



# ST. TERESA OF AVILA CATHOLIC STUDENT CENTER

October  
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2019

## TRUNK OR TREAT CHILI COOK-OFF



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Join us on Saturday, October 26, 2019  
following the 4:00pm Mass in Avila Hall  
for an evening of Fall Fun!!

For more details and to RSVP visit [saintt.com](http://saintt.com)



ST. TERESA OF AVILA  
PARISH LIFE

### Our Mission

St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Student Center is a vibrant, welcoming, Catholic community serving the students of Valparaiso University and our local families.

We strive to provide a life-changing encounter with Christ as we CONNECT, GROW, and SERVE.

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## Fr. Chris' Corner



Dear friends in the Lord,

As a reminder, this weekend I am at Cedar Lake Ministries with our college students for our annual Fall Retreat. This year's theme is: "Fearless" and each of the talks throughout the

weekend have to do with overcoming various fears we can have in following Christ. Please keep us in your prayers that the Holy Spirit may stir our hearts and help us to encounter Christ.

I also want to let you know that next weekend, October 26-27, I will be offering the sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick at each of the Masses during the weekend. Immediately following the Mass, I will invite all those who wish to be anointed to gather around the altar, and anybody who would like to pray with us to gather behind them.

In the Church's sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, through the ministry of the priest, it is Jesus who touches the sick to heal them from sin - and sometimes even from physical ailment. His cures were signs of the arrival of the Kingdom of God. The core message of His healing tells us of His plan to conquer sin and death by His dying and rising. The Rite of Anointing tells us there is no need to wait until a person is at the point of death to receive the Sacrament. It can be for serious illness, approaching surgery, chronic health conditions, or simply age.

When the sacrament is given, the primary effect of the Sacrament is a spiritual healing by which the sick person receives the Holy Spirit's gift of peace and courage to deal with the difficulties that accompany illness or old age. Sometimes the Lord will offer physical healing as well. Please join your prayers with mine as we pray for all our sick and suffering members of the Church.

Yours in the Lord,  
Fr. Chris

## Worship Schedule

Monday, October 21 5:15 pm	<b>Michael Bugyis</b> Jeanne Bugyis
Tuesday, October 22 8:00am	<b>William Dietzen</b> John Dietzen
Wednesday, October 23 5:15pm	<b>Carol Szczepanski</b> Dorothy Budny
Thursday, October 24 8:00am	<b>Annen/McGillicuddy Family</b> Family
Friday, October 25 12:30 pm	<b>Tom &amp; Fran Metcalf</b> 61st Anniversary Family
Saturday, October 26 4:00pm	<b>Pat Gentile</b> Joanne Gentile
Sunday, October 27 8:00am	<b>William Dietzen, Jr.</b> John Dietzen
11:00am	<b>St. Teresa of Avila</b> Community
5:00 pm	<b>For the Election of a New Bishop</b> Community

## Reconciliation Schedule

<b>Wednesday</b>	6:00-6:30pm
<b>Saturday</b>	2:30pm-3:30pm

## Adoration

<b>Monday &amp; Wednesday</b>	6:00pm-7:00pm
<b>Tuesday &amp; Thursday</b>	9:00am-10:00am

## Stewardship Report

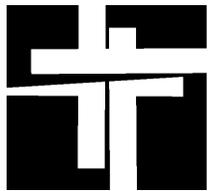


Thank You for  
Supporting Our  
Mission:

October 13, 2019

<b>Budgeted Weekly Collection</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
• Sunday Offering	\$7,767
On-line Giving	\$2,758
• Total Sunday Collection	\$10,525
<b>Weekly Status</b>	<b>\$200</b>
<b>Fiscal Year to Date Status</b>	<b>(\$1,514)</b>

## Stewardship



### Tithing

As individuals we are called to be good and generous stewards with God's manifold gifts.

Tithing is the means whereby we have the opportunity to give thanks to God; with that in mind, the community of St. Teresa of Avila tithes \$450 weekly.

This week our tithing will be donated to the Diocese of Gary's collection for Mission Sunday Propagation of the Faith.

## Liturgy & Worship

### Ministry of Care Meeting

All current ministers of care, along with anyone who is potentially interested, are invited to a meeting on **Wed. Oct. 30 at 6:30pm in the Living Room**. Serving as a minister of care involves bringing Communion to the homebound and sharing the gift of your presence with them. We will answer your questions and share experiences so you can decide if this is a ministry you are called to. Contact Kris Conrad with any questions at 219.4042, ext. 23 or at [kristin.conrad@valpo.edu](mailto:kristin.conrad@valpo.edu)



Sacred Scripture and the Bible will be on the docket this Wednesday evening as Fr. Rich Kozak pays a visit to the RCIA group to shepherd the discussion.

If you feel that God is calling you to the Catholic Church, there is still time to join with this year's group.

Please contact Mark at 219-688-4756, or by email at [saintt.rcia@gmail.com](mailto:saintt.rcia@gmail.com). God bless!

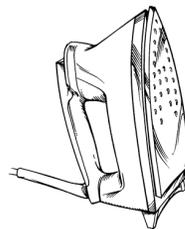
"One does not live by bread alone,  
but by every word that comes  
forth from the mouth of God." Matthew 4:4

### Anointing of the Sick



Join us next weekend,  
**October 26-27** for the  
Anointing of the Sick following all Masses.

