



The Little Flower Weekly

An Addition to the St. Therese Parish Bulletin



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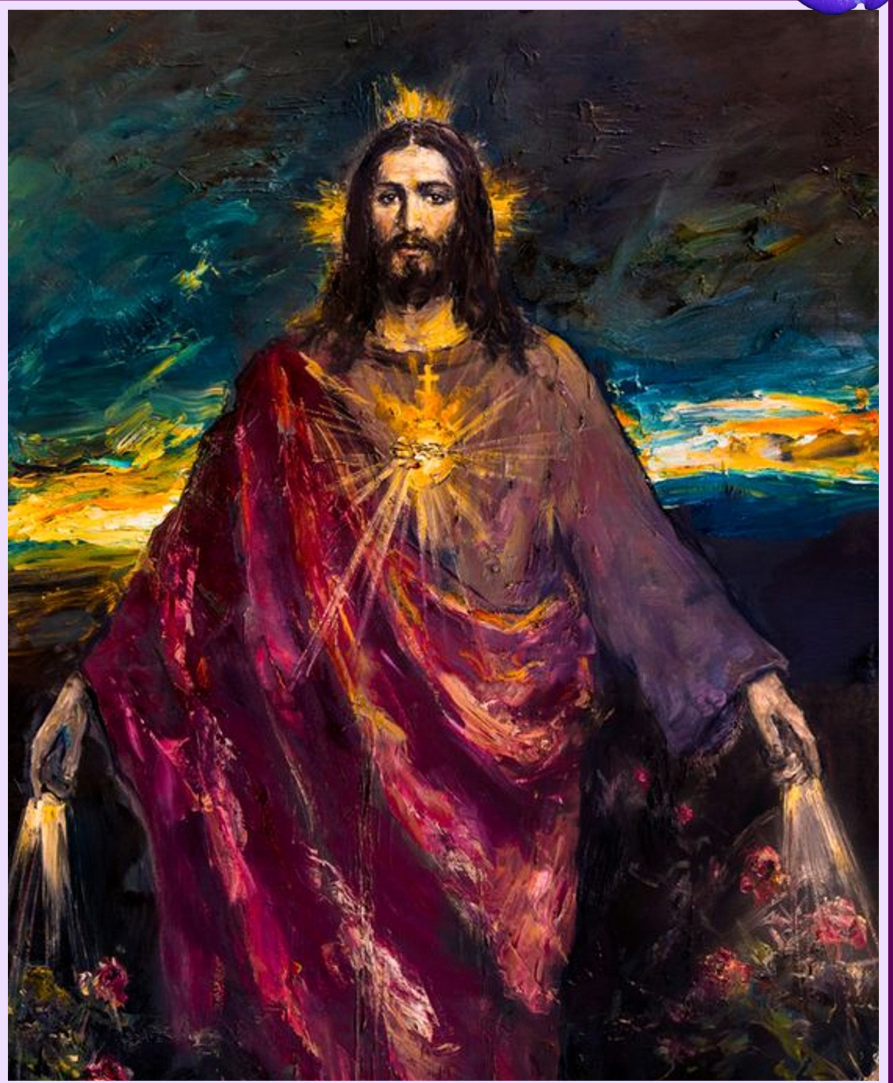
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NOTE: This week's
bulletin (see the link on
the E-blast cover) has
a homily (article)
written by
Fr. Philip, entitled
"Better When Broken".
Be sure to check it out!



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

In the same **outdoor area** where we are now celebrating Mass, you may pray before Our Lord in the **Blessed Sacrament** every day from **Monday through Saturday** as follows: **After the 9:00 a.m. Mass until 2:00 p.m.** Please come and keep Jesus company. He is there for **YOU!**

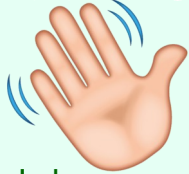
Reminder about Masses!

WEEKDAYS: Mass is at 9:00 a.m. (outside) Monday through Saturday.

SUNDAY MASSES: Masses are outside at the following times: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m. (Traditional Latin Mass), and 5:00 p.m.



From the Pastor, Fr. Philip: Greetings, My Fellow Catholics!



I hope you are all doing well during these challenging days. Be assured, you continue to be in our daily prayers! I, along with the other Friars, have been edified to see so many of you at our new “Outdoor Church!” To paraphrase the common saying about making lemonade when you’re given lemons: “When they tell you that you can’t worship God in your own church, you worship Him in your own backyard!”

Beginning this **Monday, August 3**, we will **NO LONGER live stream a Mass at Noon** (the last “live” Mass will be August 1). Instead, we will record the outdoor 9:00 a.m. daily Mass and air it on Facebook and YouTube around Noon the same day. You can still watch the Mass from your homes; it just won’t be “live”. The 11:00 a.m. Sunday Mass will still be live streamed.

