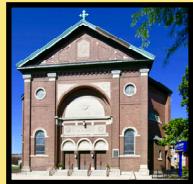
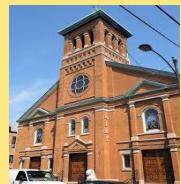


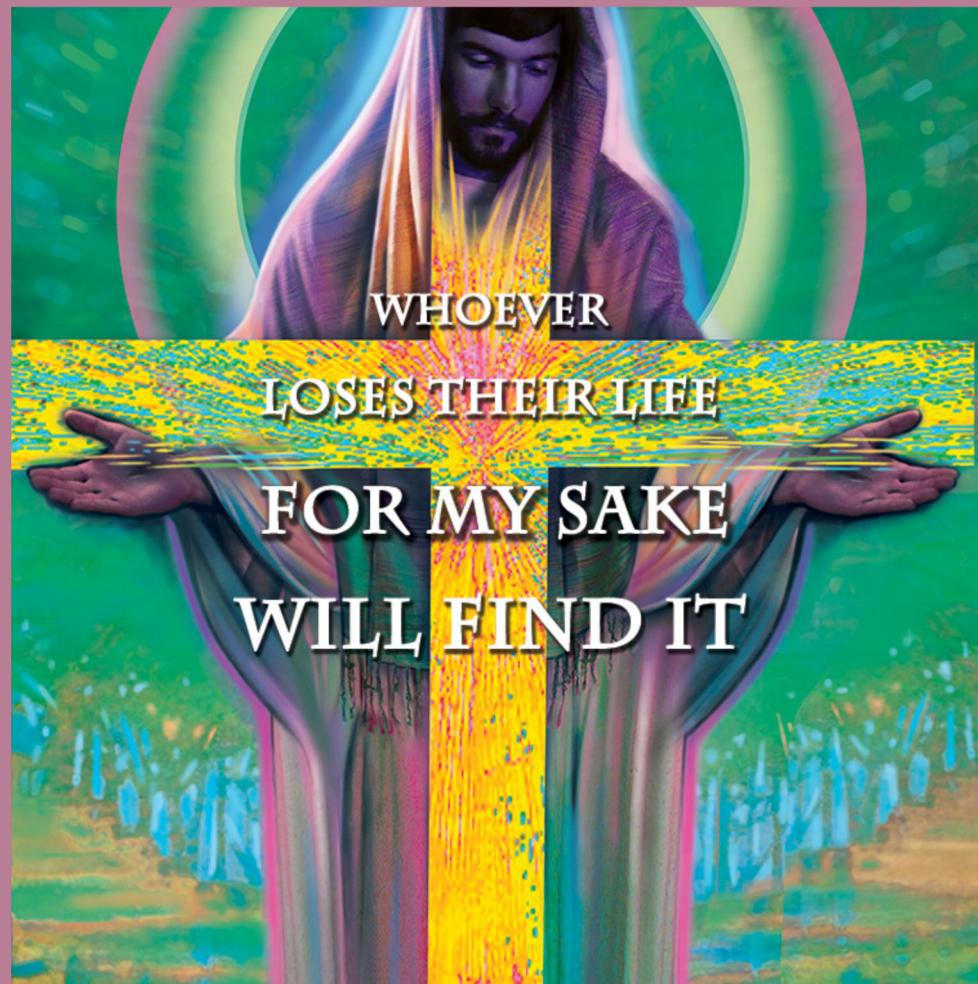
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**THE THIRTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**



**June
28,
2020**

**Think of yourselves as dead to sin
and living for God in Christ
Jesus.**

— Romans 6:11



news and events

- There will be a March, entitled “Christians for Black Lives and Dignity” on Sunday, June 28th at 3:30 pm from Ping Tom Memorial Park to Progressive Baptist Church. All are welcome.

Catholic News Agency

Vatican City, June 20 / 05:04 am MT (CAN) - Pope Francis has approved the inclusion of three additional invocations in the Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary, also called the Litany of Loretto.

In a June 20 letter to the presidents of bishops' conferences, Cardinal Robert Sarah, prefect of the Congregation for the Divine Liturgy and the Discipline of the Sacraments, said the invocations "Mater misericordiae", "Mater spei", and "Solacium migrantium" should be inserted in the Marian litany.

"Even in this present moment which is marked by feelings of uncertainty and trepidation, devout recourse to her, which is full of affection and trust, is deeply felt by the People of God", the cardinal Continue.

In his letter, Cardinal Sarah noted where each invocation should be added, using the Latin formulations. "Mater misericordiae", which means "Mother of mercy", should be placed after "Mater Ecclesiae".

