

Saint Therese Church

June 11, 2017

Ministered by the Discalced Carmelite Friars Established 1924

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(Unless otherwise indicated, all the telephone numbers in the bulletin are in the (626) area code).

Pastor: Fr. Philip Sullivan, OCD (222) **Associate Pastors:** Fr. Bernard Perkins, OCD (232)
and Fr. Charles Nawodylo, OCD (224) **In Residence:** Fr. Albert Bunsic, OCD

Deacon Couple: Deacon Joe & Lorraine Mizerski (333)

Vocations: Carmelite: (909) 629-9495; Archdiocesan (213) 637-7515

Sacraments:

Confessions: Wednesday: 7:00-8:30 p.m.
Saturday: 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Baptisms: Once a month on a Saturday

Weddings: Fill out an application (web-site or office) six months+ in advance.

- Facilitator: Ruben Beltran 284-0020 (2)

- Wedding Coordinator: Mary Putman
MerryPage@gmail.com or (760) 844-2725

Other Programs:

-**Annulments:** Lorraine Mizerski (333)

-**Avila Young Adult Group:**

Paula Grimm (909) 703-1284

-**Bible Study:** Debbie Robles 679-6370

-**Detention Ministry:** Sonia Macias
(323) 724-6443

-**Grief Support**-2nd/4th Wed 2:30-4p.m.

-**Intercessors Prayer Group:**

Blanca Ruvalcaba 281-7070

-**Irish Step Dance Class:** Kelly Mohun,
(805) 421-7548 / 1stkdoc@gmail.com

***Knights of Columbus:** Grand Knight
Mike Stauffer (310) 916-8419

-**Legion of Mary:** Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.

-**Natural Family Planning:**

Jack & Katrina Crow 292-1906

-**OCDS:** Stan Interrante 714-996-4164

-**Rosary Makers:** Mondays, 6-8 p.m.

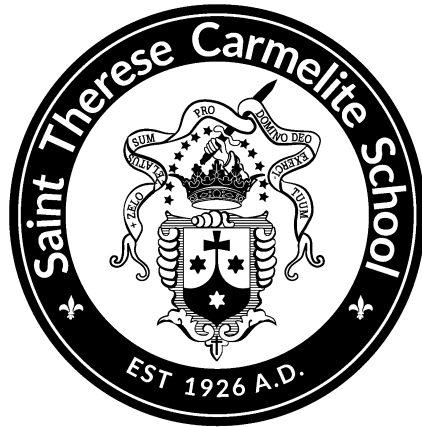
Magda Contreras (213) 300-7776

-**Silver Legacy** for Grandparents:

1st Mon., 7 pm; Susana Martinez 289-9362

-**St. Joseph Prayer Group:** Wed,

6:15 p.m., Lucy Marikian 281-3706



For more info about our school, go to:
www.SaintThereseCarmeliteSchool.com

Masses & Services:

Monday-Saturday:

6:00 & 8:00 a.m.

Carmelite Cloister: 7:30 a.m.

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday:

7:30, 9:00, 11:00 a.m., & 5:00 p.m.

Latin High Mass: 1:00 p.m.

Holy Days:

6:00, 8:00, 10:00 a.m., & 7:30 p.m.

Devotions:

Rosary: After Mon-Sat 8:00 a.m. Mass;
Exposition/Benediction: Thursdays, 7:00-
8:00p.m.; Intercessors for Priests:
Thursdays, 8:00 p.m.; First Friday Mass
Prayer Vigil. Confessions: 7:30 p.m.

St. Therese Carmelite School:

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stsprincipalcornejo@gmail.com

Web: SaintThereseCarmeliteSchool.com

Parish Secretary:

Denise McMaster-Holguin (223)
denisekay@hotmail.com

Finance: Noralyn Cailan (228)

Choir Directors:

9:00am: Marcia Martinez-Bateman
(775) 771-4992

11:00am: Charlotte Lansberg
cjlansberg@choochoorecords.com

Respect Life Ministry / Vox Vitae:

Catherine Contreras (112)

Altar Ministries:

Fr. Charles Nawodylo OCD (224)

Ministry to the Sick:

Fred & Margaret Padilla (626) 282-0943

Religious Education & RCIA:

