



Saint Therese Parish

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SERVED BY THE CARMELITES:

Fr. Samuel Citero, O. Carm., Pastor
Fr. Patrick McMahon, O. Carm., Parochial Vicar
Deacon Anthony Porcaro, T. O. Carm.

PARISH STAFF:

Ms. Gina Marie Loiacono, Pastoral Associate
Mrs. Lois Pagnozzi, Director of Religious Education
Mr. Adrian Soltys, Director of Music & Liturgy
Mrs. Therese A. Higgins, Principal
Mrs. Eileen Walsh, Assistant to the Principal
Ms. Sharon Rabbitt, Business Manager

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Evening at 5:00 PM
Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 AM
Weekdays: 8:30 AM
Holy Days: 7:00 PM Vigil; 8:30 AM, 12:00 Noon

BAPTISMS:

Please contact the parish office shortly after your child is born for the necessary information concerning our schedule of baptisms and instructional sessions.

RITE OF PENANCE:

Saturday at 4:00-4:30 p.m. Appointments for Confession at other times can be made by calling the parish office.

R.C.I.A.:

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults:
Process of Catholic Formation.
Please call the parish office for information.

MARRIAGES:

Please contact the parish office one year in advance.

OFFICE HOURS:

Mon. - Fri. 9 AM to 5 PM
(Closed for lunch 12 to 1 PM)

CONFIRMATION &
YOUTH/YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY:

201-567-2528
gloiacono@stthereseccresskill.org

ACADEMY
OF ST. THERESE

201-568-4296

PARISH OFFICE:

201-567-2528

REL. ED. OFFICE:

201-567-4781



- SAT. 5PM Charles Yannetti, req. his wife, Marie & Son, Charles**
- 5PM Carmela Citero, req. Bob & Ria Muller**
- SUN. 7:30 For the People of the Parish**
- 9:30 Frances & Charles Ward, req. Mary Ann & John Harty**
- 9:30 Jimmy Sansum, req. Kevin & Carole O'Boyle**
- 11:30 Carmela Citero, req. Marie Didino**
- 11:30 John Ricco, req. his wife**
- MON. 8:30 John Redden, req. Phyllis Tedeschi**
- 8:30 Jim Donovan, req. Fr. Sam**
- TUE. 8:30 Patrick Murphy, req. the Muphy Family**
- 8:30 Marcella Prath, req. Joan & Dick Hebert**
- WED. 8:30 Winnie & Tom Stedina, req. Jim & Margaret Conneely**
- 8:30 Frank D'Andrea, req. the Zanone Family**
- THU. 8:30 Marguerite Smith, req. Women's Bible Sharing**
- 8:30 Roberta Scioscio, req. Women's Bible Sharing**
- FRI. 8:30 Stella Barbieri, req. Rosina & Anthony Barbieri**
- 8:30 Margaret Divers, req. Grace Britt**
- SAT. 5PM Catherine & Jack Ridella, req. Carolyn Schultz**
- 5PM Joyce Family, req. Peter & Bridget Joyce**
- SUN. 7:30 For the People of the Parish**
- 9:30 Eddie & Julie Agderian, req. the Agderian Family**

Second Collection

Next Sunday is **World Mission Sunday**. Your ongoing support of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith is vital to the missionaries serving in 1,150 dioceses throughout Asia, Africa, parts of Latin America and Europe, and on the Islands of the Pacific. Your generosity makes it possible for local priests, religious, and catechists to reach out to communities, families and children in desperate need, bringing the light of Christ to the darkest of circumstances.

Weekly Collection

Our week's goal is: \$15,300.00

This week's collection: Regular \$10,857.00
 Assessment \$ 2,374.50
 Total: \$13,231.50

Thank you for your generosity!

Pray for

those among us who are sick and in need of our prayers:

CARMELO ABRUZZESE
 SARKIS ARSLANIAN
 VIRGINIA BARBAGALLO
 MARYANN BARZELATTO
 EDWARD BURKE
 CALVIN BROKAW
 DEIDRE BYRNE
 CHARLES CASTLE
 DIANE CUNNINGHAM
 JACK CURTIN
 VIVIAN D'ERASMO
 DOLORES DE SANTI
 JAMES DE STENO
 COSTANTINO FAUSTINI
 JOAN FLEMING
 JOHN FLYNN
 FREDERICK FRONJIAN
 KYLE GERAN
 PAT GERAN
 DAN HAGGERTY
 DOROTHY JEZSIK
 BABY KAYLA
 RON KAEMPF
 ANDREW KOVACH
 NORMAN KUBRIN
 LENORE LIEBESKIND
 BILL LEE
 MICHAEL LOIACONO
 CHRIS LORA

JOE MARCHESI
 ANNE MARSIGLIANO
 TIMMY MC DONNELL
 STEPHANIE MC NAMARA
 MICHAEL
 ANN MARIE MEEHAN
 MICHELLE MULLEN
 MARY ANN OATES
 MICHELLE PREOLO
 MARIE POCHINI
 BOB PRINCE, JR. & SR.
 JESSIE RACYN
 RINA ROMANELLI
 RALPH ROTUNDA
 WENDY RUGGIERO
 BEVERLY SCHWAB
 JOANN SCIMANICO
 ELAINE SEMAN
 CECILE SICARI
 RICHARD SOTELL
 ERIKA SPADACCINI
 DONNA SPINA
 KATHLEEN TENNANT
 GLORIA & RONALD THOMAS
 NORMAN TRASS
 ISABEL VITELLARO
 KATHY WHELAN
 ED WILKIN
 DOT WILLIAMS

For our loved ones who have died, that they may be at peace with God.

