

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT  
SAINT THERESA PARISH  
ARCHDIOCESE OF GALVESTON—HOUSTON



SAINT THERESA CATHOLIC CHURCH  
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### WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE MISA ENTRE SEMANA

**Monday—Friday**  
6:45 a.m., 8:30 a.m.

Tuesday & Thursday  
5:30 p.m.

Miércoles  
7:00 p.m. (español)

Monday & Friday  
(~~Extraordinary Form~~)  
5:30 p.m.

### CONFESSION • CONFESIONES

Saturday • Sábado  
3:15 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.

Sunday • Domingo  
4:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

Weekdays • Entre Semana  
Monday-Friday:  
after each Morning Mass

Tuesday & Thursday  
at 6:00 p.m.

Miércoles a las 6:00 p.m. (español)

### WEEKEND MASSES MISAS DEL FIN DE SEMANA

#### SATURDAY • SÁBADO

8:30 a.m.  
5:00 p.m. (anticipatory  
Sunday Mass)

#### SUNDAY • DOMINGO

6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m. (español),  
10:00 a.m., Noon,  
2:00 p.m. (español),  
5:00 p.m. (Latin,  
~~Extraordinary Form~~-Novus Ordo)

#### On the cover:

Juan de Flendes.  
*The temptation of Christ.*  
1500, oil on panel.  
National Gallery of Art,  
Washington, D.C.

## The Spiritual Maxims of Fr. Grou

[Those who seek spiritual pleasures] think that they love God with ardent love for His own sake. But it is a mistake; in truth, selfish gratification is the object that is beloved; and this is proved by the fact, that as soon as [prayer becomes difficult and] no sensible pleasure is to be found in intercourse with God, the soul becomes uneasy, agitated, despondent, or despairing, and sometimes forsakes everything, and reproaches God with having forsaken it in the first place.

Not thus does God will to be loved and served. In order to attract and win the soul. He vouchsafes to give it some slight foretastes of its promised happiness, but will not allow us to cling to them, nor to make them our motive and aim. Certainly, man is born for happiness, but its enjoyment is reserved for the next life; this life is the season for trial and for acquiring merit. God only prepares crosses for His friends on earth, and, in order to dispose them for receiving such from His hand. He begins by rendering that hard dear to them on account of the blessings it sheds upon them. In proportion as these sweet blessings are delightful and absorbing, we must expect the following crosses to be rough and overwhelming. I would therefore say to those whose state I am describing: gratefully receive these first favours; fear not to enjoy them simply; they are “milk for babes,” food suitable to weakness...But then you ought skillfully to profit by the short occasional hidings of God’s face, in order to persuade you to bear such privations quietly: the Bridegroom will return, but you must learn to wait quietly for His own time, and not attempt to regulate it according to your impatience: let Him open your eyes gradually to the meanness of self-love, inspire you with generous disinterestedness, and lead you to feel that He is infinitely beyond His gifts, that He ought to be loved for His own sake, and that **His will, and the fulfilment of His will, are the paramount objects of His servants....**

You may ask me: Why must we bear so many internal and external trials? Can we acquire holiness at no less price? No; the Gospel affirms that holiness is only to be attained by suffering, or at least by the will to suffer. **Holiness consists in readiness to embrace all the crosses that it may please God to send us.** God does not bid us to forestall crosses, but it is His Will that we should stand firm to receive them, and that when they are laid upon us, we should accept them bravely. He who shrinks away will never be holy.

If you say: At this cost I will consent never to be holy, provided I can be saved? Fool! you open your eyes only to the fleeting ills of this life and close them to the exceeding weight of glory and happiness which awaits you! Niggard you would buy heaven at the lowest possible price, fearing to pay too highly for it! Base and sordid soul! you consider only your own gain and would do nothing for God! See what your salvation has cost your Lord Jesus Christ, and complain, if you dare, of what it costs yourself. All you ask is bare salvation; but how can you count even on that, if you refuse to be made holy? How can you be sure that you will do enough, and no more than enough, to assure your salvation? Ought you not rather to fear doing too little than too much?

Besides, supposing that you should attain salvation, shall you escape suffering? Is there no purgatory? And for whom is it reserved, if not for you? Shall you go to heaven without the purification of that fire which must consume all that remains in you of self-love? I cannot insist too much on this point, because to the eyes of faith it is conclusive.

