

APRIL 20, 2025 -
EASTER SUNDAY -
THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

He
is
Risen!

St. Therese
Catholic
Church



The Divine Liturgy

Sunday Obligation

Saturday: 5:00pm
Sunday: 8:30am
11:00am
1:30pm (Spanish)
5:00pm (Spanish)

Weekday Masses

Monday, NO MASS
Tuesday, 12:10pm
Wednesday, 8:30am
Thursday, 12:10pm
Friday, 12:10pm
First Saturday, 9:00am

Holy Days

check bulletin or website

Adoration of the

Blessed Sacrament & Benediction

Thursday, 7:00pm
First Friday, 12:45pm and 7:00pm
Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturdays: 4:00pm — 4:45pm
Thursdays: 7:00pm — 8:00pm

Parish Office

Hours: 9:00am — 2:45pm
Monday — Friday

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New Parishioners

Welcome to our parish. We invite you to register, as soon as possible. Registration forms are available in the office during office hours, in the Tower Room or on our parish website. Though a rather simple act, registration allows the parish to know how many families live in the parish. It also provides an official record of your membership and is essential for sacramental preparations and sponsorship certification.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents must be registered members of the Parish and in full communion with the Roman Catholic Church. Participation in the Pre-Baptismal Program is required. Parents must register by calling the parish office.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Arrangements must be made with the Pastor at least six months in advance. Participation in Marriage Preparation Workshop is required.

Sacrament of Anointing

The sacrament is celebrated upon request prior to surgery or at the time of illness. Please notify the Parish office of the illness or hospitalization of a parishioner.

**For emergencies,
please see next page.**



**WELCOME ALL GUESTS TO
ST. THERESE CHURCH. WE ARE
GLAD YOU HAVE JOINED US TODAY
AND HOPE TO SEE YOU AGAIN.**

Order of Mass #6 - Readings of the Day #1106

Processional:	<i>Jesus Christ is risen today</i>	556
Gloria		369
Responsorial Psalm:	<i>This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it! This is the day the Lord has made; let us be glad, be glad, be glad, be glad and rejoice in it!</i>	1164
Sequence		1165
Gospel Acclamation		251
Preparation of the Gifts:	<i>At the Lamb's high feast we sing</i>	560
Sanctus		414
Memorial Acclamation:	<i>Save us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.</i>	309
Final Doxology		418
Agnus Dei		311
Communion:	<i>You satisfy the hungry heart</i>	1032
Recessional:	<i>Christ the Lord is risen!</i>	578
Postlude:	<i>In dir ist Freude</i>	Bach



DID YOU KNOW ABOUT OUR PALMS?

† The palms on Palm Sunday are blessed and should be treated with respect. No part of them should be put in the trash or left on the floor.

† Old dried palms from Palm Sunday are to be burned to ashes. Those ashes will be signed on our foreheads on Ash Wednesday.

† If you would like to bring your last year's palms to the church, they will be a part of our ashes next year. There will be a basket in the vestibule for them, or you can drop them off in the church office during office hours.



Anniversaries

Congratulations to
Robert & Margaret Schaaf
who are celebrating

their 40th wedding anniversary.

May God continue to watch over and bless their marriage.



**ANOINTING
OF THE
SICK
PRIEST VISIT
NON-
EMERGENCY**

Non-emergency priest visits to the home or hospital should be requested by calling the office during regular office hours. Requests for non-emergency anointings may also be made at the church at anytime. Requests for homebound or nursing home visits on a regular basis, temporary or long-term, are set up through the church office.

**FOR EMERGENCY ONLY
PRIEST VISIT**

When someone is under the threat of death, please call the office at **252-237-3019**. If it is after office hours or on a weekend, press **option 9**. Please be sure to leave a clear message with your name and phone number. For additional assistance you may call Deacon Michel at 252-230-4668.

**ASSISTED LISTENING
DEVICES**

Listening devices are available for those who need hearing assistance during Mass. You may pick one up in the sacristy before Mass. Please return it to the sacristy after Mass.

**PLEASE DO NOT WRAP
THE WIRE AROUND
THE RECEIVER!!!!**

**If there is a problem
with the unit, please let
Yvonne, our sacristan,
know what the problem
is.**

SPECIAL NEEDS

If you have any special needs regarding the reception of the Holy Eucharist, such as being physically unable to approach the Altar, please tell the Usher.

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parishioners:

Mary Alsager	Tom Christenberry
Lea Barbee	Mitch Piasecki
Dorothy Calamito	Mary Stanton
Sandra Cary	

family and friends:

Ricky Barbour	Michelle Murphey
Trang Basel	James Myers
Jamie Gates Burr*	Peggy Parker
Jordan Corbett	Jim Rangitch
Tommy Gibson	Kenny Rayfield
Donna Heary	Sitay Salesa
Lisa Howell	Michael Thomas
Edward T Kettner	Xiomara
Roz Kettner	Vega-Fernandez
Georgianna Lavalley	Anna Wheeler
Max Long	Special Intention
Tom May	
Meredith Miller*	

* indicates names were added this week

Names for the prayer list must be at the request of, or approved by a family member.

They will remain on the prayer list for a period of one month.

If you would like to have a name added, removed or retained, please call the parish office.



ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to sponsor the flowers (after Easter) in honor or memory of someone, please call **Tery** in the church office.



4/19 Saturday

9:00 am NO MASS

EASTER VIGIL

5:00 pm NO MASS

8:30 pm ♥ People of the Parish

4/20 Sunday

EASTER SUNDAY

8:30 am ♥ Michael Carmody

11:00 am People of the Parish

1:30 pm Mass in Spanish

5:00 pm Mass in Spanish

4/21 Monday

NO MASS

4/22 Tuesday

12:10 pm ✚ Napoleon Brown

✚ Daniel Fenlon

4/23 Wednesday

8:30 am ♥ Tery Petrella
✚ Josephine S Saied
✚ Vickie Hooper

4/24 Thursday

12:10 pm ♥ Chris & Barbra Matrejek
♥ Maureen Hooper
♥ Norine Kelley

4/25 Friday

12:10 pm ♥ Barbara Cornman
♥ Bob Farris
✚ Nancy Farris

4/26 Saturday

9:00 am NO MASS
5:00 pm ✚ Walter Waida, Jr

4/27 Sunday

8:30 am ✚ Odell Batts
11:00 am People of the Parish
1:30 pm Mass in Spanish
5:00 pm Mass in Spanish



Pray for those serving

In New Mexico: Airman Kemari Joelle Jones

In Japan: Jasmin Piedra

In US: James Stead



Easter Flowers -- Thank you to all who contributed.

* **Mr Tony Accettullo** In memory of Norine, Lenny & Lee Accettullo

* **Mr & Mrs Jerry Adams** In memory of Richard & Fanny Quintavalle, Sr, Nellie Adams Falls and Thomas Adams

* **Mr & Mrs Gualtierio Agostini** In memory of Alberto Agostini

* **Dr & Mrs Chuch Baio** In memory of Hank, Ann, Frank & Hazel Myers, James, Concetta, Cologero & Madelyn Baio, Dominico & Angelina Cerullo, Leslie & Anna Mae Crow, Joe George and Louis Clark

* **Mr & Mrs Euirl Banks, Jr** In memory of the Sweatt and Banks families

* **Mr & Mrs William Barbee, Jr** In memory of Mr & Mrs John Joseph Haggerty, Jr, Mr & Mrs William C Barbee, Barbara Pell Haggerty and John Foster Hutchison

* **Mr & Mrs Willie Bartley** In memory of the Wright, Walker & Bartley families

* **Mr & Mrs CB Bass** In memory of Landen Bass, and In honor of Brady Bass

* **Mrs Yvonne Bridgers** In memory of William W, Maddie & Dotty Bridgers, Father Paul Brant, Joe George, Margaret Huey, Donna Trukawinski and Father Trent Watts and In honor of Father Fernando, Father Greg, Father Jeffrey and Deacon Michel

* **The Breen Family** In memory of Dennis Breen, Juan Adorna and Lucille Balingao and in Honor of Luisa Breen & family

* **Mrs Dorothy Calamito** In memory of Tony Calamito, Louis & Rosanna Mastrangelo, Eileen Fazio and Marilyn Radaslovich

* **Mrs Carole Carlson** In memory of Anne K and Anne S Isvolt, Martha Carlson and Philomena Karas

* **Mrs Barbara Carmody** In memory of Catherine Carmody

* **Mr & Mrs Clarence Carter**

* **Ms Sandra Cary**

* **Mr & Mrs Thomas Christenberry** In memory of Mr & Mrs TT Christenberry Sr, Mr & Mrs George Walter, Bill & Jack Walter, Skip Ertwine, Larry, Claire & Bob Strosser, Alice Snyder and Brian M^cMahon

* **Mr & Mrs John Coda**

* **Mr Robert Diaz Suarez & Mrs Maria Rivera**

* **Mrs Nancy Dugan** In memory of Joseph Bliss Dugan and members of the Paré family

* **Mr & Mrs Jerry Emerson** In memory of Joseph & Theresa Strang and Sidney, Belle, Jerry Jr, and Ashley Nicole Emerson

* **Mrs Laura Ess & Mr Lester Brown** In memory of Art, Janet, Diane & John Ess; Doc, Frances & Jamie Brown and Robert Poland

* **Mr & Mrs Vernon Ewan** In memory of Mr & Mrs Vernon Ewan, Sr and Mr & Mrs John Weidler

* **Mr Ronald Flory**

* **Mrs Lillian George** In memory of the George, Rabil, Henman, Hannan & Radi families

* **Mr & Mrs Aloysius Germann** In memory of James & MaryAnn Attaway, Aloysius & Ruth Germann and Sister Ambrose & Sister Gabriel Germann

* **Mr Antonio Gonzalez Herrera and Mrs Maria Flores**

* **Mr & Mrs Charles Green** In memory of Barbara Myers and Marvin Sr, Grace & Gary Green

* **Mr & Mrs John Grish** In memory of Mary & Russell Grish, Alice & Donald Daly, Ed & Grace Monahan, Eileen & Bill Riordon, Tom Holpin and Father Paul Brant

* **Mr & Mrs John Hoofnagle** In memory of James G & Antonia R Hoofnagle and Charles E & Adele F Luley

* **Ms Elizabeth Hooks** In memory of the Spengler, Anielski, Hooks, Massaro, Simmons, Mohr and Kohn families and in honor of Simmons & Copersito families

* **Mrs Bonny Jones** In memory of Bill, Barbara and Ralph Jones

* **Mr & Mrs Matthew Komara** In memory of Veronica & John Komara and Joanne & George Spencer

* **Ms Constance Kriewaldt** In memory of the Strous and Emmer families

* **Mr & Mrs Noah Leggett** In memory of Robert Anderson and Neal & Linda Leggett



Easter Flowers -- Thank you to all who contributed.

