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Saint Therese Church

June 1, 2014 **Ministered by the Discalced Carmelite Friars** Established 1924

Visit us on our website! www.sttheresechurchalhambra.org

510 North El Molino Street .Alhambra, California 91801 .282-2744 .FAX 282-7560

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

Pastor: Fr. Philip Sullivan, OCD (226) **Associate Pastors:** Fr. David Guzman, OCD (222) and Fr. Bernard Perkins, OCD (232) **In Residence:** Fr. Albert Bunsic, OCD (336) **Deacon Couple:** Deacon Joe & Lorraine Mizerski (333)
Vocations: Fr. David Guzman OCD (222); Regional: 909-629-9495 - Archdiocesan: 213-637-7515

Masses & Services: Monday-Saturday: 6:00 & 8:00 am; Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm; Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 am, and 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; Fatima Devotion: 13th of the month from May through October

Sacramental Programs:

Sacrament of Reconciliation

(Confession): Wed., 7:00 - 8:30 pm;
and Sat., 3:30 - 5:00 pm

Baptism: Register at 284-0020, 225

Weddings: Call 6 months before date

RCIA: Rhonda Storey 284-0020, 225

Other Ministries / Programs:

Bereavement Support, 2nd/4th Wed.,
2:30-4 pm: Deacon Couple, 333

Bible Study: Aurora Juarez, 688-9349

Detention Ministry: Sonia Macias
323-724-6443

First Friday Mass/All-Night Prayer Vigil,
Mass from 7:30 pm-6:00 am

Holy Family Infertility Support Group:
Katrina Crow, 292-1906

Knights of Columbus: Mike Pulciano,
641-0870

Legion of Mary: Mon., 7:00 pm Natural
Family Planning: 292-1906

Respect Life Ministry / Foot Soldiers:
Catherine Contreras, 213-435-3942

Rosary Makers/Tuesdays: Ed William
975-1838 / tieknt@gmail.com

St. Joseph Prayer Group: Wednesdays,
6:15 pm - Albert Grana 576-0872

"Tea at Therese" Womens Group:
Dara Barbosa, (301)542-9701

St. Therese, Pray for Us!



PARISH MISSION STATEMENT:

St. Therese Church is an active and Eucharistic Parish Community dedicated in faith and service to a loving and merciful God under our Patroness, St. Therese of Lisieux. We are committed in our ministries to providing discipleship through evangelization and fostering a contemplative life, resulting in Christian formation and spiritual growth of our members.

Parish Secretary: Denise McMaster-Holguin, 223

Finance: Noralyn Cailan, 228

Christian Services:
Bridie McDermott, 224

Choir Directors/Organist:

11:00 a.m.: George and Barbara Klump
(818) 249-8472

9:00 a.m.: Marcia Martinez-Bateman
(775) 771-4992

Coordinators for Ministry to the Sick: Fred & Margaret Padilla, 282-0943

St. Therese Religious Education:

Rhonda Storey 284-0020, 225
rhondalstorey@gmail.com

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

Youth / Adult Confirmation

Programs: Ruben Beltran, 284-0020, 235. Email:
rubenconfirmation@yahoo.com

St. Therese Catholic School:

289-3364 - Principal: Carmela Lovano,
clovano@stthereseschoolalhambra.org
Web Site: stthereseschoolalhambra.org

New Parishioners: Welcome to St. Therese! Please come to the Parish Office to register.

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. Coordinators: Carlos & Carla Johnson – 289-0388

Feast of the Ascension of the Lord - June 1, 2014

He was lifted up, and a cloud took Him from their sight. —Acts 1:9

Dear Parishioners, We want to inform all of you that at the recent Carmelite Provincial meetings held in Redlands, Fr. David Guzman was appointed to be the Priest-Administrator of Santa Cruz Church, the Discalced Carmelite Parish in Tucson, Arizona. Although we will be sad to lose Fr. David, we are happy for him for being given this special opportunity. (The title of Priest-Administrator is equal to the title of Pastor; however, it is a title given to a priest who has not yet been ordained at least five years.) Fr. David has been part of the community of St. Therese Parish for the last five years—having been assigned here in July 2009. following his ordination to the diaconate.