WE PRAY TO THE LORD

THE SACRAMENTAL WINE and BREAD offered at the Masses this week were donated in Loving Memory of **Jack L. Berardi**, requested by his wife, Camille Berardi.

Minister Schedule for October 17-18

Eucharistic Ministers:

- 5:00 PM.....K. Mays, C. McConville, CJ Schutte
R. Schutte, Z. Schutte, E. Van Steenberg
- 7:30 AM.....R. Reinhardt, R. Agosta
A. Barbieri, M. Clark
- 9:30 AM.....A. Naso, E. Naso, M. Naso
C. Parisi, K. Passano, S. Petriello
- 11:30 AM.....T. Glennon, M. Halabi, M. Hudick
D. Kelliher, S. L'Angiocola, M. Pasi

Lectors:

- 5:00 PM.....F. Corbett, K. Leyden
- 7:30 AM.....N. Tauro
- 9:30 AM.....R. Puglisi, F. Cantos
- 11:30 AM.....J. Hebert

Servers:

- 5:00 PM.....Zachary Cetera, Christy Gately
- 9:30 AM.....Nina Toups, Katherine Espiritu
- 11:30 AM.....Christina Sanchez, Rodolfo Sanchez

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

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Dear parishioners:

I would like to thank all the volunteers who helped with our feast last weekend and everyone who came to support us. I would like to acknowledge the Borough of Cresskill for all of their support and help and for keeping us safe during the feast, especially the department of public works, the Cresskill fire department and of course the best police force in the whole state of New Jersey and perhaps the world.

Friday night was a washout and Saturday was cloudy and chilly but we managed to salvage the day. The weather is the one thing we cannot control or truly predict. Our procession through the town and our liturgies in honor of St. Therese were wonderful and I am sure that everyone enjoyed them.

Our scriptures call us to abandon the things of this world and to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. As the days of fall move forward my prayer is that we as a parish family grow in the spirit and wisdom of the Gospel. In the weeks and seasons ahead we will have many opportunities to walk the walk of faith with each other. I am sure that the Lord will continue to bless us and call us as individuals and as a community to wholeness and holiness. With joy in our hearts let us walk the walk of faith together, and together make the world a better place.

With Love,
Fr. Sam

REMINDER

Special Needs Mass ~ Next Sunday
October 18, 2015 ~ 1:30pm

HELP FOR NEW MOMS

Birthingright of Bergen County, a crisis pregnancy center dedicated to encouraging and helping women choose life for their babies, is in need of volunteers to share their time and love for God's miracle of life. Birthingright provides community resources, clothes, diapers and financial help to women. Volunteers are needed in the office at 19 W Pleasant Ave, Maywood to greet, help and support mothers-to-be that come in or call in. If you have time and would like to volunteer, please call Mary Pat or Barbara at 201-845-4646.

Save the Date!

October 19th ~ 7:00pm

Author, Musician & Speaker

CHRIS PADGETT

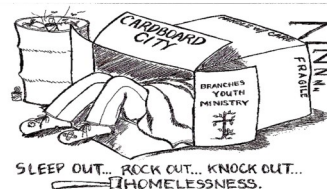
We are so excited that Chris will be here at St. Therese for a night of music, laughter and spiritual uplifting!

If you are interested in reading Chris's book: "I'm Not OK, You're Not OK, But It's OK", please contact the Parish Office. There are still some books available for purchase. Only \$15.

Play Group

We will resume with our **Play Group** for babies and toddlers this **Saturday, October 17th from 9:30-11:00** in the Parish Center. Moms and Dads please join us. This will be an opportunity to meet other young families in the parish. We look forward to seeing you there. Please call Regina, 551.404.7229, to confirm.

TEENS Sign-up now!



CARDBOARD CITY

October 24-25

(on the grounds of St. Therese)

CARDBOARD CITY is sponsored by our St. Therese **BRANCHES & TWIGS** Youth Ministry programs. It is an event in which the teenagers of our parish can raise awareness to homelessness. We are inviting all **High School** teens to get involved by building a shelter out of cardboard that night and then sleeping outside, overnight in those shelters. **Jr. High** students are invited to serve the **H.S.** teens a meal in a make-shift "**Homeless Shelter**" that we will create in our school gym. There will also be a **clothing drive** all weekend, so that's a chance for everyone to join in the cause. **Teens must register by OCTOBER 20th to attend!** Registration forms with more details are available at the back of the church, on our website, or at the Parish Office or Please call or visit **Ms. L** (Gina Marie) for more information.

Don't miss this!

