

Saint Therese Church

June 3, 2018 Ministered by the Discalced Carmelite Friars Established 1924

www.StThereseChurchAlhambra.org

510 North El Molino Street - Alhambra, California 91801 - (626) 282-2744

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

Pastor: Fr. Philip Sullivan, OCD (222) **Associate Pastor:** Fr. Bernard Perkins, OCD (232)

In Residence: Fr. Albert Bunsic, OCD (335); Dcn. Matthias Lambrecht, OCD (224); Bro. Jason Parrott, OCD (324)

Deacon Couples: Deacon Joseph & Lorraine Mizerski (333); Deacon Gilbert & Frances Vargas (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 Liturgy/Rehearsals: 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: Maria Henrie, mariacahill1@yahoo.com

***Knights of Columbus:** Grand Knight: Paul Gutierrez (888) 869-3124

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

-Natural Family Planning:

Jack & Katrina Crow 292-1906

-OCDS: Stan Interrante 714-996-4164

-Retrouvaille Marriage Ministry

909-900-5465 (help for marriages)

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

Magda Contreras (213) 300-7776

-St. Joseph Prayer Group: Wed, 6:15 p.m., Lucy Marikian 281-3706



Feast of Corpus Christi

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.

Devotions:

Exposition/Benediction: Thursdays,

7:00-8:00p.m.;

First Friday Mass and Confessions:

7:30 p.m.

St. Therese Carmelite School:

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

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Catherine Contreras (112)

Cor Jesu Youth Ministry:

Bro. Matthias Lambrecht, OCD (224)

Ministry to the Sick:

Fred & Margaret Padilla (626) 282-0943

Religious Education and Liturgical Ministries:

Rhonda Storey 284-0020 (1)
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Confirmation & RCIA

Ruben Beltran 284-0020 (2)
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New Parishioners: Welcome to St. Therese! Please register online or in the Parish Office

(510 N. El Molino St., Alhambra). 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. Coordinator: Ruben Beltran—284-0020 (2)

THE FEAST OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST



The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ was originally known as the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, which translates from Latin to "Body of Christ." This feast is celebrated in the U.S. on the Sunday following the Feast of the Holy Trinity. The institution of the Feast of Corpus Christi as a feast began with the visions of St. Juliana of Liège, a 13th-century Norbertine canoness, born in 1191 or 1192 in Liège, Belgium. Orphaned at the age of five, she and her twin sister Agnes were entrusted to the care of the Augustinian nuns. In 1208, she had a vision in which she was instructed to plead for the institution of the Feast of Corpus Christi. The vision was repeated for the next 20 years but she kept it a secret until finally relaying it to her confessor, who relayed it to the local bishop, Robert DeThorete. In 1246, Bishop DeThorete ordered a local celebration of the feast of Corpus Christi.

In 1263, a priest from Germany, Fr. Peter de Prague, stopped at the town of Bolsena while on a pilgrimage to Rome. He was troubled by the apathy of many of the faithful and a lack of reverence at Mass. Though good and pious, he was also afflicted with doubts about Jesus' presence in the Eucharist. He prayed that the Lord would increase his faith. That day he celebrated Mass at the tomb of St. Christina, an early martyr of the church. As soon as he said the words of consecration, the Host began to bleed. Blood fell onto his hands and onto the corporal on the altar. He was awestruck and began to cry. At first, he was not sure what to do but then announced to the congregation what had happened. They, too, were awestruck. The next day, he was taken to see Pope Urban IV who was residing in the neighboring town of Orvieto--about 10 miles away. Fr. Peter placed the host in the corporal and brought it to the Holy "Father. Pope Urban ordered an investigation. After all of the facts had been ascertained, the Holy Father declared a miracle had occurred. He ordered the relics to be brought to the Cathedral of Orvieto, where they are still venerated today. The reddish spots on the cloth, upon close observation, show the profile of a face similar to those that traditionally represent Jesus.