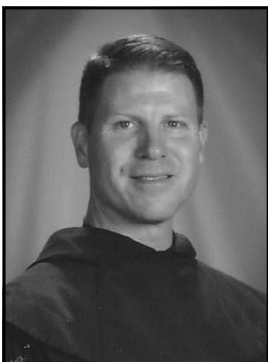
Fr. David is the oldest child in a large family from Tucson, Arizona, and was ordained on January 30, 2010, in Santa Cruz Parish. Not only was he ordained at Santa Cruz, but it is also where he was baptized and received all his other Sacraments, as well as where he attended school (Santa Cruz Elementary School).

Besides his many priestly duties here at St. Therese, Fr. David has also been very involved as the chaplain for both the Legion of Mary and for the Knights of Columbus, as well as the Spiritual Director for the Long Beach Secular Carmelites, an instructor for R.C.I.A., and a Trainer of our Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Altar Servers, and Sacristans. He will be truly missed!

Please be assured that Fr. David will be with us through the end of this month, allowing time for everyone to say goodbye and to wish him well.

OTHER NEWS FROM THE PROVINCIAL COUNCIL

FR. PHILIP HAS BEEN REASSIGNED TO ST. THERESE

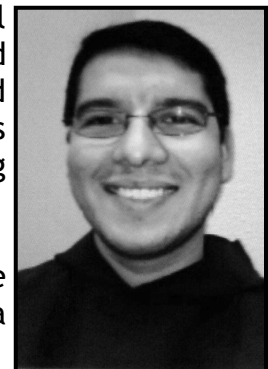


The Provincial Council has reassigned our Pastor, Fr. Philip Sullivan, to St. Therese Church for another three years. Fr. Philip is happy and grateful that he will be able to continue his ministry among the people of St. Therese.

BRO. DEACON LEONEL VARELA TO JOIN ST. THERESE COMMUNITY

Bro. Deacon Leonel Varela of Jesus and Carmel will be assigned to St. Therese for his Pastoral year beginning this Summer.

When he arrives, please be sure to give him a warm welcome!



VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DINNER

Saturday, June 21, from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.

In honor of our 90th Anniversary, the theme for this year's celebration is "Honoring Our Past". As stated on the previous page, Fr. David will be transferred to Arizona at the end of this month. And so, we will honor him in a special way that night.



If you volunteer at St. Therese in any ministry, group, or event, then you are invited to attend to this complimentary dinner and celebration.

The date will be **Saturday, June 21, from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.** Please **RSVP** with your name, your ministry, and, if bringing a guest, the guest's name, by calling us at 282-2744 (223). If you aren't a regular volunteer but would like to help prepare this event, please call Denise in the Parish Offices at 282-2744 (223).

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP: If you are grieving for a loved one—no matter how long ago or for whom—please join us for our Bereavement Support Group, formed in honor of Patricia Bordonaro. We meet in the Parish Offices from 2:30 to 4:00 p.m. on the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of each month (**next dates are June 11 and June 25**). For additional information, please contact Deacon Joe and Lorraine Mizerski at 282-2744, ext. 333.

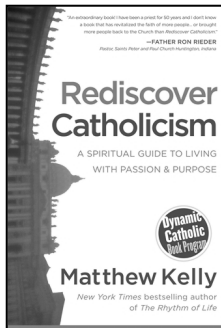
RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY—FOOT SOLDIERS FOR LIFE

Please keep the Foot Soldiers for Life in your prayers and know that you are in ours. If you are interested in joining one of the below activities or have any questions, please feel free to contact Catherine Contreras at (213) 435-3942. God bless you and remember, as Pope Francis said, *"Defend the unborn against abortion even if they persecute you, calumniate you, set traps for you, take you to court, or kill you."*

"THE PILL KILLS" NATIONAL DAY OF ACTION! On **Saturday, June 7**, we will "go to the streets" and share the message that *The Pill Kills!* The Pill is packaged and sold as a panacea for the world's problems and as a ticket to freedom for women. In reality, the Pill and other contraceptives are making women sick, disabling them, and even killing them—and women are still conceiving new human life while on the Pill. Mainstream media is not talking about this; people are not talking about this. WE must talk about it and help our sisters and society understand the dangerous effects the Pill has. Join us in the church parking lot at 9:30 a.m. and then carpool/caravan to MacArthur Park in Los Angeles where there is an infestation of nine to ten abortion businesses within ONE mile in this poor, minority area. There we will witness with loving truth to our brothers and sisters. To find out more information about how the Pill kills, please check out this link: www.thepillkills.org.

