

THE JOURNEY

"The feeling remains that God is on the journey too." -- St. Teresa of Avila

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 30, 2019



Pastor

Reverend Frank John Latzko

Address

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Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 5 PM + 6:30 PM (En Française¹)

Sunday 9 AM, 10:30 AM (En Español²)
12 PM, 6 PM

¹First + Second Saturdays; ²First Sundays

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday–Thursday 7:30 AM

Friday Communion Service 7:30 AM

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesdays 6 PM to 7:30 PM

Baptism Preparation

2nd Sunday of the Month 10 AM
(Call to register)

Office Hours

Monday – Friday 9 AM to 7:00 PM

Saturday 9 AM to 12 PM

www.teresa.church

Saint Teresa of Avila Parish is a diverse Catholic community of faith that embraces everyone, without exception. We see ourselves as uniquely able to engage in dialogue with people of all faiths and act as peacemakers in our city. Challenged by the Gospel, nourished by the Eucharist, and inspired by the teachings of Saint Teresa of Avila, we are called to be witnesses of Christ's Love for the salvation of all people.

Community Ministries

If you want to serve the St. Teresa's community in our liturgies or our planning, there are many opportunities for you!

RCIA (Rite of Christiani Initiation for Adults)

teresa.church/rcia

If you are interested in joining the Catholic Church, or helping those through that process as a companion.

Lectors

teresa.church/lectors

Eucharistic Ministers

teresa.church/eucharistic-ministers

Pastoral Council

teresa.church/pastoral-council

Represent the parish and help advise the pastor in our mission and vision for our community.

Finance Council

teresa.church/finance-council

Reviews financial documents and position of the parish and advise pastor and business manager on financial decisions.

Interested in Joining Our Parish?

Are you interested in making St. Teresa's your spiritual home? Or just want to learn more about our community? Fill out the below form and drop it in the collection basket or join online at teresa.church/join.

Name

Email

Phone

Ministries of Interest

In fulfilling our mission to be “Faith & Spirit. Alive.” we invite you to get involved with your family here at St. Teresa of Avila parish.

Outreach Ministries

We have a variety of opportunities you can join to get involved and help serve our community, the Lincoln park area, and the city of Chicago.

Loaves and Fishes Dinner

teresa.church/loaves-and-fishes

Weekly soup kitchen feeding and sitting with people in need of a meal.

La Posada Border Ministry

teresa.church/border-ministry

Travel to the border to help and understand those seeking asylum

Spiritual Ministries

There are many ministries at St. Teresa's that celebrate our faith via small christian communities, serving in our liturgies, and learning more.

Women's Spirituality

teresa.church/womens-spirituality

Meets the Last Tuesday of the month to provide a supportive space for prayer and reflection;

Men's Spirituality

teresa.church/mens-spirituality

Meets every other Tuesday morning to come together and discuss what it means to be a disciple.

Food Pantry

teresa.church/food-pantry

Our parish food pantry is a welcoming, dependable source of nutritious food, respect and social contact to the needy of our community.

The Night Ministry

teresa.church/the-night-ministry

Ministry that serves meals to the homeless out in the Chicago community

Refugee Ministry

teresa.church/refugee-ministry

Support a family's transition to living in the United States with donations and time.

Bible Studies/Discussion Groups

Throughout the year there are bible studies you can join or maybe a book study with Fr. Frank. Schedules change throughout the year, so stay tuned!

Religious Education

teresa.church/religious-education

Whether it's our Montessori based Catechesis of the Good Shepherd for children, EDGE Middle School ministry, QUEST High School Ministry, or SPRED Ministry for those with special needs, St. Teresa's has a wide array for programs to meet the needs of our children.

Communauté Catholique Francophone de Chicago

teresa.church/french-community

St. Teresa's is home to a wonderful and vibrant French community.

Volunteer with the Little Sisters of the Poor

There are many opportunities to volunteer at St. Mary's Home for the elderly. If you are interested in any of these activities, please call (773) 935-9600 or email volchicago@littlesistersofthepoor.org

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| Activities Programs | Doing Errands |
| Medical Appointment Escorts | Library Help |
| Folding Laundry | Garden Projects |
| Gym Transport | Indoor Painting |
| Lectoring at Weekday Mass | Musical Entertainment |
| Clerical Work | Serving Meals |
| Sewing and Mending | Repair Work |
| Small group activities | Special Events/Projects |
| Taking Residents Shopping | Meal Prep |
| Visting with Residents | |

NCYC Archdiocese of Chicago Pilgrimage Thursday, November 21 – Sunday, November 24

The National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC) is a biannual event held at Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis, IN. High schoolers are invited to join 30,000 of their peers from across the United States for this electrifying pilgrimage, filled with opportunities for worship, music, speakers, a thematic park, and more.

