Coffey Susan Conway Patricia Chuck Elizabeth Ryan Dean Michael De Blasis Alex DeNoma Kim Duffy Isabelle Eiffert Helen Fasano Jackson Fineske & Family Pat Folland Alice Flvnn Eloisa Gallegos Michael Gibbons Angela Goldberg

Kavlee Gommel Bolivar Gonzales, Jr. Les Gordon Mrs. Grabarczyk George Halloran Kellar Harris Peg Hausen David Ivanac Ronald Jakubec Krista Kutz Betty LaCour Carmen D. Lorenzana Gabriel Lozada Madeline Mancini George Maroquin Jose Maroquin Lisa Marquez Margaret Sue Meadors Daniel Meyer

Tracy Mirabella Bill Mobley John Monier Elda Myers John Paul Nelson Angel Nieves Juan Nigo Msgr. Kevin O'Neill Frank O'Toole Clayton Poe Carol Poyner Hector J. Rivera Luis Rivera Pedro Rodriguez Rav Romero Jeffrev Roscoe Denise Rosen Sr. Camilla Mary Marney, OCD Sr. Jean Ryan, OCD

Jack Schank Will Sullivan Mima Tome JoAnn Jahnke Trainer Elizabeth Ann True Marianne Usiak Sara Vega Susan Violapiano Jack Williams Valerie Williams Mae Witrv David Zeunert For the intentions on our praver cards; for survivors and perpetrators of sexual abuse

#prayforpeace

We pray for those who lost their lives to violence in the City of Chicago last week -- Peter Rim; Detavious Beeks; Kenjuan Scott; and Deshawn Jacobs.

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 leave the names of the deceased parishioners and friends on the list for about twelve months.

Parish Life

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English Literacy Volunteers Needed

Help adult immigrants learn English at Aquinas Literacy Center! Volunteer as a one-on-one tutor for just 90 minutes per week at 1751 West 35th Street in Chicago. You do not have to speak another language; all tutoring is in English.

Join us for our upcoming next tutor training 2-day workshop:

Friday, November 9th (6-9pm) and Saturday, November 10th (9am-4pm)

Register in advance and come both days to begin tutoring. For more information or to register, please contact the Volunteer Coordinator at sabrina@aquinasliteracycenter.org or (773) 927-0512. Aquinas Literacy Center is sponsored by the Adrian Dominican Sisters.

Friday Morning Playgroup

Join us on Friday Mornings at the St. Teresa of Avila baby-toddler playgroup

10:00 to 11:30 am

in the Religious Education Center

(Enter at 1950 N. Kenmore)



St. Vincent de Paul Soup Kitchen

HELP NEEDED!!

Your help is needed to volunteer at the soup kitchen at St. Vincent de Paul Church (1010 W Webster). Each day, Monday through Saturday, the kitchen serves about 100 hot meals to our guests. Volunteers are needed to serve from 7:45AM until 10:15AM. We will especially need help when DePaul goes on their winter break from mid-November until January. To volunteer or receive more information, please contact Irene at outreach@stvdep.org

Women's Center Seeking Donations

We are in immediate need of:

- 6 infant car seat/carriers
- 5 large car seats for 20 to 40 lb (by law all car seats must be less than 7 years old)
- Toddler beds
- Exersaucers
- Baby carriers –(front and back).
- Baby food (in date)
- Enfamil formula
- Baby shampoo
- Baby lotion
- Baby wipes
- Diapers in size 5 and 6 only
- Pull-up diapers in all sizes
- Women's hygiene products
- Need maternity clothes in XL only
- Girl's clothes in size 2T to 5
- Boys clothes size 7 and 8
- Children's winter coats and jackets in all sizes

These items can only be picked up when accompanied by baby furniture. For our address where you can deliver them to us or if a pick-up by a volunteer is needed, please call 773-794-1313.

Food Pantry Shopping List

There are five items the Food Pantry could really use: Pasta & rice (all kinds) Oatmeal Boxed cereal Hearty canned soups Regular- and family-size deodorant & shampoo; toothbrushes & toothpaste

If you are interested in volunteering at the Food Pantry, contact Lisa Hanzelka at lhanzelka@sbcglobal.net.