FREE! "40" FILM PREMIER in Burbank on **Thursday, June 12, at 7:00 p.m.** *"40" Is a wakeup call for America that Investigates the aftermath of legalized abortion over the last 40 years. It gives voice to both sides and lets women speak about their firm convictions about abortion. 40 addresses some of the strongest arguments for the pro-choice position, provides heartfelt testimonies from post-abortive women and men, and captures the impact of abortion on women, men, families, and society in an exquisite encounter with human dignity. Beautifully shot, eloquently produced, with no abortion images, 40 it is a must see for all people, young and old. There are LIMITED Seats available for this FREE premiere. To reserve your ticket, please REGISTER at the following link: www.eventbrite.com/e/40-film-premiere-in-los-angeles-tickets-11572574883*

Free Copies of "Rediscover Catholicism"



Next weekend, June 7 and 8 (Pentecost Sunday), we will distribute copies of this book after all the Masses. This book will take you on an adventure of life-changing proportions. Beginning with our common yearning for happiness, Kelly reveals the essence of authentic Catholic spirituality while addressing some of the most important questions we face today—both as individuals and as a Church. Fr. Albert Bunsic has read it many times over—always finding something new. Be sure to get yours!

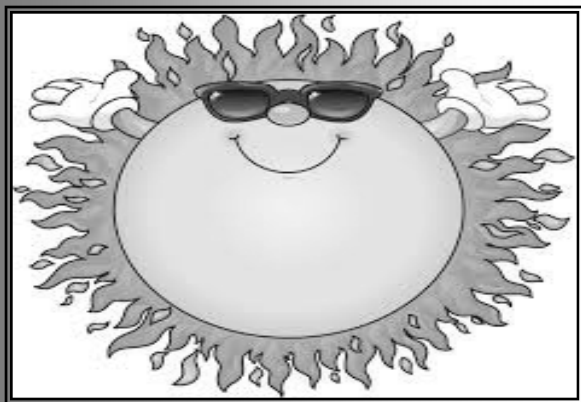
BE BOLD. BE CATHOLIC.

Master Calendar Planning Meeting

Our semi-annual meeting to plan the Master Calendar (for all events taking place from July through December 2014) will be on **Monday, June 9, at 7:00 p.m.**, in the Parish Library. This meeting is **MANDATORY** for all groups wishing to schedule events in any room on the parish grounds. This includes the Parish Hall, all rooms in the Parish Center, any of the conference rooms in the Parish Offices, and the parking lot. The meeting will begin promptly, so please make sure your group representative is on time. For more information, contact Rhonda Storey at 284-0020 (225).

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



STRE NEWS: Enjoy your Summer! We'll see you in September!

RCIA PART I: Our last class, until the Fall session begins, is this Thursday, **June 5.**

RCIA PART II (Apologetics): This class is for all those who have been through RCIA I and want to continue learning about the Church. The next meeting will be on **Tuesday, June 10**, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. For questions, call Ruben at 284-0024, ext. 235, or email rubenconfirmation@yahoo.com

CONFIRMATION

YOUTH CONFIRMATION: Please pray for this year's Confirmandees, who are being confirmed at the 5:00 - .m. Mass today, Sunday, June 1. For more info, contact **Ruben Beltran** at 284-0024 (235) or rubenconfirmation@yahoo.com.

**C O M I N G
S O O N !**

**NEW BIBLE STUDY -
"Journey through Catholicism "
("JTC")**

All are invited to join us for this new Bible Study—presented, via video, by Fr. Robert Barron, and hosted by Ruben Beltran and Rhonda Storey. Keep watching for the announcement of the meeting dates.





ADORATION CHAPEL

You loved me from all eternity; therefore, you created me. You loved me after you had made me; therefore, you became man for me. You loved me after you became man for me; therefore, you lived and died for me. You loved me after you had died for me; therefore, you rose again for me. You loved me after you

had risen for me; therefore, you went to prepare a place for me. You loved me after you came back for me; therefore, you desired to enter into me and be united to me. This is the meaning of the Blessed Sacrament. The mystery of love. —Archbishop Goodier

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



FIRST FRIDAY MASS and ALL-NIGHT VIGIL:

The next First Friday Mass and All-Night Vigil will be Friday, June 6. The celebration will begin with Mass at 7:30 p.m., followed by the all-night vigil conducted by the Alliance of the Two Hearts. The vigil includes led meditations, the Rosary, and a talk. The celebration concludes with a Benediction service beginning at 5:45 a.m.

