



# ST. MOTHER TERESA OF CALCUTTA PARISH

Archdiocesan Center for Chinese Apostolate

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February 19, 2023

Seventh Sunday in  
Ordinary Time



## ST. MOTHER TERESA OF CALCUTTA MOVIE NIGHT

featuring

# MOTHER TERESA NO GREATER LOVE

SATURDAY, MARCH 4  
following the 5pm mass  
at the St. Barbara Worship Site

St. Barbara Gym  
Light refreshments will be provided.  
All are welcome!



### MASS SCHEDULE

#### St. Barbara Chapel

Tuesday/Thursday/Saturday: 8 a.m.

#### St. Barbara Church

Saturday: 5 p.m.

Sunday: 6 a.m./9:30 a.m.

Indonesian: 2nd Sunday: 11:30 a.m.

#### DEVOTIONS

##### First Saturday Healing Mass

St. Barbara Chapel: 8 a.m.

##### The Rosary

Sunday 5:30 a.m. Before 6 a.m. Mass

#### St. Therese Chinese Catholic Church

Monday/Wednesday/Friday: 8 a.m.

Sunday: 8 a.m./10:30 a.m.

Cantonese: 1st Sunday: 10:30 a.m.

Mandarin: 2nd Saturday: 4:00 p.m. (TBA)

4th Sunday: 12:30 p.m.

#### DEVOTIONS

##### Mondays with Sisters of the Missionaries of Charity:

4-5 p.m. Rosary and 5-6 p.m. Holy Hour

First Friday Holy Hour: After the 8 a.m. Mass



## Mass Intentions for the Week

### St. Barbara Worship Site

#### **Saturday, Feb. 18th Vigil | Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5:00 p.m. + Frank Nardi by Karen  
+ Deceased Members of the Krygowski Family  
+ Delbert & Helen Wiese ,  
+ John Fockler husband, by Jane Fockler

#### **Sunday, Feb. 19th | Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

6:00 a.m. + Anne Kamenski by Payton Family  
9:30 a.m. + Mary Diaz DeLeon by Family  
+ Teresita Holcomb by King Family

#### **Tuesday, Feb. 21st | Saint Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**

8:00 a.m. Blessings for Parishioners & Benefactors

#### **Wednesday, Feb. 22nd | Ash Wednesday**

6:00 a.m. + Ronal Freeman by Cousin Jim & Christine Bertucci  
9:30 a.m.  
7:00 p.m. + In Memory Alfredo Barajas's 26th Anniversary by  
Martha Barajas, Roberto Garibay & Liliana Garibay

#### **Thursday, Feb. 16th | Saint Polycarp, Bishop & Martyr**

8:00 a.m. + 17th Anniversary, Eugenia D. Becatti by Dolores

#### **Saturday, Feb. 25th | Saturday after Ash Wednesday**

8:00 a.m. Blessings for Parishioners & Benefactors

#### **Saturday, Feb. 25th Vigil | First Sunday of Lent**

5:00 p.m. + Anniversary Remembrance, Rocco Roti by  
Marion  
+ Birthday Remembrance, Sister Michaeline by  
Family

#### **Sunday, Feb. 26th | First Sunday of Lent**

6:00 a.m. + Anne Kamenski by Payton Family  
9:30 a.m. Health Blessing, Irene Salinas by Henry Diaz  
DeLeon  
+ Mary Diaz DeLeon by Family  
+ Teresita Holcomb by King Family

### **Prayer Intention:**

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Ronald Joseph Freeman** who was buried through St. Barbara Church this past Friday. May Ronald rest in Peace.

### **Church Lenten Decoration:**

We will decorate our Churches for Lent this Sunday after the 9:30am mass at St. Barb. and after the 10:30am mass at St. Therese. Your help is needed and appreciated.