"Mater spei", which means "Mother of Hope", should follow "Mater divinae gratiae", and Solacium migrantium", which means "Comfort of migrants", should follow "Refugium peccatorum".

"With every good wish and kind regard, we wish to entrust this notification to you for your information and application", Sarah wrote to the bishops' conferences. The letter is dated June 20, the day the Church celebrates the memorial of the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

Sarah said "the Church which walks along the pathways of history as a pilgrim towards the heavenly Jerusalem and enjoys inseparable communion with Christ her Spouse and Saviour, entrusts herself to her who believed in the word of the Lord."

"We know from the Gospel that the disciples of Jesus had in fact learned from the very beginning to praise her as 'blessed among women' and to count on her maternal intercession", he wrote.

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

June 19, 2020 Report

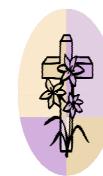
Donor Count	105
2020 Goal	\$16,941.70
Amount Pledged	\$21,727.02
Amount Paid	\$11,423.67
Balance Due	\$10,303.35

Thank you for your support of St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta Parish.

HOLY COMMUNION



If you find it difficult to walk to the front of the Church to receive Holy Communion, please notify one of the ushers before Mass that you would like Communion to be brought to you.



DAVID BROST (Died June 4, 2020)

In last week's bulletin, the name James Brost was published as deceased. The deceased is actually Jim's father, David Brost. We deeply regret this error and sincerely apologize to the entire Brost Family.

WE WELCOME YOU

Seeking a parish?
A spiritual family?
A place to pray, deepen your faith, or serve others?



If so, our hearts and doors are open to you! We thank God for sending you. Please introduce yourself to either Fr. Francis after Mass.



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Seeing Jesus in You and Others

Last Sunday's readings challenge us to not be afraid when we are doing the works of the Lord. As we resumed our public mass at St. Barbara since March 14th, many of you were grateful to return to celebrate the Eucharist in Church. While knowing we are still in the midst of the pandemic and there are a lot of fears among people, we have to continue to implore God's mercy and healing power.

This weekend, as we celebrate the 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time, St. Therese Church reopens for public mass. Jesus reminds us, "whoever receives you receives me, and whoever receives me receives the one who sent me." This is a particularly demanding message for all Christians now as we face daily violence caused by racial injustice, discrimination, and poverty. This timely message compels us to treat each other as brothers and sisters and as Jesus in disguise.

I recently came across a post by Susan Nelson who offers 7 practical insights to help others to see Jesus in you. I think they might help us in our own life.

1. Know who Jesus is and what he did. Read the Bible to learn more about him. Acts 20:32 says that the Word of God is able to build you up.
2. **Love him.** Radiate that love with others. Jesus said in John 13:34-35 that people would know us if we had the agape love of God and demonstrate it to the world. Have the right heart. Proverbs 4:23, "Above all things keep your heart for out of it are the issues of life." Proverbs 3:5, "Trust in the Lord with all your Heart and rely not on your own understanding."
3. **Care for other people.** Treat others as you would like to be treated (Golden rule of Jesus in Matthew 7:12); think beyond yourself. Jesus forgave Peter even though Peter betrayed Jesus. Peter betrayed Jesus but Jesus would never betray Peter.
4. **Be learned and wise.** Jesus grew in wisdom and stature and favor with both God and Man (Luke 2:52).
5. **Be humble.** After Jesus washed His disciples feet, He said, "An example I have given you, that you should do likewise (John 13:15).

Deal with your pride and any boastfulness. Phil 2:5 says, "Let this humble mind be in you that was also in Christ Jesus".

Be prepared to say sorry when you get something wrong.

6. **Be considerate of others in all that you do.** I Corinthians 13:4 says that love is always patient and kind. It was also through love that Jesus healed the sick and His desire was that His followers would do the same thing (Matthew 14:14, Matthew 10:7-8).
7. **Watch your tone of voice, your style of language (don't curse, blaspheme, etc.).** Always speak kindly of others and try to see things from their perspective. Jesus on the Cross said, "Father forgive them for they know not what they do (Luke 23:34).

Let's continue to pray for the Lord to help us to see Him in each one of us and "to act justly, love tenderly, and walk humbly with our Lord."

Peace

Fr. Francis

PARISH COMMUNICATION NEWS

SMTCP Facebook:

"If you haven't done so already, please "like" <https://www.facebook.com/StMotherTeresaParish/> to receive the latest news about the parish."