To learn more please contact your Youth Minister, Campus Minister, Pastor, or visit pvm.archchicago.org/events/ncyc.

Scholarships are available for those who qualify.

All groups must be registered by Friday, September 20.

Events This Week

Sunday 6/30	Monday 7/1	Tuesday 7/2	Wednesday 7/3	Thursday 7/4	Friday 7/5	Saturday 7/6
Saints and Special Observances						
	St. Junípero Serra --- San Junípero Serra		St. Thomas --- Santo Tomás	Independence Day --- Día de la Independencia	St. Elizabeth of Portugal St. Anthony Zaccaria --- Santa Isabel de Portugal, San Antonio María Zaccaria	St. Maria Goretti --- Santa María Goretti
Week's Activities						
10:00 am DD, Sunday Hospitality	7:00 pm DD, Parish Council	6:00 pm Church, Eucharistic Adoration	No Activities Planned	9:00 am DD/Kitch, Food Pantry Delivery & Sorting 11:30 am OR B, TOTS Program	3:00 pm DD, Loaves & Fishes 7:00 pm: DD, Spanish Prayer Group	9:00 am DD, Food Pantry 4:45 pm Church, First Saturday Rosary 6:30 pm Church, French Mass

Room Abbreviations

DD A/B- Dorothy Day Room
(Old Parish Center)

OR A/B - Oscar Romero
(Old Parishes Offices)

REC - Religious Education Center
SFR - St. Francis Room

Men's Spirituality

Are you interested in deepening your faith life through discussion with fellow male parishioners?

The St. Teresa Men's Spirituality Group invites you every second and fourth Tuesday beginning at 6:30am for prayer and conversation.

The Next Men's Spirituality Meeting is Tuesday, July 9th

For more details, contact Craig Dean at cdean@aegpartners.com.



Food Pantry - Saturdays

Set Up 10:00 am to 12:00 pm Distribution

Refugee Ministry Update

Solange Mwanza - one of the youths from our Refugee Ministry - graduated from Mary Gage Peterson elementary school on Friday, June 14. In addition to receiving her diploma, Solange was awarded the Dylan Argueta Award for demonstrating the effort to persevere and overcome challenges to achieve success. Solange consistently reflected positivity in problem-solving, self-motivation, determination, and courage in the pursuit of social and academic growth, and was awarded for her incredibly hard work by her teachers. Solange is excited to have the summer off to spend time with her family (including sister Olive and baby brother Benny) before beginning her freshman year at Mather High School in the fall. We are unbelievably proud of Solange, and cannot wait to see what this incredible young lady accomplishes in the future!

Volunteering to Serve Homeless Guests at Providence Soup Kitchen

If you have a flexible schedule, this is an easy way to serve your community in West Town. Volunteers are needed to serve meals to homeless and needy guests at Providence Soup Kitchen. Volunteers who can serve twice a month are very welcome!

When: All weekdays, five days a week, recurring
Address: Back of St. Stanislaus Parish - 1351 W Evergreen (2 blocks north of W Division ST and N Noble ST)

- Preparation starts at 10:00 AM
- Meals are served 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM
- Cleanup is done by 1:00 PM

Interested parties can contact Sister Darlene Johnson
E-mail: providencesoupkitchen@gmail.com

Phone: 773-545-8300 ext: 1500



Time of Your Life Highlights



147 Days

Number of days until the Time of Your Life Gala.



300 People

Number of people we hope that will attend the Time of Your Life Gala.



Countless Memories

Number of memories and joyful moments you can experience at the Time of Your Life Gala.

Prayer + Worship



Mass Attendance - 6/23/19

Saturday 5:00 PM	43
Sunday 9:00 AM	175
Sunday 12:00 PM	145
Sunday 6:00 PM	120

483 Total

Ave. Weekday Mass Attendance 10

Ave. Friday Communion Service Attendance 5

Year-To-Date Baptisms 9

Financial Collections (July 2018-April 2019)

	Actual	Budget	Actual vs Budget	Previous Year	Actual vs Previous Year
Collections Offertory	\$154,496	\$140,580	\$13,916	\$128,556	\$25,940
Give Central	\$355,823	\$361,503	(\$5,681)	\$347,254	\$8,569
Special Donations	\$24,600		\$24,600	\$9,500	\$15,100
Total	\$534,919	\$502,084	\$32,835	\$485,310	\$49,609
Easter Collection	\$17,496	\$24,300	(\$6,804)	\$23,614	(\$6,118)

“For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters. But do not use this freedom as an opportunity for the flesh; rather serve one another through love.” (GALATIANS 5:13)

We like to celebrate the fact that we are free to “live the good life.” But Jesus calls us to a different kind of freedom. St. Paul reminds us that Jesus sets us free so that we can serve one another, share our gifts and promote God’s work here on earth to glorify His name and not honor ourselves.