I want to take this opportunity to let all of you know that **I will be away (in Arizona) from August 3 through 9** to visit my Mom and my other family members. While there, we will celebrate both my birthday and my 13th ordination anniversary (August 4, 2007). (By the way, Fr. David’s birthday is on the same day as my ordination anniversary—that means he had it first!) **Fr. Matthias will be away from August 6 through 13** to give a Vocation Retreat (he is the Vocation Director for our Order). **Please help him out by praying for more vocations!** Fr. Peter Mary Vecellio, OCD (on break from his assignment in Uganda, Africa) will be here to cover for us on those dates.

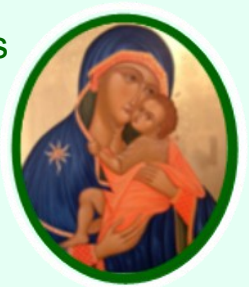
From **Monday, August 24**, to **Friday, September 4**, **Fr. Matthias, Bro. Jason, Fr. Jan (visiting here from Uganda), Fr. Peter, and I will all be in Redlands for our triennial Provincial Council** (the Norbertines will cover for us!). The Council will be deciding what our new assignments or re-assignments will be.

Pray for us, especially during our Provincial Council!



With my Mom after the celebration of my first Mass at the Cloistered Carmelite Nuns’ Chapel (August 5, 2007)

May Almighty God send His angels upon you to protect you; may Our Lady of Mount Carmel wrap you with her Scapular of Love; may St. Joseph guide you as he guided Mary and Jesus; and may St. Therese shower you with prayers from Heaven,



Fr. Philip

TRAIN TO BE A SACRISTAN!

ST. THERESE CHURCH IS IN SERIOUS NEED OF MORE SACRISTANS!



SACRISTAN



I S T H E L O R D C A L L I N G Y O U ?

We are seeking devoted Catholic ADULTS or HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS to train to be *Sacristans at St. Therese (*a sacristan is a person who prepares the altar for the priest to celebrate Mass).

ESPECIALLY NEEDED at this time are:

- ◆ Those who can COMMIT to serving as a sacristan at the 9:00 a.m. outdoor Mass on either Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, OR Saturday EVERY WEEK;
- ◆ Those who can COMMIT to serving as a sacristan for occasional weekend Baptisms.

Even though our sacristans are volunteers, we need people who will COMMIT to ALWAYS show up for their assigned day/time.

To learn more, call Noralyn at St. Therese at (626) 282-2744, ext. 1-228, or email her at CailanNocds@gmail.com.



VOX VITAE DAY
TIMMERIE GEAGEA | MA'MAY GRIMM
WALTER B. HOYE II | JOHN GERARDI

A DAY OF TRAINING AND ACTIVISM

AUGUST 1 | VENTURA, CA | VOXVITAE.ORG



VOX VITAE

...invites **YOU** for
 a day of training
 and activism!

THIS Saturday,
August 1st

Check In 12:00 PM
 Event 12:30—7:30 p.m.
 St. Augustine Academy
 130 S. Wells Road
 Ventura, CA 93004

Dear Vox Vitae Friends—especially our **teens and young adults**,

While we've been staying home to slow the spread of the virus and protect the vulnerable, the abortion industry has been going full steam ahead with their deadly business. Have you wondered about how to rescue babies and their mothers from abortion during the lockdown?

Guess what! Vox Vitae is having a day of training and activism to help you be a more effective voice for life from your own home! Walter B. Hoye II, [Issues for Life](#), John Gerardi, [Right to Life of Central California](#), Timmerie Geagea, [speaker and radio host](#), and Ma'May Grimm are joining us to share their insights

We'll cover how to answer some of the tough pro-abortion arguments, how to contact political representatives, and the importance of local races (like your city council), how you can use social media to change minds and save lives, and how the abortion industry is rooted in racism. We'll have two Q&A's during the day so we can answer your questions!

Yours for Life,

Catherine

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To register, go to:

<https://give.cornerstone.cc/voxvitae+event>

**DETAILS FOR
 THE DAY:**

This event will be outdoors. Feel free to bring a pop-up tent if you have one.

- Cost is \$30 per person, or \$25 per person for family groups and camp alumni (Includes t-shirt, canvas bag, handbook, and meal)
- Check-in starts at Noon and we'll wrap up around 7:30 p.m.
- Please park on the street.
- A meal will be served at 3:20 in the afternoon.
- Please follow social distancing

**BE A VOICE
 FOR LIFE!**

"St. Therese of the Outdoors Church"

