

AUGUST 25, 2024

MASSES AND INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 24

5:00 p.m. Joan Dorgan
Requested by
Bob and Cheryl Davis

Sunday, August 25

8:00 a.m. For the People
10:30 a.m. Daniela LaFata
Requested by
Rosalia Leone

Monday, August 26

NO MASS

Tuesday, August 27

12:00 p.m. Salvatore Leone, Jr. (RIP)
Requested by
Rosalia Leone

Wednesday, August 28

8:00 a.m. For the People

Thursday, August 29

NO MASS

Friday, August 30

12:00 p.m. For the Parishioners of
St. Therese

Saturday, August 31

5:00 p.m. For the People

Sunday, September 1

8:00 a.m. Tyler Sue
Requested by
Eric & Mindy Scott
10:30 a.m. For the Parishioners of
St. Therese

Blessed Sacrament Chapel vase flowers are a perpetual living memorial for Anna Lupei.

Tabernacle Candle Shines in loving memory of Hy Colandre.

Flower arrangements are in memory of Arnold Theisen.

BINGO – Bingo is played on Tuesday Nights. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. and Bingo starts at 7:00 p.m. Bingo could use some help working in the kitchen this summer and selling pull tabs. Many of our staff are out with surgeries. Additional help would be so appreciated.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD: Children's Liturgy of the Word is available during the 10:30 a.m. Mass. Children, ages 3 to 2nd grade are invited. Please contact Nadine McGrady for more information.

MORNING BIBLE STUDY – The Morning Bible Study Group will resume its weekly meetings on Thursday, September 5th. The group meets on Thursday, mornings from 10:15 a.m.-11:45 a.m. in the Meeting Room. Various sections or themes of the Bible are discussed in an informal setting. New participants are always welcomed and may join the group at any time. If interested, or would like more information, please call Sid Dugas at 804-642-5869 or email at spdugas@cox.net.

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Monday, August 26, 2024 – Weekday 2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12; Mt 23:13-22
Tuesday, August 27, 2024 – St. Monica 2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17; Mt 23:23-26
Wednesday, August 28, 2024 – St. Augustine 2 Thes 3:6-10, 16-18; Mt 23:27-32
Thursday, August 29, 2024 – Passion of St. John the Baptist 1 Cor 1:1-9; Mk 6:17-29
Friday, August 30, 2024 – Weekday 1 Cor 1:17-25; Mt 25:1-13
Saturday, August 31, 2024 – Weekday 1 Cor 1:26-31; Mt 25:14-30
Sunday, September 1, 2024 – 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Dt 4:1-2, 6-8; Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27; Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

GRIEF SHARE – Grief Share began new 13-week session on Sunday, August 4th. We will gather in the Meeting Room from 2:00-4:00 p.m. For more information, go to griefshare.org.



FOOD PANTRY – School has resumed. Please continue giving to the Food Pantry with cereal, peanut butter, jelly, biscuit mix, pancake mix and syrup, canned meats and pastas, granola bars, canned fruit (packed in water or fruit juice). The shopping cart is in the Social Hall.

THE G.U.E.S.T. DAY SHELTER IS IN NEED OF VOLUNTEERS. The shelter is open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. If you can help, call 804-792-5046. If you are interested in making a monetary donation, make checks payable to GUEST and please put Jubilee Churches on the memo line. It will be used to assist people with utilities or housing.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – Knights of Columbus Council gathers on the First and Third Thursdays of the month. Rosary is at 7:00 p.m. and a meeting is to follow. **BYOK** – The Knights of Columbus has put a K-cup machine in the Kitchen for all to use, as long as you bring your own K-cup. See instructions located behind it. Thank you.

LAWN MAINTENANCE – The St. Therese Lawn Maintenance Team is again recruiting, and WE WANT YOU! Our "summer enrollment program" is now underway with only a limited number of positions available. This is a time-sensitive opportunity to join an elite group of men and women performing a most-important and exciting mission. Equipment will be provided and training will be offered to those unfamiliar with the technical aspects of precision grass-cutting. For more information, contact Jim Gierlak at jegierlak@gmail.com. Don't wait, time is running out!

SPIRITUAL RETREAT – As we go about our very busy lives, it is good to take some time to sit back and reflect on our journey of faith. We invite you to a daylong spiritual retreat, "Anchored in Christ" led by Deacon Jose' and Karen Melendez on Saturday, September 7th from 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. at St. Therese. In addition to inspiring talks and opportunities for us to get to know ourselves better in the light of our faith, it will also include a gifts discernment, continental breakfast and lunch, ending with the 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass. To learn more or register, visit our website <https://stthersglo.org/>, or contact Deacon Jose': jmelendezvt1979@gmail.com.

TRUE LIFE IN GOD PRAYER GROUP – Please join us for Bible readings, saying the Rosary, meditation, and discussions. Our main purpose is to pray for Christian Unity as our Holy Father Pope Francis has asked of us. Point of Contact is Trudy Vanderhoof. You may reach her at btcentauri@aol.com.

