



“Master, I want to see.”

Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time

October 24, 2021

Saturday evening Mass will continue to be livestreamed on Facebook and recorded for replay on YouTube. Visit our website at [sttheresechurch.info](http://sttheresechurch.info) for the links to each.

## MASSSES AND INTENTIONS

### THIS WEEKEND OF OCTOBER 23-24, 2021

**Saturday** 5:00 PM **Mass**  
*Intention: Jill Pearson (RIP)*

**Sunday** 8:00 AM **Mass**  
*Intention: St. Therese Parishioners*

**Sunday** 10:30 AM **Mass**  
*Intention: Petra Rascon (RIP)*  
*Requested By: Rosa Rodriguez*

### WEEK OF OCTOBER 25-29, 2021

**Monday** **No Mass**

**Tuesday** **No Mass**

**Wednesday** **No Mass**

**Thursday** **No Mass**

**Friday** **No Mass**

### WEEKEND OF OCTOBER 30-31, 2021

**Saturday** 5:00 PM **Mass**  
*Intention: St. Therese Parishioners*

**Sunday** 8:00 AM **Mass**  
*Intention: Shawn Roberts (Health)*  
*Requested By: Parish Staff*

**Sunday** 10:30 AM **Mass**  
*Intention: Nick Re (RIP)*  
*Requested By: Cathy Trobaugh*



### DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Daily Readings may be found at the [www.USCCB.org](http://www.USCCB.org) website



ALTAR FLOWERS  
 Donated by: Joe Syslo  
 In Memory of Teri Syslo

BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL  
VASE FLOWERS  
 Perpetual living memorial for Anna Lupei

ST. THERESE’S TABERNACLE CANDLE  
 October 25-31, 2021  
 In Memory of Carmine Michael DiSpirito

### GIFT GIVING

Fiscal Year 7/1/2021 through 6/30/2022  
 Annual operating expense budget: \$655,215.00  
 Weekly offertory needed \$12,600.00

### October 17, 2021 Weekend Offertory Totals

Actual Plate Contributions towards operating budget totaled \$3,442.50

E-giving Operations support totaled \$3,370.00

Other donations not used for operations totaled \$895.50

**Weekend** Mass count 189 and Masses viewed 162

**Thank you for your continued gifts to God and Church!**

*"All tithes of the land, whether in grain from the fields or in fruit from the trees, belong to the LORD, as sacred to him."*

*Leviticus 27:30*

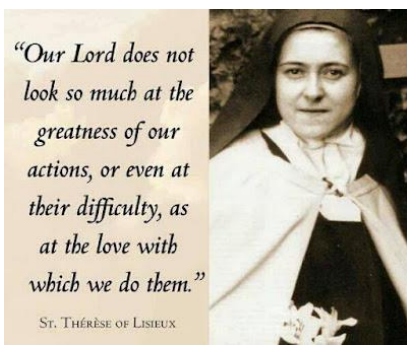
### CELEBRATE THE FEAST OF ST. THERESE!

On October 1<sup>st</sup> we honor our parish patron saint, Therese of Lisieux. We have a contribution line on our e-giving page if you wish to donate in honor of her. Thank you for your generosity and please visit [www.sttheresechurch.info](http://www.sttheresechurch.info) for more details.

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

### OCTOBER OFFERTORY

Regular Offertory each weekend  
 MMR (Major Maintenance & Repair) first weekend



### THERESIAN SOCIETY

The Theresian Society invites the ladies of the Parish to join us at our next meeting on Friday, November 5. The Gather and Welcome will be at 9:40 AM with the meeting starting at 10:00 AM. The agenda is full but the meeting will end in time to attend the Rosary at 11:15 AM and Mass at 12:00 Noon. Please remember to wear your mask.

### SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

For people grieving the loss of a loved one, the holidays can be very difficult. GriefShare, a program to support those who have lost a family member or friend, offers a onetime session on how to survive. St. Therese Catholic Church will sponsor this program for parishioners or any community member on Friday, November 19 at 6:30 pm. This 2 hour session will offer strategies for anyone who may need support. The session will be held in the church social hall. Masks are recommended. Participants will also be distanced apart from each other. Refreshments will be offered. To register, please contact Linda Gregory at 804-815-7695 or email to lgregory0530@gmail.com.



### THANK YOU!

We would like to thank everyone who helped celebrate the Feast of St. Therese in making the Parish Picnic a success again this year despite the challenges of the pandemic. The weather was very beautiful sunny and warm, we were able to enjoy the cool shade of the pavilion, and canopies provided by Tom Trudeau, Jan and Steve Daum, and Kathleen Trist. We had 97 parishioners attend and they enjoyed food cooked by the Knights of Columbus, served by the Theresians and Parishioners. Thanks to Dan Wenner and Linda Gregory for providing music, Kathleen Trist, and Theresians for arranging door prizes. Cheryl Davis for an engaging Jeopardy game, and all those who participated in the games. Also, for the Theresians operating the snow cone and popcorn machines. Thank goodness for Steve Daum's truck to move the tables, and the Knights of Columbus, Theresians, and Parishioners who helped setup and cleanup. Special thanks to Father Gregory, Chriss Lawrence (Parish Council) and the Parish Office Staff for their help and support, to Gary Dietz for his hard work getting the picnic area ready. Thank you to all who attended and all who provided resources and support. 2021 Parish Picnic co-chairs Marianne McCloskey, Kathleen Trist, and Ana Barranco

### MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKENDS

Fall into love all over again! Remember why you fell in love and get the tools you need to keep your marriage on the right path. Sign up today to attend one of the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends on Nov 5-7, 2021 in ATLANTIC BEACH, NC and Jan 28-30, 2022 in NORTH MYRTLE BEACH, SC. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://renewmarriage-vasouth.org>.

### EASTERN VICARIATE MASSES FOR HOPE & HEALING

You are invited to come and pray for victim survivors of child sexual abuse and their families. Join Bishop Barry Knestout as he celebrates a Mass for Hope & Healing. The date is Wednesday, November 10; at 7:00 PM at the Basilica of Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception in Norfolk. Light refreshments will be served after Mass and counselors will be available before and after Mass. For information, contact the Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 877-8879603.



### CHURCH KEYS

In an effort to limit our liability and gain stewardship of the church front door keys, we are asking anyone who has a key to the front door to please stop by the office and sign it out. If you are a ministry chair and you have been passed the key, please come by and also sign it out. We hope you all see this as a reflection of our ongoing commitment to service of our parish family. Please pass the message on to anyone we may have missed reaching. Thank you for your continued support and cooperation!

### PARISH EVENTS COMMITTEE

Father Gregory is pleased to announce that Nicole Savage will be our parish's new Events Coordinator. Nicole participated in our Called and Gifted workshop and discerned that she has a charism for hospitality and organizing social events! Many of you have probably seen her run after her almost 2-year old boy in church, and others of you might know her on a more personal level. Regardless, she is excited that she has the opportunity to use her gifts for this ministry, something that she is excited about because of the many wonderful church gatherings we are lucky to have here at Saint Therese! She is looking for people who would be interested in *joining her committee and chair or co-chair parish events*. The more helpful hands, the better! The first event that is approaching quickly is the Parish's Wine and Cheese Night. She would really like some helping hands to get this event planned! If you have taken the reins of a church event in the past and are willing to continue helping out with that event, please contact Nicole at 717-829-6612 or [nshirilla91@yahoo.com](mailto:nshirilla91@yahoo.com). If you have never helped out with an event, but would be interested to do so or at least learn more information about it, please reach out to Nicole as well!