SMTCP New Email System:

If you haven't done so already, please take a moment to sign up <https://stmotherteresaparish.activehosted.com/f/1> to receive weekly bulletin and news from the parish. (A sample of the form is included on the following page of the bulletin.)

SMTCP New Bulletin Design:

We are working to unify our parish bulletins. If you would like to share your designing talent, please let Fr. Francis know.

SMTCP New Website:

We have been working on a unified website. Thanks to all who have helped so far. We need volunteers to assist with the content and translation (from English to Chinese). If you would like to be part of this ministry, please let Fr. Francis know.



Thank YOU Fr. Lukas and Welcome Fr. Cuff

Fr. Lukas has applied to be reassigned to another parish. Due to COVID-19, as of today he doesn't know the assignment yet, but it will happen in the next few days. We want to thank him for his service to our community. We will keep you informed about his new parish. Please extend your personal appreciation and support to Fr. Lukas.

We thank the Cardinal and the Placement Board of the Archdiocese for assigning Fr. John Cuff to our parish as our new Resident. He will start on July 1st and his bio will be included in next weekend's bulletin.



AS PUBLIC MASS BEGINS, DISPENSATION CONTINUES

The dispensation from Sunday Mass and Holy Days of Obligation continues. It is still advised that the elderly and those with underlying medical conditions stay at home and participate through live-streamed and televised Masses.

Join Our Family of Faith

Registering in a parish is a declaration of your desire to be part of a Catholic community and a commitment to the life of the parish family. Being a registered parishioner makes things much easier when it is time for baptism, confirmation and weddings, when asked to be a baptismal or confirmation sponsor, and even funerals. We are often asked to provide affidavits for baptismal and confirmation sponsors. We can only do this if a person is a registered, active, and contributing member in our parish. How do you know if you are already registered? A registered parishioner receives all parish mailings.

Are you a registered parishioner? If not, please consider registering. At present, the parish office is open Monday - Wednesday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. or speak with Fr. Li after Mass.

**News Release from the Vatican:
Racism is a “spiritual” virus that must be wiped
out**
**By Catholic News Service, Wednesday, June 3,
2020**

VATICAN CITY – Much like the coronavirus pandemic, racism is a “spiritual virus that has spread throughout the world and must be eradicated, said Archbishop Vincenzo Paglia, President of the Pontifical Academy for Life.

“I would compare (racism) to COVID-19, but it is a virus of the spirit, a cultural virus that, if not isolated, spreads quickly,” Archbishop Paglia told Catholic News Service June 1.

The Italian Archbishop commented on the May 25 death of George Floyd while in police custody in Minneapolis and the subsequent protests throughout the United States.

“Today we must start a revolution of brotherhood. We are all brothers and sisters. Brotherhood is a promise that is lacking in modern times,” he said. “In my opinion, the true strength that supports us in our weakness is brotherhood and solidarity. And just as it defeats the coronavirus, it also defeats racism.”

The fight against racism, he added, is done “not with violence but in the style of Martin Luther King, Jr., with words, with culture, with faith with humanism. It is fought the same way we fight the coronavirus.”

Archbishop Gomez, Archdiocese of Los Angeles, released a statement on May 31, calling Mr. Floyd’s killing “senseless and brutal, a sin that cries out to heaven for justice.”

“Dear brothers and sisters in the United States, I have witnessed with great concern the disturbing social unrest in your nation in these past days, following the tragic death of Mr. George Floyd,” the Pope said during his general audience. “My friends, we cannot tolerate or turn a blind eye to racism and exclusion in any form and yet claim to defend the sacredness of every human life. At the same time, we have to recognize that the violence of recent nights is self-destructive and self-defeating. Nothing is gained by violence and so much is lost.”

America, the Jesuit Magazine



Connect with St. Mother Teresa Parish

Please add your information below to receive communications from our Parish.

You may forward this email to others, as well.

Thank you.

Fr. Francis Li, Pastor

First Name*

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St Mother Teresa Parish List

MEMBERSHIP AND WORSHIP

Please check your membership status*

- Current Registered Member
- I would like information about joining the parish
- I am a Friend of St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta Parish
- I attend regularly BUT I AM NOT REGISTERED AS A MEMBER

CURRENT PARTICIPATION

If you are a CURRENT member, check ALL ministries/groups in which you NOW participate at St. Mother Teresa Parish.