* **Ms Joanne Lucas-Boswell** In memory of Odell,
Donnie, Michael, Sam & Emma Batts,
John Lucas and Margaret & Bill Powell

* **Ms Sandra Luther** In memory of Larry Whitley

* **Mr & Mrs Paul Luy** In memory of
Maria Theresa Alcancia, Cipriano & Evangeline
Aberin, Alejandro Sr, Alejandro Jr & Betty Luy,
Chris Invina, and Marcelo & Josefina Ordoña

* **Mr & Mrs C Matrejek & Family** In memory of
Thomas & Donna Trukawinski and
Anthony S & Lance Matrejek and
In honor of Wanda Matrejek

* **Mr & Mrs Timothy M^cVeigh** In memory of
Ruth Jenkins & Robert Adron Joyner,
and Alice Marques & John Joseph M^cVeigh

* **Mrs Pauline Myers** In memory the
Arena & Myers families and Father Joe Vetter

* **Mr & Mrs Tung Thanh Nguyen**

* **Mr & Mrs Richard Oteri**

* **Mr & Mrs Robert Pappas** In memory of
deceased family members

* **Mr & Mrs Mark Petrella** In memory of the
Petrella & Kastriba families

* **Mr & Mrs Daniel Pultz** In memory of
Maria & Stuart French, Ken, Charlotte, Bob &
Jim Pultz, Jarrod Wells and Eleanore Williams

* **Mr & Mrs Michael Radford** In memory of the
Ryczak & Radford families

* **Mr Rogelio Raya & Mrs Leticia Hernandez**
In memory of Guadalupe Hernandez

* **Mrs Catharine Reed**

* **Mrs JoAnne Rodri** In memory of Joseph C Rodri, Sr

* **Mrs Nancy Rosas** In memory of Louis Rosas,
Evelyn & Andrew C Redford, Jr, Louis Sr
& Sarah Rosas, Carmen & Ramon Giusti and
Clara Lee Miller

* **Mrs Carol Sabella** In memory of Al Sabella, Jr and
Peter & Virginia Yaunucci

* **Mr & Mrs Bulmaro Salazar**

* **Dr & Mrs Robert Satterly** In memory of
Mary Claire & Pauline Satterly and
John & Esther Revoir

* **Mr James L Smith** In memory of
Beatrice & Sarah Smith

* **Mr & Mrs Jimmie Snider, Jr** In memory of
Jimmie & Carolyn Snider, Eleonora Büchler,
Johan & Philomena Drexler and Ertie
& Obie Coley

* **Mr & Mrs Edward Stasko**

* **Mrs Frances Stone**

* **Ms Norma Tedera** In memory of Marcos, Juana,
Marcelino, Dolores, Willie and Nilo Tedera,
Flora Timola and Angelo, Helen & Mike Delese

* **Mr & Mrs Phillip Tran Pham**

* **Mr & Mrs Anthony Valovic** In memory of
Michael Palombo

* **Mr & Mrs Jaime Villasenor** In memory of
Secundino Villasenor, Joaquin Velez & Nieves
Aguilar, Magdaleno & Juan Gomez, Aurora Rangel,
Rafael Velez Serrano, Zerapia Aguilar Perez,
Anselmo, Lucia & Trinidad Velez,
Beatriz Gomez Rangel and Ofecia Caliz,

* **Ms Felece Wade** In memory of Clarence &
Reatha and Ralph & Shannon Crawford and
Julian & Barbara Moses

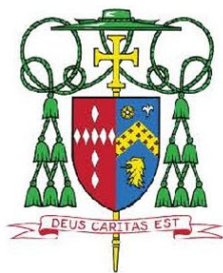
* **Ms Joanna Waida** In memory of
the Waida and Koperstynski families

* **Mr Henry White** In memory of H. Buck &
Ernestine L Shepard, Gus & Tana Ceiley/Sealy,
Ben & Manila Lewis and Nancy Valdés

* **Mr & Mrs Stephen Williford** In memory of
Joseph & Barbara Griffin and Reuben Mathews

* **Mr Timothy Winks** In memory of Fredride,
Jeanette, Freddie, Bill and Barbara Winks

In memory of the Deceased Members of our
Catholic Community: *Nancy Farris, Antonia Raya,
Patricia Bridickas, Timothy Oteri, Carole Kryshak and
Patrick Spencer*



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I am the resurrection and the life.
John 11:25

My Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As we gather in the radiant light of Easter, I greet you with the joy, hope and renewal of the Risen Lord: Christ is Risen! Alleluia!

We welcome this fifty-day celebration of the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead and are reminded that as Christians, our witness to the world is to radiate joy – the joy of remembering who we are and whose we are.