**RESERVE LA FECHA****Misión de Cuaresma  
Padre Juan Pineda**

Las Misiones de  
Cuaresma serán:

**Lunes 14 de marzo de**  
7:00 p.m. a 9:00 p.m.

**Martes 15 de marzo de**  
7:00 p.m. a 9:00 p.m.

**Miércoles 16 de marzo,**  
de 7:00 p.m. a 9:00 p.m.

**DEACON FRANK CROMER**  
**MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST**



Join the men of St. Theresa  
at the monthly "Breakfast and  
Prayer before Business"

**Wednesday, March 9**  
6:45 a.m. to 7:45 a.m.  
Family Life Center, Room A.

Continental breakfast and sharing  
the Word among friends. It's  
inspirational and interesting.  
There's no need to call; simply  
show up and bring a friend.

**Las Máximas Espirituales del Padre Grou**

[Aquellos que buscan placeres espirituales] piensan que aman a Dios con amor ardiente por Él mismo. Pero es un error; en verdad, la complacencia egoísta es el objeto amado; y esto se prueba por el hecho de que tan pronto como [la oración se hace difícil y] no se encuentra ningún placer sensible en el trato con Dios, el alma se inquieta, se agita, se desalienta o se desespera, y algunas veces lo deja todo y reprocha a Dios. con haberlo abandonado en primer lugar.

No es así como Dios quiere ser amado y servido. Para atraer y conquistar el alma. Se digna darle algunos ligeros adelantos de su prometida felicidad, pero no permite que nos aferremos a ellos, ni que hagamos de ellos nuestro motivo y fin. Ciertamente, el hombre nace para la felicidad, pero su goce está reservado para la próxima vida; esta vida es la estación de la prueba y de la adquisición de méritos. Dios sólo prepara cruces para Sus amigos en la tierra, y para disponerlos a recibirlas de Su mano. Comienza haciéndoles querida esa mano a causa de las bendiciones que derrama sobre ellos. En la medida en que estas dulces bendiciones son deleitables y absorbentes, debemos esperar que las siguientes cruces sean ásperas y abrumadoras. Diría, pues, a aquellos cuyo estado describo: reciban con gratitud estos primeros favores; no temas disfrutarlos simplemente; son "leche para los niños", alimento adecuado para la debilidad... Pero entonces debes aprovechar hábilmente las breves y ocasionales ocultaciones del rostro de Dios, para persuadirte a soportar tales privaciones en silencio: el Esposo volverá, pero debes aprender a espera tranquilamente su tiempo, y no intentes regularlo según tu impaciencia: deja que Él te abra los ojos poco a poco a la mezquindad del amor propio, te inspire con generoso desinterés y te lleve a sentir que Él está infinitamente más allá de sus dones. , que Él debe ser amado por Su propio bien, y **que Su voluntad, y el cumplimiento de Su voluntad, son los objetivos primordiales de Sus siervos....**

Usted me puede preguntar: ¿Por qué debemos soportar tantas pruebas internas y externas? ¿Podemos adquirir la santidad a un precio no menor? No; el Evangelio afirma que la santidad sólo se alcanza con el sufrimiento, o al menos con la voluntad de sufrir. **La santidad consiste en estar dispuestos a abrazar todas las cruces que Dios quiera enviarnos.** Dios no nos ordena que nos anticipemos a las cruces, pero es Su Voluntad que nos mantengamos firmes para recibirlas, y que cuando nos sean impuestas, las aceptemos con valentía. El que retrocede nunca será santo.

Si dices: ¿A este precio consentiré nunca en ser santo, con tal de que pueda salvarme? ¡Tonto! ¡abres los ojos sólo a los males pasajeros de esta vida y los cierras al exceso de gloria y felicidad que te espera! Avaro, ¡comprarías el cielo al precio más bajo posible, temiendo pagar demasiado por él! ¡Alma vil y sórdida! ¡consideras solo tu propia ganancia y no harías nada por Dios! Mira lo que te ha costado tu salvación a tu Señor Jesucristo, y quéjate, si te atreves, de lo que te ha costado a ti. Todo lo que pides es pura salvación; pero ¿cómo puedes contar incluso con eso, si rehúas ser santificado? ¿Cómo puedes estar seguro de que harás lo suficiente, y no más que lo suficiente, para asegurar tu salvación? ¿No deberías tener más miedo de hacer muy poco que demasiado?