GUADALUPE PREGNANCY SERVICES (GPS)



Are you pregnant? Do you need help? Guadalupe Pregnancy Services (GPS) counselors are available to help you with any situation regarding your pregnancy. All services are local and are offered privately and confidentially. We offer counseling, education, resources and referrals. Contact Louisa Day at 872-2483 or email gps.pregnancy@gmail.com

TITHING

REMEMBER... Tithing is an integral part of YOUR relationship with God.

WEEKLY OFFERINGS: Below are the totals for the last three weekends:

May 10 / 11, 2014

Unrestricted.....	\$7,576.00
Restricted	\$1,392.00
TOTAL.....	\$8,968.00

May 17 / 18, 2014

Unrestricted.....	\$ 9,208.00
Restricted	\$ 1,911.00
TOTAL.....	\$11,119.00

May 24 / 25, 2014

Unrestricted.....	\$8,149.00
Restricted	\$ 743.00
TOTAL.....	\$8,892.00

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

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: MEN! WHY SHOULD YOU BECOME KNIGHTS?

Being a Knight of Columbus can transform your life! As a Knight, you have the opportunity to support your parish, give back to your community, grow in your faith, and gain exclusive access to our top-rated insurance program to protect your family. These are just some of the reasons to become a Knight. We are a band of brothers, a network of men in communities around the world dedicated to doing good in the service of God and our neighbor.

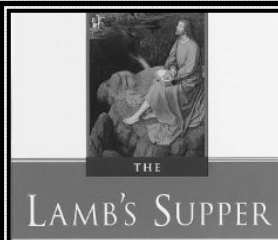


For more information, call Mike Pulciano, the Grand Knight for the Alhambra Council, at 641-0870. He will answer any questions you may have!

PLEASE PATRONIZE OUR ADVERTISERS!

By patronizing the advertisers on the back of our bulletin, you are supporting our parish! When you call them for their services, be sure to tell them you saw their ad in our bulletin! If YOU would like to advertise YOUR business in the bulletin, please call Paluch at 1-800-231-0805.





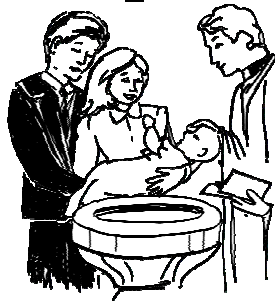
LIGHTHOUSE

CATHOLIC MEDIA™

BOOK OF THE WEEK - "The Lamb's Supper" by Dr. Scott Hahn: Of all things Catholic, there is nothing that is so familiar as the Mass. Yet most Catholics sitting in the pews on Sundays fail to see the powerful supernatural drama that enfolds them. The Lamb's Supper reveals a long-lost secret of the Church: The early Christian's key to understanding the mysteries of the Mass was the New Testament Book of Revelation. With its bizarre imagery, its mystic visions of heaven, and its end of time prophecies, Revelation mirrors the sacrifice and celebration of the Eucharist. Beautifully written in clear direct language, it is highly recommended by our Pastor, Fr. Phillip. **Please Remember: Your donations help us to replenish the kiosk with more CDs and Books.** Make checks payable to St. Therese Church. For more information, contact Victoria Sandoval at (323) 803-9956 or geribah03@gmail.com. **BEGINNING THE MONTH OF JULY, Lighthouse will be available only on the first weekend of each month (after all Saturday and Sunday Masses).**

BAPTISM MINISTRY

Rhonda Storey, 284-0020, Ext. 225 - In order to take part in our Baptism Program, **PARENTS & GODPARENTS** are required to attend a class from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. in the Parish Library (next dates are June 3 and July 1). The fee is \$100 per child or \$25 for the class only. Your child will then be baptized on a Saturday at Noon (next open Baptisms are June 21 and July 19).



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.

ST. THERESE SCHOOL NEWS

Congratulations to our 8th Graders for their acceptance into the most prestigious high schools, their honor placements, and their merit scholarship awards. You have set a wonderful example for our St. Therese community. We are very proud of your accomplishments! Here are some of the upcoming school events:

- Farewell Assembly for 8th Graders & Mrs. Valenzuela on June 10 at 2:00 p.m.
- All School Mass on June 12 at 9:00 a.m.
- 8th Grade Graduation on June 13 at 5:00 p.m.
- All School Mass on June 19 at 9:00 a.m.
- Summer School Begins on June 22!
- Ongoing Summer School Registration for TK - 8th Grade

We encourage you to visit the school office or our website, 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. We look forward to hearing from you!



