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# Saint Therese Church

Established 1924

Visit us on our website! [www.sttheresechurchalhambra.org](http://www.sttheresechurchalhambra.org)

### Masses & Services:

Monday-Saturday: 6:00 & 8:00 am  
Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 am & 5:00 pm  
Latin High Mass: Sundays at 1:00 pm  
Holy Days: 6:00, 8:00, 10:00 am and 7:30 pm

### Devotions:

Rosary: Following the Mon-Sat 8:00 am Mass  
Exposition/Benediction: Thursdays, 7:00-8:00 pm  
Intercessors for Priests: Thursdays, 8:00 pm  
St. Joseph Mass: Third Tuesday from November to April  
Fatima Devotion: 13th of the month from May to October

### Sacramental Programs:

Sacrament of Reconciliation:  
Wed, 7:00 - 8:30 pm; and Sat., 3:30 - 5:00 pm  
Baptism: Call 284-0020, ext. 225, to register  
Marriage: Contact priest at least six months before date  
RCIA (Sac. for adults) Rhonda Storey 284-0020, Ext. 225

### Other Ministries / Programs:

Bible Study: Aurora Juarez, 688-9349  
Detention Ministry: Sonia Macias 323-724-6443  
First Friday Mass/All-Night Prayer Vigil, 7:30 pm-6:00 am  
Infertility Support Group: Alison Contreras, 713-702-7232  
King's Men: Sun. 6:30-8:30 pm, Rex Owens, 323-273-8825  
Knights of Columbus: Mike Pulciano, 641-0870  
Legion of Mary: Mon., 7:00 pm - Fr. David Guzman X 222  
Natural Family Planning: Jack & Katrina Crow 292-1906  
Respect Life Ministry: Catherine Contreras, 213-435-3942  
Rosary Makers: Ed William 768-0758/tieknt@gmail.com  
St. Joseph Prayer: Wed. 6:15 pm - Ed William 768-0758

**Pastor:** Fr. Philip Sullivan, OCD (Ext. 226)

**Associate Pastors:** Fr. David Guzman, OCD (X222)  
and Fr. Bernard Perkins, OCD (Ext. 232)

**Deacon Couple:** Deacon Joe & Lorraine Mizerski (X333)

**Vocations:** Parish: Fr. David Guzman OCD (X 222)  
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**Parish Secretary:** Denise McMaster-Holguin (Ext. 223)

**Finances/Donations:** Noralyn Cailan (Ext. 228)

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**Choir Directors/Organist:**

George and Barbara Klump (818) 249-8472

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**Liturgical Coordinators:**

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Deacon Joseph & Lorraine Mizerski (Ext. 333)

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\* Pre K through 8th Grade \* Adult Religious Ed

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Principal: Carmela Lovano, E-mail:

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510 North El Molino Street . Alhambra, California 91801 . 282-2744 . FAX 282-7560 (Unless otherwise indicated, all telephone numbers in the bulletin are in the (626) area code.) **New Parishioners: WELCOME TO ST. THERESE!** Please come to the Parish office to register. **Office Hours:** Monday through Friday, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm; 2:00 to 5:00 pm; 6:00 to 8:00 pm— **closed from 1:00 to 2:00 pm & 5:00 to 6:00 pm;** **Eucharistic Adoration** - Continuous, day and night. Sign up for an hour of adoration and pray for vocations. Coordinators: Carlos & Carla Johnson – 289-0388



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**Eleventh Sunday  
in Ordinary Time**

**June 16, 2013**

**I live, no longer I, but Christ lives in me.  
—Galatians 2:20**

# "St. Therese Volunteers are World-Class!"

## 9th Annual Volunteer Appreciation Dinner

Dear Parishioners: If you volunteered in any way at St. Therese Parish in the last 12 months, then you are invited to our annual Volunteer Appreciation Dinner Celebration on Saturday, June 29, from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. YOU ARE INVITED TO COME DRESSED IN ATTIRE OR THE FLAG COLORS THAT REFLECT YOUR CULTURAL HERITAGE OR ANCESTRAL BACKGROUND—OR IN ATTIRE OF ANY COUNTRY OR CULTURE YOU WISH. Be creative! Parishioner/Photographer Mel Stoutsenberger will again be hosting a PHOTO BOOTH!