CALLING ALL PARISHIONERS TO SERVE IN LITURGICAL MINISTRIES! Prayerfully consider which of the liturgical ministries you are drawn to. We need USHERS, LECTORS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS, MASS COORDINATORS. We need adults and children for the ALTAR SERVER ministry. If we have more people involved in these ministries, serving won't fall to the same dedicated ministers every week. Contact Kerry Fallon in the office at 804-693-5939 or email k.fallon@stthersglo.org.

ST. THERESE'S LITNIC SEASON HAS WRAPPED UP! Thank you for those of you who opened their homes to celebrate the liturgy and great food.

THRESHOLD BIBLE STUDY – We meet for one hour starting at 6:00 p.m. in the Social Hall on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month from April to November. We plan to start the next book in the Threshold Bible Study Series, "EUCHARIST." If you are being called to a more intimate relationship with Christ, please join us for a deep, insightful, and rewarding study. For more information, please contact Jim Lee at 804-693-0826.

CAREFREE SENIORS – Anyone 60 and older are invited to join the Carefree Seniors group. They meet on the 3rd Wednesday of each month in the Social Hall from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Call Frank Rivera at 804-854-1101 for more information.

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND: Contact the office or Linda Gregory at lgregory0530@gmail.com.

NEED A HUG? Pick up a Prayer Shawl from the display in the Parish Social Hall and be embraced in the warmth of God's Love. Or gift one to someone in need, celebrating a milestone event in their lives or just as a reminder that you care and are praying for them. Items are free for the gifting. Have something special in mind – different color or style? Contact Nadine McGrady at N.McGrady@StThersGlo.org or 804-693-5939, ext. 3 for special requests, questions or to join the Prayer Shawl Ministry.



Come join fellow parishioners for "Donut Sunday and More." It's a great way to meet and chat with other parishioners after the 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Masses. We have more than just donuts; other items include muffins, fruit, cake, iced tea, coffee, and juice.

The next two "Donut Sunday and More" scheduled dates are:

September 15th
October 20th



SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM – The Sacrament of Baptism is scheduled for the weekend of August 24th-25th. Please contact Father Gregory at 804-693-5939, ext. 7 or Nadine McGrady (N.McGrady@StThersGlo.org or 804-693-5939, ext. 3) for information on Baptisms.

CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION – Registration for the 2024-2025 Children's Faith Formation program (K-5) began August 11th. Forms may be obtained in the Parish Commons or by contacting Nadine McGrady at N.McGrady@StThersGlo.org or 804-693-5939, ext. 3. Sessions will begin September 8th.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament comes easily. Never feel worried if you find you have no thoughts at all while you are before the Blessed Sacrament. Never feel inadequate about being an Adorer even if you have not developed a spirit of devotion, if you are numb, down and out, weakened by life. The all-important factor is that you are before the Lord, before Him who knows you inside-out. He reads your innermost thoughts and He still loves you immensely. **Imagine that!**

St. John Vianney once compared Adoration to spiritual sunbathing. You are taking in the warmth of the grace and love radiating from the Sacred Host.

Join Deacon José for monthly Adoration and Benediction on the last Wednesday of the month at 6:00 p.m.

LET'S SET THE WORLD ON FIRE!!
COME AND SEE HOW WE CAN DO IT TOGETHER
Church of St. Therese Youth Ministry
Grades 6 - 12
Sundays, 12:00 Noon to 1:30 p.m. at the YLC

FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION – Youth Ministry registration is taking place each Sunday after Masses. All children can be registered at one time. If you prefer, registration forms are available on the web page at stthersglo.org. Contact Linda Gregory or Nadine McGrady for questions.

THE THERESIANS invite the ladies of the parish to attend our **Breakfast Planning Meeting, Friday, September 6th, at 9:30 a.m. with Breakfast and Social prior to our 10:00 a.m. meeting start time.** Help us plan and organize a busy Fall: how we can help at Parish Picnic (end of September), how we'll coordinate and present OctoberFEST (with help from EVERYONE in the parish) (mid-October), how we can expand and streamline the Big Winter Bake Sale Fundraiser (mid-December) Consider attending (or joining?) Help us make these events successful.

OUR MOST SACRED TREASURE

August 11, 2024

Total Weekend Mass Count: 337

Actual Plate Contributions: \$4,265.00

E-giving: \$3,037.00

Other Contributions: \$576.00

Second Collection Total: \$664.00

Weekly Grand Total: \$8,542.00.50

Assumption: \$577.00

Annual Operating Budget Fiscal Year 24/25: \$699,286.00
Amount needed per week to maintain budget is \$13,447.81



2nd Collection Schedule

1st Sunday of the Month is MMR

Please use the QR code for Mobile giving.