Rhonda Storey 284-0020 (1)
rhondalstorey@gmail.com

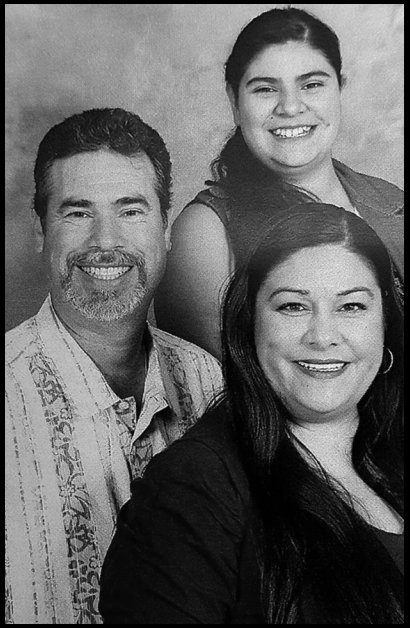
Youth & Adult Confirmation

Ruben Beltran 284-0020 (2)
rubenconfirmation@yahoo.com

Parish Vision Statement:

To be a spiritual Catholic Family focused on prayer as well as service to the Gospel through a Sacramental life. We envision our Parish as a community of stewards dedicated to building up the Body of Christ through active ministry while living the example of simplicity, humility, confidence and love of our Patroness, St. Therese of Lisieux.

Congratulations, Deacon Gilbert, ON YOUR ORDINATION TO THE DIACONATE!



Deacon Gil will assist at his First Mass at today's 11:00 a.m. Mass. Following the Mass, all parishioners are invited to join us in the Hall for a reception in honor of Gil and his family.

CATHOLICISM THE PIVOTAL PLAYERS



Discover the figures who shaped the Church and changed the world!

Bishop Barron's: The Pivotal Players is a multi-part film series for adults that illumines a handful of saints, artists, mystics, and scholars who not only shaped the life of the Church but also changed the course of civilization. Bishop Barron took a journey to unlock the truth behind the Catholic Church's most influential people.

You'll discover the places where St. Thomas Aquinas lived, learned, and wrote. Visit the countryside where St. Francis gathered a group of friars and revived the Church. See the places where St. Catherine of Siena ministered and prayed. Trek through England to where Bl. John Henry Newman and G.K. Chesterton left their mark and sparked an English Catholic revival. And through unprecedented footage, marvel at the extraordinary art of Michelangelo, from his David statue in Florence, to the Pietà at St. Peter's, to the Sistine Chapel.

Classes will meet this summer on Thursday evenings (July 6, 13, 20 and August 3, 10, and 17) in the Parish Meeting Room from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. For more information and to register, contact the class facilitators at 284-0020 {Ruben Beltran (235) or Rhonda Storey (225)}.



DETENTION MINISTRY VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY



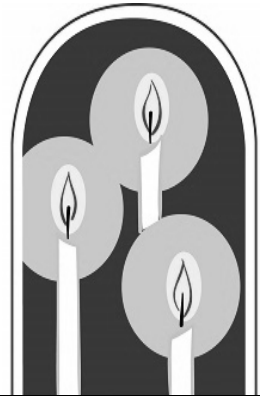
Come bring Christ's love to youth in prison at Central Juvenile Hall Eastlake! The youth in prison are 8 to 18 years old. Become a Detention Ministry volunteer (must be 21 years or older). Detention Ministry is a "ministry of presence" at Central Juvenile Hall Eastlake (CJH). CJH is located in Los Angeles near County/USC Hospital.

For information on becoming a Detention Ministry volunteer, please contact: Sonia Macias at (323) 724-6443 / sonia_macias@hotmail.com OR Miriam Lopez at mimilc@hotmail.com

"For I was in prison and you visited me." Matthew 25:36. "Whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me." Mathew 25:40

VESPERS AND LATIN MASSES

At the end of this month, while the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter (FSSP) will be here for a Sacred Music Symposium for church music directors, all parishioners are welcome to attend the Sung Vesper services and Latin Masses that will be held here in the evenings.



The schedule is as follows:

Monday-Wednesday (June 26–June 28)

5:30 p.m.: Sung Vespers

6:00 p.m.: Mass in Latin

Thursday (June 29)

6:00 p.m.: Sung Vespers

7:00 p.m.: Mass in Latin

This will be the "First Mass" celebrated by a newly-ordained FSSP priest

Please note that, due to the Mass, there will be NO Exposition/Benediction service on Thursday, June 29.

(VBS) IS COMING BACK! VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - Tracking Mary: Mysteries and Messages

If you'd like to volunteer by serving on the CORE GROUP, call Rhonda Storey (contact info at bottom of this page) to find out the next meeting date and location. We are looking for volunteers from 8th Grade on up, especially more adults! We will do work on planning and making station assignments

VBS will be held from July 24 to 28, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., and is for Grades TK through 7th Grade. We will sing, play, eat snacks, explore, pray, and travel with Mary! We will learn about her apparitions as Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, as well as her appearances at Fatima, Guadalupe, Knock, and Lourdes. \$30 per child. Grades 6 & 7 will have a special Junior High Group with fun and engaging games and activities. Pre-K & Kindergarten Class is for those who are potty trained. They will have their own special room!