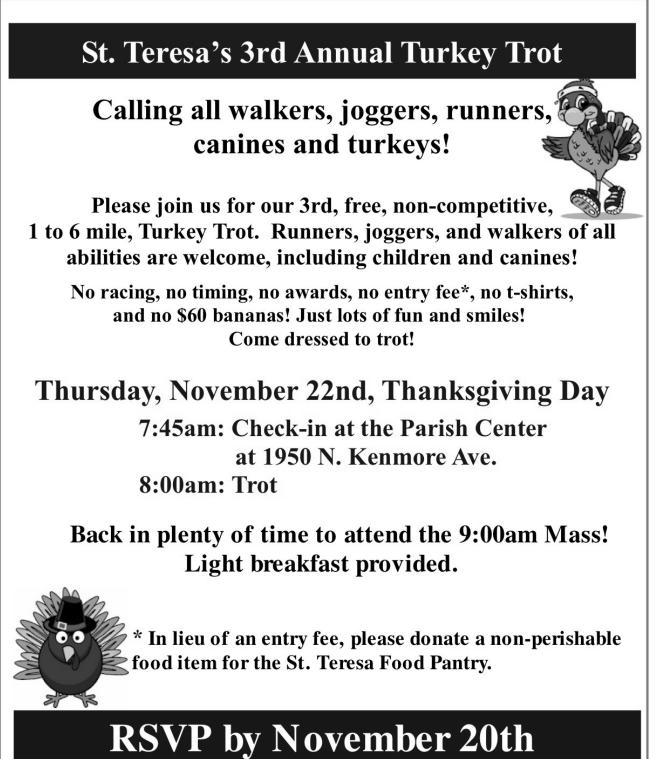


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Readings/Lecturas

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Readings for the Week		L
Monday:	Phil 2:1-4; Ps 131:1bcde-3; Lk 14:12-14	Lunes:
Tuesday:	Phil 2:5-11; Ps 22:26b-30ab, 30e, 31-32; Lk 14:15-24	Martes:
Wednesday:	Phil 2:12-18; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 14:25-33	Miércoles:
Thursday:	Phil 3:3-8a; Ps 105:2-7; Lk 15:1-10	Incorrect
Friday:	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22	Jueves: Viernes:
Saturday:	Phil 4:10-19; Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a, 9; Lk 16:9-15	Sábado:
Sunday:	1 Kgs 17:10-16; Ps 146:7-10; Heb 9:24- 28; Mk 12:38-44 [41-44]	Domingo:

Lecturas de la Semana

Lunes:	Fil 2:1-4; Sal 131 (130):1bcde-3; Lc 14:12-14
Martes:	Fil 2:5-11; Sal 22 (21):26b-30ab, 30e, 31- 32; Le 14:15-24
Miércoles:	Fil 2:12-18; Sal 27 (26):1, 4, 13-14; Lc 14:25-33
Jueves:	Fil 3:3-8a; Sal 105 (104):2-7; Lc 15:1-10
Viernes:	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Sal 46 (45):2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22
Sábado:	Fil 4:10-19; Sal 112 (111):1b-2, 5-6, 8a, 9; Lc 16:9-15
Domingo:	1 Re 17:10-16; Sal 146 (145):7-10; Heb 9:24-28; Mc 12:38-44 [41-44]

Treasures From Tradition

Just two years ago, we engaged in one of the core activities of our democratic system: a presidential election. Actually, the institution of election can be traced to traditions in the Church, and although bishops are no longer chosen in this way, abbots and abbesses (heads of monastic communities) have almost always been elected by full voting members of their communities. The lifetime appointment begins when the monks or nuns are gathered in "chapter" at the death or resignation of the abbot, and fortunately for all involved, campaigning is not allowed! The members of the community discern, with prayer to the Holy Spirit, who among them is the best suited for leadership. Once chosen, the new leader requests the blessing of the local bishop, who usually presides at a ceremony of consecration or investiture. The ballots are always secret, and a simple majority must be achieved.