Además, suponiendo que alcanzaras la salvación, ¿evitarás el sufrimiento? ¿No hay purgatorio? ¿Y para quién está reservado, si no para ti? ¿Irás al cielo sin la purificación de ese fuego que debe consumir todo lo que te queda de amor propio? No puedo insistir demasiado en este punto, porque a los ojos de la fe es concluyente.

# MASS INTENTIONS AND OFFERTORY

## MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, March 7, 2022

*Weekday in Lent*

6:45 a.m. Kevin & Lauren Freeman  
 8:30 a.m. ✘ Rodney Abramcik  
 5:30 p.m. ✘ James & Patricia Linder

Tuesday, March 8

*Weekday in Lent*

6:45 a.m. Erica Freeman  
 8:30 a.m. Nguyen Family  
 5:30 p.m. Maria J. Jimenez-Ledezma

Wednesday, March 9

*Weekday in Lent*

6:45 a.m. ✘ Paul Roth  
 8:30 a.m. ✘ Isabel Sulit  
 7:00 p.m. ✘ Francisca R. Contrera

Thursday, March 10

*Weekday in Lent*

6:45 a.m. For those needing prayer  
 8:30 a.m. ✘ Charlie Lopanec  
 5:30 p.m. Thomas C. Tran

Friday, March 11

*Weekday in Lent*

6:45 a.m. For those needing prayer  
 8:30 a.m. Brielle Roman  
 5:30 p.m. ✘ Dulce Marquez Seemann

Saturday, March 12

*Weekday in Lent*

8:30 a.m. ✘ Juan Esteban Rodriguez  
 5:00 p.m. ✘ Marilyn Cheaney

Sunday, March 13

*Second Sunday of Lent*

6:30 a.m. Parish Family  
 8:00 a.m. Celebrant Intention  
 10:00 a.m. ✘ Mario Dulyunan  
 12:00 p.m. ✘ Luis Rodriguez & Elvia Gutierrez  
 2:00 p.m. ✘ Neftali Serafin Coreas  
 5:00 p.m. ✘ Frank Dzierzanowski & Baldemar Torres

*One may request celebrant Mass intentions through our website ("contact us") or by visiting the parish office during regular business hours. Mass intentions are available two (2) months in advance only.*

## Saint Theresa Catholic Church

*Offertory Comparisons*

**Weekly Offertory Goal \$41,901**

Week	Offertory	Online	Total	Maintenance Fund
August 30 - September 5	\$19,490	\$15,967	\$35,457	
September 6 - September 12	\$24,947	\$9,526	\$34,473	
September 13 - September 19	\$22,385	\$11,098	\$33,483	
September 20 - September 26	\$26,628	\$9,196	\$35,824	
September 27 - October 3	\$27,505	\$16,729	\$44,234	
October 4 - October 10	\$25,844	\$10,626	\$36,469	\$573
October 11 - October 17	\$20,583	\$10,602	\$31,185	\$13,682
October 18 - October 24	\$23,433	\$8,648	\$32,080	\$2,187
October 25 - October 31	\$24,583	\$11,249	\$35,831	\$8,024
November 1 - November 7	\$25,192	\$15,438	\$40,629	\$4,718
November 8 - November 14	\$22,535	\$10,510	\$33,045	\$41
November 15 - November 21	\$17,646	\$9,286	\$26,932	\$21
November 22 - November 28	\$24,293	\$12,937	\$37,229	\$90
November 29 - December 5	\$27,643	\$15,163	\$42,806	\$1,505
December 6 - December 12	\$20,131	\$10,069	\$30,201	\$742
December 13 - December 19	\$23,952	\$10,097	\$34,049	\$697
December 20 - December 26	\$19,797	\$10,593	\$30,390	\$1,607
December 27 - January 2	\$31,853	\$18,365	\$50,217	\$12,747
January 3 - January 9	\$18,216	\$12,968	\$31,184	\$350
January 10 - January 16	\$21,528	\$9,153	\$30,680	\$2,492
January 17 - January 23	\$20,145	\$9,833	\$29,978	\$283
January 24 - January 30	\$22,368	\$10,722	\$33,090	\$1,128
January 31 - February 6	\$23,711	\$16,137	\$39,847	\$2,107
February 7 - February 13	\$23,265	\$7,641	\$30,906	\$127
February 14 - February 20	\$20,294	\$9,627	\$29,921	\$3,704
February 21 - February 27	\$26,556	\$9,338	\$35,894	\$1,024

### PARISH CAPITAL CAMPAIGN 2017 Totals as of February 27, 2022

910 Participants

Pledged \$3,231,249  
 Payments \$2,642,174  
 Adjustments \$57,210  
 Balance of Pledges \$531,865

Our 2017 Capitol Campaign has ended. Current open pledges are still being received. Adjustments are being made to update pledges.

