

Church of St. Therese the Little Flower



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Office Hours

Monday-Thursday, 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Friday, 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.; Sunday: 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

Daily Mass Schedule

Listed inside bulletin each week.

Reconciliation

By appointment only.

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms

Baptism preparation classes are held four times a year: December, March, June and September. The Sacrament of Baptism is held four times a year: January, April, July and October. Parents wishing to baptize their children must attend one of the preparation classes.

Marriage

Please make arrangements through the Parish Office at least six months in advance of the proposed date. If either party was married before, special procedures have to be followed and no date may be set.

Sacrament of Anointing

If you are seriously ill, anticipating surgery, or weakened by advanced age, please take advantage of the scheduled celebrations or contact Father any time for this sacrament.

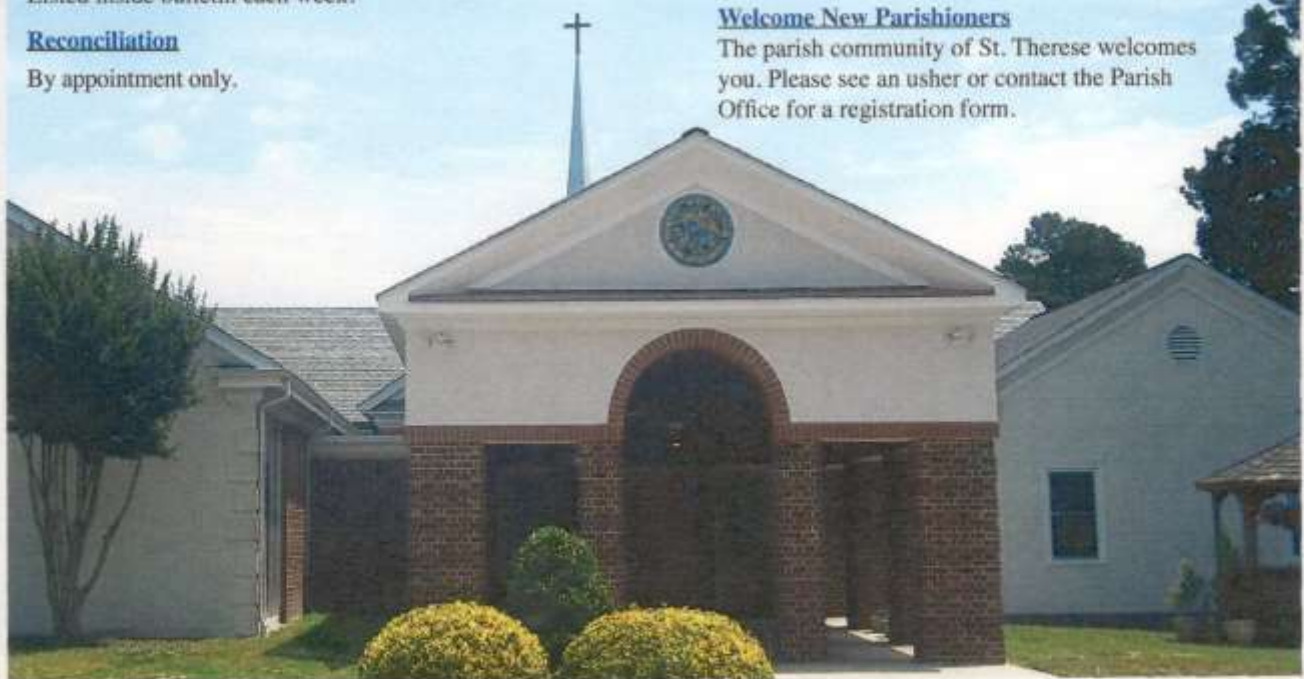
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Those seeking a deeper relationship with Christ through membership in the Roman Catholic Church are guided through the RCIA process. Inquiry and study of Catholic tradition and doctrine lead to full participation through the Sacraments of Initiation and reflection on the depth of God's love revealed in the Paschal Mystery.

Please contact the Parish Office to learn more about the RCIA process.

Welcome New Parishioners

The parish community of St. Therese welcomes you. Please see an usher or contact the Parish Office for a registration form.



6262 Main Street, Gloucester, VA 23061



“When I am weak, then
I am strong.”

Fourteenth Sunday in
Ordinary Time

July 4, 2021

Saturday evening Mass will continue to be livestreamed on Facebook and recorded for replay on YouTube. Visit our website at sttheresechurch.info for the links to each.

MASSES AND INTENTIONS

THIS WEEKEND OF JULY 3-4, 2021

Saturday	5:00 PM	Mass
<i>Intention: <u>Adam Jacobus (RIP)</u></i>		
<i>Requested By: John & Diane Jacobus</i>		
Sunday	8:00 AM	Mass
<i>Intention: <u>Mass for All People</u></i>		
Sunday	10:30 AM	Mass
<i>Intention: <u>St. Therese Parishioners</u></i>		

WEEK OF JULY 5-9, 2021

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	No Mass
Wednesday	No Mass
Thursday	No Mass
Friday	No Mass

WEEKEND OF JULY 10-11, 2021

Saturday	5:00 PM	Mass
<i>Intention: <u>Chuck & Mary Lou Villa (RIP)</u></i>		
<i>Requested By: Mary Kay Villa</i>		
Sunday	8:00 AM	Mass
<i>Intention: <u>Randall Ray Neeley (RIP)</u></i>		
<i>Requested By: Liz Neeley</i>		
Sunday	10:30 AM	Mass
<i>Intention: <u>St. Therese Parishioners</u></i>		



DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Daily Readings may be found at the
www.USCCB.org website



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July 5-11, 2021

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GIFT GIVING

Fiscal Year 7/1/2020 through 6/30/2021
Annual operating expense budget: \$548,256.00

Weekend Offertory Totals

6/27/21 Offertory total via mail and
weekend Masses \$4,654.00
Other donations 6/27/21 not used for
operations totaled \$536.84

In addition, we received E-giving support
this week totaling \$2,173.43

Weekend Mass count 300 and Masses viewed
livestream 139

**Fiscal Year 7/1/20-6/30/21 total budget = \$548,256.00 ÷ 52=
\$10,543.38
in offertory needed per week.**

Thank you for your continued gifts to God and Church!