And this joy is made more profound and powerful because of hope. This sacred season is a testament to the triumph of hope over despair. When life feels uncertain, we may call upon this hope – a hope that does not deny our pain but transforms it through the power of God's love.

When all seems a dismal and disheartening failure, God reverses human expectations and brings forth new life and new beginnings in abundance. Easter Sunday reminds us that the tomb is not the end. Our Lord Jesus Christ, through His resurrection, has shattered the chains of sin and death, offering us an unshakable promise of hope and renewal.

This Easter, I invite you to bring all of your burdens to the foot of the empty cross. Let the constant renewal called forth by Christ's resurrection become a means for growth and transformation in our lives and in our world. And may the grace of this Easter season fill you with renewed and radiant joy!

May Mary, our Mother of Hope, intercede for you, and may the Risen Lord bless you abundantly with His light and love.

In Christ,

† Luis Rafael Zarama, J.C.L.
Bishop of Raleigh



Homebound/Sick Ministry

If you know of someone that is homebound; in assisted living; or is recovering from a recent surgery; and would like a visit, **please contact the Church office.**



Cornerstone Charismatic Prayer Group

For where 2 or 3 are gathered in my name, there am I in their midst — Mt 18:20
Let us come together to pray and praise the Lord. (Bring your Bible.)

We meet at 10:15am every Monday morning in the Carmelite house.

Contact: Eileen Campbell, 243-4327.



The Order of Christian Initiation

Does someone you know have questions about our Catholic faith?

Please tell them about OCIA (name changed, program still the same) at St. Therese and ask them to call Anne Bach (234-6227) or the Church office (237-3019) if they are interested in the classes.



COME TO ADORATION

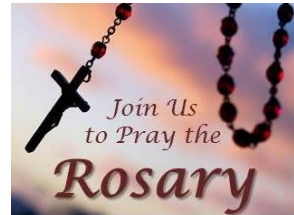
“Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I

will give you rest.” - Mt 11:28

“Let us take time, in the course of the week, in passing, to go in and spend a moment with The Lord who is near.” — Pope Benedict XVI

**Come to Thursday Adoration or
First Friday Adoration.**

He is waiting for You!! Come!



Rosary

Join us every **Monday**
at 12:10pm in the Chapel to pray the rosary.

The Rosary is the most powerful weapon to touch the heart of Jesus, Our redeemer, who loves His Mother and all of us. May we be given the grace to heed Padre Pio's admonition: “Love Our Lady, make others love her. Always say your Rosary and say it well.”



PARISH COMMUNICATION

Our parish is using the remind app/program. This program is a great tool to **communicate quickly and efficiently any changes in schedules** along with gentle reminders of activities going on in our church.

PLEASE NOTE THAT REMIND IS NOW NOT SENDING TEXTS ANYMORE, ONLY E-MAILS OR BY USING THEIR APP. IF YOU WERE RECEIVING THE MESSAGES BY TEXT, PLEASE

EITHER DOWNLOAD THE APP OR RE-SIGN UP FOR E-MAILS:

BY SENDING A BLANK E-MAIL TO stccinfo2@mail.remind.com.

We are sorry for the inconvenience and are looking into another way to communicate.

SAINTS OF THE DAY

April 21 St. Anselm

Died in 1109; abbot of Bee in Normandy, in 1093 became archbishop of Canterbury; twice exiled for defending the rights of the Church; theologian and philosopher; known as the "Father of Scholasticism."



April 23 George Died by decapitation sometime before 337; 12th century legend portrays him as a knight and dragon slayer; patron of England and Constantinople.



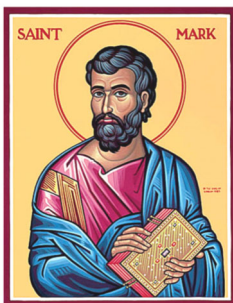
April 23 Adalbert Died in 997; born of a noble family in Bohemia; at age 26, elected bishop of Prague; forced to leave his See twice due to violent political opposition; preached in Pomerania to the Prussians who murdered him; a patron of Bohemia, the Czech Republic, Prussia and Poland.



April 24 Fidelis of Sigmaringen Died in 1622 in Switzerland; from Swabia; known as the "lawyer of the poor" before becoming a Capuchin; protomartyr of Propaganda Fide.

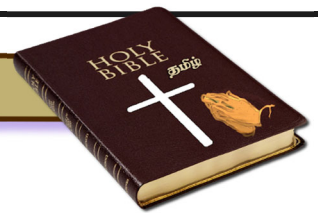


April 25 Mark Died in the 1st century; evangelist; cousin of Barnabas; associated with Sts. Paul and Peter; the gospel ascribed to him is the oldest and shortest; tradition holds that he



was the first bishop of Alexandria; portrayed as a winged lion; patron of notaries, of Egypt and of Venice.