My Main Worship Site

- St Barbara
- St Therese

CURRENT Ministry or Group

- Registered Parishioner-at-Large
- Friend of St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta (visitor, out of town, etc)
- I am a member of a group not listed below
- Altar and Rosary Society
- Altar Server Coordinators
- Bible Sharing
- Bingo Helpers
- Cantonese Ministry
- Catechist
- Chinatown Summer Fair
- Choir
- Church Cleaning
- Decorations
- Eucharistic Minister
- Evangelization
- Faith Formation
- Family Association
- Finance Council
- Garden
- Greeters
- Holy Name Society
- Hospitality
- I.T. Support
- Knights of Columbus
- Lectors
- Liturgy Committee
- Mandarin ministry
- Media Ministry
- Ministers of Care
- Musicians
- Parish Pastoral Council
- PWKI (Indonesian ministry)
- RCIA
- Respect Life
- Sacred Heart
- School Board
- SMI
- St. Barbara Seniors
- St. Michael Security Ministry
- St. Rocco
- St. Therese Chinese Catholic School
- St. Vincent DePaul Society
- Summer Carnival
- Translators
- Ushers
- Young Adult Ministry
- Youth Ministry

Submit



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, June 27 - Vigil of The Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. Divine Mercy for All (C. Kisielente Family)

Sunday, June 28 - The Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

6:00 a.m. + Mary J. Tadin (Jim & Christine Bertucci & Family)

Blessings: Jane Krzyzanski (Dolores)

Health Blessings: Koen Guest (Guest Family)

9:30 a.m. + Marie Brauchle (B. Glabicki)

+ Robert Lech (B. Glabicki)

+ Mary Diaz DeLeon (Family)

Blessings: Andy Sraga (Father)

Monday, June 29 - Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles

8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Therese Church

Tuesday, June 30 - Weekday; The First Martyrs of The Holy Roman Church

8:00 a.m. Special Intention (Spalla Family)

Wednesday, July 1 - Weekday; St. Junipero Serra

8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Therese Church

Thursday, July 2 - Weekday

8:00 a.m. + Rev. Anthony Adducci (Dolores Becatti)

Friday, July 3 - St. Thomas, Apostle

8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Therese Church

Saturday, July 4 - Weekday; Independence Day

8:00 a.m. All Parishioners, Living and Deceased

First Saturday Healing Mass

Saturday, July 4 - Vigil of The Fourteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. + Virginia Pienta (Wally Gusich)

Divine Mercy for All (C. Kisielente Family)

Sunday, July 5 - The Fourteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

6:00 a.m. Health Blessings: George Vanderford, Sr.
(Dolores Becatti)

Health Blessings: Koen Guest (Guest Family)

9:30 a.m. + John Helma (B. Glabicki)

+ Ed Glabicki (Ron Cabrera)

+ Ted and Stan Piorecki (Dolores Becatti)

ATTEND MASS ONLINE

The Archdiocese of Chicago broadcasts Masses from Holy Name Cathedral every Sunday in English, Spanish and Polish. The Masses are available on our YouTube channel: youtube.com/catholic Chicago.



The Lighting Sponsor of the St. Barbara Window for the week:

In Honor of: Family Covid-19
First Responders: Laura, Andrew, and Toni

Requested by: The Krzyzanski Family

Weekly Collection - June 20th - 21st

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 2,669.00
Sunday Loose	\$ 253.25
Total Collection	\$ 2,922.25



Electronic giving through GiveCentral.org is the safe and secure way to make your weekly donations to St. Barbara. Donate via credit card or electronic check (ACH). Sign up by visiting St. Barbara's home WEB page and follow the prompts.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

SATURDAY, JULY 4TH

5:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Minister: J. Lukwinski
Lector: G. Dumelle

SUNDAY, JULY 5TH

6:00 a.m.

Altar Server: G. Vanderford
Eucharistic Minister: G. Vanderford
Lector: J. Bertucci

9:30 a.m.

Eucharistic Minister: H. Alonzo or A. Alonzo
Lector: P. Saletta

For those unable to attend Mass due to illness and do not have access to the internet, please be sure to watch the Mass on television:

**Mercy Home - Sunday Mass at 9:30 am
WGN- TV Channel 9 - Chicago**

Pastor: Fr. Francis Li
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OFFICE HOURS: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday: 8:00 am - 4:00 pm. The office is closed on Thursday, Saturday and Sunday.

Baptisms: Parents must be registered practicing parishioners and attend a baptismal preparation session before a baptism will be scheduled. Call the rectory office for further information.

Communion Calls: Please contact the Rectory when someone who is homebound or in the hospital wishes a visit to receive Holy Communion or the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. The Anointing of the Sick is for anyone seriously sick and not only for those near death.

Ministry of Care: Eucharistic Ministers are available to visit, pray with, and bring Holy Communion to those who are sick and unable to attend Mass. Notify the Parish Office when this service is needed.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a program for anyone inquiring and seeking information about entering the Catholic faith.

