

ST. THERESA CATHOLIC CHURCH – Sunny Hills

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“Let us thank God for having called us to His holy faith. It is a great gift, and the number of those who thank God for it is small.” – St. Alphonsus Liguori

“You also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come.”



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

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

August 9 Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 pm
Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Intention: + Peter Nguyen Thang
Reader: Mark

August 10 Sunday Mass 9:00 am
Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Intention: + Frank Biela
Reader: Veronica

August 11 Monday Mass 8:00 am
St. Clare, Virgin - Memorial .

Intention: + Czeslaw Pas

August 14 Thursday Mass – **6:00 pm**
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary – HDO

Int: + Wladyslaw & Maria Lesniak

August 15 Friday Adoration 7:00 am to 8:00 am
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary – HDO Mass 8:00 am Int: Krzysztof Pas & Family

August 16 Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 pm
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Intention: Rafal Pas & Family
Reader: Mark

August 17 Sunday Mass 9:00 am
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Intention: + Mary Fleszar
Reader: Christina

**“We cultivate a very small field for Christ, but we love it, knowing that God does not require great achievements but a heart that holds back nothing for self.
- St. Rose Phillipine Duchesne**



PARISH BREAKFAST: We will have a Parish Breakfast today August 10th after our 9:00 am Mass. Everyone is invited to catch up with old friends and to make new friends.



“We ought to speak, shout out against injustices, with confidence and without fear. We proclaim the principles of the Church, the reign of love, without forgetting that it is also a reign of justice.” – Blessed Miguel Pro

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, as they risk their lives to keep us safe.



There are special prayer requests for Matas Baltus, Steve Bertrand, David Hilty, Brian Paridon, Caroline, Jess, Fred Landgraf, Chris Andrews, Jessica Stephens, Janet Kaufman, Sr. Anna Szostek, Ed Lang, Paul Day, Alvera Seluga, Lidia Kraj, Larry Arnold, Susan & David Estes, Gerry Sott, Cathy Andrews, Stanley & Jadwiga Kuc, Ralph Rowbotham, Jennifer Nason, Mrs. Maria Doniec, Joana Macijauskas, Mrs. Ann Ivers, Albina Vysniauskas, Vida Nakas, Maria Antoniewicz, Glen Zanetic, Stanley & 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 virtues and grace: Human virtues acquired by education, by deliberate acts and by a perseverance ever-renewed in repeated efforts are purified and elevated by divine grace. With God's help, they forge character and give facility in the practice of the good. The virtuous man is happy to practice them. It is not easy for man, wounded by sin, to maintain moral balance. Christ's gift of salvation offers us the grace necessary to persevere in the pursuit of the virtues. Everyone should always ask for this grace of light and strength, frequent the sacraments, cooperate with the Holy Spirit, and follow his calls to love what is good and shun evil. [CCC 1810 –1811]

“You worry only about building up your knowledge. And what you have to build up is your soul. Then you will work as you ought — for Christ. In order that he may reign in the world, there must be some people who, with their eyes fixed on heaven, seek to acquire prestige in all human activities, so that they can carry out quietly — and effectively — an apostolate within their professions.” – St. Josemaria Escriva

We thank our parishioners and guests for their continued generosity.

St. Theresa Offertory	June 2025	June 2024	Total for This FY (July 2024 – June 2025)	Total for Prior FY (July 2023 – June 2024)
	\$ 10100	\$ 9150	\$ 94278	\$ 93649
CSA for 2025	Goal	Pledged	Received	
	\$ 9603	\$ 8186	\$ 7736	

“Pray as though everything depended on God. Work as though everything depended on you.” — Saint Augustine

The Hope of the New Heaven and the New Earth: At the end of time, the Kingdom o God will come in its fullness. After the universal judgment, the righteous will reign for ever with Christ, glorified in body and soul. The universe itself will be renewed: *“The Church . . . will receive her perfect the time of the renewal of all things will come the time of the renewal of all things. At that time, together with the human race, the universe itself, which is so closely related to man and which attains its destiny through him, will be perfectly re-established in Christ.”* Sacred Scripture calls this mysterious renewal, which will transform humanity and the world, "new heavens and a new earth." It will be the definitive realization of God's plan to bring under a single head "all things in [Christ], things in heaven and things on earth." In this new universe, the heavenly Jerusalem, God will have his dwelling among men. "He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning nor crying nor pain any more, for the former things have passed away. *“For man,* this consummation will be the final realization of the unity of the human race, which God willed from creation and of which the pilgrim Church has been "in the nature of sacrament." Those who are united with Christ will form the community of the redeemed, "the holy city" of God, "the Bride, the wife of the Lamb." She will not be wounded any longer by sin, stains, self-love, that destroy or wound the earthly community.⁶³⁸ The beatific vision, in which God opens himself in an inexhaustible way to the elect, will be the ever-flowing well-spring of happiness, peace, and mutual communion. [CCC 1042-1045]