

## ST. THERESA CATHOLIC CHURCH – Sunny Hills

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**“Lord give us grateful hearts and keep us mindful of the needs of others.”**

**“He said to them, “Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing.”**



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

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

January 25 Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 pm  
Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

Intention: + Karl H. Moody  
Reader: Christina

January 26 Sunday Mass 9:00 am  
Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

Intention: + Frank Biela  
Reader: Veronica

January 27 Monday 8:00 am  
Third Week of Ordinary Time

Intention: + Hella Tompkins

January 30 Thursday Mass 8:00 am  
Third Week of Ordinary Time

Intention: + Brent & Katie Wall

January 31 Friday Adoration 7:00 am – 8:00 am  
St. John Bosco, Priest – Mem. Mass 8:00 am

Intention: Catherine Andrews

February 1 Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 pm  
Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Intention: + Brone Nakas  
Reader: Kate

February 2 Sunday Mass 9:00 am  
Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Int: + Czesłowa Czajka-Kozłowska  
Reader: Sal

**“A servant of the Lord is he who in body stands before men, but in mind knocks at heaven with prayer.” - St. John Climacus**

**SORRY  
TO SEE  
YOU GO**

Catherine (Cathy) Andrews is moving to be closer to her children and grandchildren.

Cathy has very quietly helped St. Theresa in so many ways. She has been a faithful parishioner, a Member of our Finance Committee, the Offertory Counting Team, and has always been ready with good advice to help our Parish.

Cathy has been a great blessing to St. Theresa.

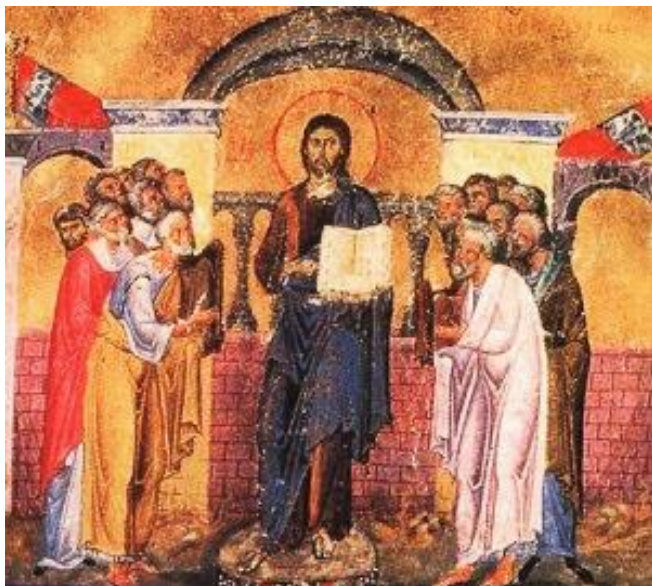
As we say goodbye to this wonderful parishioner, Cathy goes with our appreciation, best wishes, and our prayers.

**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 and Brian Paridon as they risk their lives to keep us safe.



There are special prayer requests for Sr. Anna Szostek, Ed Lang, Paul Day, Alvera Seluga, Lidia Kraj, 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. Ann Ivers, Albina Vysniauskas, 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.

**“Just as in Paradise God walks in the Holy Scriptures seeking man.” – St. Ambrose**



The  
Word  
of God



**The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time is to be celebrated as the Sunday of the Word of God.**

**The Word of God in the life of the Church:** “In the hearing of God's word the Church is built up and grows, and in the signs of the liturgical celebration God's wonderful, past works in the history of salvation are presented anew as mysterious realities. God in turn makes use of the congregation of the faithful that celebrates the Liturgy in order that his word may speed on and be glorified and that his name be exalted among the nations. Whenever, therefore, the Church, gathered by the Holy Spirit for liturgical celebration, announces and proclaims the word of God, she is aware of being a new people in whom the covenant made in the past is perfected and fulfilled. Baptism and confirmation in the Spirit have made all Christ's faithful into messengers of God's word because of the grace of hearing they have received. They must therefore be the bearers of the same word in the Church and in the world, at least by the witness of their lives. The word of God proclaimed in the celebration of God's mysteries does not only address present conditions but looks back to past events and forward to what is yet to come. Thus God's word shows us what we should hope for with such a longing that in this changing world our hearts will be set on the place where our true joys lie.”

**“In regard to the divine and holy mysteries of the faith, the smallest part may not be handed on without the Holy Scriptures. Do not be led astray by winning words and clever arguments. Even to me, who tell you these things, do not give ready belief, unless you receive from the Holy Scriptures the proof of the things which I announce. The salvation in which we believe is not proved from clever reasoning, but from the Holy Scriptures.**

**– St Cyril of Jerusalem**

**We thank our parishioners and guests for their continued generosity.**

St. Theresa Offertory	Dec. 2024	Dec. 2023	Total for This FY (July 2024 – Dec. 2024)	Total for Prior FY (July 2023 – Dec. 2023)
	\$ 8091	\$ 9288	<b>\$ 43715</b>	\$ 48524
CSA for 2024	<b>Goal</b>	<b>Pledged</b>	<b>Received</b>	
	<b>\$ 7000</b>	<b>\$ 8355</b>	<b>\$ 8355</b>	

**Tax Prep Time!**

**Year End Financial Statements:** If you need a summary of your donations to St. Theresa for the year 2024 for tax preparation, please let Fr. Paul know and he will get it for you.