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St. Theresa Parish

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Mass Times

St. Theresa Parish

Monday & Wednesday
8:30am
Saturday 4:00pm
Sunday 8:00 & 11:00am

Confessions:

Saturday 3:15-3:45pm

Adoration:

Wednesday
9:00am–Noon
Wednesday 6:00-7:00pm

St. Mary Parish

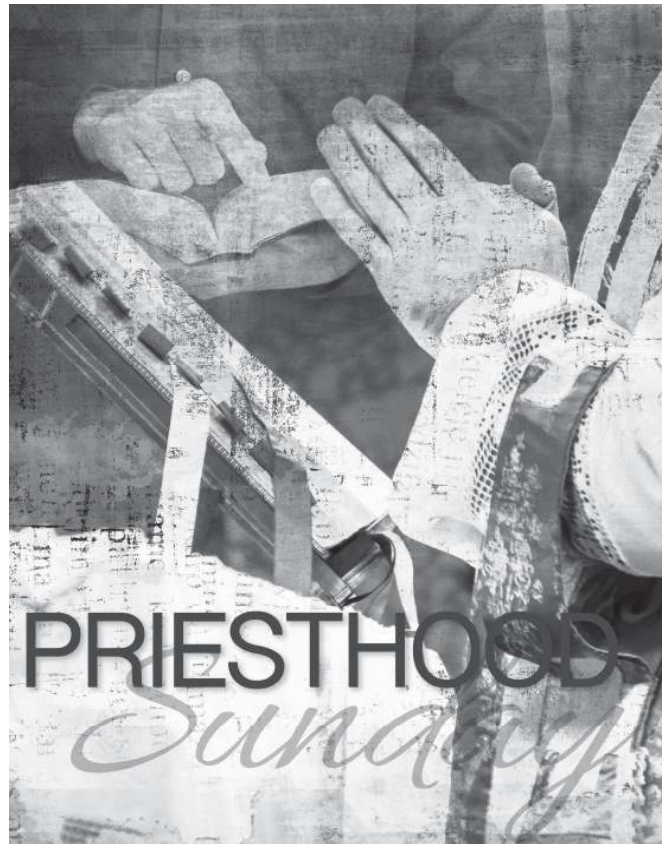
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8:30am
Sunday 9:30am

Confessions:

Wednesday 6:00-6:30pm

Adoration:

1st Thursday of the Month
7:00-8:00pm



October 30, 2016

Contact

Office Hours:

Monday—Wednesday
9:00am—3:00pm
Thursday 9:00—12:00noon

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Parish Staff

Pastor:

Fr. Thomas Duston

Weekend Assistant:

Fr. Maurice Abasilim

Deacon:

Wayne Bolduc

St. Theresa Religious

Education Director:

Mary Corsetti

Parish Office:

Sarah Scalph and
Dolly Megens

Welcome!

If you are new to our parish please complete a registration form or contact the parish office. Visitors, we're glad you joined us today!

Sacraments

Baptism: Performed on the first Sunday of the month. Please make arrangements in advance by contacting the parish office.

Marriage Preparation: Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Please contact the parish office prior to making other arrangements.

If you, or someone you know, would like more information about Catholicism, please contact the parish office.

www.ShowerofRoses.org



Online Giving:

If you have signed up (or are planning to sign up for online giving), please note that when you do so you will have to enter the dates for Special Collections manually when you do so.

These dates are as follows:

St. Theresa

Archdiocese For Military Services

—November 13th

Catholic Campaign for Human Development

—November 20th

Retirement Fund for Religious

—December 11th

St. Mary

Archdiocese For Military Services

—November 6th

Catholic Campaign for Human Development

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FPGC:

A big thank you to all the FPGC volunteers that were able to attend our 1st year celebration, and meet our director and case manager. I also want to thank all the financial donors that made it possible to give the Concord Family Promise center a check for \$1000. This will help defray the cost of some new cots to replace the well-used and failing air mattresses. Our next hosting week will be November 13th - November 20th. It is not early to find a day that you might be able to help. I am hoping that we can inter-mingle congregations to fill all the overnight and evening hosts. Set-up and laundry can still be covered by the St. Theresa volunteers, but anyone else that might be interested in doing that can certainly contact Sally or myself.
~Rita Murdough



St. Theresa parish is once again doing the Thanksgiving Basket ministry this year. We are asking parishioners to donate non-perishable food for our annual food baskets. Help us help others to have a happy Thanksgiving. Financial donations will be used toward grocery gift cards for perishable foods. If you or someone you know needs a food basket, please contact the office at 428-3325

NOVEMBER 1ST ALL SAINTS DAY

MASS SCHEDULE:

ST. THERESA

7:00AM

7:00PM

ST. MARY

12:00 NOON

Deanery News:

Centering/Contemplative Prayer Group

A Centering/Contemplative Prayer Group for the Deanery meets on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month from 5-6:15pm in the Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Center, 180 Loudon Rd. in Concord.