One year later, in 1264, Pope Urban IV instituted the feast of Corpus Christi, a special feast day to recognize and to promote the great gift of the Blessed Sacrament. He commissioned St. Thomas Aquinas to compose a Mass and an office for the Liturgy of the Hours honoring the Eucharist. St. Thomas also composed the Eucharistic hymns, "Panis Angelicus," "Pange Lingua," "O Salutaris Hostia," and "Tantum Ergo." Today, at the Church of St. Christina in Bolsena, one finds the altar where the miracle took place, and the blood-stained stones of the miracle are preserved. The Cathedral of Orvieto possesses the blood-stained corporal as well as fragments of the miraculous host.

In 1964, to commemorate the 700th anniversary of the institution of the feast of Corpus Christi, Pope Paul VI celebrated the holy sacrifice of the Mass at the altar where the holy corporal is kept in the Cathedral of Orvieto. Then in 1976, Pope Paul VI visited Bolsena and spoke from there via television to the 41st International Eucharistic Congress meeting in Philadelphia. In his address, the Holy Father said the holy Eucharist is "a mystery, great and inexhaustible." How true, indeed.

O my Jesus, each time I look at the Sacred Host, sanctify my eyes, that they may see your Real Presence. Jesus, each time I look at the Sacred Host, send a ray of divine light into my soul, that I may better know you and myself. Jesus, each time I look at the Sacred Host, send a flame of Divine Love into my heart to consume everything in it that is displeasing to you and to set it all on fire with your love. May I always desire to contemplate the infinite beauty of your divine countenance. Amen.

CONSECRATION TO THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY



HAVE YOU MADE YOUR CONSECRATION TO MARY HERE AT ST. THERESE CHURCH? Then join us for our monthly **FOLLOW-UP** meetings at 6:30 p.m., in the Parish Hall on the following Sundays: June 3 (TODAY!), July 1, August 5, September 2, October 7, November 4, and December 2.

INTERESTED IN BEING CONSECRATED? If you would like to prepare to be consecrated to Mary's Immaculate Heart, join us for the preparation seminars at 6:30 p.m., as follows: Saturday, June 16, in the Hall; Sunday, June 24, in the Hall; Sunday, July 8, in the Parish Center Art Room; and Saturday, July 14, in the Hall. After attending the seminars, there will be a Consecration to Mary on Sunday, July 15, at the 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass of Our Lady of Mount Carmel.

Saint Therese Carmelite School

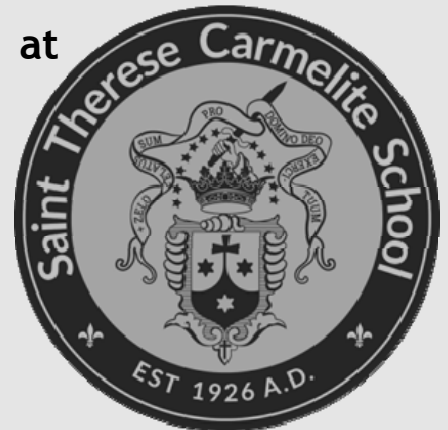


www.SaintThereseCarmeliteSchool.com

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

"Love can accomplish all things. Things that are most impossible become easy where love is at work." -Therese of Lisieux

- June 8 (Friday): Kindergarten Graduation at 10:30 a.m.
- June 8 (Friday): 8th Grade Graduation at 6:00 p.m.
- June 13 (Wednesday): Last Day of School!



OPEN REGISTRATION FOR NEW STUDENTS!

We encourage you to visit the school office to learn more about our school, to take a tour, or to spend a day with our amazing students and wonderful teachers. Please feel free to contact us at (626) 289-3364 or admin@sainttheresecarmeliteschool.com.

FINANCIAL OFFERINGS

May God reward you! Below you will find the total collections for last weekend and for the previous four weekends. **NOTE:** There is a second collection on the **SECOND WEEKEND** of each month for our School (next is June 9th/10th). Thank you for your support!