### St. Therese Worship Site

#### **Sunday, Feb. 19th | Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 a.m. + Maria & Salvatore Geraci by Family  
+ Jimmy Annoreno by Debbie Annoreno

10:30 a.m. + Valentin Fornoles by Fornoles Family  
+ Theresa Wang by Jade Yee  
+ Dai Cheng-Ching 戴正清 by Lucy Moy  
+ In Honor of Eileen Amoroso by Jennifer Sin

#### **Monday, Feb. 20th | Weekday**

8:00 a.m. + Theresa Wang by BiJiang Lin

#### **Wednesday, Feb. 22nd | Ash Wednesday**

8:00 a.m. + Barry Yong by Auntie Oy  
1:00 p.m. All School Mass

#### **Friday, Feb. 24th | Friday after Ash Wednesday**

8:00 a.m. + Boon Man Lee & Victor Lee by Rose Lee & Family  
+ Leticia Garcia Martin by Patti Lee  
+ Bernadette Zito by A. Briglio

### **LITURGICAL MINISTERS:**

#### **St. Barbara**

Saturday, Feb. 25th:

**5p.m. Lectors:** B. Pienta, B. Hudren

**Eucharistic Minister:** C. Sokolowski

Sunday, Feb. 26th:

**6a.m. Lectors:** J. Bertucci

**Eucharistic Minister:** C. Whitehouse

**9:30 a.m. Lectors:** Sr. K. McNulty, W. Podrazik

**Eucharistic Minister:** A. Alonzo,

#### **St. Therese**

Sunday, Feb. 26th:

**8:00a.m. Greeters:** N. Lowe, J. Lowe

**Lectors:** B. Fung, J. Fung

**St. Michael Ministry:** Chris

**10:30a.m. Greeters:** C. Lee, J. Yee, D. Lowe

**Lectors:** E. Kroner, D. Lowe

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Jade (Altar) Edy(Choir)

**St. Michael Ministry:** Earl



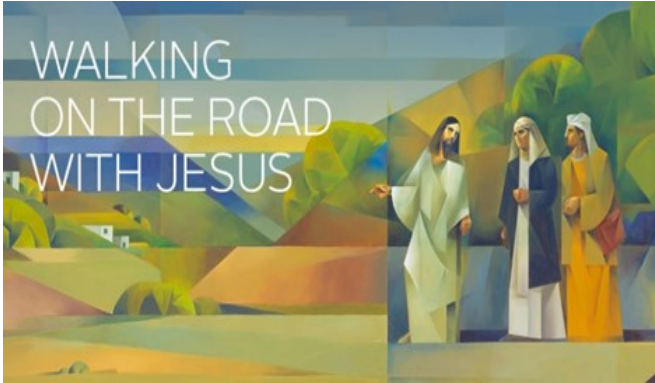
We pray for Ukraine and Russia and for all our brothers and sisters living in fear and for all victims of war. Lord, Raise up peace-makers, so that violence and war can end.

## Thanks

Thanks to all who worked so hard to make our Super Duper Bowl another success. Special thanks to **Nick Andriacchi** for taking the lead, to all sellers, square buyers, all volunteers who helped with the party, the set up, and clean up for the game. And special thanks also to all who donated food or drinks towards the party. It was a fun game and a wonderful social time. Congratulations to all winners, who are currently being contacted. Results will be published in next week's bulletin.



## Annual Catholic Appeal: Follow-up Weekend



Our parish is conducting our campaign for the Annual Catholic Appeal. Please remember that the Annual Catholic Appeal is much different than a one-time special collection. It is a pledge campaign where you can make a gift payable in installments.

The new Annual Catholic Appeal theme, "Walking on the Road with Jesus," is an important theme as we prayerfully consider our support for the Appeal but also important for embracing the life that the Lord wants us to live. Each

pledge makes a difference! All parish communities participate in the campaign and the gifts of many enable our parishes, schools and ministries to deliver needed services.

If you didn't make a pledge last weekend, there are pledge envelopes at the Church entrance table and **you may make a pledge today. You also can make your gift to the Annual Catholic Appeal online at [annualcatholicappeal.com](http://annualcatholicappeal.com), or you can choose to send in the response envelope from the Cardinal's letter you may have received earlier.**

*Thank you for your prayerful consideration and generous response. May the good Lord bless and keep you and your loved ones in his providential care. Thank you.*

*Peace, Fr. Francis*

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## Reverent Vincent A Cutrara ~ Final Honoring of His Life on Earth

Vincent A. Cutrara grew up in the neighborhood and attended Santa Maria Incoronata Church and School. He entered the seminary when he was 15 after his freshman year at De La Salle H.S.

He was ordained on June 1, 1957. He said his first Mass on June 2, 1957 and celebrated his 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary as a priest at Santa Maria Incoronata and per his wish, he asked that his funeral Mass be celebrated at Santa Maria Incoronata, now St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta Parish.