All participants need to bring their own bag lunch and water daily. 8th Grade and above can volunteer as crew leaders. \$15 per person for the t-shirts. This is also a great service hour opportunity!

For more info, contact Rhonda Storey, DRE, at 284-0020, ext 1, or rhondaLStorey@gmail.com.



PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Through perpetual [Eucharistic] adoration Jesus longs to open up the floodgates of His merciful love on a troubled world. He longs to heal a broken humanity. Otherwise, He continues to weep in spirit and say: "O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, you slay the prophets and stone those who are sent to you! How often have I wanted to gather your children together as a mother bird collects her young under her wings, and you refused me! Your



temple will be abandoned I say to you, you shall not see me until the time comes when you say, 'Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord'" (Luke 13:34-36). —From "Worthy Is the Lamb"

Our Chapel is open 24/7. It is unlocked during the day. To come between 5:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m., you will need to purchase an electronic key in the office for \$20 (the key is subject to deactivation if rules are broken.)

THE HOLY TRINITY

Science has not been able to solve the mystery of how the universe came into being or explain exactly what continues to give it creative energy and masterful design. God always transcends our limited ability to understand. God is a mystery to be believed, not known. God is the Most Holy Trinity of three persons united in a communion of love, pouring forth that creative, saving, sanctifying love into the world. Today's Scriptures celebrate the mystery of the Trinity and give us clues for living that mystery in our lives.



It is often heard that today's observance is an "idea feast," and that it is somewhat difficult to grasp its meaning.

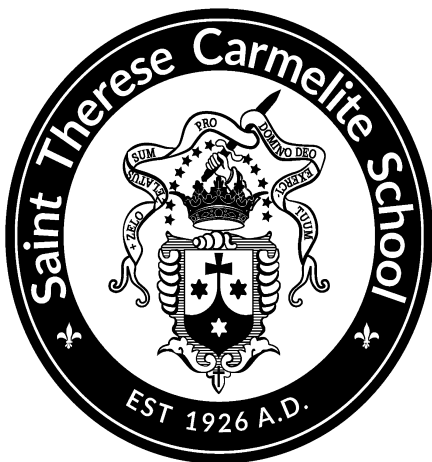
Other great solemnities, such as Christmas and Easter, have an easily grasped core. Yet, even though the Trinity is at the heart of our faith, firmly declared since the Council of Nicea in 325, we are used to having people shrug and say, "Well, it's a mystery."

Perhaps it is more helpful to think of this as a "relationship feast," since it unveils our deepest identity. Dorothy Day was a great social reformer, pacifist, and ardent lover of the Trinity. She treasured the traditional icon for the feast, also known as "The Hospitality of Abraham" (shown above), depicting the three angelic beings seated at a table tilted toward the viewer and laden with bread and wine. For her, the Trinity revealed the heart of the Catholic life, three C's if you will: Community, Communication, and Communion. That was not an "idea" for her, but what it means to be created in the image of the Triune God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

SAINT THERESE CARMELITE SCHOOL

Deeply rooted in Carmelite spirituality, Saint Therese Carmelite School seeks to form students in faith, academics, and virtue through a Classical education.

Just as the sun shines on all the trees and flowers as if each were the only one on earth, so does God care for all souls in a special manner. —St. Therese of Lisieux



Tuesday, June 13: Last Day of School—It will begin with attendance at the 8:00 a.m., Mass, and will end with dismissal at Noon.

Congratulations to our students for completing another successful year building their knowledge in core subjects and strengthening their faith. Have a blessed summer!

Open Enrollment will continue through June. Reserve your child's spot as soon as possible. We encourage you to visit the school office to learn more about our wonderful school, to take a tour, or to spend a day with our amazing students and teachers. Please feel free to contact us at 289-3364 or admin@sainttheresecarmeliteschool.com.

BAPTISM MINISTRY



In order to take part in our Baptism Program, **PARENTS & GODPARENTS** are required to attend a class from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m., in the Parish Library (next are July 6 and September 7). The fee is \$100 per child OR \$25 for the class only. Baptisms are on Saturdays (next open are July 22 at Noon and September 30 at 11:00 a.m.). No need to pre-

register for the class; just show up with a copy of your child's birth certificate.

