



ST. MOTHER TERESA OF CALCUTTA PARISH

Archdiocesan Center for Chinese Apostolate

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July 11, 2021

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY

IN ORDINARY TIME



Saint Kateri Tekakwitha (Feast Day: July 14th)

She was born near the place of the martyrdom of the Jesuits Isaac Jogues and Jean de Lelande, Auriesville, New York.

At 19, she was baptized with the name Kateri--Catherine--on Easter Sunday.

At 23, Kateri took a vow of virginity, an unprecedented act for an Indian woman whose future depended on being married.

She practiced extremely severe fasting as penance for the conversion of her nation, and died the afternoon before Holy Thursday.

She was beatified in 1980 and canonized in 2012.

<https://www.franciscanmedia.org/saint-of-the-day/saint-kateri-tekakwitha>

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

First Friday Holy Hour: 7 p.m.



St. Barbara Worship Site

Saturday, July 10- Vigil | 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. Divine Mercy for All by C. Kisielente & Family
+ John Wysko by B. Glabicki
+ Angela Obal by B. Glabicki
+ William Lech by B. Glabicki
+ Vincent Neng-hua Xu by Jean Yu

Sunday, July 11 | Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

6:00 a.m. God's Blessings & Health for Bernadetta Zbroja by Maria Sraga
9:30 a.m. + Teresita Villafuerte Holcomb by Angelica, Emmanuel & Jeremy King
+ John Kurtz, Jr. by Therese Ryndak
+ Ofelia Lara by Marta & Juan Herrera
+ Andy Mostacchio and Carmella Soapes by Family

Tuesday, July 13 | Saint Henry

8:00 a.m. + Felicito S. Oboab, Sr. by Wife and Son
+ Vincent Neng-hua Xu by Jean Yu

Thursday, July 15 | Saint Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

8:00 a.m. + John H. Kurtz, Jr. by Chris Ryndak
+ Vincent Neng-hua Xu by Jean Yu

Saturday, July 17— | Weekday

8:00 a.m. + All Souls Remembrance
2:00 p.m. Wedding: Sothea Ith and Catherine Au Jong

Saturday, July 17- Vigil | 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. Diving Mercy for All by C. Kisielente & Family
+ John Fockler by Wife, Joan
+ Lillian Brongiel by B. Glabicki
+ Pearl Bartkowski by B. Glabicki
+ Vincent Neng-gua Xu by Jean Yu

Sunday, July 18—Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

6:00 a.m. + John H. Kurtz, Jr. by Christine & Jim Bertucci
9:30 a.m. + Teresita Villafuerte Holcomb by Angelica, Emmanuel & Jeremy King

LITURGICAL MINISTERS:

St. Barbara

Saturday, July 17th:

5 p.m. Lector: E. Raya

Eucharistic Minister: L. Raya

Sunday, July 18th:

6 a.m. Lector: K. Ricci

Eucharistic Minister: G. Vanderford

9:30 a.m. Lector: P. Saletta

Eucharistic Minister: P. Rodriguez

St. Therese Worship Site

Sunday, July 11 | Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. + Sau Fong Yuan by Margaret & Teresa
+ Peter Karagianes by Frances Karagianes & Sons
+ Lawrence S. Pusateri by Family
+ Rita Spalla by Daughter Therese

10:30 a.m. Tony Leung, Birthday Blessing, by Mother
+ Delfin Masangcay by Elizabeth Masangcay
+ Dorothy Albanese by the Cheong Family
+ Gordon Lee by Darlene
+ Daniel James by Darlene
+ Sr. Cor Marie Cielocha by Sr. Caritas
+ Vincent Neng-hua Xu by Jean Yu

Monday, July 12 | Weekday

8:00 a.m. + Vincent Neng-hua Xu by Jean Yu

Wednesday, July 14 | Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin

8:00 a.m. Special Intention for Briglio Grandchildren & Children by Mom
+ Vincent Neng-hua Xu by Jean Yu

Friday, July 16 | Our Lady of Mount Carmel

8:00 a.m. + Dominic Barbaro by Family
+ Vincent Neng-hua Xu Jean Yu
+ Vincent Briglio by Wife & Family

St. Therese

Sunday, July 18th:

8 a.m. Greeters: N. & J. Lowe

Lectors: N. Gonzalez & R. Centofanti

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

Lectors: E. Andriacchi, & D. Lowe

Eucharistic Ministers: J. Yee & E.