"To whom much is given, much is expected."

Luke 12:48

KEEP UP WITH REGULAR OFFERINGS BY GIVING ELECTRONICALLY

Just as you rely upon receiving income on a regular basis, St. Therese relies on your regular contributions. We appreciate the efforts of congregation members to make consistent donations throughout the year—especially during popular winter and summer travel periods. As you contemplate vacation plans this year, please consider e-giving. To assist you, the church provides a convenient electronic giving option for setting up regular contributions. Please visit www.sttheresechurch.info.

We can accept Visa, MasterCard, Discover, American Express, debit cards and savings/checking drafts.

JULY OFFERTORY

Regular Offertory each weekend
MMR (Major Maintenance & Repair)

CHURCH OF ST. TERESE

We will continue to livestream the Saturday evening Vigil Mass at 5:00 PM. No daily Masses will be livestreamed.

Watch the Livestream on

Facebook: www.facebook.com/churchofsttherese.

Watch the replay on YouTube: [Church Of St. Therese – Gloucester, VA YouTube Channel](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCGluoucester)

LITNIC LITURGY PICNICS

During Father Gregory's first summer here in 2019, he introduced a new summertime event at St. Therese-- It is the litnic. Litnics are Liturgy picnics, and here's how they work. Someone who wants to host a litnic calls the parish office and signs up for one of the posted available dates. They receive parish guidelines for hosting a litnic which must be read carefully. Litnics are particularly intended for Catholics in the host's neighborhood, but all parishioners are invited to litnics. A Mass is celebrated in the home or the yard (the *lit*) followed by a potluck supper (the *nic*). A suggested time for a Litnic would be 6:30, but that would be up to the host. Available dates for this summer follow:

July 15, 21, 28

August 12, 24

Contact the parish office to sign up to host a litnic today!



PARISH OFFICE CLOSURE

The parish office will be closed on Monday, July 5, in observance of the Fourth of July holiday. We wish everyone a safe weekend.

RCIA/ADULT SCRIPTURE STUDY

St. Therese is pleased to offer an RCIA/Adult Scripture study has begun and will be running until around **December 11th**.

Back by popular demand: we will be studying Salvation History using the Ascension Press "**Bible Timeline**" program. We are offering a hybrid model: participants can join us **in person** in the social hall (socially distanced, of course, until pandemic restrictions are lifted), or join us via **ZOOM**. If you have to miss some weeks, no problem! You can keep up on your own and watch the lectures by author Jeff Cavins **on-line**. Please feel free to register on-line with Ascension Press:

<https://study.ascensionpress.com/studies/55884/registrations/new>

Or: contact Kerry Fallon in the parish office (804-693-5939) to register or if you have any questions.



RIDE NEEDED TO MASS

Janine Jaboulay lives at Sanders and would like a ride to church on Saturdays for the 5:00 PM Mass. Anyone wishing to help Janine get to Mass, please call Ann in the parish office for her information. Thank you.

ALTAR FLOWER SIGN UP

We have plenty of weekends available if you wish to donate flowers for the Altar for weekend Masses. Please see the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board leading to the social hall. You may order flowers from your favorite florist or bring a vase of flowers from your garden. Flowers may be delivered to the church by 1:00 PM on Fridays or at 4:00 PM on Saturdays. Thank you.

NEW MASS GUIDELINES

The Diocese has put out new guidelines based on the Governor's Executive Order 79. The following applies to all those coming to the church for a meeting or Mass.

- a. All fully vaccinated individuals may forego wearing masks inside or outside on church property. It is their choice whether to wear a mask or not.
- b. All unvaccinated individuals, including children from ages 5-12, **MUST** still wear masks.

In addition, the Bishop has lifted the dispensation of the Sunday and Holy Days Mass obligation and reinstating that obligation began on Sunday, June 27, 2021.



SAVE THE DATE – SATURDAY EVENING, JULY 24, 2021

Sign up to attend, and we take donation to offset the expense. Food is from Scoots. We will have music and dancing, and enjoy fellowship! We will have drawings for prizes!

KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS

Kroger wants to give to St. Therese! Please visit <http://www.kroger.com> to create a Kroger account. Link your shopper rewards card number to your Kroger.com account and search for Church of St. Therese 554 either by name or UP530 and then click enroll. You will need a valid email address and rewards card. Purchases will not count for our church until after you register your rewards card. Parishioners must swipe their registered Kroger rewards card or use the phone number that is related to your registered Kroger rewards card when shopping for each purchase to count.



PARTTIME ACCOMPANIST POSITION AVAILABLE

Our parish is in need of a parttime keyboard accompanist for weekend liturgies. This is a paid position. If you feel that God is calling you to share your talents, please contact the parish office at (804) 693-5939



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