

November 8, 2020

Mass Schedule: Nov 8-15, 2020

+ = repose of the soul of
Int. = intentions of
Pro Populo = for the people

The Pink Sisters' Chapel is closed to the public.

The 7am Masses you see listed here (7am-PS), which are said at the Chapel, are also closed to the public.

Day	Time	Intention
11/7	4pm	+Dennis Coulter
	8	+Gene & Barb Roth
Sun 11/8	10	Pro Populo
	12	+Deceased Members of the Wahl & Schafers Families
Mon 11/9	6:30am	Int. Bill Sullivan
	7am-PS	Int. Dr. Andy Norton
	8:15am	Int. Altar Society
Tue 11/10	6:30am	Int. Jill Estrand
	7am-PS	+Milan "Red" Anderson
	8:15am	+Doug Beals
Wed 11/11	6:30am	Veterans: Living and Deceased
	7am-PS	+Deceased Members of the Ladies' Auxiliary Board
	8:15am	Int. Damaris Niewald
Thu 11/12	6:30am	+OF Demuth Family
	7am-PS	+Loreta de Marco
	8:15am	Int. Eric Haffey Family
Fri 11/13	6:30am	+Ed Drudik
	7am-PS	+Jay Heacock
	8:15am	Int. Ryan Haffey
Sat 11/14	7am-PS	Int. Jeanne Ott and in Thanksgiving
	8:15	Int. Christian Mothers
	4pm	+James Condon
Sun 11/15	8	Pro Populo
	10	Int. Damaris Niewald
	12	Int. Polk Grandchildren



Grand Group

Because there were no other planned events that we could safely enjoy during the COVID pandemic, we will not be having an event in November. I want to take this opportunity to wish each of you the best Thanksgiving possible while observing COVID safety restrictions. Hopefully we can all be together again in January!



Diaper Drive: St. Teresa School did an awesome job of collecting diapers for this year's diaper drive. They brought in around 15,000 diapers—a little more than 15% of the entire goal of 90,000 for the diocese!

Thank you to all who contributed! Please see the recent Register for a story on St. Teresa's diaper drive.

Altar Society Prayer Line

An Altar Society Prayer Line has been established to lift up our prayers to God as a community. **Leva Orationes Deo** is Latin for *lift up prayers to God*.

Requests can be made by e-mailing levaorationesdeo@yahoo.com or calling the first caller for the phone prayer line:

Mary Pat McBride at 402-314-1296. All intentions will be sent by e-mail to the Altar Society e-mail list.

If you want to participate in the phone prayer line, please contact Mary Pat.

The Bishop's Appeal for Vocations has begun! Our parish's goal is \$23,770. We have raised \$22,133, so **we have \$1,637 to go.** Our parish will be assessed by the diocese for any shortfall. Thank you for your generosity in support of our seminarians.



32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saint Teresa Parish Weekly Calendar

Sun 11/8	1-9pm Eucharistic Adoration 1pm: Baptism in the church
Mon 11/9	9am-9pm: Eucharistic Adoration
Tue 11/10	7am-5pm Pray at Abortion Facility 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Adoration 7pm: First Penance Parent Mtg
Wed 11/11	9am-9pm: Eucharistic Adoration 7:30-9: Men's Club Meeting 7:30-9: Godteens—Home Mtgs
Thu 11/12	7:30-9pm: RCIA in Marian Rm
Fri 11/13	5pm: Wedding Rehearsal in the church
Sat 11/14	9am-4pm: Eucharistic Adoration 10am: Funeral in the church 3-4 & 4:45-5:15pm: Confessions 4pm Mass (also live-streamed) 6pm: Wedding in the church
Sun 11/15	9am-4pm: Eucharistic Adoration 1pm: Baptism in the church

Activities and sacraments taking place in the church are listed so that people who are coming to pray in the church are aware.

Save the date: St. Teresa's (first!) Virtual Trivia Night: January 30th, 2021

Seminarian of the Week

David Tines is the son of Patrick & Mary Tines from St. Joseph Parish in Lincoln. He is studying College 4 at St. Gregory the Great Seminary. Remember to pray for David and for his formation!

Upcoming Retreats by Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House

www.goodcounselretreat.com | goodcounsel@cdolinc.net | 402-786-2705

Dates	Format	Retreat Master	Topic
Nov 13-15	In Person & Online Men or Women	Fr. Matt Rolling	Couch to Saint: Train to Be An Authentic Follower of Christ
Nov 20-22	In Person & Online In Spanish Men or Women	Fr. Ramon Decaen	Ejercicios espirituales en Español

Members of St. Teresa Parish: Altar Society or Men's Club will pay for half of the cost of a standard retreat once per retreat-year!

BE ALERT!

Thefts-from-cars have recently taken place during Masses at other parishes. Conceal your belongings and be aware.