Gunawan

Thanks



Thanks to **Sheila and John Lin** for all the hard work they have done for St. Therese's Prayer Garden and to **Tony Lin** and **Dave Ashley** and members of the Garden club for their assistance. The green boxwood plants died during the pandemic, and they had to replace them with new ones. Their dedication to our Garden ministry has brought much beauty to our parish and a sacred space for people to pray and enjoy.

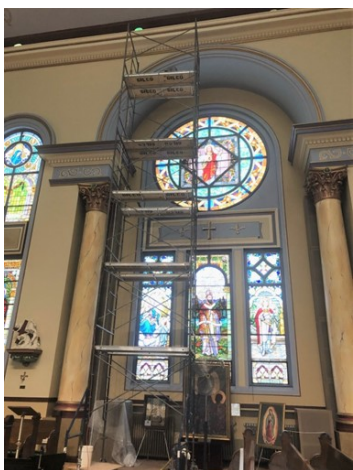


Fr. Francis Li
PASTOR

Thanks to **Jeff Spaargaren**, head usher of St. Barbara Church, for hosting a gathering for members of the ushers at St. Barbara Church last Saturday. Thanks to **Jing Zhang**, coordinator of the Chinese Apostolate, for hosting a gathering for our Mandarin Alpha Leaders last Monday. I was able to join both of these gatherings. What a wonderful time for our parishioners and leaders to get to know each other better and build up communities!

Facility Repairs Update

We finished repainting the water damaged wall on the north side of the Church and the ceiling spot above the south side of the choir area at St. Barbara Church. As you may recall, we were able to tuck-point part of the Church walls next to our main parking lot and fix the roof spot on the south side of the Church before last winter.



Due to the severe cold weather last winter, St. Barbara Rectory awnings fell, and St. Therese Rectory had a busted pipe. Finally, we completed all the necessary repairs at St. Therese, and we are still waiting to have the awnings reinstalled, which should be done very soon.

The costs for tuck-pointing and fixing the roof spot were covered by our parish. All the above water and weather-related interior repairs were covered by our insurance.

In preparation for the next school year and for fully reopening our parish office, St. Barbara Campus has finished repainting 7 classrooms and will replace the old carpet in the library and the technology rooms with new carpet tiles within the next weeks. We are also planning to replace the old carpet in our parish office at St. Barbara.

Summoned to be Peacemakers and Missionary Disciples

We hear in today's Gospel how Jesus sent his twelve apostles out two by two to carry on his mission. Of course his mission is ours today to continue. We know the challenges yet we are confident to carry on His mission. A concrete example of the challenges we face today as missionary disciples is violence. This past weekend was one of the most violent weekends, about 100 people were shot and 18 were fatal. Like many others, we ourselves are probably asking the question, "What can we do to end violence in our city, in our nation, and in our World?" The least we can do is to pray for all victims and for an end to violence.

Another wonderful opportunity we have is getting involved in our parish. As we continue to welcome our sisters and brothers back for in person mass and as we continue to work on "building the new reality," each one of us can make a difference in these efforts. Last week, I invited our parish leaders to reflect and pray about the following questions, which I now share them with all of you. Please feel free to share your thoughts and suggestions with me.

What are the strengths in the life and ministry of our parish?

What areas of our parish life need change and growth?

What are some ways that I would like to see our parish grow in the next one to three years?

What are three areas where our parish needs to put the greatest emphasis?

What can I do more to further the mission of our parish?

Together we are missionary disciples in building up God's Kingdom in Bridgeport, Chinatown and beyond.

Peace, Fr. Francis

JESUS' AMAZEMENT (2) - Fr. John Cuff

There's a footnote to last week's Gospel about Jesus' less than happy return to his hometown Nazareth and his rejection by his townspeople that needs explaining. It concerns the four "brothers of Jesus" who are mentioned by name in Mark's Gospel. This reference to his so-called "brothers" seems to call into question and challenge the teaching of the Church that Mary was always a virgin. For Catholics and other Christians who believe in the perpetual virginity of Mary both before and after the birth of Jesus, we need to know how to give an answer to those who might raise objections to this ancient doctrine which is part of our Catholic faith tradition.

Briefly we can say that, first of all, in Aramaic as in other Semitic languages, the word "brother" has a much wider usage than in the English language, designating not only siblings but also half-brothers, cousins, and other close blood relatives. Secondly, scripture nowhere refers to these "brothers of Jesus" as sons of Mary. Moreover, if Mary had other children, why would the dying Jesus bequeath her to his disciple John (John 19:26-27)? Finally, two of the four brothers mentioned here as brothers of Jesus, namely James and Joses, are elsewhere mentioned as sons of another woman, also called Mary, who provided for Jesus. Mark mentions their names again along with their mother's name at the end of his Gospel (Mark 15:40), perhaps to clear up any possible misunderstanding among his readers on this very point.

