



St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Church
11600 Atwood Road
Auburn, Ca. 95603

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MISSION STATEMENT
“As the Father has loved me, so
have I loved you; abide in My Love.”
In Christ’s Love, the Eucharistic
community of St. Teresa of Avila,
Auburn, embraces and welcomes all
as part of God’s family. We value
every parishioner and strive to
reflect the forgiveness and healing
of the Gospels.

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 19, 2020

Sunday Masses

Sunday (Outside Plaza)8:00am
Sunday (Streamlining Mass).....10:30am
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Daily Masses

Tuesday—Friday (Outside Plaza).....8:30am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday, 3:00pm – 4:30pm, or by appointment. Call the Parish 530-889-2254

Eucharistic Adoration.....Canceled until Further Notice

Baptisms: For the celebration of Baptism, please call the Parish Office, for information.

Marriage: If you are a member of our parish, please contact a priest or deacon of your choice at *least* six months in advance of your desired wedding in order to participate in a process of marriage preparation.

Confirmation: For teens, the Sacrament of Confirmation is a two-year preparation process; please contact our coordinator of religious education; for adults not yet confirmed, please call the parish office.

Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA): If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic Church or becoming Catholic, contact **Adam Crawford** (530) 263-8055.

Prayer Chain Requests: For those in need of prayers please call Diana Gouvea @ 530-320-0246. Email: dsigncat@hotmail.com

Parish Office: 11600 Atwood Rd., Auburn, CA 95603
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Office Hours: Closed until further notice.

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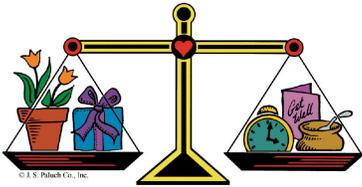
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Bulletin Submissions: e-mail to
info@stteresaauburn.com All bulletin articles are due in
the parish office no later than **12:00pm on Mondays.**



GOOD SEEDS

**Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
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Those who are just must be kind.

— *Wisdom 12:19*

Today Jesus continues to speak to his followers using parables. What a rich treasure we are given today in three parables about the kingdom of heaven! The kingdom is likened to a man sowing good seed in his field, a mustard seed, and yeast mixed with flour. As they did last week, today the disciples press Jesus for an interpretation of one of the parables—the parable of the man sowing good seed. Lest we think that these parables are simply amusing little anecdotes, Jesus’ interpretation should be seen for what it is—a warning. Wailing and grinding of teeth in a fiery furnace await those who are children of the evil one. This parable points to the struggle for today’s believer. Sometimes, through sin, we sow weeds and prevent the love of Christ from blossoming. Let today’s Gospel help put us back on track. Let us recommit ourselves to preparing for the last days, the harvest, by blossoming as the good seeds we were created in love to be.

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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	07/18	5:00pm	For The Faithful
Sunday	07/19	8:00am	+ James J. Manley
		10:30am	For the Faithful
		3:30pm	For The Faithful
		5:30pm	For The Faithful
Tuesday	07/21	8:30am	+ Tom & Muriel Finn
Wednesday	07/22	8:30am	No Mass Request
Thursday	07/23	8:30am	Brenda Wierenga
Friday	07/24	8:30am	+ Fiammetta Catena Calonico

PARISH OFFICE & MASS SCHEDULE

Due to Governor Newsom’s recent directive, the parish office is **closed until further notice**.

If you are in need of a priest, please call the parish office at 530-889-2254 and leave a message and we will get back with you. You may also e-mail at info@stteresaauburn.com.

All indoor Masses are cancelled. Masses will be held on the outside plaza as follows:

Tuesday—Friday: 8:30am on the plaza
 Sunday: 8:00am on the plaza,
 10:30am live streaming

Masks are required as well as signing in.

SUNDAY OFFERTORY FOR:



June 12, 2020:	\$ 8,351
Online Giving:	<u>3,042</u>
Total:	\$11,393

TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — You taught your people that those who are just must likewise be kind (Wisdom 12:13, 16-19).

