

ST. THERESA CATHOLIC CHURCH – Sunny Hills

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“First let a little love find entrance into your hearts, and the rest will follow.”

-St. Philip Neri

**“When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd,
his heart was moved with pity for them,
for they were like sheep without a shepherd;
and he began to teach them many things.”**



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

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

July 20 Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 pm
Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Intention: Tomasz Nocun & Family
Reader: Mark

July 21 Sunday Mass 9:00 am
Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Intention: + Fr. Izidorius Gedvila
Reader: Veronica

July 22 Monday 8:00 am
St. Mary Magdalene – Feast

Intention: Chris Ciesla & Family

July 25 Thursday 8:00 am
St. James, Apostle - Feast

Intention: + Karl Moody, Sr

July 26 Friday Adoration 7:00 am – 8:00 am

Sts. Joachim & Anne, Parents of the BVM – Mem. Mass 8:00 am Int:+ Genevieve Gedvila

July 27 Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 pm
Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Intention: The Szostek Family
Reader: Kate

July 28 Sunday Mass 9:00 am
Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Intention: + Thuy Nguyen.
Reader: Sal

“Poor human reason, when it trusts in itself, substitutes the strangest absurdities for the highest divine concepts.” – St. John Chrysostom

“When we speak about wisdom, we are speaking about Christ. When we speak about virtue, we are speaking about Christ. When we speak about justice, we are speaking about Christ. When we speak about peace, we are speaking about Christ. When we speak about truth and life and redemption, we are speaking about Christ.” - St. Ambrose



A Very Happy Birthday to John Ciesla and Antoni Biela who celebrate their birthdays on July 25. Please wish these two good men a happy and holy year to come.



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 David Zurawska, Deputy Dakota Jarvis and Brian Paridon as they risk their lives to keep us safe.



There are special prayer requests for David Hilty, John Oakley, Larry Arnold, Susan & David Estes, Gerry Sott, Cathy Andrews, Stanley & Jadwiga Kuc, Ralph Rowbotham, Jennifer Nason, Mrs. Maria Doniec, Bob & Sonia Burke, Joana Macijauskas, Mrs. Hella Tompkins, Mrs. Ann Ivers, Albina Vysniauskas, Brone & Vida Nakas, Maria Antoniewicz, Glen Zanetic, Mrs. Anna Jarzabek, 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.



The flowers decorating the sanctuary this week were graciously and generously provided by Maria & John Doniec.



“If you cannot find Christ in the beggar at the church door, you will not find Him in the chalice.” — St. John Chrysostom

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

St. Theresa Parish Offertory	June 2024	June 2023	Total for This FY (July 2023 – June 2024)	Total for Prior FY (July 2022 – June 2023)
	\$ 9150	\$ 6039	\$ 92150	\$ 90326
CSA for 2024	Goal	Pledged	Received	
	\$ 7000	\$ 8480	\$ 7530	

Deliberate *hatred* is contrary to charity. Hatred of the neighbor is a sin when one deliberately wishes him evil. Hatred of the neighbor is a grave sin when one deliberately desires him grave harm. "But I say to you, Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, so that you may be sons of your Father who is in heaven." Respect for and development of human life require peace. (CCC 2302)

It is not the role of the Pastors of the Church to intervene directly in the political structuring and organization of social life. This task is part of the vocation of the *lay faithful*, acting on their own initiative with their fellow citizens. Social action can assume various concrete forms. It should always have the common good in view and be in conformity with the message of the Gospel and the teaching of the Church. It is the role of the laity "to animate temporal realities with Christian commitment, by which they show that they are witnesses and agents of peace and justice." (CCC 2442)

“Jesus Christ gave up his life that we might live, therefore, whoever wishes to carry the cross for his sake must take up the proper weapons for the contest, especially those mentioned here. First, diligence; second, distrust of self; third, confidence in God; fourth, remembrance of the Passion; fifth, mindfulness of one’s own death; sixth, remembrance of God’s glory; seventh, the injunctions of Sacred Scripture following the example of Jesus Christ in the desert” - St. Catharine of Bologna