

St. Teresa Parish

March 3, 2024

Third Sunday Of Lent

St. T | Weekly Calendar: March 3-10

Sun 3.3	7-8pm: Lenten Series (KH) 1-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Mon 3.4	7-8:30pm: RCIA (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Tue 3.5	6-8pm: Scouts (KH) 7pm: St. Vincent de Paul Meeting (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Wed 3.6	2:45pm: Benediction (CH) 4pm: CCD Classes (Sch) 4pm: Leadership Board Meeting (Sch) 7pm: Altar Society Rosary (CH) 7:30pm: Altar Society Meeting (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Thu 3.7	7pm: PPP Rosary (CH) 7:30pm: Choir Practice (CH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Fri 3.8	2:45pm: Stations of the Cross (CH) 5-10pm: STAGE (KH) 7pm: Stations of the Cross (CH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Sat 3.9	9am: Legion of Mary (MR) 9am: Christian Mothers (KH) 9:15am: Pius X Bible Study (CR) 9am-4pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Sun 3.10	7-8pm: Lenten Series (KH) 1-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition

St. Teresa School News

No School

There will be no school on Mon, March 11th for a Teacher Workday.

St. Teresa School Enrollment Open
Enrollment (Preschool—8th grade) in St. Teresa School for the 2024-2025 school year is currently open. Please go to www.cdolinc.net/enrollment and follow the instructions provided.

Walk the Little Way

Walk the Little Way kicked off on Mon, Feb, 26th. Goal: \$50,000. To donate, scan the QR Code.

St. Teresa School Job Opportunities
St. Teresa School is hiring the following positions for the 2024-2025 school year: Teacher Assistant (PT), Secretary (PT), Middle School Science Teacher (FT or PT), Primary Grade Teacher, Director of After School Care Program. For more information or to set up an interview, please contact the school office at 402-477-3358.

Altar Society Prayer Line

Parish-wide prayer line
Requests can be made by e-mailing: levaorationsdeo@yahoo.com or by calling Mary Pat at 402-314-1296.

RCIA: Natural Family Planning

All are welcome to join in the RCIA class on Mon, March 6th from 7-8:30pm in Kaczmarek Hall. Our topic will be "Natural Family Planning" taught by Marilyn Klein.

Lector, Acolyte, EMHC, Usher Mtg
All lectors, acolytes, EMHCs, & Ushers are invited to a meeting at the Pink Sisters on Sat, March 23rd. We will have a social time with coffee & rolls following the 7am Pink Sisters' Mass. The meeting will begin at 7:45am. There will be a short talk with the meeting lasting no longer than 30 minutes.

Lenten Series on the Eucharist

In this year of the Eucharist Revival, the priests of St. Teresa Parish will lead a 3-part Lenten Series on the Eucharist. Each session will include a short video from Bishop Robert Barron who offers insights into the mystery of Christ's presence in our lives and the centrality of the Eucharist. We will study the reality of the Eucharist as a sacred meal, the sacrifice necessary for communion with God, and the real presence of Christ. The Lenten series will be held **March 3**, and March 10 from 7-8pm in Kaczmarek Hall. You may attend as many or as few of the sessions as you would like.

St. Teresa Women's Event

Ladies, come and join your fellow parishioners for a field trip to the Pink Sisters Adoration Chapel (1040 S Cotner Blvd) on Mon, March 17th, 6:30pm. The evening will include a tour of the entrance, vestibule, and bookstore, an informational presentation in the Aurora meeting room, and, of course, a visit to the Adoration Chapel. Parishioner Joan Tasler looks forward to hosting you!

Pink Sisters Available Holy Hours

Pink Sisters are in need of adorers to cover the following holy hours:
Mondays: 1pm, 2pm, 4pm;
Tuesdays: 2pm;
Thursdays: 2pm;
Fridays: 9:45am, Noon, 2pm;
Saturdays: 6:30pm;
Sundays: 4pm, 6pm.
Call Tabby at 402-499-6028 with questions or to accept an hour.

Grand Group

We will meet at Knights of Columbus Hall on Tues, March 12th, 1pm to plan our Grand Group events for the coming year. Come help us choose a variety of activities. All are encouraged to bring your ideas!

S.T.A.G.E. Auditions

STAGE will hold auditions for its summer musical, *Something Super!*, March 15, 22-24 for students ages 10-high school. Visit stage4kids.com for details. Rehearsals will run through May & June with performances June 21-23, 20-30.

Mass Schedule: March 2-10

+ = repose of the soul of
Pro Populo = for the people

The Pink Sisters' Chapel, 1040 S. Cotner Blvd: open 7am-8pm. The 7am Masses listed (7am PS), said at the Chapel, are open to the public. (The Sunday Masses are private).

Day	Time	Intention
3.2	4:00pm	+ Paul Ballweg
	8am	Pro Populo
Sun 3.3	10am	Fr. Schwenka, Birthday
	Noon	+ Shawn Schmid
Mon 3.4	6:30am	+ Pere LeCorgne
	7am PS	+ Angela Wahl
	8:15am	Grace Johnson
Tue 3.5	6:30am	+ Jerry & Kay Haffey
	7am PS	+ Sarah Zahn
	8:15am	Hein Family
	6:30am	+ Gilbert Mousel
Wed 3.6	7am PS	Deceased Members of the Muyst & Travino Families
	8:15am	Altar Society Members
Thu 3.7	6:30am	+ Demuth Family
	7am PS	Special Intention of Donor
	8:15am	Beverly Jackson
Fri 3.8	6:30am	+ Kenneth Grell
	7am PS	+ Tom & Margaret Tracy
	8:15am	+ Antonina Gonzales
Sat 3.9	7am PS	Magnificat Group
	8:15am	Christian Mothers
	4:00pm	+ Dennis Coulter
Sun 3.10	8am	Pro Populo
	10am	+ BJ John Aman
	Noon	+ Lewis, Rose, and Patrick Schafers

St. Teresa Thrift Shop

The Thrift Shop made **\$3,250** last weekend.
March 8-9: Half Price Sale
March 15-16: Bag Sale
March 22-23: Remaining Merchandise is Free
March 29-30: Closed
April 5-6: Reopens with new Spring/Summer merchandise
Hours for business:
Fridays 4-8 and Saturdays 9-3
Please donate during business hours.