Cooking Lessons with the Night Ministry

St. Teresa’s is looking for volunteers to step up during the next few months to ensure that the clients of the Night Ministry have a warm, home-cooked meal. What better way to bring Christ’s love to those in need than by going beyond the walls of our church and ensuring that all of our neighbors don’t go hungry? Helping the Night Ministry is a minimal commitment with various opportunities - bake cookies in your own home, cook a meal at church, or serve a meal on the streets of Chicago. There’s something for everyone and we can always use the help. It’s a great way to meet fellow parishioners and add a bit of charity to your week. Visit signup.com to view the upcoming opportunities and sign up for this important (and fun!) ministry.

Additionally...

Been meaning to explore opportunities to get involved with the Night Ministry? Here is your opportunity to do so while learning to how make salsa and master basic knife skills

Join us for a salsa making class on Wednesday, July 10 at 6:00pm. Never buy a jar of salsa again! You will be the hit of every picnic and Super Bowl party!

We will make:

- salsa roja using cherry tomatoes
- salsa verde with tomatillos
- pico de gallo

Additionally, you will learn basic knife skills and fundamental cuts - with plenty of hands-on experience - to boost your kitchen competence and confidence, both at home and in the St. Teresa’s kitchen! Meet fellow volunteers, have fun, and expand your culinary skills so you’ll feel more at ease the next time you help us cook a meal for the Night Ministry!

Time of Your Life Gala

This year’s annual fundraiser, the Time of Your Life Gala will be held on Saturday, November 23rd at our new venue, Theater on the Lake. This 100% volunteer led effort needs your support. Volunteers are needed to support the areas listed below:

- Venue/Caterer Selection
- Entertainment
- Graphic Design/Marketing
- Ticket Sales
- Video Production
- Auction procurement
- Volunteer Recruitment
- Sponsorships/Ad Sales

Email Janel at JanelPalm@mac.com for more info or to get involved.

But he answered him, “Let the dead bury their dead. But you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God.”

Luke 9:60

Let us Pray For...

In order to be added to our prayer list, a member of the immediate family should request that a person’s name be added. We leave the names on the list for about three months.

Alicia Anderson	Michael De Blasis	Angela Goldberg	Carmen D. Lorenzana	Msgr. Kevin O’Neill	Trainer Elizabeth Ann True
Dorothy Barns	Maria de la Luz	Kaylee Gommel	Gabriel Lozada	Frank O’Toole	Marianne Usiak
Connie Beran	Alex DeNoma	Bolivar Gonzales, Jr.	Madeline Mancini	Christine Panozzo	Sara Vega
Nicholas Beran	Sister Bernadette Dixon, OCD	Les Gordon	George Maroquin	Clayton Poe	Drew Williams
Berta Billalvazo	Kim Duffy	Mrs. Grabarczyk	Jose Maroquin	Carol Poyner	Jack Williams
Michelle Brandt	Isabelle Eiffert	George Halloran	Lisa Marquez	Janette Prush	Valerie Williams
Elizabeth Brown	Helen Fasano	Kellar Harris	Daniel Meyer	Hector J. Rivera	Mae Witry
Jerry Burdick	Jackson Fineske & Family	Peg Hausen	Tracy Mirabella	Luis Rivera	David Zeunert
Judy Castelloni	Linda Flasch	David Ivanac	Bill Mobley	Pedro Rodriguez	For the intentions on our prayer cards; for survivors and perpetrators of sexual abuse
Carol Coffey	Alice Flynn	Ronald Jakubec	John Monier	Jeffrey Roscoe	
Susan Conway	Pat Folland	Sister M. Agatha Knittig, OSB	Elda Myers	Denise Rosen	
Juan Cortez	Eloisa Gallegos	Krista Kutz	John Paul Nelson	Will Sullivan	
Patricia Chuck	Michael Gibbons	Betty LaCour	Angel Nieves	Mima Tome	
Elizabeth Ryan			Juan Nigo	JoAnn Jahnke	
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#PrayForPeace

We pray for those who lost their lives to violence in the City of Chicago last week:

Austin Rogers; Tyler Bernicky; Jeremiah Williams; Eric Thompson; Alfonso Leflore; Corina Avila; Gregroy Shondale; Cornelius Walls; Danzell Jones; William Galloway; Sharneal Mason; Terrance Woods; Marvin Bennett; Tyler Pearson; Jevonte Washington; Gloria Hentz; and Dinesio Richardson.