He was a wonderful priest all the days of his life. He left home ~ and came back, always returning to seminary, to his parishes ~ he always honored his faith, vocation and his vows. Reverent Vincent Cutrara glorified God by being an inspiration to all as a faithful man of God.

He had a lifelong devotion to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.

His dear parents, Augusta and Salvatore Cutrara, had great joy in giving their two youngest children to God's service as members of the Scalabrini order (Sr. M. Augustine and Fr. Vincent).

He touched many souls in his mission ministry, Vancouver and Sarnia Canada, Chicago, California, Kansas City and Cincinnati.

We are thankful for the gift of Fr Vincent and for all the lives touched by this man of God. May Fr. Vincent rest in peace!

**Fr. Vincent's funeral mass will be on Monday, Feb. 20th, at 10:30am at St. Therese Church.**

## ST. THERESE CHURCH

**Christmas Donations as of 02/13/2023**

**Thank You to all who contributed!**

**Sophie Nardi \$100**

**Barbara Boril \$50**

**Total at STC as of 02/13/23: \$36,133**

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## ST. BARBARA CHURCH

**Christmas Donations as of 02/13/2023**

**Thank You to all who contributed!**

**Total at SBC as of 02/13/23: \$7,066**

### St. Barbara HVAC PROJECT:

**Our gratitude and special thanks** to all of the following Matching Donors:

<b>Lily &amp; Richard May</b>	<b>\$50,000.00</b>
<b>Kenneth Ricci &amp; Eva Mrgan</b>	<b>\$15,200.00</b>
<b>Thursday Bingo</b>	<b>\$12,000.00</b>
<b>Anonymous</b>	<b>\$10,200.00</b>
<b>Anonymous</b>	<b>\$5,000.00</b>
<b>Tom &amp; Carol Spalla</b>	<b>\$3,500.00</b>

Besides the matching fund, our goal is to raise \$100,000.00. So far as of January 23, 2023 we have received **\$57,924.34**.

### NEW DONORS:

**Guadalupe & John Arellano**

**Thank you to ALL our donors!**

### The 2023 Annual Catholic Appeal:

#### Follow-Up Weekend:

#### Walking on the Road with Jesus

Many families in our parish will be receiving the Annual Catholic Appeal mailing from Cardinal Cupich. On behalf of those served by the ministries, parishes, and schools that receive funding from the Appeal, we thank you for your gifts. Please return your response as soon as possible. The Annual Catholic Appeal offers a wonderful opportunity to answer the call "Walking on the road with Jesus." In addition to providing for ministries and services throughout the archdiocese, the Appeal also funds services that are of great help here in our parish. **Our parish's target for the 2023 Appeal is \$22,638. As you know, when contributions exceed this goal, our parish will receive a rebate from those donated funds, which will help our ministries and mission in the parish.** As we contemplate God's many gifts to us, we should also reflect on our gratitude. Your financial support for the work of our parish, our archdiocese, and the Church throughout the world is one way to express this gratitude. Please give what you can to the 2023 Annual Catholic Appeal.

#### Quote from St. Mother Teresa

**"Joy is a sign of generosity. When you are full of joy, you move faster and you want to go about doing good to everyone."**

### A message from Marco Romallosa: Parishioner, Altar Server and Graduate of RE Program

In an effort to reduce emissions and improve air quality, cities around the world are promoting alternative modes of transportation, such as biking. Divvy bikes are a great example of this. They offer a convenient and affordable way for people to get around the city without having to use a car.

In conclusion, diesel engines have a significant impact on air quality, but there are ways to mitigate their effects. Divvy bikes are a great solution for those who want to reduce their carbon footprint and contribute to a healthier environment.

In an effort to reduce carbon emissions we've been planning to relocate divvy bikes to an area more convenient for you. *If you are interested, please consult Marco Romallosa at the back of the church or via email*

**<chunkygungus1@gmail.com>** for more information.



**HOLY NAME NEWS** Our next meeting is March 10th at 7pm at the St. Barbara site's mobile unit. We wish to invite all men from our community to attend. Come enjoy the company and a delicious meal prepared by our own Chef Jeff. We welcomed new member Robert Diamonte to our group this month and look forward to his input and help.

The **100 Club winners** for February are: 1<sup>st</sup> Anthony V, 2<sup>nd</sup> Carden jm (or jr), 3<sup>rd</sup> Bea Glabicki, 4<sup>th</sup> Bill Carden, 5<sup>th</sup> P. Pon

The **Split the Pot winners** for February: 1<sup>st</sup> Nancy Ahert, 2<sup>nd</sup> R J Stegmiller, 3<sup>rd</sup> Stewart Post 231.