READINGS OF THE DAY



April 20, Easter Sunday, the Resurrection of Our Lord

Acts 10:34, 37-43 / Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 / Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6-8 / Jn 20:1-9

April 21, Monday in the Octave of Easter

Acts 2:14, 22-23 / Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11 / Mt 28:8-15

April 22, Tuesday in the Octave of Easter

Acts 2:36-41 / Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22 / Jn 20:11-18

April 23, Wednesday in the Octave of Easter

Acts 3:1-10 / Ps 105:1-4, 6-9 / Lk 24:13-35

April 24, Thursday in the Octave of Easter

Acts 3:11-26 / Ps 8:2, 5-9 / Lk 24:35-48

April 25, Friday in the Octave of Easter

Acts 4:1-12 / Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27 / Jn 21:1-14

April 26, Saturday in the Octave of Easter

Acts 4:13-21 / Ps 118:1, 14-21 / Mk 16:9-15

April 27, Sunday of Divine Mercy

Acts 5:12-16 / Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 / Rev 1:9-13, 17-19 / Jn 20:19-31

First Saturdays by IBT



Ignited By Truth is organizing First Saturday events each month. **A Rosary and also the Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed. Marian hymns will also be sung.** Please join in reverent and peaceful prayer and singing. Events will be held outside. Please dress weather-appropriate. For more information, visit IgnitedByTruth.org. The next times and places are:

Saturday, May 3, 10:00am

St. Andrew the Apostle, 3008 Old Raleigh Rd, Apex

Saturday, June 7, 10:00am

St. Mary Magdalene, 625 Magdala Pl, Apex



Free Catholic Materials for the Blind/Visually Impaired

Xavier Society for the Blind provides free braille, audio, and large print materials to Catholics who are blind/visually impaired. The society also serves people unable to read standard print and others living with recent vision loss due to macular degeneration, glaucoma, cataracts, etc. Applications available at clientservices@xaviersocietyfortheblind.org.



Knights of Columbus

Our next meetings are **Tuesdays**,
April 22 at 6pm in the church and
May 13 at 7pm in the Knights Room
in the school building.

We are inviting all Catholic men to join our council. The Knights are a fraternal organization of Catholic men who help to serve our priests, parish and our community.

Contact: Matt Komara, 440-668-3574.

Congratulations to March's Family of Month, Andrew & Carol Wike and Knight of the Month, Diego Salazar!



Parish Advisory Council

Our next meeting will be **WEDNESDAY**,
April 23 at 7pm
in the Carmelite house.



Children's Hunger Elimination of Wilson (CHEW)

CHEW distributes weekend meals to chronically hungry students in Wilson County. The food is purchased with donations. The real strength of CHEW is the many volunteers that give of their time and energy to staff the distribution centers and pack the food items. **Our next pack day will be Monday, April 28 at 10:30am in the school.** If you would like to help, please contact the Church office.



WIDOWS GROUP

This group is for widows to get together a couple times a month for food and fellowship.

All widows are invited to join us for dinner on **Wednesday, April 30 at 5:30pm at Western Sizzlin'**,
101 Bruton St NE.

Please RSVP to Carol Sabella, 252-291-1114 or 252-230-4464 for additional information and reservations.



Moms Group

This group is open to all moms of the parish. All ages and stages, including expectant moms are welcomed. Come meet Catholic moms, get the kids together, and have fun!

Text Josie at (509) 499-0364 for the next get together.



St. Therese Women's Group

Our group is open to all women of the Parish.
There are no dues.

Our next meeting will be

Tuesday, May 13 at 6:30pm
in the school—3rd classroom on the right.
Questions?

Contact: Colleen Coda, 252-908-4881
or Carol Wike 252-419-0117.

If you would like to receive the Women's Group Updates, please e-mail Colleen at cmfenloncoda@gmail.com.



PRIME-TIMERS

Attention parishioners ages 50 and over: Join us for lunch on

Wednesday, May 14
at 11:30am at
Daniel's Casual Fine

Dining, 2801 Ward Blvd # 3J (in the Shoppes at Brentwood)

Please RSVP to Bev Krodell at 243-0354 by **Monday, May 12.**



Anyone want to play BUNCO!

Bunco is a dice game that is easy to play, **no experience is needed** and is a great time to socialize. **Come join us on Tuesday, May 20 from 1pm to 3pm in the school, second classroom on the right.** Any questions? Please call the church office.



Kneady Gals

Our next bake day is to be determined.

If you care to join us, all you need is a desire to knead & some basic supplies (a bowl, measuring cups & spoons, rolling pin, etc). No experience is necessary and we welcome all who like to socialize and meet new people. For more information, call Pat McCollum at 617-449-8798.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS' SCHEDULES

**Sunday
of
Divine
Mercy
April 26/27**

(old p. 1176
new p. 1178)

	<u>Sat—5:00pm</u>	<u>Sun—8:30am</u>	<u>Sun—11:00am</u>
Reader.....	Gene Nemechek	Cindy Bailey	Norma Tedera
Extraordinary Ministers.....	Loretta Trainor Deborah McVeigh	Tom & Marie Boylan	Louise Bellavance Gretchen McKeithan
Ushers.....	Tim & Hayden McVeigh	Ludwik Wodka Casey Douglas	Thomas Swartzwelder Vernon Ewan
Altar Servers.....	Alexis & Lucero Rodriguez	Christina Pappas Gabriel Douglas	Joshua Miller Lily DuSablón
Linens.....	Bernadette Whitley		
Counters (4/28) Monday...	Ann Christenberry, Bonny Jones and Kathy Gettys		



**Liturgical
Ministers
NEEDED**
Altar Servers,
Readers, Ushers,
and

Extraordinary Ministers are ALL NEEDED to assist at all weekend Masses, holy days and special Masses. Please contact Joan Satterly at satshak@aol.com, if you are interested.