May 26 / 27, 2018



Unrestricted.....	\$10,253.00
Restricted	\$ 4,760.00
T O T A L.....	\$15,013.00
April 21 / 22.....	\$20,621.00
April 28 / 29.....	\$15,138.00
May 5 / 6.....	\$23,302.00
May 12 / 13.....	\$14,902.00

Check Users:
Please use a donation envelope in order to more easily credit your

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

CATHOLIC TRADITION TALK



The next Catholic Tradition Talk will be at

7:30 p.m.
Friday, June 8

in the Parish Meeting Room of the Parish Center (2nd floor). Our topic will be announced. All are welcome!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

ELEMENTARY GRADES, HIGH SCHOOL, CONFIRMATION, and ADULT RCIA

ELEMENTARY: Have a great Summer... Registration for the 2018-2019 year will be held in August.



CONFIRMATION:

C1—See you in September! We will have registrations in August.



C2—The Rite of Confirmation will take place on Sunday, June 10, at the 5:00 p.m. Mass, with Archbishop Jose Gomez.

RCIA The next classes are Thursdays, June 7 and 14, at 7:00 p.m. For questions, contact the DRE, Rhonda Storey, at 284-0020 (1).



ARE YOU HOMEBOUND?

You can view the Mass on TV on Channel 56 (KDOC) every Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

For a free copy of the Mass prayer book, call 1-800-430-0930



COR JESU YOUTH MINISTRY

YOUTH-LED HOLY HOUR: Join us on Thursday, June 7, at 7:00 p.m., in the church (with Deacon Mathias).

Youth & Family Night: Friday, June 22, at a local park. Details will be coming soon.

Homeless Ministry: Sunday, June 24—All the food is being donated, so we'll just need help with assembly at 12:30 p.m., in the Hall, followed by distribution and prayer on Skid Row with the High School teens.



VOX VITAE

CATHOLIC PRO LIFE CAMPS

Teens and Adults are invited to attend the annual Vox Vitae Catholic Pro-Life Camps in Alhambra from July 8 thru July 13! Join Patrick Coffin, Doug Barry, Pam Stenzel, Astrid Bennett Gutierrez, and many more dynamic speakers at this week-long day camp for teens and evening camp for adults.



Sending your teens to Vox Vitae is one of the best gifts you can give them. They will learn how to value and defend their Catholic faith and to live it out. Your son or daughter will understand that they can live chastely, with the grace of God, and that they are not too young to lead the charge to end abortion in our lifetime. This helps them to

withstand peer pressure, promote the Culture of Life from conception to natural death, and become leaders in their parishes and communities. They will also make friends at camp that share their values--one of the best ways to help them stay faithful. Don't miss this precious opportunity! For more information, go to www.VoxVitae.org or call (213) 395-8977.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL ~ July 30 - August 3, 2018

WHO / WHAT: VBS is five days of fun, interactive Bible lessons for Grades TK through Sixth.

TIMES: VBS will be held each of the above days from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

FEES: \$30 per student; \$15 per volunteer. All participants need to BRING THEIR OWN LUNCH & WATER. **NOTE:** Pre-K & Kindergarteners **MUST** be potty trained.

FOOD DONATIONS: If you would like to help by donating food for the DAILY SNACK, please call Rhonda (info below).

VOLUNTEERS are needed as follows: 7th and 8th Grade CREW LEADERS (this is a great SERVICE HOUR opportunity!); AND High School Teens and Adults as Station Leaders (especially to help in the kitchen). If you can help, call Rhonda ASAP (info below).

MORE INFO: Contact Rhonda Storey, DRE, at 284-0020, ext 1, or RhondaLStorey@gmail.com.



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 socials. For more info, go to Avila Outreach on Facebook OR contact the Coordinator, Paula Grimm, at (909) 703-1284 or pg Grimm.dir@gmail.com.

BIBLE STUDY: When in session, classes meet in the Parish Meeting Room on Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. For more info about the theme and dates of the next session, contact Debbie Robles at debrobles@me.com or 679-6370.

CHOIR REHEARSAL for the 11:00 a.m. Mass is every Wednesday (September-June) from 7:30-9:00 p.m.

DETENTION MINISTRY: If you're 21 or older, join us in visiting the youth (ages 8 to 18) in the Juvenile Detention Center in L.A. To sign up or for more info, call Sonia at (323) 724-6443.