Psalm — Lord, you are good and forgiving (Psalm 86).

Second Reading — The Spirit comes to aid us in our weakness (Romans 8:26-27).

Gospel — Jesus proposes parables to the crowds, teaching them of the reign of God (Matthew 13:24-43 [24-30]).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Mi 6:1-4, 6-8; Ps 50:5-6, 8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 12:38-42
- Tuesday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 85:2-8; Mt 12:46-50
- Wednesday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Ps 63:2-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
- Thursday: Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13; Ps 36:6-7ab, 8-11; Mt 13:10-17
- Friday: Jer 3:14-17; Jer 31:10-12abcd, 13; Mt 13:18-23
- Saturday: 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-6; Mt 20:20-28
- Sunday: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-130; Rom 8:28-30; Mt 13:44-52 [44-46]

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
- Monday: St. Apollinaris
- Tuesday: St. Lawrence of Brindisi
- Wednesday: St. Mary Magdalene
- Thursday: St. Bridget
- Friday: St. Sharbel Makhlūf
- Saturday: St. James

Reading 1
Wis 12:13, 16–19

There is no god besides you who have the care of all,
 that you need show you have not unjustly
 condemned.
 For your might is the source of justice;
 your mastery over all things makes you lenient to all.
 For you show your might when the perfection
 of your power is disbelieved;
 and in those who know you, you rebuke temerity.
 But though you are master of might,
 you judge with clemency,
 and with much lenience you govern us;
 for power, whenever you will, attends you.
 And you taught your people, by these deeds,
 that those who are just must be kind;
 and you gave your children good ground for hope
 that you would permit repentance for their sins.

Reading 2
Rom 8:26–27

Brothers and sisters: The Spirit comes to the aid of
 our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we
 ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes with inexpressible
 groanings. And the one who searches hearts knows what
 is the intention of the Spirit, because he intercedes for the
 holy ones according to God's will.

Gospel
Mt 13:24–43 or Mt 13:24–30

In the shorter form of the reading, the passages in brackets are omitted.

Jesus proposed another parable to the crowds, saying: “The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a man who sowed good seed in his field. While everyone was asleep his enemy came and sowed weeds all through the wheat, and then went off. When the crop grew and bore fruit, the weeds appeared as well. The slaves of the householder came to him and said, ‘Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? Where have the weeds come from?’ He answered, ‘An enemy has done this.’ His slaves said to him, ‘Do you want us to go and pull them up?’ He replied, ‘No, if you pull up the weeds you might uproot the wheat along with them. Let them grow together until harvest; then at harvest time I will say to the harvesters, “First collect the weeds and tie them in bundles for burning; but gather the wheat into my barn.” ’ ”

[He proposed another parable to them. “The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed that a person took and sowed in a field. It is the smallest of all the seeds, yet when full-grown it is the largest of plants. It becomes a large bush, and the ‘birds of the sky come and dwell in its branches.’ ”

He spoke to them another parable. “The kingdom of heaven is like yeast that a woman took and mixed with three measures of wheat flour until the whole batch was leavened.”

All these things Jesus spoke to the crowds in parables. He spoke to them only in parables, to fulfill what had been said through the prophet:

I will open my mouth in parables,

I will announce what has lain hidden from the foundation of the world.

Then, dismissing the crowds, he went into the house. His disciples approached him and said, “Explain to us the parable of the weeds in the field.” He said in reply, “He who sows good seed is the Son of Man, the field is the world, the good seed the children of the kingdom. The weeds are the children of the evil one, and the enemy who sows them is the devil. The harvest is the end of the age, and the harvesters are angels. Just as weeds are collected and burned up with fire, so will it be at the end of the age. The Son of Man will send his angels, and they will collect out of his kingdom all who cause others to sin and all evildoers. They will throw them into the fiery furnace, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth. Then the righteous will shine like the sun in the kingdom of their Father. Whoever has ears ought to hear.”]