St. Therese and Her Parents

Louis and Zelig Martin, the parents of our parish patron, Saint Therese, will be declared Saints by Pope Francis at the end of this month's Synod in Rome.

Relics of the new saints—as well as Saint Therese—will be visiting the Newark Archdiocese later this month to celebrate the occasion. Father Pat will be preaching during a special prayer service at the **Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart on Saturday afternoon, October 17th from 12:30 through 3 pm.**

He will also be speaking at **Saint Gabriel's, Upper Saddle River, at 2 pm and preaching at a Mass at 7 pm on Thursday, October 22nd.**

On **Friday, October 23rd** Father Pat will be preaching at a special Mass at the **Church of the Immaculate Conception, Montclair at 7:30 pm.**

Dine out for the Knights

The St. Therese Knights of Columbus would like to invite you to dine out for the night with your family at the Hungry Peddler on Tuesday, **October 20th** from 6pm to 11pm. Just mention that you are there to support the Knights and a percentage of your total bill will be donated back to the Knights. Go out enjoy the family time and help support your Knights of Columbus Council. Interested in becoming a Knight. Speak with one of the members or visit our website at www.sttheresekofc7647.org for more information.

The ASCPG Youth Group is holding its annual collection of clothes, housewares and toys on Saturday, October 24th, from 10am-3pm, at 183 New York Avenue in Bergenfield (rain or shine).

The following gently used items are needed: clothes and shoes for men, women and children; accessories such as handbags, backpacks, belts, hats, gloves, scarves, ties and wallets; fabric household items including blankets, sheets, towels, comforters, pillows, table cloths, curtains and bath rugs; soft toys such as stuffed animals and rag dolls; small plastic toys and games that fit in a 24"x24"x21" box; and bikes of all sizes.

All items must be in good & usable condition, as they will be affordably sold at local markets in Eastern Europe, Africa & Central America. Please do not bring items not on this list, as they cannot be shipped at this time. Receipts will be available for tax purposes.

This annual drive is sponsored by the American Special Children's Pilgrimage Group, who organize an Easter Week journey to Lourdes for special needs young people (www.ascpg-lourdes.org). The proceeds will help defray travel costs for the high school volunteers traveling with the 2016 ASCPG Youth Group.

For more info, contact Rosemarie Flood at 201-387-7858 or ascpgyouthgroup@gmail.com.

Adult Servers (for funerals) Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors Needed!

If you are interested in becoming an Adult Server, Eucharistic Minister or Lector, please complete this form and return it to the office.

New Eucharistic Ministers are required to attend a training workshop which will be held on **October 20th at 7:30pm.**

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Mass Preferences (check one or more): 5 pm 7:30 am 9:30 am 11:30 am

Academy of St. Therese School
2015 Annual Tricky Tray

Friday NOVEMBER 6th 2015
Doors open at 5:30 pm-prize calling 8pm

Table and Ticket Order Form

*****All packages include entrance fee, water, coffee and tea*****

Reservations will not be held without full payment- checks only made payable to: Academy of St. Therese

Return form and Payment to the School Office by **October 16th 2015**
Attention: **Heather Rogers** c/o Joseph Rogers ^{1st} Grade

AMOUNT ENCLOSED: _____ PHONE NUMBER: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

ADULTS ONLY PLEASE - 10 people per table

If you have a full table please include the *Name of the person making the reservation, names of all guests, and payment in full. **Individuals will be seated at tables that are not full.**

- *1. _____ 2. _____
3. _____ 4. _____
5. _____ 6. _____
7. _____ 8. _____
9. _____ 10. _____

"JUST ONE NUMBER" Option available through Pre-Sale Only

___ Option #1 **Entrance Package**: \$20 ~ 4 Regular Prize Sheets

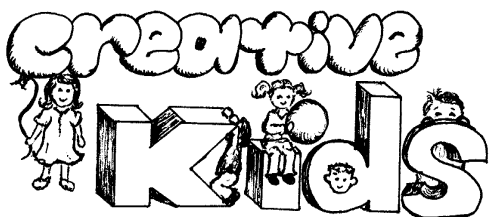
___ Option #2 **Entrance Package +Silver Package**: \$50 ~7 Regular, 1 Super Sheets, ½ Grand Sheet

___ Option #3 **Entrance Package +Gold Package**: \$75 ~10 Regular, 2 Super & 1 Grand Sheets

___ Option #4 **Entrance Package +Platinum Package**: \$125 ~13 Regular, 6 Super, & 2 Grand Sheets

Total Amount Due: _____

Children's Catholic Corner



Parents & Children may do these activities together at home.

Are you willing to give up your favorite toy, book, game, outfit, or blanket and give it to the poor for Jesus?

If you are, ask your parent(s) to help you donate your item(s) to an organization that will help the poor.

GOD'S WORD FOR CHILDREN!

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

A rich man, who followed the commandments, asked Jesus what more he could do to enter heaven.

Wis 7:7-11 Ps 90:12-17 Heb 4:12-13 Mk 10:17-30

Directions: Count the money and circle the correct amount.

How
Much?
\$5.00
\$7.00
\$10.00
\$13.00
\$16.00