PARISH COUNCIL

is a vital part of our parish community—a body of parishioners who advise the pastor and with whom he consults in order to make decisions. Every two years, we hold elections to fill positions on the council. Prayerfully consider giving your time and talent to serve our parish in this way. The positions up for election this year are:

- Education:** this position involves itself with all of the educational enterprises of a parish.
- Evangelization:** this position provides direction and impetus to outreach programs in the parish.
- Spiritual Life:** this position is to support and enhance the spiritual life of our parish.

Please contact the parish office to submit your name for candidacy.



St. Teresa Elementary School Announcements

402-477-3358

- ◆ Reminder: 1:30 dismissal on Friday, November 13, for a faculty meeting.
- ◆ We are now offering **free** school breakfast (7:15-7:40 am daily) and **free** school lunch to our students.
- ◆ Coming soon: our annual Christmas Wish List for St. Teresa School.
- ◆ Please remember to stay safe, wear a mask and social distance – this makes all the difference on allowing us to remain open for in-person learning. We need to work together to keep our students in school! *Thank you.*

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Matthew Fouts, son of Connie Fouts



Parish Giving and Income

In October 2020, we gave and collected \$99,731.95. Our budget requires \$88,400 which means we were **\$11,331.95 OVER our goal!** Thank you for your generosity!

Rosie's Famous Lunches

All meals are made with love and are served with fruit and a smile

+NOVEMBER IS THE MONTH OF ALL SOULS+

Those who wish for their departed loved ones to be remembered at Masses during the month of November should write the names on the special envelopes (from the packet) which will be kept on the altar during November. Any monetary offerings included in the envelopes will be used for Masses for the Faithful Departed.

Plenary Indulgence Guidelines for November 2020

In order to avoid crowds coming together and to allow participation for those staying at home, changes have been made to how one might receive a Plenary Indulgence in November 2020.

- These three conditions are the same: one must make a confession, receive communion, and pray for the Holy Father's Intentions.
- Throughout the month of Nov (the days are not limited this year), one should visit a cemetery and pray for the dead OR visit a church and recite an Our Father and the Creed there. Again, these things may be done at *any time* during Nov.
- Lastly, the elderly, the sick, and all those who, for serious reasons, cannot leave their homes, will be able to obtain the Plenary Indulgence as they join spiritually with the Faithful, completely detached from sin and with the intention of complying as soon as possible with the three usual conditions (confession, communion, and praying for the Holy Father's intentions) before an image of Jesus or Mary, recite prayers for the deceased (a rosary or chaplet, for example), or perform a work of mercy by offering to God the sorrows and hardships of their own lives.

These relics will be placed on the side-altars during November:

St. John Mary Vianney ☩ St. Frances Xavier Cabrini ☩ *Together in one reliquary:* Holy Cross, Holy Crib, St. Philip Neri, Pope St. Gregory the Great, St. Aureus, and St. Diodisus ☩ True Cross ☩ St. Benedict Joseph Labre ☩ St. Lucy

☩ True Cross & St. Helena

(Excerpt from *Taking the Measure of the Relics of the True Cross* by Thomas Craughwell published in The National Catholic Register)

According to an ancient tradition, in 326 beneath a Roman temple, excavators found three crosses, but nothing to distinguish the cross of Jesus from the crosses of the two thieves who were crucified with him. Helena had a dying woman carried to the site so she could touch each cross in turn. After touching one of the crosses, the sick woman was instantly healed, which was taken as a sign that it was the cross upon which Our Lord had died. Helena took a portion of the cross back to Rome, where she had it enshrined in the chapel of her palace (now the Basilica of the "Holy Cross in Jerusalem"). The rest of the True Cross remained in Jerusalem, in a chapel attached to the Church of the Holy Sepulcher.

☩ St. Benedict Joseph Labre

Throughout his youth, St. Benedict demonstrated cheerfulness and was wise for his age with a strong aversion to sin. He desired to enter a monastery but instead became a poor pilgrim, visiting holy places and shrines throughout Europe. He died April 16, 1783 in Rome (kept as his feast day), was canonized on December 8, 1881, and is the Patron Saint of Homeless People

St. Teresa Thrift Shop

is open for business!

Many thanks to the School Family Association and the Men's Club for their help with the Christmas Boutique. Thanks also to those who shopped with us! We made just over \$2500 and will continue to sell Christmas items at the store.

Guidelines:

- Masks must be worn.
- Children wearing masks are welcome, but please: no infants, toddlers, or strollers.
- The number of shoppers may be limited.
- Please donate only during store hours.

Hours for business and donations are Fridays 4-8 and Saturdays 9-3

The Thrift Shop always needs volunteers!
For more information, call:
Karen Restau: 402-309-9769
Ann Reinke 402-560-4114

Monday November 9	Tuesday November 10	Wednesday November 11	Thursday November 12	Friday November 13
Chicken Fajita Corn	BBQ Rib & Bun Mixed Vegetables	Chicken Drummies Carrots & Dip	Corn Dog Baked Beans	Mac & Cheese Salad