Altar Server Recognition

Every time someone serves, their name is entered into a drawing for a \$50 gift card. The gifts have been generously donated by groups and/or individual parishioners. **The recipients of the gift cards for the first quarter are Christina Pappas and Gabriel Douglas. Congratulations!**



Looking for Cantors

Cantors are needed for Saturday evening and Sunday morning Masses.

Please contact Choir Master, Dexter Ruffin, for further inquiry at

scarlatti83187@hotmail.com.

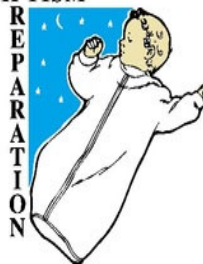


YOUTH GROUP

All High School students are invited every **Sunday evening from 7:15 to 8:45pm** in the school gym for some

fun, music, praise and learning. Contact Director of Youth Ministry, Roge Guerra at 252-559-0369 for more information.

BAPTISM



Baptism Preparation Class

Our baptism preparation class, for baptisms that will be celebrated in English, is usually held the second Sunday of each month **from 12:30pm-1:30pm.**

Our next class will be May 4.

Pre-registration at least a week in advance is required. Please call the Church office to register. This

class is required for all parents who will have their child baptized at St. Therese. We will not schedule a baptism until the parents have attended the class.

NOTE: Any parishioner that will be a godparent at St. Therese IS REQUIRED TO ATTEND. Those that will be a godparent in another parish may attend.

Baptisms in English will take place **after the 11am Mass one Sunday a month.**

PLEASE NOTE: Godparent forms need to be signed IN THE PRESENCE OF A CATHOLIC PRIEST, please call the church office to schedule an appointment.



Second Collection

The second collection at the Easter Vigil and all Easter Sunday Masses will be for the **support of the Priests' Retirement Fund.**

Thank you in advance for your generosity.



SPECIAL COLLECTION

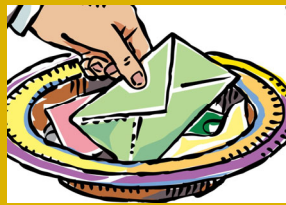
THIS Sunday is SHARE SUNDAY.

Please place non-perishable food (no glass containers) on the counter in the Tower Room.

Share Sunday donation envelopes may be placed in the regular collection. Monetary donation are distributed to Hope Station, Wesley Shelter and Choices Women's Center.

*Weekly
Offertory*

April 12/13



Weekly Offertory	Last Year:	\$6,939.00
	This Year:	\$6,583.00

Budget for February:	\$55,599.00
Actuals for February:	\$45,566.00

Year-to-Date Budget:	\$416,674.00
Year-to-Date Actual:	\$411,663.00
(July 1—Mar 31)	

ESTIMATED Priest Retirement Assessment

for Fiscal Year 2024-2025:	\$30,611.48
Received 2024-2025:	\$23,230.00

Offertory Envelopes sent:	272
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Envelopes received:	89
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Thank you for your continued support!

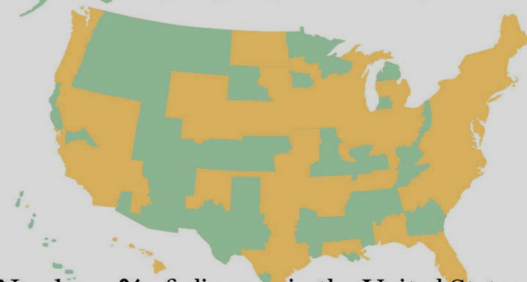
Please remember St. Therese Church in your will.

SPECIAL COLLECTION

NEXT Sunday the special collection is for Catholic Home Missions. Please place your envelope in the regular collection.

SUPPORT THE CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS APPEAL

STRENGTHENING THE CHURCH AT HOME



Nearly **40 %** of dioceses in the United States and its current and former territories struggle to meet basic pastoral needs.

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**ONLINE
GIVING**
now available



Online Giving

Credit cards are accepted!!

You can set up recurring donations or just one-time donations. You may use the QR code or go to: <https://sttheresewilson.weshareonline.org/index.aspx>

There is an option for all the annual special collections and also an option for Holydays/holidays and Memorial Donations. Just scroll down to “events” on the main page.



Columbarium

Two columbarium units are located on the church grounds. Please contact Jack Schimick, 252-243-0493,

or the church office for any information regarding the purchase of a niche. Each niche holds two urns. The urns and engraving are included.



WOMEN'S GROUP SCHOLARSHIP FOR HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

For the past twenty years, the St. Therese Women's Group has awarded scholarships to deserving high school seniors who will be attending a two or four year college after graduation. As of 2024, we have awarded our youth over \$12,000. This year we will be awarding two scholarships in the amount of \$500 each.

The emphasis of this scholarship is on the recipient's active participation in St Therese Church and what being a member of our parish has meant to them. Activities and service in the Wilson community will also be considered.

Applications may be picked up in the church office. **Applications need to be submitted by May 1** to Mrs. Joan Satterly, Scholarship Committee Chair, 1501 Lakeside Drive, Wilson, NC 27896 or they can be turned back into the office.