If you are a winner and have not been contacted by the Holy Name staff, you can contact George Vanderford by text at 773-592-7036. Please remember the tickets on the ushers table in the back of St Barbara church are both the \$1 and \$10 raffles. Please be careful in filling out the proper one you wish and paying correct amount. We thank you for your support!

The Holy Name has also elected new officers to get our club rolling:

**President – Francisco Rodriquez, Vice President – Roberto Garibay, Treasurer – Cliff Whitehouse, Recording Sec – George Vanderford, Jr.**

St. Barbara 6am family wishes a warm welcome to new Altar Server John Brehm. John is a freshman at St. Patrick's High School where he is in honors classes! We wish him and his family a big welcome and best of God's blessing here at St. Barbara.



### MUSIC / CHOIR NEWS

In lieu of our weekly rehearsal, the combined parish choir will sing **7pm Ash Wednesday Mass, February 22**, at St. Barbara. Please arrive by 6:30pm. **The last February parish choir rehearsal** is on Tuesday, February 28, 7pm, at St. Barbara. There is a unified hymn list for choir Masses at St. Barbara and St. Therese. Singers from both sites are encouraged to attend!



## February Special Schedule UPDATED:

**Mondays with the Sisters of the Missionary of Charity:** 4pm-5pm Street Rosary and 5pm-6pm Adoration at St. Therese Church. All are welcome.

**Good Shepherd Catechism** for children 3 to 7 years takes place on Sundays at 10:30am at St. Therese.

Feb. 18--6pm English Alpha after the 5pm Mass at SBC

Feb. 19--10:30 am Family Mass & Distribution of CRS Rice Bowls & Un-Decorating Churches from OT & LNY to Lenten Decoration

Feb. 22—Ash Wednesday Masses --- 6am, 9:30am and 7pm at St. Barbara & 8am and 1pm All School Mass at St. Therese

Feb. 24--7pm Stations of the Cross at St. Therese

Feb. 25--6pm School Chinese New Year Banquet Benefit

Feb. 26--10:30am Rite of Election & 12:30pm Mandarin Mass followed by Mandarin Alpha

### Need A Tax Letter?

Tax letters can be obtained by contacting our parish offices at 312-842-7979 or 312-842-6777.



It's official! The **Disciple Maker Index (DMI) Survey** is a great way to reflect on your own spiritual growth while helping our parish plan for the future.

Complete the short, 10-15 minute **anonymous** survey at [catholicleaders.org/chicagodmi](https://catholicleaders.org/chicagodmi) or scan the code, or find a paper copy in the narthex or parish office after Mass.

Available from **Ash Wednesday, February 22 to March 31**. Don't miss this opportunity to be heard.



Commissioner John P. Daley  
Aldерwoman Nicole T. Lee

## 11th Ward

## Career and Resource Fair

Date	February 22, 2023
Time	12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Location	Bridgeport Art Center 1200 W 35th Street Sculpture Garden (1st Floor) Enter on Racine

City of Chicago Departments - Cook County Agencies - Aramark/Chicago Public Schools - Chicago Police Department - Chicago Fire Department - Chicago Park District - Chicago Transit Authority - South Loop Chamber of Commerce - Privately Owned Companies

Any Questions or Concerns Please Call: 773-254-6677



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## CHINESE NEW YEAR BENEFIT

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2023  
5:30PM - 10:30PM

Furama Restaurant 2828 S. Wentworth Chicago, IL 60616	Tickets: Adults - \$138 Children (3-12) - \$88
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Silent Auction featuring Taylor Swift Main Floor tickets  
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Traditional Food  
School Performances and the world-class Joel Hall Dancers

To purchase tickets, to make a donation, or for more information contact Nicole at [nyong@sttheresechicago.org](mailto:nyong@sttheresechicago.org) or call 312-326-2837.