**Current Parish Debt: \$1,960,027**

### DIOCESAN SERVICES FUND 2022

*Totals as of February 27, 2022*

Goal \$184,048  
 Payments \$ 1,541  
 Balance \$182,507

**Our 2021 DSF goal was reached. Thanks to all who generously supported our parish.**

**Let's do it again this year!**

**PREPARACIÓN PARA BAUTISMO INFANTIL**

**¡Les felicitamos por el nacimiento de su hijo/hija!**  
Por favor llamen a la oficina para inscribirse al  
281-494-1156 ext. 228.

**PREPARACIÓN PARA EL MATRIMONIO**

Las personas que deseen contraer matrimonio aquí en la Iglesia de Santa Teresa son invitados a asistir a una entrevista de preparación matrimonial. Esto es obligatorio para comenzar el proceso de preparación. Es para las parejas que no están casadas y para las parejas que están casadas civilmente o que viven juntos. Por favor pre inscribábase llamando al **281-494-1156**. El seminario se ofrece cada otro mes, el segundo jueves a las 7:00 p.m. **El próximo seminario es el Jueves 10 de Marzo** en el Salón FLC-A.

**INSCRIPCIÓN EN LA PARROQUIA**

Solicitamos amablemente que todas las familias de nuestra parroquia estén registradas antes de registrarse para CCE o clases de preparación sacramental. Los formularios de registro y cambio están disponibles en el vestíbulo de la iglesia y en la oficina parroquial. Para actualizar la información en la parroquia, llame a la oficina parroquial de 8:00 a.m. a 5:00 p.m. Lunes a Viernes.

**RITO DE INICIACION CRISTIANA PARA ADULTOS (RICA)**

**¿Está Dios llamándote a hacer algo más?  
¿Ven y explora la Iglesia Católica!**

Si tienes 17 años de edad o más y no has sido bautizado, o has sido bautizado en otra comunidad de fe, o bautizado Católico pero que nunca has recibido la Primera Comunión, entonces RICA es para ti!

La próxima reunión de Iniciación será el **Domingo 6 de Marzo del 2021** de 10:00 am a 12:00 pm en el salón B1/7. Estos encuentros informales están estructurados para responder a tus preguntas acerca de la Iglesia católica.

**Póngase en contacto con: Elsa Galindo al 281-494-1156**

Si usted, su hijo o alguien a quien usted conoce, tiene entre 7 y 16 años de edad, no haya sido bautizado o ha sido bautizado en otra comunidad de fe, tenemos el proceso de RICA propio para cada grupo de diferentes edades. Las sesiones de Iniciación son todos los miércoles a las 6:30 pm. Por favor haga una cita en la oficina al teléfono 281-494-1156 para Registrar su Familia y los Niños antes de atender la primera sesión.

**BAPTISM PREPARATION FOR INFANTS**

**We congratulate you on your birth of your child!**  
Please call the office at 281-494-1156 ext. 228 to register.

**PRE-MARRIAGE SEMINAR**

This pre-marriage seminar is to commence the marriage preparation for all couples who wish to be married within St. Theresa's Catholic community. It is held on the second Tuesday of every other month at 7:00 pm. It provides an opportunity for couples to learn about the Catholic Church's theology of matrimony and begin the process to properly receive this great sacrament of the Church. Couples will learn details of how to plan and prepare for their wedding day and matrimony thereafter. Please pre-register by calling **281-494-1156**. The next seminar will be **Tuesday, April 12, 2022**. For more information please contact Deacon James Anderson at 281-224-9986.

**How do adults become Catholic? Come and See.**

If you are seventeen years of age or older and are: unbaptized, baptized in another faith community, or a baptized Catholic who has never received your First Holy Communion, then the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RICA) is for you!