Pray for the Deceased

Bruce Brumfield , Maria de Jesus Cortez, Cris Haas, Nancy Hadler, Chuck Jabaley, Joyce Jaszczor, Marie Koesters-Ranley, Frank Kolman, Thomas Latoski, Sage Mesen, Bernadette Rose Micinski, Ray Romero, Bob Semmer, Pat Stanley, Fr. Cesaire Souissa and the Victims of War & Domestic Violence

Mass Intentions

Saturday 5:00 PM	Deceased Parishoners of St. Teresa of Avila Parish
Sunday 9:00 AM	Tom Donnell
Sunday 12:00 PM	Pedro Garcia
Sunday 6:00 PM	Deceased Parishoners of St. Teresa of Avila Parish

June Baptisms

Oliver Anthony Granahan (6-2-19)	Eliana Katherine Harmer (6-9-19)
Riley Anne Tesi Kehler (6-2-19)	Sloane Mary Duggan (6-15-19)
Reagan Elizabeth Tesi Kehler (6-2-19)	Benton Andrew Davis (6-22-19)

Ministry Schedule

Date	Time	Celebrant	Lector/ Sacristan	Eucharistic Host	Eucharistic Cup
Saturday 7/6	5:00 pm	Fr. Frank	Lector: Eric Fredericks Sacristan: Lisa Hanzelka	Nancy Gerstad	Leigh Hartley Connie Becker
Saturday 7/6	6:00 pm	French Mass			
Sunday 7/7	9:00 am	Fr. Frank	Lector: Jayme Nicholas Sacristan: Frank Swiderski	Sara Hock Mary Serrahn Mark Van Grinsven	Christina Brodell Geneva Gorgo Nancy Van Grinsven Ellen Moiani
Sunday 7/7	10:30 am	Rev. Jose Rubio, CM	Spanish Mass		
Sunday 7/7	12:00 pm	Fr. Frank	Lector: Christopher Toups Sacristan: <i>MINISTER NEEDED</i>	Bob Pedro Luke Kolman Mike Trivella	Molly DePrenger Aimee Jaszczor Stephanie Jaslowski Tyler Paul
Sunday 7/7	6:00 pm	Rev. Tony Dosen, CM	Lector: Abby Greaney Sacristan: Eryn Gronewoller	Alyssa Stella Eileen Raia Carol Coffey	Anne De Leonardis Dani Shain Pete Doyle Andrew De Leonardis

If you are interested in becoming a liturgical minister, please see the contact information below:

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WORKING FOR PEACE IN CHICAGO THIS SUMMER

NEWS FLASH:THERE IS EVIDENCE THAT CHICAGO'S GUN VIOLENCE EPIDEMIC CAN BE ADDRESSED!

On June 3 a large group of St. Teresa's parishioners came together to learn about the successful results that Chicago CRED and the Safe Chicago Network report from their work in Austin, Englewood and West Englewood last summer. This summer, with financial support from more residents, they hope to expand the initiative to six additional high crime neighborhoods. While acknowledging how complex the problem is, they also shared with us concrete data showing a reduction in both shootings and homicides when intervention efforts are in place.

David Snyder of Chicago CRED fielded everyone's questions which were thoughtful and challenging. We all learned a great deal to help us understand the dynamics of the gun violence that takes so many lives, especially among young black men.

Until public funds are directed to this very important cause it falls upon caring city residents to fight this battle. If you feel called to help please send your check to the Safe Chicago Network Fund. Checks can be mailed to:

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Parish Council

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The Parish Pastoral Council is a consultative body to the pastor and represents a cross section of the parish. Together with the Pastor, the PPC helps to craft and carry out the Mission of the Parish.

Finance Council

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The St. Teresa Finance Council reviews the financial documents and position of the parish and advises the pastor and business manager on financial matters, including the preparation of the annual parish budget.

Stewardship Committee

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The Stewardship Committee's goal is to foster a sense of gratefulness and response of increased sharing of gifts in the parish and communities we seek to support. We do this by creating, encouraging and communicating ideas and programs that help parishioners recognize and share their gifts.

Contributing to the Bulletin

The submission deadline for most Sunday bulletins is 11:00 am on the Monday before; deadlines are accelerated for the holidays. The bulletin is also published electronically on www.teresa.church.

Please contact John at bulletin@stteresaparish.org for more information.

How to Report Sexual Abuse

To report an allegation of sexual abuse and/or neglect of minors, contact the Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Hotline at 800.25.ABUSE (800.252.2873) and/or contact your local police department.

You can also contact the Office of Protection of Children and Youth (OPCY) at 312.534.5254.