Info: Kate Rafferty Hall
at kraffertyhall@comcast.net

Spiritual Writer's Group

A Spiritual Writer's Group for the Capital Deanery has started and meets the third Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm in the Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Center, 180 Loudon Rd. in Concord at 6:30pm. We'll choose a scripture verse, then write. We will not share the writing, but discuss what we gained from it. All are welcome! For information contact Marilyn MacArthur at 603-545-1912 or 1.mhmcoffee@gmail.com

ST THERESA PARISH OCTOBER 30, 2016

October 23, 2016

Parish Offertory	\$ 4,079.66
Rent	\$ 100.00
Priest Retirement	\$ 20.00
Votive Candles	\$ 66.90
Propagation of the Faith	\$ 65.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT

Building Debt

Building Debt (09/1616)	\$ 525,000.00
Principal Payment (10/06/16)	\$ 6,250.01
4% Interest Payment (10/06//16)	\$ 1,749.99
Updated Building Debt (10/06/16)	\$ 517,000.00

Pledges and Donations

Total Debt Rec'd this month	\$ 4,265.00
Debt Reduction this week	\$ 545.00
Building Fund Balance 10/23/16	\$ 3,730.56

Upcoming Collections

November 6—Debt Reduction

November 13—Archdiocese for Military Services



St Theresa parish is looking for an organist/pianist for our Saturday, 4:00pm Mass each week. We utilize the Breaking Bread hymnal from OCP. This person will work directly with the pastor following the music framework for the parish, but will have broad responsibility for choosing music. At holidays, this person will be able to coordinate with other music groups in the parish for coverage of special Masses.

For more information please contact Fr Thom Duston at (603)428-3325 or office@StTheresaChurch.comcastbiz.net.

Coming Events

- October 30th** Religious Ed. 9:15-10:30am
Edge/YM 6:15-8pm
- November 6th** **Coffee and Donuts after 8am mass**
Religious Ed. 9:15-10:30am
Edge/YM 6:15-8pm (1st Confirmation Prep.)
- November 11th** Confirmation Prep. Alt. Class 6:30-7:30
- November 13th** Religious Ed. 9:15-10:30am
Confirmation Prep. Alt. Class 6:30-7:30
- November 20th** Religious Ed. 9:15-10:30am
Edge/YM 6:15-8pm
- Men's Prayer Group**
1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month
7:00 - 8:00 pm in the library at St. Theresa's

THE ELECTION: Our Blessed Mother is the patroness of this country. We are in desperate need of her help. Please join us at the Henniker Community Park on Sat. Nov. 5th at 9:00 AM to pray to our patroness, asking her to beg her son, His and our Father and their Holy Spirit, to enlighten the voters of this country to elect the person(s) who will lead this country back to its moral and dignified beginnings.

Mass Intentions

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| Sat | October 29 | 4:00 p.m. |
| | ✠ | Milo and Francis Lindsay Page
by Francis and Donna Page |
| Sun | October 30 | 8:00 a.m. |
| Sun | October 30 | 11:00 a.m. |
| Mon | October 31 | 8:30 a.m. |
| Tues | November 1st | 7:00am
7:00pm |
| Wed | November 2 | 8:30 a.m. |
| Sat | November 5 | 4:00 p.m. |
| | ✠ | Edward and Mary Monaghan
by Mary Ellen and Dennis Hamilton
Frank Gaudet by Pat and Fred Moreland |
| Sun | November 6 | 8:00 a.m. |
| Sun | November 6 | 11:00 a.m. |
| | ✠ | Guy Brill, Jr.
by Cheryl and Robert Morse |

From the Pastor's Desk



Last weekend we had our annual financial reports distributed in our parishes. I received a couple of questions about the report for St Mary which I wanted to answer. It showed zero dollars under 'fundraising', which should have shown \$2,000 from the Social committee. This amount had been put under 'donations' instead. Since our proposed budget has to balance, and we didn't need to rely on fundraising to make it balance, we put zero dollars budgeted for fundraising. I think that is a good reflection on the parish that we fully support our own community. Of course if we fundraise then we can do that much more work on projects or on assistance to our surrounding community, so I suggest we continue to do so, I just don't think it is good to depend on fundraising to pay our bills.

For those who have checked out the on-line giving program, you will have noticed that it includes the special collections for the remainder of the calendar year. These occur on various dates in the upcoming months and if you would like those dates we can send you them for your scheduling. For the next calendar year we also already have the dates of special collections, and can send them to you to help schedule payments.

Some parishioners will want to stop receiving envelopes, and some may still want them. Please let us know in the office whether you want to continue receiving them or not. Some people like to drop the empty envelope into the basket to show that they have given, while others don't have this concern. Remember, God knows whether you are supporting our Church, and that is what's most important. If you can stand before our Lord knowing you have given all you can, then I will be very happy, and we will have all we need to continue to build thriving parish communities.

God Bless,
Fr Thom

Sanctuary Lamp Memorial



The sanctuary Lamp (the candle burning near the tabernacle) signals Jesus' Eucharistic presence in the tabernacle.

It burns constantly, 24 hours a day! If you would like to "sponsor" the burning of the Sanctuary Lamp in memory of a loved one, you are welcome to do so! Simply contact Sarah at the parish office. The offering is \$10 for any given week...from Sunday through Saturday.