**You may begin the process at any time during the year.**

We are meeting virtually on Zoom. If you are interested in growing in your relationship with Jesus Christ or just have some questions about God and the Catholic Church, we are here to walk with you. Contact Kelsey Pena at (281) 494-1156 ext. 222 or by e-mail: [kelsey.pena@sugarlandcatholic.com](mailto:kelsey.pena@sugarlandcatholic.com)

If you, your child or someone you know is between the ages of seven and sixteen, not baptized or baptized in another faith community, we have an RICA process suited to your age group. Please contact Paul Stoessel at e-mail ([paul@sugarlandcatholic.com](mailto:paul@sugarlandcatholic.com)) prior to attending your first session.

**Rite of Sending**

**We are sending 20 catechumens to the Rite of Election today. Cardinal DiNardo will call them to the Easter sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. Please pray for these Elect as they enter the phase of Purification & Enlightenment to purify their minds and hearts as they do penance as well as be enlightened with a deeper knowledge of Christ the Savior.**



# SAINT THERESA CATHOLIC SCHOOL

www.sttheresacatholicschool.org

## - THE GRIFFIN NEWS -

We are accepting New Student Applications for the 2022-2023 School Year for Grades Pre-Kindergarten, 5<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup>.

For information or to schedule a Family Tour, please contact Betty Pruski at 281-494-1157 or [bpruski@sttheresacatholicschool.org](mailto:bpruski@sttheresacatholicschool.org).

### *Knights of Columbus Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest*



Saint Theresa Catholic School was honored to have three students take 1<sup>st</sup> Place in the Knights of Columbus “Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest”. The children created their winning posters during their Art Class with their teacher, Ms. Carmen Sanchez Romero. Our Interim Principal, Mrs. Francesca Rice, presented the winners with a certificate and \$50 check courtesy of the Knights. Saint Theresa Catholic School is very grateful to the Knights of Columbus for sponsoring this event.

#### **Winners**

Kindergarten-2<sup>nd</sup> Grade: Lucia Hernandez  
3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade: Clare Wagner  
6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade: Samantha Court

**Congratulations!**

### **STCS ATHLETICS-BASKETBALL**



Our youngest Griffins are having a great year in Winter Basketball! They are undefeated going into their final game this weekend.  
**GO GRIFFINS!**

**Head Coach:** Patrick Krall

#### **Team Members:**

Luke Dipasupil, Mason Gallagher, Lukas Hochhalter, Kolbe Krall, Austin Lam, David Moreno, Jonah Simon, Augustin Smolij, and Frederick Smolij.



*Saint Theresa Catholic School's Mission is to furnish students with an outstanding Classical education informed by the wisdom of the Catholic intellectual and spiritual tradition.*