EnCOURAGE: Standing fully by the teachings of the Church, we are a group of faithful Catholic parents who support one another and our loved ones with same sex attraction, through discussion, prayer, fellowship and sacrifice. Meet monthly in the LA Archdiocese with our chaplain in a safe confidential setting. For more info, contact your local chapter (EnCourage for parents: EnCourage.LosAngeles@gmail.com; OR Courage LA for persons struggling with same sex attraction: CourageCA.LosAngeles@gmail.com).

FIRST FRIDAY MASS: Every First Friday of each month at 7:30 p.m. (confessions are available during the Mass).

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 Wednesdays, June 13 and 27.

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. Contact Maria Henrie at mariacahill11@yahoo.com.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: We are a fraternal order of Catholic men (18 or over) looking to strengthen our faith through serving the Church & community. Call the Alhambra Grand Knight, Paul Gutierrez, at (888) 869-3124.

LEGION OF MARY: The object of the Legion is the glory of God through the holiness of its members developed by prayer and active cooperation. Meetings are Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m., in the Parish Offices (Lisieux Room).

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.

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 Floral Dedications

For Week of 6/2/18 TO 6/9/18

Saturday:

5:00 p.m.: Lucy White, RIP

Sunday

*7:30 am: Alex Justin Dana, INT

7:30 a.m.: Parishioners

9:00 a.m.: Gloria Doria, INT

11:00 a.m.: Otto Lopez, INT

1:00 p.m. (Latin): Ramon Aquino, RIP

5:00 p.m.: Archbishop Jose Gomez, INT

Monday:

6:00 a.m.: Rey-David Palomares, INT

*7:30 a.m.: Tina Mary Morris, INT

8:00 a.m.: Albert Joseph Shower, RIP

Tuesday:

6:00 a.m.: Frank Brundige/Giacinto & Clelia Arcaro, RIP

*7:30 a.m.: Maria Victoria Trangelo Molina, INT

8:00 a.m.: Piedad Lakindanum, RIP

Wednesday:

6:00 a.m.: Rey-David Palomares, INT

*7:30 a.m.: Brian Sacripanti, INT

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

Thursday:

6:00 a.m.: Frank Brundige, RIP

7:30 a.m.: Tina Mary Morris, INT

8:00 a.m.: Daisy Torres, INT

Friday:

6:00 a.m.: Winston Goh, INT

*7:30 a.m.: Tina Mary Morris, INT

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

Saturday:

6:00 a.m.: Ruth Laigo, INT

*7:30 a.m.: Carmelite Community

8:00 a.m.: Bonifacio & Esperanza Estrada, RIP

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

This week's dedication is:

**In Loving Memory of
Rosie Zamora**

To arrange for a floral dedication (in someone's honor, for a special occasion, or in memory of loved ones, call Giovanna Setiady at 281-9049. Prices start at \$45.



Outside the Parish

CONCERT IN THE PARK: Start your summer early! Pasadena Community Orchestra presents its final **FREE** concert of the season on **Saturday, June 9, at 6:30 p.m.**, in Memorial Park, 222 Sierra Madre Blvd., Sierra Madre (2 blocks east of Michillinda). There will be patriotic marches, show tunes, a kids' march, and an auction. Come early, bring your chairs, bring food, and plan for a wonderful evening. For further information, please call 445-6708 or see PCO's website at: <http://www.pcomusic.org>.

HELP FOR MARRIAGES: 82% of marriages that complete the nine month *Retrouvaille* (REH-tro-v-eye) program are still together five years later? Your marriage and family are worth trying this successful Catholic, non-profit program. For questions or registration, make a confidential call to 909-900-5465 or visit www.HelpOurMarriage.com.

Lectors

Saturday:

5:00 p.m. Rebeca Willis / Larry Dumont

Sunday:

7:30 a.m. Florence Goh / Ron Sandoval

9:00 a.m. Rosa Natividad / Nancy King

11:00 a.m. Lucy Lopez / Pat Cervantes

5:00 p.m. Charlie Gopez

Personal Ads

FOR RENT: 1 BR, 1 BA duplex in Arcadia—with 1 parking space in a shared garage. Has stove/refrigerator/washer & dryer and is very clean. Rent is \$1,550 per month.

Call 300-8501 or email johnramos2509@sbcglobal.com



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