This week it is burning for: Edward and Mary Monaghan

Vocations Chalice



If you are a registered parishioner of St. Theresa Parish and would like to take home the Vocations Chalice for a week of dedicated prayer for vocations, please sign-up on the Vocations table in the Narthex under the stained glass window of Mary.

This week: Rita Murdough
will be praying each day for vocations.

The **United Church of Warner** is hosting a **Concert of Prayer** to call God's people to a morning of prayer and worship. The theme is "**Seek His Face**". When our lives and world seem uncertain we need God's priority to "Seek first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things will be added unto you." (Matthew 6:33)

Saturday, November 5th from 9am-12noon at the United Church of Warner on East Main Street, Warner (Rt. 103). The three hour program will include times of worship with segments devoted to praying for our friends, families, churches, the nation and the world. May God do a mighty work!

For more information or questions contact 456-2112 or panderson74@tds.net



St. Theresa Parish Prayer Chain



June Antle, Claire Aucoin, Richard Aucoin, Robert Aucoin, Leonard Bienvenue, Amanda Brown, Emma Cook Bates, Susan Bullock, Claire Carty, Paul Crowley, Lisa DeLeon, Elizabeth D'Orazio, Robert Dugas, Lillian Fortier, Ann Hasbany, Ken Hudson, Peter and LisaMarie Lind, Brianna Murdough, Sheila Miller, Pam Monaghan, Katie Otterson, Shawna Poisson, Peter Paul, Henry Rossander, Susan Smith, Donald Le Talien, Sean and Robin Theodore



October 23, 2016

Parish Offertory	\$	1,737.00
World Mission	\$	526.25
Stipends	\$	30.00
Fuel	\$	630.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT

Olde Fashioned Christmas 2016

St. Mary Parish will participate Dec. 3rd with its usual assortment of “white elephant” tables, baked goods, crafts and sale tables by others in the parish. Please contact T. McClure at 478-3288.

ATTENTION ALL KNITTERS

It’s mitten making time once again. There will be a box of yarn available for those who would like to make mittens for kids and adults who won’t have any this winter (scarves and hats might also be nice.) Outreach will set up a mitten tree near St. Joseph at the front of the Church. For those who don’t knit, purchased items are certainly acceptable and appreciated. Many thanks for your continued generosity.

Upcoming Collections:

November 6—Archdiocese for the Military Services
A basket will be set up in the rear of the Church for Fuel Collection through October 31st.

Mass Intentions

Sun October 30	9:30 a.m.
✠	Colleen Keane by the Bartoldus Family
Tue November 1	12:00 Noon
Thu November 3	8:30 a.m.
☼	Deborah and Paul Tribble anniversary
Sun November 6	9:30 a.m.
✠	Alida Vallee

ST. MARY

Upcoming Meetings

Chaplet of Divine Mercy for the Mercy of God on ISIS
Every Tuesday morning after Mass

Chalice of Strength Holy hour for Priests
Every Thursday after 8:30 Mass
For more information contact Belinda @ 446-3484 or email: emcoast2013@yahoo.com

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
First Thursday of the month 7:00 –8:00 p.m.

Social Committee
Meets the 1st Wednesday of the month @ 9:00 a.m. in the rectory
For more information contact Diana Downward @ 464-3199

Knights of Columbus
Meets the 2nd Wednesday of the Month at 7:00 p.m.
For information call Philip Womersley @ 428-3145

Outreach Meeting
Last Monday of the Month at 1:00 p.m.

Faith Sharing Meeting and Potluck
Next meeting Nov. 9 at 10:00am
for more info call Mary Plater at 464-4034

Archdiocese for the Military Services Collection:

Next week our parish will take up the collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA. The AMS relies solely on private donors in support of its mission, “serving those who serve” and its ministry to provide the same pastoral care and services to Catholics serving in the United States Armed Forces, enrolled in U.S. Military Academies, etc., as does any other diocese. To learn more go about AMS, go to www.milarch.org/nationalcollection

Thank you for your generous response to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith last weekend on World Mission Sunday.

St. Mary Prayer Chain



Vera Barone, Doris Borges, Maureen Burger, Christina Bryer, Louise Castner, Yvonne Chesna, Paul Crowley, Dick Cullen, Lori & Steven Carrington, Claire Carty, Bea Cusick, Norris Dozois, Juliette Dozois, Peter Dubuque, Jim and Wendy Dumais, Roberta Pletcher, Sandy F., Rudy G. Lucy Gaudet, 1st Lt. Brandon Gillett, Richard Grimard, Marion Griffin, CJ, Travis Kocur, JL, Bonnie Lapointe, Denice & Ronnie Latouche, Alfred LeBoeuf, Janet LeBoeuf, Marlene LeBoeuf, Jordan Leishman, Joan McMinn, Roger Murphy, The Morin Family, Marsha Mills, Anne Morrissette, Brianna Murdough, Paige, Jon and Heather Plater, HM, Rosalie Mogavero, Regina Paquette, Fr. Jeff Paveglio, JR, Marlies Radermacher, RJ, Harold Sullivan, Michael Weber, CW, Kermit Kronholm

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