Please RSVP soon by calling Denise at the Parish Office (282-2744, ext. 223) or emailing [denisekay@hotmail.com](mailto:denisekay@hotmail.com). During closed hours, leave your name, what ministry or group you volunteer with, and—if bringing one guest—your guest's name. We look forward to celebrating with you! —Fr. Phillip Pastor

# ST. THERESE SCHOOL NEWS:

Congratulations to our Graduating 8<sup>th</sup> Graders! May you ALL continue to receive many Blessings from St. Therese as you start your high school education. We are all very PROUD of you!



Please consider joining us for these upcoming events:

- All-School Mass for the LAST DAY OF SCHOOL at 9:00 a.m., on **Wed., June 19.**
- Imagination Station: Summer Enrichment Program for TK through 6<sup>th</sup> Grade from **June 24 to July 19.** Call the school office for more information.
- 2013-2014 New Student Registration for TK - 7<sup>th</sup> Grade
- Ongoing Collection of Non-Perishable Food for our Christian Services Pantry
- Ongoing Collection of Box Tops for Education

**BE OUR GUEST!** St. Therese School would like to invite your child to experience a day with our students. We encourage you to visit the school office or our website [www.stthereseschoolalhambra.org](http://www.stthereseschoolalhambra.org) for important information and updates. Please feel free to contact our Principal, Mrs. Lovano, by phone at 289-3364 or by email at [clovano@stthereseschoolalhambra.org](mailto:clovano@stthereseschoolalhambra.org). We look forward to hearing from you!

# Special

## PANCAKE BREAKFAST FUNDRAISER

Vacation Bible School (VBS) and the Alhambra Knights of Columbus invite you to the Hall after the morning Masses (7:30, 9:00, 11:00 a.m.) on **Sunday, June 23**. Tickets are \$5 each, with all proceeds going towards this year's VBS. Bring a friend with you and enjoy the company of your fellow parishioners while enjoying a delicious meal AND helping to support our children's religious education!



### CELEBRATE LIFE'S BIG MOMENTS WITH AN ANNOUNCEMENT IN OUR BULLETIN!

J. S. Paluch, the company that prints our bulletin, is proud to provide the opportunity



for parishioners and parish groups and organizations to purchase space on the back of our bulletin. Space can be purchased for one week or multiple weeks for \$25 for a single space, \$50 for a double space, or \$75 for four spaces. Announce Graduations, Best Wishes, Birthdays, First Communions, Confirmations, Mother's Day and Father's Day, etc. Share the happiness in your life and in the lives of your family members and friends by placing an announcement on the back of the bulletin. To place an announcement, call 1-800-621-5197 or email [customer-care@jspaluch.com](mailto:customer-care@jspaluch.com)

**CALENDAR PLANNING MEETING** The next Calendar Planning meeting (for dates in July through December, 2013) will be held in the Parish Library on **Thursday, June 20, at 6:30 p.m.** All groups and ministries in the parish need to send a representative to the meeting in order to schedule any upcoming meetings and/or events in the Parish Center, the Parish Offices (rectory), or the Hall. If you have any questions, please call the DRE, Rhonda Storey, at 284-0020, ext. 225.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:** The theme for this Summer's (July 29 - August 2) Vacation Bible School (VBS) program is **"KINGDOM ROCK, Where Kids Stand Strong for God."** The sessions go from **9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. each day.** Your child will enter the epic adventure that will empower him or her to stand strong. God's victorious power isn't a fairy tale, it changes kids forever! Participants must be in age from pre-school (potty-trained!) through 5th Grade for our regular program; and in 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Grades for our JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM. The fee for each student from Pre-K through 7th Grade is \$40. **The "Kick-Off" Meeting for those volunteering to help run the program, will be Wednesday, June 26, at 7:00 p.m., at the green picnic benches by the Parish Hall.** Subsequent meetings will be held **every Wednesday throughout July (3, 10, 17, and 24).** Adult Station leaders will meet from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m., and Crew and Team leaders will meet from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. For more info and to register or volunteer, please contact Rhonda Storey at 284-0020, ext. 225.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