## WEEKLY COLLECTION—FEBRUARY 12, 2023

### St. Barbara

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 1,038.00
Sunday Loose	\$ 357.00
Give Central	\$ 428.00
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>\$ 1,823.00</b>

### YTD Weekly

Actual	\$ 66,512.00	\$ 1,823.00
Goal	\$ 89,100.00	\$ 2,700.00
% of Goal	75%	68%

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### St. Therese

\$ 775.00
\$ 356.00
\$ 508.00
<b>\$ 1,639.00</b>

### YTD Weekly

\$ 77,095.00	\$ 1,639.00
\$ 89,100.00	\$ 2,700.00
87%	61%

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Attention: For those who make your offering in the form of a check, please make checks to St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta Parish. Electronic giving through **GiveCentral.org** is the safe and secure way to make your weekly donations. Donate via credit card or electronic check (ACH). **Thank YOU, and God Bless you for your generosity!**

**St. Therese Church :** [www.givecentral.org/location/190](http://www.givecentral.org/location/190) **St. Barbara Church:** [www.givecentral.org/location/445](http://www.givecentral.org/location/445)



*Please pray for those who are ill, homebound, hospitalized and in need of continued prayers.*

Amalia Agins, Austin Agins, Bernadette Agins, Joyce Agins, Stephen Agins, Mary Aguirre, Angeleo Alonzo,, Debbie Annoreno, Amy Aver-et, Kimberly Babe, Geraldine Baldwin, Judith Beaudry, Christine Bertucci, Joseph 'Joey' Bertucci, Lonnie & Theresa Bertucci-Falls, Jennifer Bond, Jeff Bowman, Andrea Brongiel, Mary Camarda, Anthony Capone Sr., Laverne Connolly, Joe Cruz, Patti Cuchetto, Paul DeGrazia, Henry Diaz De Leon, 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, Bernadette Glabicki, Ed Glos, Pat Grieco, Koen Guest, Jose P. Gutierrez, Kellar Harris, Lynette Heidemann, Jasmine Henson, Barbara Herr, Denise Holland, Gwen Holub, Morris Humphrey, Michaeline Hunter, Ted Hunter, Suzanne Ivester, Jennifer Janson, Maryann Januszewski, Chester Jendryczka, Dr. Joe, John Kaput, Dorothy Kawalowski, Rose Kisielowski, Anna Kolendo, Christine Krupa, Janice Kutansky, Craig Labudda, Sunny Labudda, Baby Kinsley Paige Leschinsky, Kiera Litwin, Lenny Loretto, Richard Lzynicki, Nancy Mallory, John Mangan, Kayle Marth, Paul Martinez, Bill Marczuk, Zena Masi, Maria Mawgwi, Lil' Joe Michalak, Cindy Moore, Dr. Mike, Tony Mrgan, Cydney Muti, Stephanie Nicks, Deacon Jack O'Leary, Allison Pakula, Virginia Pakula, Eva Castillion Parcon, Josie Petkus, Michael Petruck, Theresa Pickens, Dolores Pienta, Mitchell Pienta, Ellen Pietrzak, Beverly Pirelli, Megan 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, Kennedy Shepski, Anthony Sino-ple, Adeline Skokal, Raymond Smolinski, Gary Solverson, Sharon Solverson, Rosalie Spalla, Diane Spata, Joanne Stewart, Lauren Stronczek, Rose Stronczek, Shirley Synal, Robert Synal, Baby Zachary Synal, Emily Rose Thomas, Norbert Trojanowski, Bill Ufferman, Dolores Ufferman, Dave Ulczycki, Christine Vanderford, 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, Evelyn Zaleski, Virginia Zawacki\*\*\* Ken Barber, Hu Bin, Jose Cardinal, Joseph Caruso, Roberta Cheong, Kim Chiu, Brian Cook, Sister Noel Devine, Jimmy Distasio, MAD & Rose Marie Donato, Mark Donato, Mia Rose Faciana, Kerry Fluder, Gyna Gazzi, James Gemkow, Roseann Gurgone, Michael Howley, Frank Karagianes, Levi Kirkland, Angela Lasillo, George Lee, David Leung, Shiu Wah Leung, Felina Li, James Longo, III, Matthew Mantia, Phil Maraldi, Jerry McCarthy, Barbara McElroy, Xue Ying Mou, Lucy Moy, Mina Preysler Munoz, Cita Orendain, John Paleoik, Anne Pataka, Rose Perez, Gerard Phillips, Ali Powers, James Rak, Victor Roa, Phyllis Robinson, Joseph Rubin, Amelia Lorraine Schroeder, Karl Schroeder, David Sero, Richard Shew, Kay Siani, Nicholas Tobar, Richard Tobar, Anthony Valentino, Luz Whitehead, Luke Williamson, Bai Xue, Ching Shiu Yau, Lan Ying Yee, Ramona Zavala, Susan Zibricky, Sonny Furmanek , Juliana, 蔡宏恩, Jimmy Distasio, Kate Lynch, Josephine Laco, Dolores Becatti, Michele Young, Charles Corbett, Rick Deleon, Shirley Mendoza, Judy Lukwinski, Gary Leverage