# MARCH TRADITIONAL LATIN MASSES

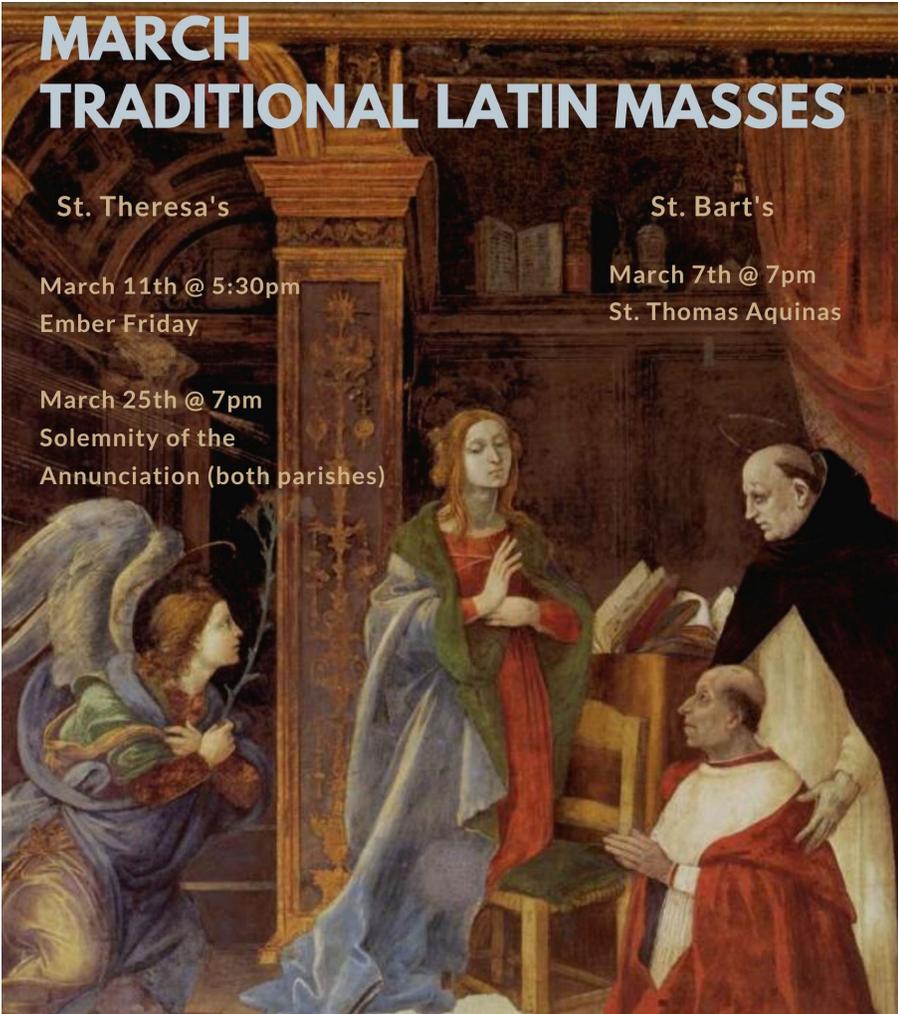
St. Theresa's

March 11th @ 5:30pm  
Ember Friday

March 25th @ 7pm  
Solemnity of the  
Annunciation (both parishes)

St. Bart's

March 7th @ 7pm  
St. Thomas Aquinas



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Mobile Life-Saving Health Ministry of the sisters of the Daughters of Mary Mother of Mercy will visit St. Theresa's Catholic Church, Sugarland, TX, in April 2022. This health screening ultrasound services will provide scanning of the following organs: Thyroid, Carotid arteries, Liver, Kidneys, Gallbladder, Aorta and Spleen. The screening has no radiation, noninvasive, and not painful.

**Goal:** Early detection of Silent health issues before they become serious health problems remember, some illnesses are asymptomatic and only manifest with symptoms when they are already advanced.

Date for registration: **March 26** and **March 27, 2022** after every Mass.

Date for scanning: **Friday, April 8,** and **Saturday, April 9, 2022.**

Please call to register on time for easy and efficient scheduling.

For more information, please contact us at 346-319-0474, 713-298-7915 (Bilingual)

Email: [service@mobilelife-saving.net](mailto:service@mobilelife-saving.net)

Altar flower sponsorship opportunities are available for the year.



*In remembrance of a loved one, a donation toward an Altar arrangement is a lovely gesture.*

Please call the parish office for more details: 281-494-1156

## THE WAY OF THE CROSS



Friday, March 11, 2021  
**7:00 p.m. English**  
**8:00 p.m. Español**



**ST. THERESA CATHOLIC CHURCH  
ANNUAL BAZAAR 2022**

705 St. Theresa Blvd., Sugar Land, TX 77498  
Rev. David Angelino, Pastor

Sat. April 30 6:00 pm to 11:00 pm **Public Invited!** Sun. May 1 11:00 am to 7:00 pm.

GAMES • RIDES • FOOD ENTERTAINMENT • GARAGE SALE ONLINE & SILENT AUCTIONS

**6 tickets  
for \$20.00  
or \$5.00 each**

\* Do not need to be present to win \*  
• Prizes are not redeemable for cash.

**RAFFLE PRIZES**

- Prize #1 \$4,500 in Visa Gift Cards
- Prize #2 \$3,000 in Visa Gift Cards
- Prize #3 \$1,500 in Visa Gift Cards
- Prize #4 \$1,000 in Visa Gift Card
- Prize #5 \$500 in Visa Gift Card
- Prize #6 BBQ Grill

**2022 Bazaar Contacts**

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jvoges@gmail.com  
Live Auction - Martha Durio  
marthadurio2211@gmail.com

**Garage Sale**

Saturday 8:00 am - 2:00 pm  
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
Sunday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

**Online Auction**

April 22 - April 30, with items being  
previewed at the bazaar April 30th,  
5:00 pm - 9:30 pm

**Live Auction**

Sunday 2:00 pm

**2022 Bazaar**

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ANNUAL BAZAAR 2022

- Winners are responsible for all taxes/fees.
- Raffle ticket cost is not tax deductible.
- Must be 18 years old to purchase or win.
- Prizes not claimed by 5/29/2022 are forfeited.