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 need to be signed by a priest from the parish of each prospective godparent.

For more information, contact Rhonda Storey at 284-0020, Ext. 225, or rhondalstorey@gmail.com.

ELEMENTARY RELIGIOUS ED (STRE) & YOUTH CONFIRMATION



REGISTRATION & ORIENTATION



for next year's elementary and high school classes will be held on **Sunday, August 27.**

Watch the bulletin in July for more information.

ANOTHER CHANCE TO WIN A LLADRO!

Fr. Philip has kindly given Saint Therese Carmelite School a gorgeous vintage Lladro figurine, "A King is Born" to raffle off to benefit the School. It is in mint condition in the original box with all the documentation (the current minimum retail is \$895).



Raffle tickets for \$2 each are on sale in the Gift Shoppe after all the Masses. The winner's name will be drawn on Christmas Eve.

SEEKING VOLUNTEER TEACHERS / CATECHISTS FOR 2017 / 2018

If you enjoy teaching and have the ability to "connect" with children or teens, we are looking for you!

For more information about teaching **IN THE ELEMENTARY RELIGIOUS ED DEPARTMENT**, contact Rhonda Storey, Director of Religious Education, at 284-0020 (225) OR rhondalstorey@gmail.com.

For more information about teaching **CONFIRMATION PREPARATION CLASSES FOR HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH**, contact Ruben Beltran, the Confirmation Coordinator, at 284-0020 (235) OR rubenconfirmation@yahoo.com.



PRAYER TO THE HOLY TRINITY:
 I venerate and glorify you, O most Blessed Trinity, in union with that glory

with which God the Father honors the Holy Spirit forever. I magnify and bless you, O Most Blessed Trinity, in union with that most glory with which God the Son glorifies the Father and the Holy Spirit. I adore and extol you, O Blessed Trinity, in union with that glory with which the Holy Spirit in His unchangeable goodness, extols the Father and the Son forever. Amen.

FINANCIAL OFFERINGS

May God reward you!

June 3 / 4, 2017

Unrestricted.....	\$16,545.00
Restricted	\$ 1,123.00
T O T A L	\$17,668.00
May 6 / 7	\$17,687.00
May 13 / 14	\$30,333.00
May 20 / 21	\$17,096.00
May 27 / 28	\$11,513.00

"...for God loves a cheerful giver" (2 Corinthians 9:7).

ON-GOING MEETINGS / CLASSES / MINISTRIES

AVILA YOUNG ADULT GROUP (Ages 21–39, singles/couples): Join us on most first Saturdays of the month at 6:15 p.m., in the Guadalupe Courtyard, as well as for social events. Next meeting will be July 1st. For more information, contact Paula at (909) 703-1284 or pgrimm.dir@gmail.com.

BIBLE STUDY: When in session, classes meet on **Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.** Following time for gathering, each session then begins promptly at 7:30 p.m. Stay tuned for the subject for our next Bible Study, which will meet in the Fall of 2017. For more info, contact Debbie Robles at debrobles@me.com or 679-6370.

COURAGE: Standing fully by the teachings of the Church, this group of faithful Catholic parents support one another and their loved ones who have same sex attraction (SSA). **Safe, confidential meetings are held monthly** in the LA Archdiocese. For more information, go to the website, www.CourageRC.org. PARENTS may email EnCourage.LosAngeles@Gmail.com; those with SSA may email CourageCaLosAngeles@Gmail.com.

DETENTION MINISTRY: Join us in visiting the youth in the Juvenile Detention Center in L.A. To sign up or for more info, call Sonia at (323) 724-6443.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP: This group (originally formed in honor of Patricia Bordonaro) is for those grieving a loved one—no matter how long or for whom. We meet in the Parish Offices from 2:30 to 4:00 p.m. on the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of each month. The next meetings will be June 14 and 28.

INTERCESSORS FOR PRIESTS PRAYER GROUP: Join us in the Avila Room in the Parish Offices to pray for priests every **Thursday at 8:00 p.m.** (following Benediction in the church). For more info, call Blanca at 281-7070.

IRISH STEP-DANCING CLASSES: Irish dance classes are held on **Tuesdays at 3:00 p.m.** in the Parish Hall (for 45 minutes to one hour). Classes are for kids 4+ and for adults. For more information, please contact Kelly at (805) 421-7548 or 1stkdoc@gmail.com.

LEGION OF MARY: Consider becoming a member of the Legion. Meetings are held every Tuesday at 7:00 p.m., in the Parish Offices (Lisieux Room). The object of the Legion is the glory of God through the holiness of its members developed by prayer and active cooperation. Every legionary is required to carry out a weekly apostolic work in the spirit of faith and in union with Mary.