The scholarships will be presented at the Mass and Breakfast in June sponsored by the Knights of Columbus that recognizes our parish's graduating seniors.



**PLEASE, DO NOT
MOVE ANYTHING
AROUND IN THE
VESTIBULE
UNLESS APPROVED
BY THE CHURCH
OFFICE.**

**PLEASE! PLEASE! PLEASE!
DO NOT DROP OFF ANYTHING IN THE
TOWER ROOM UNLESS SPECIFICALLY
REQUESTED OR PRE-APPROVED BY
FATHER FERNANDO.**



WORLD-WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER (WWME)

Christ is Risen!! Hallelujah! May the love and forgiveness of Easter refresh your marriage. Take time for your marriage by attending an upcoming WWME weekend.

The next ones are on
May 2-4 in Hickory or Sep 26-28 in Hickory.

For more information contact us at
704-315-2144 or
applications@NCMarriageDiscovery.org.



Project Rachel Post Abortion Healing Retreat June 6-8, 2025

If you desire healing from a past abortion, you are invited to experience the love of Jesus Christ at a Project Rachel weekend retreat **June 6-8, in the Raleigh area.** The weekend retreat is strictly confidential, for both women and men, and includes discussions, spiritual exercises, the sacrament of reconciliation, a Memorial Service, and a Mass of the Resurrection. Participation offers a beautiful opportunity to experience God's love, forgiveness, and compassion. For more information or to register for the retreat, contact Project Rachel at: project.rachel@raldioc.org or call (919) 852-1021. The website is: rachelnc.org. **Cost is \$200 for lodging, meals, and all retreat materials. Discount of \$50 if you register before May 9.** Spanish and English speakers are welcome. If there is a financial burden, assistance is always available.

Don't Miss the
DEADLINE!

Bulletin DEADLINES

**PLEASE MAKE NOTE
OF THE FOLLOWING
EARLY BULLETIN**

DEADLINES:

- **Tuesday, April 22 for Sunday, May 4**
 - **Thursday, April 24 for Sunday, May 11**
- All announcements need to be **APPROVED BY FATHER FERNANDO, in writing or by e-mail** and submitted to the parish office by **2pm**. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
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BISHOP'S
ANNUAL APPEAL
DIOCESE OF RALEIGH



CAMPAÑA ANUAL
DEL OBISPO
DIÓCESIS DE RALEIGH

ST. THERESE PARISH 2025 GOAL:
PARROQUIA SANTA TERESA OBJETIVO 2025:

\$66,246.43

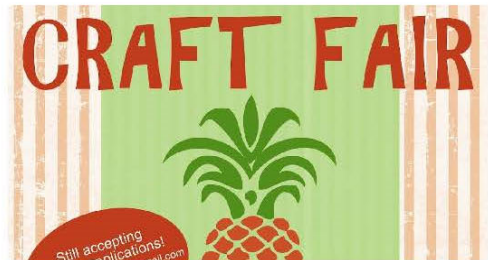
PLEDGES SO FAR/PROMESAS HASTA AHORA:

\$64,423.00 (97% of goal)

PLEASE DONATE TODAY, we are getting close to our goal!
(Envelopes are available after Mass, if you did not receive one in the mail.)

¡POR FAVOR DONE HOY!

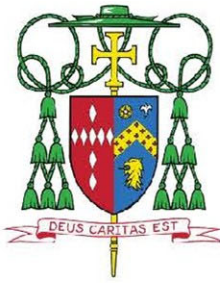
(Los sobres están disponibles después de la misa, si no recibió uno por correo).



The Bishop McGuinness Council 4660 Knights of Columbus St. Therese

- ◆ Our Indoor Yard Sale will be here before you know it!
- ◆ Please mark your calendar for Saturday, June 7th, from 7 AM to 1 PM
- ◆ Please keep this in mind as you are tackling spring cleaning of your house, closets, garage and yard!
- ◆ We are accepting baby and children's clothes as well as jeans of all ages
- ◆ No computers, No large television (Flat Screens only) No upholstered furniture or bedding
- ◆ Please bring items to the School Gym on Thursday June 5th or Friday June 6th from 2 to 7 PM
- ◆ Early drop off will be available by appointment starting April 26th
- ◆ Craft Vendors spaces are available for \$25.00 per table, Non Profit Organizations will get one table at no charge. Spaces are limited, please reserve your spot by May 15th.

Call or text Don Stirnweis at 631-697-1122 for more information



DIOCESE OF RALEIGH

Office of the Bishop

7200 Stonehenge Drive Raleigh, NC 27613

984-900-3103

Yo soy la resurrección y la vida.
John 11:25

Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo:

Reunidos en esta glorioso tiempo de Pascua, los saludo con la alegría, la esperanza, y la renovación que brotan de la victoria de Cristo sobre la muerte: ¡Cristo ha resucitado! ¡Aleluya!

Durante estos cincuenta días de celebración, recordamos la resurrección de Jesús y el llamado a iluminar el mundo con el testimonio de nuestra vida cristiana e irradiar alegría —la alegría profunda de saber quiénes somos y a quien pertenecemos.