"TEA AT THERESE" - WOMEN'S GROUP

"She opens her mouth with wisdom, and the teaching of kindness is on her tongue." -Proverbs 31:26

Women! Come join us for a prayer and discussion group, accompanied by tea and treats! Children are welcome! We hold these meetings at **10:00 a.m., on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month**, in the Avila Room in the Parish Offices (510 N. El Molino Street). Next dates are June 12 and 26. For more information, contact Dara Barbosa at (301)542-9701.

Mass Intentions

**For the Week of
5/31/14 to 6/7/2014**

Saturday:

5:00 p.m.: Joseph Ngan

Sunday:

*7:30 a.m.: Martha & Larry Campos RIP
7:30 a.m.: Noralyn Cailan INT
9:00 a.m.: Joseph Lan Tran RIP
11:00 a.m.: Soledad Ruiz RIP
1:00 p.m.: (Latin): Eliodora Sanchez RIP
5:00 p.m.: Parishioners

Monday:

6:00 a.m.: Ann Regan RIP
*7:30 a.m.: Therese Wong RIP
8:00 a.m.: Suzanne Singh INT

Tuesday:

6:00 a.m.: Opal Brown RIP
*7:30 a.m.: Adam & Paul Tostado 15th b-day INT
8:00 a.m.: Pablo Saucillo B-day INT

Wednesday:

6:00 a.m.: Maria Jhe RIP
*7:30 a.m.: Theresa Hong Nguyen INT
8:00 a.m.: Alvin Cailan INT

Thursday:

6:00 a.m.: Joe Broadwater RIP
*7:30 a.m.: Herminia J. Lineses RIP
8:00 a.m.: Piedad Lakindanum RIP

Friday:

6:00 a.m.: Taylor Fieux INT
*7:30 a.m.: Therese Wong RIP
8:00 a.m.: Edna Mancao & Mary Rose Go INT
7:30 p.m.: In Thanksgiving

Saturday:

6:00 a.m.: Paul & Joseph Tassi RIP
*7:30 a.m.: Carmelite Community
8:00 a.m.: Arthur Lowenberg RIP

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

Floral Dedications

The floral dedications for this week are:

♥ *In Loving Memory of
Rosie Zamora*

★ *In Honor of all
our Confirmandi*



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

Personal Ads

Mature, responsible Parishioner (non-smoker, non-drinker) SEEKS A 1 BR APT. AVAILABLE FOR RENT (Can pay \$1,000 or less per month). If you have availability, leave a msg. at 282-2744, ext. 223.

Outside the Parish

"IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF ST. P A U L " : PILGRIMAGE TO TURKEY-GREECE & EPHESUS, June 16–30, 2014, with Carmelite Father Ramiro Casale. For more info, contact MJM Ministries at 520-573-0065.

Join Fr. Joseph Parathanal on Pilgrimage: ROYAL TOUR TO INDIA-ST. THOMAS, MOTHER TERESA (Sept. 2014). Contact Bernadette at bcorp1114@hotmail.com or 323-344-1548 or 323-547-6618).

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND: Find out how to make a good marriage better and a better marriage great. For more info, contact Winston and Dinah Perez at 818-527-MEMC (6362) or go to www.memconline.org

or email: memcweekend@gmail.com

EL CARMELO RETREAT HOUSE, operated by the Discalced Carmelite Friars, will receive a portion of the commission on any travel you book through their site: www.elcarmelotravel.com. Same low rates as other travel websites—but helps maintain the center. Also book hotels, cars, cruises, concerts, etc.

YOU CAN SAVE YOUR MARRIAGE! Feel alone? Frustrated or angry with your spouse? Have you stopped speaking to each other? Does talking only make it worse? Retrouvaille (retro-vee) has helped 1000's of couples experience (ng) problems. To register, call Jane and Pete Lauder at 714-871-5953 or email: lauderpj@yahoo.com.

Intentions of our Holy Father for June 2014:

1) That the unemployed may receive support and find the work they need to live in dignity; and 2) That Europe may rediscover its Christian roots through the witness of believers.

Lectors

Saturday:

5:00 p.m. Lucy Lopez / Rebeca Willis

Sunday:

7:30 a.m. Ron Sandoval / Thu Nguyen
9:00 a.m. Lorraine Mizerski / Rosa Natividad
11:00 a.m. Marta Timar / Andy Zepeda
5:00 p.m. Vickie Blair / Gil Vargas

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