## PARISH STAFF

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**Mandarin OCIA:** Sr. Monica Zhang  
**Outreach & Formation:** Sr. Monica Zhang  
**Ministry of Care:** Sr. Mary Caritas Wehrman  
**Chinese Apostolate:** Ms. Jing Zhang  
**Parish Pastoral Council Chairs:**  
Mr. George Lee & Mrs. Sharon Wong & Mr. George Vanderford

## St. Barbara Church

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## St. Therese Chinese Catholic Church

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**Website:** <https://www.stmothertereseparish.org>

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## St. Therese Chinese Catholic School

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## Sacramental

*Please contact parish office for any of the following:*


**Baptisms:** Parents must be registered practicing parishioner and attend a baptismal preparation session before a baptism will be scheduled.

**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.


**Confessions:** Saturdays, 4:15-4:45 p.m. at St. Barbara Church or by appointment.

**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.

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**Ash Wednesday Feb. 22nd (Fast and Abstinence)**

Distribution of ashes at 6am, 9:30am and 7pm masses at St. Barb Church, and 8:00am mass and 1:00pm School Mass at St. Therese Church

**Stations of the Cross on Fridays at 7pm**

- a. Feb 24, March 10 and 24 at St. Therese
- b. March 3, 17 and 31 at St. Barbara

**CRS Rice Bowl---**Distribution on Feb. 25-26 and Returning on March 25-26 and April 1-2

**RCIA--- Feb. 26th**

\*The Rite for Election will take place at the 10:30am Mass.

\***Scrutiny Rites** will be celebrated on the 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays of Lent.

1<sup>st</sup> Scrutiny Rite will take place at the 9:30am mass on Sunday March 12th at St. Barbara Church.

**February Mandarin Mass & Alpha----**12:30pm on Sunday, Feb. 26<sup>th</sup> followed by Alpha

**First Friday Devotion---**Friday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> at 8am Mass at St. Therese

**First Saturday Anointing of the Sick---**8am Mass at St. Barbara Chapel

**Parish Lenten Movie Night---**Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup> at 6pm at the St. Barbara Gym

**Cantonese Mass & Alpha---**10:30am Sunday, March 5<sup>th</sup> followed by Alpha

**Holy Name Gathering---**Friday, March 10<sup>th</sup> at 7pm

**Mandarin Bible Sharing---**Saturday, March 11<sup>th</sup>, 6pm

**Religious Education Students' Led Mass---**10:30am on Sunday, March 12<sup>th</sup>

**Indonesian Mass---**11:30am on Sunday, March 12<sup>th</sup>

**Mandarin Lenten Retreat---**Saturday, March 18<sup>th</sup> from 10am ---5:00pm at St. Therese

**English Alpha---**Saturday, March 18<sup>th</sup>, 6pm after the 5pm Mass at St. Barbara

**Parish Lenten Mission---**7pm on March 25, 26, & 27 at St. Barbara Church

**Young Adults' Led Mass---**Sunday, March 26<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am

**1<sup>st</sup> Reconciliation ---**April 1<sup>st</sup> at 10am at St. Therese

**Lenten Reconciliation:**

School Students----March 17<sup>th</sup> and March 28<sup>th</sup> after “Campus Mass”

R. E. Students---Sunday, March 19<sup>th</sup> at 9:15am

**Living Stations of the Cross by St. Therese School Students**

- a. March 31<sup>st</sup> 7pm at St. Barbara Church
- b. After 10:30am mass on Sunday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> at St. Therese

**Lenten Regulations (from Feb. 22nd, 2023, Ash Wednesday--- the Paschal Triduum)**

Abstinence from meat is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years old and older on Ash Wednesday and on all the Fridays of Lent. Fasting is to be observed on Ash Wednesday by all Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 59. Those who are bound by this may take only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one's needs but eating solid foods between meals is not permitted. The special Paschal fast, as well as abstinence, are prescribed for Good Friday and encouraged for Holy Saturday.