*Raffle tickets sold at parish office or after Masses.*

**NEEDED: HAMBURGER BOOTH COORDINATOR**



**SILENT AUCTION**

Saint Theresa Catholic Church will be holding its annual Silent Auction online from noon on April 22, 2022 to 9:30 p.m. on April 30, 2022. Items will be previewed at the Bazaar April 30th, 2022, at 5:00pm - 9:30pm. Please consider donating an auction item to contribute to our fundraiser. When considering an item to donate please have it in new or like new condition and ready for the auction. No donation is too big or small!

Please let us know if you are wishing to donate items so we can reach out to you. Email [jvoges@gmail.com](mailto:jvoges@gmail.com) or text **832-566-2919**. We would like to have the items by April 17, 2022, to be able to take pictures and load them on the Bidding Site. However, late items will not be turned away!!

**Catholic Date Night**

Friday, March 11  
7:00 p.m.



Join us for Date Night the 2nd Friday of this month at **7:00 PM in the Community Center**. If you have been looking for a way to get out for a nice evening and share your faith with that special person in your life, then this is the event you have been looking for! This is also an evening to spend with old friends and to make new ones.

If you are new to the parish, Date Night is a great venue for connecting with your fellow parishioners. We will have an excellent dinner, drinks, fellowship, and an opportunity to learn and discuss the reasons we are Catholic. The cost is \$10 per person (pay at the door). Any and all adults are welcome. Dates are not necessary; this is just an opportunity to have a good meal and a good time.

**Is Date Night for couples or for singles?** Both! Date Night is for adults. We just call it Date Night, because it is a chance for people to get out of the house and have a good time.

**Is Date Night only for Catholics?** No. We are going to be exploring the beauty and richness of the Catholic faith, but this is open to anybody who is open to it.

**Is Date Night only for St. Theresa Parishioners?** No. Feel free to bring friends from other parishes... provided you RSVP!

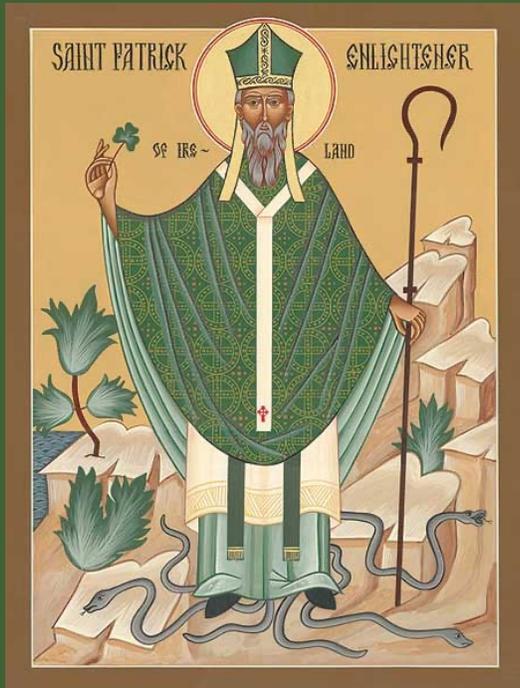
**Do I need to have a date?** No. Many people come by themselves,

**Why must I RSVP?** Dinner is prepared from scratch by volunteers, and we want to provide the best experience possible.

Free Child Care is Available IF you RSVP by Wednesday, March 9th.  
**RSVP at  
www.catholicdatenight.net**

*Be kind... RSVP!*

# Breakfast with Saint Patrick Enlightener of Ireland



**Saturday, March 26, 2022**  
**10:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m.**  
**St. Theresa Church**  
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## PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Omnipotent and eternal God, the everlasting Salvation of those who believe, hear us on behalf of Thy sick servant, N., for whom we beg the aid of Thy loving mercy, that, with his bodily health restored, he may give thanks to Thee in Thy church. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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## PRAYER FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and may perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen. May their souls, and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

*We remember with gratitude, and pray for God's mercy upon:*

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