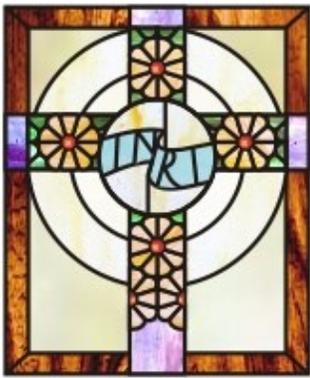
### Did You Know? Altar Linen Care Ministry



With deep love and reverence for the Holy Eucharist, the Altar Linen Care Ministry cares for the sacred linens on a rotating schedule.

Training is provided on how to care for these special linens that contain the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. This ministry is made up of volunteers who, behind the scenes in their own homes, reverently launder and care for the purificators and corporals used on the altar at Mass.

If you are interested in participating in this ministry, please contact Kris Conrad at 464-4042 or via email at [Kristin.Conrad@valpo.edu](mailto:Kristin.Conrad@valpo.edu). Your commitment would be about once every six weeks.



## All Saints' Day/Mass of Remembrance

During the month of November, we remember all those who have died and gone before us marked with the sign of faith.

### All Saints' Day Masses

Friday, November 1, 2019 12:30pm & 7:00pm

As a way to honor all those who have gone before us, we are asking community members to bring in a small framed picture of their loved one. For the month of November, these pictures can be placed at the table near the Laporte Avenue entrance of the church.

### Mass of Remembrance

Wednesday, November 7, 2017 5:15pm

At our Mass of Remembrance we would like to offer a special remembrance to all those who have died, especially within the last year.

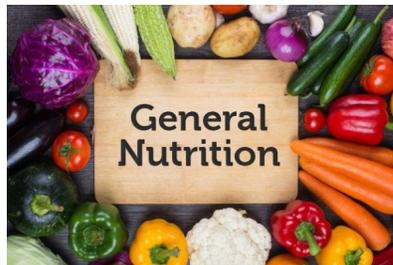
We invite all to our Mass of Remembrance where you can come and honor your loved ones. There will be a reception immediately following in Avila Hall and all are welcome to attend.

Our Easter candle will remind us during the Masses that for them life has changed, not ended, and that they always remain in our prayers. Let us not only pray for those who have died, but let us pray for all those who are mourning the passing of their loved one. May the comfort of the Lord embrace and behold them.

## Health Ministry

### Health Ministry

We are looking for a licensed dietitian to teach a one-hour "*General Nutrition*" class. Suggested topics might include a review of Myplate, food swaps for healthier ingredients and/or a hands on cooking demonstration. If you or someone you know is interested, please contact the church office at 464-4042.



## Peace & Social Justice

### Food for the Body and Soul

Café Manna: Thursdays serving 4:30-6:30pm

### Volunteers Needed!!

We are looking for additional volunteers to provide desserts (store purchased) on the first week of each month.

If you are interested, contact the office.

To volunteer to serve when the VU Students aren't in session visit Café Manna under the SERVE tab on our website, [saintt.com](http://saintt.com), to sign up to volunteer!!

Café Manna Meal  
October 10, 2019

Meals Served 190

Guest Donations \$3.00

Meal Burrito Pie & Corn



## American Red Cross Blood Drive

### BE THE LIFELINE PATIENTS NEED. GIVE BLOOD

The next Blood Drive will be on November 11, 2019 from 1:00-7:00pm in Avila Hall.

"I have nothing to offer but **blood**, toil, tears and sweat"

- Winston Churchill

**Parish Life**

**TIPS—October 2019**

**Trunk or Treating & Chili Cook-off**  
**Saturday, October 26 following the 4:00pm Mass**



**Chili Cook-off**

- Chili entries in kitchen before the 4:00pm Mass
- Crock Pot liners available in Community Room
- Judging will occur during Mass
- What you need to bring: Cornbread, sour cream, cheese, crackers or dessert to share!
- Treats!!! Be sure to bring treats to pass out at your trunk!

**Details**

- Dinner served in Avila Hall
- Trunk or Treating starts about 5:45pm
- Park your car in the Lincolnway lot
- Decorate your car while kids play games
- **Please RSVP in the Community Room or at [www.saintt.com](http://www.saintt.com)**



**What is TIPS?**

TIPS is an acronym for **Thunderhouse Independent Patronage Society** which has been in existence since the 1970s and supports the Catholic Student Center. Winners are drawn monthly.

For more details, contact Chris Blane at [saintt.bookkeeper@gmail.com](mailto:saintt.bookkeeper@gmail.com)

**October 2019 Winners**

- Joe & Susan Zaweski
- Richard Jankowicz
- Adam Peuquet
- Mike Krol
- Cheryl Geras

**Health Ministry**

Izzy De Jesus and the members of Glen Park Masonic Lodge are sponsoring a free First Aid/CPR/AED training class on November 9, 2019. Those who attend and complete the class will receive a first responder certification good for 2 years. If you are interested in attending or have questions about the class, please contact Izzy De Jesus.



Contact information: [izzy@breakawayent.net](mailto:izzy@breakawayent.net); 219-406-7970  
 Location: 113 E Lincolnway, Valparaiso, IN 46383  
 Times: 9:00am - 2:00pm Available spots: 10 Cost: Free

**Contact Us**

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