# 90th Anniversary Dinner Dance

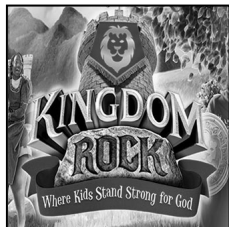
Come join the Alhambra Council of the Knights of Columbus as they celebrate the 90th Anniversary of their founding with a Dinner Dance on the evening of **Saturday, July 20**. The event will start with the celebration of **Holy Mass at St. Therese Church at 5:00 p.m.** A reception will follow at 6:15 pm in the Parish Hall (no host bar). Dinner will then be served at 7:15 pm. Immediately after dinner will be the Annual Installation of Officers, and then ...dance the night away to the music of a live band. Tickets are \$20 per person. **Call Deputy Grand Knight Michael Pulciano at 641-0870 for more information and/or to get your tickets.**



# Parish Ministries

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**STRE NEWS:** Vacation Bible School (“Kingdom Rock”) will be held July 29-August 2, from 9:00 am–1:00 p.m., for kids from Pre-K through 7th Grade (teens will volunteer to help). The Kick-Off Meeting will be Wed., June 26, at 7:00 p.m., at the green benches. Subsequent meetings will be held Wednesdays, July 3, 10, 17, and 24. Adult Station leaders will meet from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m., and Crew and Team leaders, from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.



**2013-2014 SCHOOL YEAR REGISTRATION** for next Fall will be on August 4, 11, and 18, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., at the picnic tables by the Hall. Orientation will be in the Parish Hall at 10:00 a.m., on Sunday, August 25; and the first class will be held on Sunday, September 8, from 9:00 a.m. to Noon, including the Mass.

**RCIA NEWS:** Anyone interested in becoming Catholic or being fully initiated into the Church should register for the RCIA program on August 4, 11, or 18, between 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., at the picnic tables. The first class will be on Thursday, September 12.

## CONFIRMATION

**SEEKING CONFIRMATION TEACHERS:** Anyone interested in volunteering to teach Confirmation, please contact Ruben at 282-2744, ext 235.

**2013-2014 SCHOOL YEAR REGISTRATION** will be held August 4, 11, and 18, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., at the picnic tables. Orientation will be in the Hall at 3:00 p.m., on Sunday, August 25; and the first class will be held on Sunday, September 8, from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m., including Mass. Contact Ruben for any questions.

## YOUTH MINISTRY:

June 21: Youth Ministry Summer Kick-Off! Enjoy food and fun at Story Park beginning at 5:00 p.m.

June 28: “Fireside Chat” in the parking lot 6:00 p.m.

Contact Adam for more info about these events or for other Youth news.



## RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY—“FOOT SOLDIERS FOR LIFE”

**T-SHIRTS:** Foot Soldiers for Life has new ProLife T-Shirts available for sale! Stop by the Rectory and see the new designs expressing support for Life!

**BOOT CAMP:** Survivors ProLife Training BootCamp: Join FSFL at this training, which starts June 17! It is TWELVE DAYS of intense ProLife Training and Activism that prepares people to stand up against abortion—the worst evil of our day. If you would like to attend the BootCamp or join us on one of the Activism days, call Catherine Contreras at (213) 435-3942.

**FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM:** The Second Annual Fortnight for Freedom, sponsored by the US Conference of Catholic Bishops, will be June 21 to July 4! This effort is in response to the still-looming threats to our religious



freedom, like the HHS Mandate. Archbishop Lori of Baltimore, Chairman of the USCCB Ad Hoc Committee for Religious Liberty, states, “The need for prayer, education, and action in defense of religious liberty has never been greater. The Fortnight exists to meet that need. This year’s Fortnight occurs just weeks before August 1, when the administration’s mandate coercing us to violate our deeply-held beliefs will be enforced against most religious non-profits. During the Fortnight, the Supreme Court’s decisions on the definition of marriage will likely be handed down as well. Those decisions could have a profound impact on religious freedom for generations to

come.” Further details about the Fortnight can be found at [www.Fortnight4Freedom.org](http://www.Fortnight4Freedom.org). The site hosts resources such as one-page fact sheets outlining current threats to religious freedom both in the United States and abroad; frequently asked questions about religious liberty, including quotes from the Founding Fathers, the Second Vatican Council and Popes John Paul II and Benedict XVI; and a study guide on Dignitatis Humanae, Vatican II’s document on religious liberty.