In our American system the Electoral College is the determining voice in the presidential election, not the popular election on a November Tuesday, just as the monastic chapter is the electorate. Today, most religious orders elect general superiors in "chapter" by delegates of the professed members, and usually for a term of six years. A few, like the Jesuits, elect for life. At least we don't have that weight on our shoulders when we choose a president. Four years at a time will do!

-Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co

Tradiciones de Nuestra Fe

Uno de los santos más populares de la época medieval fue el soldado húngaro conocido como Martín Caballero o Martín de Tours (c. 315397). Esta popularidad se debió a su biografía escrita por un discípulo, Sulpicio Severo. Su vida fue el mejor ejemplo de santidad a través de varios siglos. Contiene



esta biografía muchos de los acontecimientos, enseñanzas y milagros de la vida del santo que fue soldado en el ejército romano antes de su conversión. Muchos ignoran que fue monje, misionero y obispo por muchos años. Su imagen decora muchos almanaques latinoamericanos y él continúa siendo un santo popular. La representación más común de san Martín es la de un soldado romano sobre un caballo que rasga su manto rojo a la mitad con una espada para darle una parte a un pobre sentado a los pies del caballo. Según su biografía, Martín

hizo esto durante el proceso de su conversión y resulta que el pobre limosnero se le aparece en un sueño revelándose como Cristo mismo, ya que lo que un cristiano hace por los pobres y marginados lo hace por Jesús.

-Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glz, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

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God's Laws

God's laws are not intended to burden or torment us. Instead they are guideposts that point us in the direction of good living. Accordingly, good living requires loving God and loving one another. We should not follow God's laws out of fear of what might happen if we don't, but rather view them as a foundation for building relationships and trust with one another and with God.

The Shema prayer of Orthodox Jews is based on the reading from Deuteronomy today, "Hear, O Israel." Every morning people recite the prayer as a profession of their love for God and pledge their obedience to God throughout the day. They pass on their love of God to their children, from one generation to the next.

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Las Leyes de Díos

Las leyes de Dios no intentan atormentarnos o ser una carga. Al contrario, son señales que nos guían por el sendero de la buena vida. Por lo tanto, la buena vida requiere que amemos a Dios y nos amemos unos a otros. No debemos seguir las leyes divinas por miedo a lo que pudiera ocurrir si no las seguimos, más bien verlas como un fundamento sobre el cual construir nuestras relaciones y entablar confianza con los demás y con Dios.

La oración Shema de los judíos ortodoxos se basa en la lectura de hoy del Deuteronomio: "Escucha, pues, Israel". Cada mañana la persona recita la oración como una profesión de amor a Dios y un compromiso de obediencia a Dios a lo largo del día. Así transmiten el amor a Dios a sus hijos, de generación en generación.

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Today's Readings

First Reading — The Lord, the God of your fathers, will give you a land flowing with milk and honey (Deuteronomy 6:2-6).

Psalm — I love you, Lord, my strength (Psalm 18).

Second Reading — Jesus is always able to save those who approach God through him (Hebrews 7:23-28).

Gospel — To love God with all your heart

and to love your neighbor as yourself is worth more than all burnt offerings and sacrifices (Mark 12:28b-34).



Lecturas de Hoy

Primera lectura — Guarden los mandamientos y

normas del Señor. Ama al Señor, tu Dios, con todo tu ser (Deuteronomio 6:2-6). **Salmo** — Yo te amo, Señor, tú eres mi fortaleza

(Psalm 18 [17]). Segunda lectura — Jes

Segunda lectura — Jesús permanece para la eternidad y no cesará de ser sacerdote. Él se ofreció una vez por todas

por los pecados de su pueblo (Hebreos 7:23-28). **Evangelio** — Ama al Señor y a tu prójimo como a ti mismo. No hay ningún mandamiento más importante que estos (Marcos 12:28b-34)

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Keeping All the Commandments

We are nearing the end of the church year. In three weeks, we will celebrate the feast of Christ the King and the following Sunday will usher in Advent. As we near the end of our liturgical calendar, the readings turn towards the end of Jesus' earthly life. The Gospel interaction with the scribe takes place inside the Jerusalem Temple a few days before Jesus' passion, death and resurrection.

