

ST. THERESA CATHOLIC CHURCH – Sunny Hills

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“Live for the Lord and die in the Lord.”

“We have found the Messiah: Jesus Christ, who brings us truth and grace...”



The parishioners of St. Theresa and Fr. Paul Moody welcome everyone as we gather to worship.

Mass Times for The Second Sunday of Ordinary Time and for the Second Week of Ordinary Time.

January 14 Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 pm
The Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

Int: Parishioners of St. Theresa

January 15 Sunday Mass 9:00 am
The Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

Intention: + Andrzej Ciesla

January 16 Monday 5:00 pm
Second Week of Ordinary Time

Intention: + Anna In

January 19 Thursday Mass 5:15 am
Second Week of Ordinary Time

Intention: + Anna Ty

January 20 Friday Mass 5:15 am
Second Week of Ordinary Time

Intention: Anna Warpecha

January 21 Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 pm
The Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

Intention: + All Souls in Purgatory

January 22 Sunday Mass 9:00 am
The Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

Intention: Sofia Zikon

“Here on earth, it’s impossible to perform a more meritorious act than visiting Jesus often in the Eucharist. If you took all of the good works done by all of the humans who have ever lived in all of history and stacked them all up and multiplied them by a million, they wouldn’t equal the merit, the virtue and the worth of one Mass. The Eucharistic sacrifice is Christ’s infinite merit, infinite value.” St. Teresa of Avila

The Lamb who takes away the sin of the world: After agreeing to baptize him along with the sinners, John the Baptist looked at Jesus and pointed him out as the "Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world". By doing so, he reveals that Jesus is at the same time the suffering Servant who silently allows himself to be led to the slaughter and who bears the sin of the multitudes, and also the Paschal Lamb, the symbol of Israel's redemption at the first Passover. Christ's whole life expresses his mission: "to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many." (CCC – 608)

“Let me say that we have already received from God the ability to fulfill all His commands. We have then no reason to resent them, as if something beyond our capacity were being asked of us. We have no reason either to be angry, as if we were being asked to pay back more than we had received. When we use this ability in a right and fitting way, we lead a life of virtue and holiness. But if we misuse it, we fall into sin.

This is the definition of sin: the misuse of powers given to us by God for doing good, a use contrary to God’s commandments. On the other hand, the virtue that God asks of us is the use of the same powers based on a good conscience in accord with God’s command.”

- St Basil the Great

Prayer Requests: We continue to pray for all of our parishioners who are sick and for the people who care for them. Please pray for all of the members of our Armed Forces and for all of our Law Enforcement Officers, especially Deputy Dakota Jarvis and Brian Paridon as they risk their lives to keep us safe.



There are special prayer requests for Birute Labutis, Stanley Kuc, Ralph Rowbotham, Jennifer Nason, Mrs. Maria Doniec, Mrs. Sonia Burke, Joana Macijauskas, Mrs. Hella Tompkins, Mrs. Ann Ivers, Albina Vysniauskas, Brone and Vida Nakas, Dennis & Jean Sandfort, Maria Antoniewicz, Glen Zanetic, Mrs. Anna Jarzabek, Fr. Andrew Sosnowski, Mrs. Jadwiga Kuc, Robert Espinosa, Winifred & Steve Flowers, and Bruce Paridon. Please remember to pray each day for the souls in purgatory and for our fellow parishioners at St. Theresa

Two Notes:

- 1) The names listed in our prayer list are not all suffering from illness. Some of the names represent special intentions for things other than illnesses. They or a member of their family may need some intercessory prayers for a variety of reasons.
- 2) Mass Intentions are not only for the deceased. They are also for the living on special days of their lives or requested in appreciation for their place in our lives.

“Jesus Christ, the God-Man, was born in a manger and is spiritually reborn on the altar. He suffered on Calvary and continues to offer Himself on the altar. In His earthly life, He spread His teaching and worked miracles among the crowds. In the Eucharist, He spans the centuries and communicates Himself to all.” – St John Chrysostom

Offertory: We thank our parishioners and guests for their continued generosity.

St. Theresa	Nov. 2022	Nov. 2021	Total for This FY (July 2022 – Nov. 2022)	Total for Prior FY (July 2021 – Nov. 2021)
Offertory	\$ 5114	\$ 8389	\$ 38739	\$ 42753
CSA for 2022	Goal	Pledged	Received	
	\$ 8210	\$ 9135	\$ 9050	

**“It is not hard to obey when we love the one whom we obey.”
– St. Ignatius of Loyola”**



“And they overcame him because of the blood of the Lamb and because of the word of their testimony, and they did not love their life even when faced with death.” (Rev. 12:11)