# Parish Ministries / News:

## PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION



*"When the bee has gathered the earth's sweetest nectar, it turns it into honey, then hastens to its hive. In the same way, the priest, having taken from the altar the Son of God, makes Him available for adoration." --St. Francis de Sales*

To sign up for an hour every week, please call Carlos or Carla Johnson at 289-0388.

**BAPTISM MINISTRY:** Rhonda Storey, 284-0020, X 225 ~ In order to take part in our Baptism Program, **PARENTS & GODPARENTS** are required to: 1) Have an interview the month before the Baptism; 2) Attend a class (next is **July 8**)—fee is **\$100 per child or \$25 for the class only** from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m., in the Library; And 3) Attend a Presentation Sunday Mass (next open date is **July 14**) at 9:00 a.m. Your child will then be baptized on a Saturday (next **OPEN Baptism** is on **July 20**) at **Noon**. **SELECTING THE GODPARENTS:** Canon Law requires you to have at least one godparent (may have two) who: 1) is at least 16; 2) has been Confirmed; and 3) is a practicing Catholic. A form attesting to this will need to be signed by a priest from the parish of each prospective godparent.

## Happy Father's Day!

...to all the fathers in our Parish—and those who are like fathers! **May God bless you on this day and all the days of your life!**



## HOME VISITATIONS BY THE PILGRIM VIRGIN

One of the apostolate works undertaken by the LEGION OF MARY is to sponsor home visitations by the Pilgrim Virgin statue. Two legionaries will bring the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary to homes for a stay of one week, with a purpose of the family praying the daily Rosary. Any persons interested in welcoming the statue into their homes, or who would like more information, are asked to call Legionary Joey Vazquez at 284-1829.

## THANK YOU!

### FOR YOUR DONATIONS!

**WEEKLY OFFERINGS:** Below are the totals for last weekend's collection and for the previous four weeks:

June 8 / 9, 2013

Unrestricted.....	\$12,174.00
Restricted .....	\$ 602.00
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$12,776.00</b>

May 11 / 12, 2013.....	\$11,956.00
May 18 / 19, 2013.....	\$12,578.00
May 25 / 26, 2013.....	\$12,205.00
June 1 / 2, 2013.....	\$13,310.00

As a friendly suggestion for those who are employed, we propose a realistic donation of **at least one hour of pay per week**.

## TOGETHER IN MISSION 2013

"Love Never Fails"

Our assigned goal.....	\$64,563.00
Donations received as of 6/4/13.....	\$17,423.00
<b>Donations needed to reach .....</b>	<b>\$47,140.00</b>

Envelopes are in the pews for those who haven't yet made a pledge or donation. God bless you all!

## THE MAY CRIB PROJECT

is over and the "Baby Room" is fully stocked with baby supplies. Thank you so much for the wonderful and practical baby items that you hand-selected for the *GPS Maternal Instincts Program*. We are counting our blessings, and we are so grateful to our St. Therese Parishioners! GPS serves pregnant teens/women and mothers with babies/young children. It also provides free counseling and monthly baby supplies to those in need.



## NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING (N.F.P.):

Did you know that a women's health could benefit from learning about Natural Family Planning? This month there will be **TWO free Introductory Sessions** of the **Creighton Model Fertility Care System of Natural Family Planning**—both in the Avila Conference Room. The first is at **11:00 a.m., on Saturday June 22**; and the second is at **7:00 p.m., on Monday June 24**. These session are for married and engaged couples or single women who would like to learn more about their health and fertility. To register or for dates of future sessions, call Jack and Katrina Crow at 292-1906 or email [jkcrowsnest@hotmail.com](mailto:jkcrowsnest@hotmail.com)

## Mass Intentions For the Week of 6/15/13 to 6/22/13



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The 5:00 pm Mass is only published at the beginning of the week; see 6/15/13.

\*Held in the Cloistered Carmelite Chapel, 215 E. Alhambra Road—open to the public every day except on Sundays, Vigils and major holy days and holidays.

### Intentions of our Holy Father for June 2013:

1) That a culture of dialogue, listening, and mutual respect may prevail among peoples; 2) That where secularization is strongest, Christian communities may effectively promote a new evangelization.