Weddings: Weddings need to be scheduled at least six months in advance. Couples are reminded to secure the Church date before the reception hall.

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND LITURGIES

St. Barbara: Saturday: 5:00 pm; Sunday: 6:00am, 9:30am
St. Therese: Mandarin Mass on the 2nd Saturday of the month at 4:00 pm followed by Bible sharing and food.
Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:30 am; and Mandarin Mass on the 4th Sunday of each month at 12:30 p.m.

WEEKDAY LITURGIES

St. Barbara: Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday: 8:00 am
St. Therese: Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 8:00 am

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

St. Barbara: Vigil Mass: 7:00 pm; Holy Day Masses: 6:00 am, 8:00 am

St. Therese: 8:00 am, 7:00 pm

FIRST FRIDAY HOLY HOUR: St. Therese - 7:00 pm

FIRST SATURDAY HEALING MASS: St. Barbara Chapel - 8:00 am

CONFESION

St. Barbara: Saturday 4:15 - 4:45 pm or by appointment
St. Therese: By appointment

THE ROSARY

St. Barbara: The Rosary is prayed on Sunday at 5:30 a.m. before 6:00 am Mass.

Please pray for those homebound, hospitalized and in need of continued prayers:

Amalia Agins, Austin Agins, Bernadette Agins, Joyce Agins, Stephen Agins, Mary Aguirre, Debbie Annerino, Walter Annerino, Amy Averet, Kimberly Babe, Geraldine Baldwin, Tony Baressi, Judith Beaudry, Christine Bertucci, Joseph 'Joey' Bertucci, Lonnie & Theresa Bertucci-Falls, Jennifer Bond, Fr. Michael Bowler, Jeff Bowman, Andrea Brongiel, Mary Camarda, Anthony Capone Sr., Adele Castro, Laverne Connolly, Tim Consola, Joe Cruz, Patti Cuchetto, Paul DeGrazia, Henry Diaz DeLeon, Jacqueline Dybas, Kathy Egle, Nenita Feliciano, Jerry Felske, Minnie Ford, Natalia Francone, Bill Frank, Darlene Frost, Harold Frost, Paul Gadomski, Ray Gadomski, Lily Ann Galloway, John Gasca, Cheryl Lynn Gilhooly, Bernadette Glabicki, Ed Glos, Pat Grieco, Koen Guest, Jose P. Gutierrez, Kellar Harris, Lynette Heidemann, Jasmine Henson, Denise Holland, Gwen Holub, Morris Humphrey, Michaeline Hunter, Ted Hunter, Suzanne Ivester, Jennifer Janson, Chester Jendryczka, Dr. Joe, John Kaput, Dorothy Kawalerski, Rose Kisielowski, Stanley Kiwala, Anna Kolendo, Janice Kutansky, Craig Labudda, Ken Labudda, Sunny Labudda, Baby Kinsley Paige Leschinsky, Kiera Litwin, Lenny Loretto, Richard Lyznicki, Nancy Mallory, John Mangan, Kayle Marth, Paul Martinez, Bill Marcuk, Zena Masi, Maria Mawgwi, Lil' Joe Michalak, Cindy Moore, Dr. Mike, Cydney Muti, Stephanie Nicks, Deacon Jack O'Leary, Theresa Oleszkiewicz, Allison Pakula, Virginia Pakula, Eva Castillion Parcon, Josie Petkus, Michael Petrucci, Dolores Pienta, Mitchell Pienta, Ellen Pietrzak, Beverly Pirelli, Ray Polakowski, Robert Potter, Barbara Rekar, Josephine Richardson, Sandra Rios, Joel Rivera, Jose Rodriguez, Jose C. Rodriguez, Mila Rolon, Dolly Roti, Ellen Ryan, Therese Ryndak, Maria Saludo, Edward John Schmit, Jr., Laverne Scianna, Kennedy Shepski, Adeline Skokal, Raymond Smolinski, Gary Solverson, Sharon Solverson, Rosalie Spalla, Diane Spata, Joanne Stewart, Lauren Stronczek, Rose Stronczek, Robert Synal, Baby Zachary Synal, Emily Rose Thomas, Norbert Trojanowski, Bill Ufferman, Dolores Ufferman, Dave Ulczycki, George Vanderford Sr., George Vanderford Jr., Juan Vargas, Joyce Vogt, Ava Walczak, Sadie Walker, Barbara Webb, Bill Webb, Sylvia Wiertel, Madison Young, Eugene & John Zabek, Virginia Zawacki, Irene Zima