PENITENTIAL ACT

I confess to almighty God
 and to you my brothers and sisters,
 that I have greatly sinned,
 In my thoughts and in my words,
 In what I have done
 and in what I have failed to do,
 through my fault, through my fault,
 through my most grievous fault;
 Therefore I ask blessed Mary ever Virgin,
 all the Angels and Saints,
 and you my brothers and sisters,
 to pray for me to the Lord our God.

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,
 and on earth peace to people of good will.
 we praise you,
 we bless you, we adore you,
 we glorify you,
 we give you thanks for your great glory,
 Lord God, heavenly King,
 O God, almighty Father.
 Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
 Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
 You take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
 You take away the sins of the world;
receive our prayer;
 You are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
 For you alone are the Holy One,
 You alone are the Lord,
 You alone are the Most High,
 Jesus Christ,
 with the Holy Spirit,
 In the glory of God the Father.
 Amen

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I believe in one God,
 the Father almighty,
 maker of heaven of earth,
 of all things visible and invisible.
 I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God,
 Born of the Father before all ages.
 God from God, Light from Light,
 True God from true God,
 begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
 Through him all things were made.
 For us men and for our salvation He came down from heaven,
All bow
 and by the Holy Spirit was Incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.
 For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
 He suffered death, and was buried, and rose again on the third day
 in accordance with the Scriptures.
 He ascended into Heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
 He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead
 and His Kingdom will have no end.
 I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
 who proceeds from the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,
 who has spoken through the prophets.
 I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
 I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
 And I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
 And the life of the world to come. Amen

DIOCESE OF SACRAMENTO

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July 14, 2020

Dear Friends in Christ:

The rising number of infections and deaths due to COVID-19 is alarming. Even as we exercise all the necessary precautions in our churches, the risk of infection is greater. Governor Gavin Newsom announced on Monday, July 13, 2020, the suspension of most indoor activities, including church services in thirty counties in the State of California. I urge the faithful to cooperate with State and local public health officials. The counties affected in our diocese are: **Colusa, Glenn, Placer, Sacramento, Solano, Sutter, Yolo, and Yuba**, effective immediately.

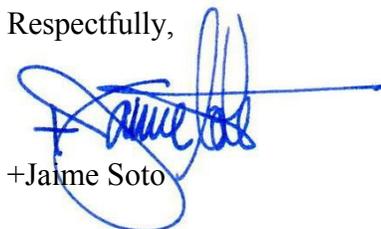
I have asked the pastors and parochial administrators of the parishes in these counties to consider offering the sacrifice of the Mass outdoors. These celebrations, following the diocesan directives, will continue to provide for the safety of the faithful. In particular, pastors should take into account weather conditions and high temperatures in scheduling the times for Mass. I have asked the pastors to continue transmitting the Mass by livestreaming or other means.

The celebration of *indoor* Mass will continue for parishes in counties not included in the list: Siskiyou, Modoc, Trinity, Shasta, Lassen, Tehama, Plumas, Butte, Sierra, Nevada, El Dorado, and Amador.

We must remain vigilant, especially for the sake of the most vulnerable among us. All the faithful in the Diocese of Sacramento are asked to review the guidelines noted in the *Coming Back to the Table* document: <https://www.scd.org/comingbacktothetable>. The required use of face-coverings, contact tracing protocols, and physical-distancing continue to be prudent safeguards during this dreadful plague.

The dangerous surge of infections and deaths due to the COVID-19 pandemic is disheartening and threatening, especially for the most vulnerable of our community. May the Lord Jesus grant us the patience, diligence, and charity necessary to care for one another. Pray for the Lord's mercy to end this pandemic. May the intercession of our Blessed Mother Mary bring healing to all the afflicted, protection to their caregivers, eternal rest to all those who have died, and consoling comfort to their families and friends.

Respectfully,



+Jaime Soto