Acompañada de la esperanza, la alegría solo se profundiza y fortalece. La temporada sagrada de la Pascua es prueba del triunfo de la esperanza sobre la desesperación. Podemos aferrarnos a esta esperanza incluso cuando la vida nos parece incierta; esta esperanza no ignora nuestro dolor, sino que lo transforma por el poderoso amor de Dios.

Dios obra de manera sorprendente: cuando todo parece perdido, otorga vida nueva y un nuevo comenzar. El Domingo de Pascua nos recuerda que la tumba no es el fin. Jesucristo Nuestro Señor ha roto las cadenas del pecado y de la muerte, dándonos la promesa inquebrantable de esperanza y renovación.

En este tiempo de Pascua los invito a dejar todas sus preocupaciones al pie de la cruz. Deje que la renovación constante que nos ofrece la resurrección de Cristo sea fuente de crecimiento y transformación en sus vidas y en el mundo. ¡Que la gracia de esta tiempo los colme de una alegría radiante y renovadora!

Que María, Madre de la Esperanza, interceda por ustedes, y que Jesús Resucitado los bendiga abundantemente con Su Luz y Su amor.

En Cristo,

† Luis Rafael Zarama, J.C.L.
Obispo de Raleigh



Unción de los Enfermos

Para solicitar el sacramento de la unción de los enfermos en caso de que no sea de emergencia se debe llamar a la oficina para que el sacerdote visite al enfermo en el hogar o en el hospital. En caso de emergencia, en peligro de muerte, llame a la oficina al 252-237-3019. Presione el número 9 para emergencia y deje un mensaje claro, con su nombre y el número de teléfono. Para asistencia adicional puede llamar al Diácono Michel al 252-230-4668.

Sacramento de la Confesión

Sábados de 4:00pm a 4:45pm

Jueves de 7:00pm a 7:45pm

FECHAS IMPORTANTES PARA LOS SACRAMENTOS

Pláticas bautismales, miércoles 6pm

(2 pláticas en la serie) presenten copia de acta de nacimiento en la primera plática: mayo 7, 14

Bautismos: 26 abr, 17 may, 14, jun

Pláticas matrimoniales, en la escuela

miércoles, 7pm: del 30 abr al 8 oct

(bilingüe) domingo, 11am:

del 27 abr al 12 oct

Para Ponerse en contacto con:

- ♦ Hermana Martha Alvarado, HSMG (calendario de quinceaños, bodas; catequesis de adultos y adolescentes en español; pláticas matrimoniales; consultas familiares) 252-505-6258
- ♦ Elizabeth Ortiz (oficina de la iglesia, habla español), 252-237-3019, opción 7
- ♦ Abraham Mora – música, coro de niños 252-969-4336
- ♦ Edith Serrano – música, 252-292-4762
- ♦ Maria de Jesús “Marichuy” Mosqueda—ensayos para bodas y quinceaños 252-668-9266



Caballeros de Colón

Nuestra próxima junta se llevará a cabo el **22 de abril y 13 de mayo a las 7 pm** en el cuarto de Caballeros de Colón dentro

de la escuela. Le hacemos la cordial invitación a todos los hombres católicos a unirse a nuestra organización. Los caballeros de Colón es una organización fraternal de hombres católicos que ayudan a servir a sus sacerdotes, parroquia, y comunidad. Contacten a Oscar Aranda, 252-290-1447 o Matt Komara, 440-668-3574.



**TAMPOCO MUEVA NADA
EN EL VESTÍBULO A
MENOS QUE LO APRUEBE
LA OFICINA DE LA
IGLESIA.**

Donaciones en Línea

Hemos recibido nuestro nuevo código QR para que puedas dar tu donativo dominical en línea.

Es muy fácil, solo necesitas usar el celular y completar la información.



<https://sttheresewilson.weshareonline.org/index.aspx>

REQUISITOS PARA BAUTIZAR A UN NIÑO

- Inscripción previa con dos (2) meses de anticipación con Hna. Martha (252-505-6258)
- Padres (y/o padrinos) deben asistir en misa, en domingo o durante la semana, en Sta Terese u otra iglesia católica, como **muestra de cumplir la promesa** que se hace en la ceremonia de criar a sus hijos en la práctica de la fe católica.
- Padres (y/o padrinos) asisten en pláticas bautismales (vea calendario de fechas ya establecidas).
- Padrinos deben ser **casados por la iglesia**, y católicos practicantes.

*Have a blessed
Easter!*

"I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live. And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die."
--John 11:25-26

Father Fernando
and the
Church Staff wish
all parishioners and
their families a most
Happy and Blessed Easter.

¡Feliz Pascua!
Celebra la resurrección de nuestro Señor Jesucristo.

Yo soy la resurrección y la vida;
el que cree en mí, aunque esté muerto, vivirá. --Jn 11:25-26

Padre Fernando
y el personal de la Iglesia
desean
a todos los feligreses
y sus familias
una feliz y bendecida
Pascua.



Office Closed

The Church
office will be
closed
**Monday,
April 21
through Friday, April 25.**
Daily Mass will be
celebrated as usual.



**DIVINE MERCY
SUNDAY**

Our Divine Mercy
Devotion will be
at 3pm
**on Sunday,
April 27
in the Church.**
It will be
bilingual.