Collection Report				
Week ended				February 24, 2024
Adult Envelope				\$ 17,672.50
Loose Plate				794.52
				\$ 18,467.02
2023	Actual	Budgeted	Above	Cum. YTD
-	Sunday	Sunday	(below)	Above(Below)
2024	Collection	Collection	Budget	Budget
Jul	105,178	103,250	1,928	1,928
Aug	85,007	82,600	2,407	4,335
Sep	85,041	82,600	2,441	6,776
Oct	96,681	103,250	(6,569)	206
Nov	79,407	82,600	(3,193)	(2,987)
Dec	127,633	103,250	24,383	21,396
Jan	75,018	82,600	(7,582)	13,815
Projected weekly tithing based on total prior year giving \$20,650.				
We submitted a break-even budget to the diocese for FY 2023/2024				

Good Friday Collection

Pope Francis has asked Catholics to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land. Your support is essential to help the Church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools, & offer religious education. This collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines of Christianity, including Jerusalem, Nazareth, & Bethlehem. For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit www.myfranciscan.org or www.custodia.org.

Come and See

St. Gregory the Great is hosting a Come and See Weekend on March 8-10, 2024! The weekend begins Friday evening and concludes after Mass on Sunday. Open to high school juniors and senior boys as well as college students. A \$10 donation to help with food expense. For more information or to register, scan the QR Code.

Father/Son Program

"In His Image", a Father/Son Program for boys (ages 10-14) and their fathers will be held Sat, March 9th, Noon-3pm at John XXIII Diocesan Center and virtually. This program is designed to educate boys on growing up and becoming a man. For more information and to register, go to <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/01-father-son-program-march-2024>.

Fish Fry Finder

Go to the Spirit Catholic Radio Fish Fry Finder at <https://spiritcatholicradio.com/fish/> to find a Fish Fry in your area. Cost, times, and menus are listed.

St. Teresa Parish Office

402-477-3979

Mon-Thu: 9am-4pm | Fridays: Closed
Jeanne Kee: Financial Secretary
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Pius X High School Summer Camps

The summer camps offered by Pius X are now open for registration! Learn more and sign up at www.PiusX.net/camps. Camps include math, performing arts, and various athletic options for a variety of ages.

Sidewalk Advocate Training

We need both Sidewalk Advocates & Prayer Partners. Join our next Sidewalk Advocate Training on Sat, March 16th 10:30am-4:30pm. Register in advance by contacting Lisa McInerney at lisapal24@aol.com or 402-525-9360. A \$15 fee covers the cost of the workbook & training expenses. Location given when registering.

Lenten Mission with Bart Schuchts

Join St. Michael's Parish for their Lenten Mission, March 18, 19, 20, at 7pm with presenter Bart Schuchts. Following a desperate plea to God, while sitting in an NFL locker room, Bart had a powerful encounter with the Father's love that transformed his life forever. He is the founder of Church on Fire & an associate of the John Paul II Healing Center in Tallahassee, FL.

Men on Fire Men's Conference

Take back what belongs to you. It's time to live the life that God intended for you! Join Bart Schuchts from Church on Fire, March 16th at St. Mary's, Denton. Mass at 8am, Conference 9am-3pm, Exposition & Confession 3-4pm. A \$25 registration includes lunch & refreshments. For more info, call St. Mary's Parish Office at 402-797-2105 or go to <https://www.osvhub.com/dentonstmarys/giving/funds/march-16-2024-men-on-fire-conference>.

Community Barn Dance

Join us for the St. John's Community Barn Dance on Sat, March 9th, 6:30-10pm at Creekside Barn (16531 S 38th St, Roca). Dancing starts at 7pm with dance lessons at 6:30 to help improve your "fancy" steps. Cash bar & snacks provided. Tickets: \$10/person. Scan QR Code to purchase. Must be 21 or older to attend.

Soup & Potato Bar

To celebrate St. Patrick's Day, St. Joseph Parish Altar Society invites you to a Soup and Baked Potato Bar from 5-7:30pm in Resurrection Hall on Fri, March 15th. Baked potatoes with toppings, mac'n'cheese, soup & dessert will be served. Freewill offering.

Parish Ministry Schedules

Current schedules are available on the Parish Website at <https://stlfcchurch.org>. From the Home Page, go to Compassionate Services>Liturgical Ministries>

† Acolytes

† Lectors

† Altar Servers

Upcoming Retreats by Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House				
www.goodcounselretreat.com goodcounsel@cdolinc.net 402-786-2705				
Dates	Retreat Master	Topic		
March 10-14, March 13-17, March 10-17	Sarina Stokes, Matt Simmons, Fr. Christopher Barak, & Fr. Gary Coulter	4-Day or 8-Day Ignatian Retreats		
March 15-17	Fr. Harlan Waskowiak	Walking with Mary to the Cross		
<i>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! (Ignatius retreats are non-standard)</i>				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
March 4	March 5	March 6	March 7	March 8
Salisbury Steak Potatoes, Fruit	Taco Crunch Fruit	Hamburger Fries, Fruit	BBQ Beef Sun Chips	Scrambled Eggs Hash brown