On this day in the Temple, Jesus is first approached by several irate chief

priests and scribes who demand to know where he thinks he gets the authority to do and preach what he does. Once they leave, a group of Herodians and Pharisees try to trap him with a question about paying taxes. Then, it is the Sadducees who are up to bat and go into a ridiculous tale of a woman made to marry seven brothers in succession all to try and disprove the resurrection of the dead. It is amazing that Jesus is not completely fed up by the time the lone scribe from today's Gospel reading draws near. Unlike the questioners before him, this scribe is not intent on tripping up Jesus. Rather, intrigued by "how well he had answered [the Sadducees]," the scribe decides to see how Jesus might respond to the question, "Which is the first of all the commandments?" (Mark 12:28).

Jesus' response echoes the words of Moses in today's first reading from Deuteronomy. Known as the "Shema" (for the first word of the prayer, "Hear, O Israel"), this biblical verse is the most ancient prayer of the Jewish people, recited in the morning and evening by observant Jews to this day. The second commandment that Jesus cites is also found in the Hebrew Scriptures, "Take no revenge and cherish no grudge against your own people. You shall love your neighbor as yourself" (Leviticus 19:18). Lest we think that this commandment extends only to fellow Jews, the writer of Leviticus admonishes only a few verses later:

When an alien resides with you in your land, do not mistreat such a one. You shall treat the alien who resides with you no differently than the natives born

While Jewish tradition holds that there are 613 commandments found within the Torah, Jesus is saying that in loving God and loving our neighbor as ourselves we are in fact keeping them all. among you; you shall love the alien as yourself. (19:33-34)

The words Jesus speaks are not new. In fact, they are among the most beloved of the Jewish tradition. In Matthew's version of this encounter, Jesus concludes by saying, "The whole law and the prophets depends on these two commandments" (22:40). The scribe greets Jesus' response with delight adding that to love God and love neighbor "is worth more than all burnt

offerings and sacrifices." We could ask, if these words are so well known, why was this exchange recorded in the Gospels at all? Perhaps it is because much like Christians in our own time, Jesus' compatriots needed to be reminded of what was most essential. While Jewish tradition holds that there are 613 commandments found within the Torah, Jesus is saying that in loving God and loving our neighbor as ourselves we are in fact keeping them all. It is easy to get caught up in details and thorny issues much like the Herodians, Pharisees, Sadducees, chief priests and scribes who question Jesus about authority, taxes and resurrection prior to today's Gospel. None of their questions get to the heart of what it means to live a life worthy of the kingdom of God.

As we come to the end of the church year, now is a good time to take stock of our lives. In every moment, we are given a choice. Are there places we have strayed from the essential core of Jesus' message? Do my actions and my very being communicate reverence for God and reverence for neighbor? When they do, like the scribe in today's Gospel, we are not far from the kingdom of God..

Celebration Publications — Katy Beedle Rice

St. Teresa of Avila Parish Leadership Teams

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

Finance Council

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

Stewardship Committee

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Please contact Rebecca O'Brien for information on joining the Stewardship committee. Email is robrien@stteresaparish.org.

Stewardship Committee meets on the second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center.

Office Information and Bulletin Deadlines

Parish Offices are located at 1037 W. Armitage Ave. Phone is (773) 528-6650. FAX is (773) 871-6766. Hours are: 9:00 am to 7:00 pm Monday through Friday, and Saturday 9:00 am to 12:00 pm.

The submission deadline for most Sunday bulletins is 11:00 am on the Monday before; deadlines are accelerated for the holidays. The bulletin is also published electronically on st-teresa.net. Please contact John at bulletin@stteresaparish.org for more information.

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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. Six percent of our Sunday collections is shared with other missions.

Help 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. Stop In For Quiet Prayer

Tuesdays 6:00 to 7:30рм



For More 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 klynch@stteresaparish.org

For More Information About...

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