ROSARY MAKERS: Help make rosaries to be sent to Catholics in third-world countries. Sessions are held on Mondays at 6:00 p.m. in the Avila Room of the Parish Offices. For more info, call Magda at (213) 300-7776.

SILVER LEGACY: Grandparents are invited to discover how to support and assist their children with their own families. Meetings are held at 7:00 p.m. on the **FIRST MONDAY** of each month in the Parent Service Association Room of the school classroom building (last room on the lower level—across from the south side of the Parish Hall). For more info, call Susana Martinez at 289- 9362. **Next meeting is July 3.**

ST. JOSEPH PRAYER GROUP: Come to the church every **Wednesday at 6:15 p.m.** to pray for peace and justice issues in our community and around the world. For more info, call Lucy at 281-3706.

Mass Intentions

For Week of 6/10/17 TO 6/17/17

Saturday:

5:00 p.m.: Fernando Fuentesbella, Sr., RIP

Sunday:

*7:30 a.m.: Saturnina Fuentesbella, RIP

7:30 a.m.: Winston Goh, INT

9:00 a.m.: Juan and Manuel Zayas, RIP

11:00 a.m.: Luis Figueroa, RIP

1:00 p.m. (Latin): Parishioners

5:00 p.m.: Eddie Fernandez, RIP

Monday:

6:00 a.m.: Robert Gray, RIP

*7:30 a.m.: Maryanne & Joe Losorelli, INT

8:00 a.m.: Angelle Laigo, INT

Tuesday:

6:00 a.m.: Chuck and Alice Hunt, INT

*7:30 a.m.: David Steele, RIP

8:00 a.m.: Madeline Purdy, RIP

Wednesday:

6:00 a.m.: Gil Leyritana, RIP

*7:30 a.m.: Guillermina Leyritana, RIP

8:00 a.m.: Chuck & Alice Hunt, INT

Thursday:

6:00 a.m.: Anne Sheedy, RIP

*7:30 a.m.: Annette Grimaud, RIP

8:00 a.m.: St. Therese Church Collection Counters INT

Friday:

6:00 a.m.: Gus Gutierrez, RIP

*7:30 a.m.: Gus Dennison, RIP

8:00 a.m.: Chuck & Alice Hunt, INT

Saturday:

6:00 a.m.: Tim Mary, Wendy, Warren Chang, INT

*7:30 a.m.: Carmelite Community

8:00 a.m.: Virgilio Lopez, INT

*Held at the Carmelite Chapel, 215 East Alhambra Road
Open to the public every day except Sundays/holidays.

Floral Dedication

This week's dedication is:

♥ *In Loving Memory of
Rosie Zamora*

Make a dedication in someone's honor, for a special occasion, or in memory of loved ones! Bouquets are \$45 plus. Call Giovanna at 281-9049.



Outside the Parish

ATTN: Families with kids! Parishioner Theresa Cardinali will be offering **FREE "creative recycling" using egg cartons**. Classes at Baldwin Park Library (making lady bugs) will be held on **Sat., June 17**, from 2 to 3:30 pm (Call 962-6947 to register); Classes at City Terrace Library (making roosters) will be held on **Sat., June 24**, from 2 to 3:30 pm (Call 323-261-0295 to register).

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE JUNE 25 - JULY 6, with Fr. Darrin Merlino, CMF, & Fr. Gaspar Masilamani, CMF, to Nazareth, Caesarea, Bethlehem, Capernaum, Galilee, Cana, Bethany, Jerusalem, etc. \$3,999, Dbl. occ. Includes daily Mass, direct flights from LAX, fabulous hotels, breakfasts/dinners, airport taxes, entrance fees. Contact Albert or Mary Helen Estrada at 285-6687.

EMOTIONAL HEALTH ANONYMOUS: For those with emotional problems NOT related to substance abuse, get support at meetings in Sierra Madre on Mondays/Thursdays at 8 p.m., and Fridays at 8:15 p.m. For more info, 722-5779 or email sgveha@hotmail.com.

INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER FOR JUNE:



That national leaders may firmly commit themselves to ending the arms trade, which victimizes so many innocent people.

Lectors

Saturday:

5:00 p.m. Rebeca Willis / Marta Timar

Sunday:

7:30 a.m. Florence Goh / Rex Owens

9:00 a.m. Rosa Natividad / Beatriz Pelayo-Garcia

11:00 a.m. Deacon Gil Vargas

5:00 p.m. Charlie Gopez

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