## St. Therese of Lisieux

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# Thirtieth Sunday In Ordinary Time October 25, 2020

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#### **Sunday Mass Times**

Saturday 5:30pm Vigil Patagonia 8:00am Sonoita 10:30am Patagonia

#### **Daily Mass**

Tuesday-5:30pm-Patagonia, Wednesday 9:00am-Sonoita Thursday & Friday 9:00am-Patagonia

#### **Confessions**

Fr. Alex is available any day for outdoor confessions by appointment only. Mask and social distancing will be required at all times.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- ➤ All Souls Day Mass: Monday November 2<sup>nd</sup> 9:00am at St. Therese Parish. Blessing of graves after mass. Please pick up your "All Souls Day" envelopes after Mass on Saturday October 24 & Sunday October 25.
- ➤ Parish office will be open for URGENT business only on Tuesday & Thursday from 9:00am-12:00 noon. Mask and social distancing will be required at all times.
- ➤ Fr. Alex is available for **outdoor confessions** any day by appointment. Mask and social distancing will be required at all times.
- > Today's 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection will be for Poor & Needy
- ➤ Parishioners are requested to continue sending their contributions to the parish to make our financial situation stable. Thanks everyone who are very faithfully sending their contributions. God bless you.

# ST. THERESE PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES 2020-2021 Home School Program

Registration packets available online by emailing request to Ramon Miranda at <a href="mailto:sttheresa@dakotacom.net">sttheresa@dakotacom.net</a>

Packets may also be picked up by appointment with Telma Gonzalez by calling her at 520-360-4140.

Classes will be from October 14, 2020 through May 12, 2021, 3:30pm-4:30pm.

#### October 25, 2020

#### **Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

#### **LIVING JUSTLY**

"You give that back right now!" How many of us have heard that line, probably more than once, as we were growing up? We come home with the trophy of what we thought was a really sweet deal, only to have our parents undo our profits by making us return the spoils. They had a different idea of what constituted a "fair trade agreement." Justice in our dealings with others continues to be an important measure of our character, and like a good parent, God cares very much about how we treat each other and about how others treat us. God hears the cry of the poor, and answers the call of the oppressed. God's beloved children are not to behave like bullies.

#### TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — You shall not oppress an alien, for you yourselves were once aliens in Egypt (Exodus 22:20-26).

**Psalm** — I love you, Lord, my strength (Psalm 18).

**Second Reading** — You became imitators of the Lord, so that you became a model for all believers (1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10).

**Gospel** — You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, and you shall love your neighbor as yourself (Matthew 22:34-40).

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#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Eph 4:32 — 5:8; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 13:10-17 Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33; Ps 128:1-5; Lk 13:18-21 Wednesday: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 6:12-16 Thursday: Eph 6:10-20; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10;

Lk 13:31-35

Friday: Phil 1:1-11; Ps 111:1-6; Lk 14:1-6 Saturday: Phil 1:18b-26; Ps 42:2, 3, 5cdef;

Lk 14:1, 7-11

Sunday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3;

Mt 5:1-12a

#### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wednesday: Ss. Simon and Jude

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary; Halloween

#### SAINTS SIMON AND JUDE, APOSTLES October 28

Saint Jude, apostle and . . . Hollywood success story? Indeed! Beyond Simon's being a "Zealot" for Israel's liberation and Jude's question about Jesus revealing himself (John 14:22), no historic facts are known about either saint. But Saint Jude's well-known patronage of lost causes and hopeless cases is largely due to a desperate vow made just before World War II by a struggling entertainer, the son of Arab-American immigrants, Danny Thomas. Unemployed, his wife about to give birth, Danny, attending Mass, impulsively donated his last seven dollars to the collection, promising: "Saint Jude, if you help me find my way in life, I will build a shrine in your honor!" Older Americans remember well Danny's long, successful movie and television career. Grateful parents worldwide know the miracles that have taken place for fifty years at his Saint Jude Children's Research Hospital, where needy children are cared for regardless of race, religion, or financial resources, and monumental advances continue in healing and preventing pediatric cancers and catastrophic childhood diseases. A living, life-giving partnership is this "Communion of Saints": Simon, Jude, Danny Thomas—us!

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#### **BORN TO LOVE**

We were born to love, we live to love, and we will die to love still more.

-Joseph Cafasso

#### CHARACTER

Character is much easier kept than recovered.

-Thomas Paine

#### **HALLOWEEN**

Bring forth the raisins and the nuts— Tonight All-Hallows' spectre struts Along the moonlit way.

#### **Prayer Request**

Ruben Mendoza Virginia Fain Paul Mihalik, Sr. Lucy Mihalik Pam D. Steve Biddle Nancy Swyers Dr. Jesse Cruz Quiroga Sadie G. Joseph Hann Waclaw Wolosik Pelagia Wolosik John Swyers Art Pena
Delfina Madrid
Amelia Barrios
Harold Swyers
Jeannette Swyers
Bob Bilodeau

MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2020	Patagonia	Sonoita	Total
Regular Offering	\$3,237.00	\$2,208.00	\$5,445.00
Weekly Goal			\$
Over /Under Goal			\$
Parish Priest Salary	\$1,106.00	\$528.00	\$1,634.00

#### **Upcoming 2<sup>nd</sup> Collections:**

Oct 25- Poor & Needy

Nov 1- Parish Priest Salary Nov 8- CCD Program

Nov 15- Parish Priest Salary

Saturday October 24, 5:30pm † David Esser

Sunday October 25, 8:00am Missa Pro Populo

Sunday October 25, 10:30am † Doris Wenig

### Parish Home Office Hours:

**Contact Ramon at 520-313-4813 or** 

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Monday, Wednesday & Fri
9:00am-2:00pm
(home office)

Tuesday & Thursday 9:00am-12:00 noon (urgent business only) Masks & Social Distancing will be required at all times

#### **Sacramental Life**

**Baptism:** Contact Parish Office one month prior to the

desired date

**Confirmation:** Contact Parish Office for information and schedule

**Marriage:** Contact the Parish Office at least 6 months prior to the desired date