### Lectors:

#### Saturday:

5:00 p.m. Olivia Carnegie / Rebeca Willis

#### Sunday:

7:30 a.m. Thu Nguyen / Jackie Johnson  
9:00 a.m. Lorraine Mizerski / Madeline Nguyen  
11:00 a.m. Jeff Storey / Ignacio Verduzco  
5:00 p.m. Vickie Blair / Heinrich Ranches

#### Saturday:

5:00 p.m. Joseph Ngan RIP

#### Sunday:

\*7:30 a.m. Fr. Jerome Lantry OCD RIP

7:30 a.m.: John Park INT

9:00 a.m.: Mary Dao Tran RIP

11:00 a.m.: For all fathers, esp. those whose children have passed away due to miscarriage

1:00 p.m. (Latin): Thu Lay INT

5:00 pm: Parishioners

#### Monday:

6:00 a.m.: Father's Day Novena 1

\*7:30 am Joseph Dampf RIP

8:00 a.m.: Michael Linnane RIP

#### Tuesday:

6:00 a.m.: Alma Edusma INT

\*7:30 a.m.: Father's Day Novena 2

8:00 am: Diane Allen RIP

#### Wednesday:

6:00 a.m.: Erlinda de la Cruz RIP

\*7:30 a.m.: Edison de Villa RIP

8:00 a.m.: Father's Day Novena 3

#### Thursday:

6:00 a.m.: Father's Day Novena 4

\*7:30 a.m. Jose Klapp & Maria Hernandez RIP

8:00 a.m. Linda Campbell RIP

#### Friday:

6:00 a.m.: Joseph Dampf RIP

\*7:30 a.m. Father's Day Novena 5

8:00 am: Fr. Robt Barcelos b-day INT

#### Saturday:

6:00 a.m.: Ben Herbrito RIP

\*7:30 a.m.: Carmelite Community

8:00 am: King-Tao Ngan RIP

## Floral Dedication

This week's Floral Dedications are:

♥ In Loving Memory of Lena Antoci (100th Anniversary of her Birth);

♥ In Loving Memory of Paul Tassi

and

✦ In Honor of the St. Therese Graduating Class of 2013



To dedicate a floral arrangement in someone's honor, for a special occasion, or in memory of a loved one, contact Giovanna Setiady at 281-9049. Each bouquet is \$40. (two for \$80).

## Deaths

Please pray for the repose of the soul of:

✦ Joan Cordoba (former parishioner)

## Personal Ads

Mature, responsible female parishioner (non-smoker/no pets) SEEKS A STUDIO OR 1 BR APT TO RENT for \$1,000 or less /mo. If you have availability, please leave a message at 282-2744, x223.

Caregiver wanted for senior couple in Alhambra. Dinner prep, hygiene, occasional driving. Live-in possible. Call Christine at 808-6551

Do you have a STUDIO APT AVAILABLE FOR RENT? If so, a Parishioner would like to rent it. Call 308-7405 if you have availability.

## Outside the Parish

CARMELITE PILGRIMAGE TO WESTERN EUROPE (Carmelite and Marian Shrines) on September 2-15, 2013, with our Pastor, Fr. Philip Sullivan, OCD. Will visit many sites in France (Paris, Lisieux, Lourdes); Spain (Avila, Segovia); and Portugal (Fatima). Cost is \$4,395. For more info, call Louisa & Jack Day at 323-722-9339 or 323-360-5186. Download an itinerary at [www.syversentouring.com](http://www.syversentouring.com).

SAFARI IN TANZANIA: Have you dreamed of seeing wildlife in its native habitat? Do you desire to learn about new cultures? If so, this tour through Tanzania is the vacation for you. Fr. Jan Lundberg will be joining this safari in Tanzania from Nov 4 to Nov, 13, 2013. Cost is \$5,408 per person (double occu.). Daily Mass during the trip. Contact Angela at Avenue of Travel at 394-4367 or [aokyang@gmail.com](mailto:aokyang@gmail.com).

Please join Fr. Jose Parathanal for "Footsteps of St. Paul" to Turkey & Greece 10/3/13 to 10/15/13. Contact: Bernadette Corpuz at [bcorp1114@hotmail.com](mailto:bcorp1114@hotmail.com); tel: 323-344-1548 or 323-547-6618.

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