To sum up the Gospel story of Jesus' rejection by his townspeople, Mark is trying to show how mistaken the people of Nazareth were in thinking they knew everything about Jesus when in fact they did not really know him. They should have known better. And we should know better too. We can, of course, by learning more about Him. As St. Jerome said, ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ.

In conclusion then, Jesus' homecoming must have been a real downer for him. The incident at Nazareth is a sad story of people who met Jesus and left without a blessing. As we too encounter Jesus each Sunday in his Word and Sacraments, let us resolve not to leave without a blessing. Let's renew our faith in him, so that he'll be able to work more miracles among us.

"GO MINISTER" - Sr. Caritas

On Tuesday, at the Cubs game, and on the broadcasts and publicity available to the City, Anthony Rizzo, the Cubs first baseman, led an effort to obtain money to add to his foundation. His foundation helps children and families having problems or health difficulties in Chicago and in Florida. His efforts show great care and concern especially for children with cancer. Rizzo also is a cancer survivor as a young player. He reaches out with compassion. The fund raising was an auction of extremely rare baseball memorabilia, I'm sure, and hopeful that it was successful. Anthony Rizzo uses his "celebrity" for the good of the city and the people in need. Many successful athletes do the same.

The Gospel today, shows the Apostles being sent out, two by two by Jesus. He gives instructions for the journey. "Take a walking stick." Do not take food, sack, or money and only one tunic. "Do wear sandals and stay in the first house who receives you." Those who do not believe, "shake the dust from your feet as testimony against them."

What do these instructions say to us about ministry? Maybe it says, "travel light, count on the community you go to for your needs, take nothing extra. Maybe it says in a word, "Count on God for the "success" of your ministry, not on money or material things." God can heal through you, ministering in and with faith. Go with someone to help you create community among yourselves and others. Ask God to "drive out the demons." Ask God to change sinfulness. Avoid in yourself, those things which can turn you toward sinfulness, e.g., money. God can affect, in us and through us, freedom from sin and growth in faith. Count on God.



Summer Volunteer Opportunity for St. Therese School Students and Parents

What: Chinatown Summer Fair, St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta Parish Booth

Where: St. Therese Church, check in with Mrs. Rena Hui

Who: 3rd-8th Grade students and their parents (3rd & 4th grade students must be accompanied by a parent)

When: Saturday, July 31st and Sunday, August 1st.

Times: 9am-11:30am (set up and food prep)

11:30am-3:00 pm (food booth)

3:00pm-6:00pm (food booth)

6:00pm-close (clean up)

WHY: *For this event, every hour that a parent (or another family member) volunteers with their child, the student will receive those hours as hours toward their service hour requirement.*

This school year, students will be required to complete service hours.

Grades 3-4: 10 hours

Grades 5-6: 15 hours

Grades 7-8: 20 hours

Please contact Tom Howard at:

thoward@sttheresechicago.org to sign up or for more information.

Memorare to St. Joseph

Remember, O most pure spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary, my great protector, Saint Joseph, that no one ever had recourse to your protection, or implored your aid without obtaining relief. Confiding therefore in your goodness, I come before you. Do not turn down my petitions, foster father of the Redeemer, but graciously receive them. Amen.

Our Parish's Live-Streamed 10:30am Sunday Mass

Catholics are still absolved from Sunday obligations. Those who can't yet participate in person can still join us online; our 10:30am Sunday mass is live-streamed via Facebook and YouTube (https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCzAgZ6h3s85o_fb3QSYO2VQ)

Our Parish has a new Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/StMotherTeresaParish>.

Please like us and follow us for parish events!



Mondays with the Sisters of Charity:

4pm-5pm: Rosary in our neighborhood

5pm-6pm: Holy Hour at St. Therese Church

ALL are Welcome!

"The fruit of silence is prayer.

The fruit of prayer is faith.

The fruit of faith is love.

The fruit of love is service.

The fruit of service is peace."

Saint Mother Teresa

Please pray for all Mercy Hospital Patients



Sothea Ith and Catherine Au Jong

Your Shot to Save Lives and Win Big:

All vaccinated Illinois residents are automatically entered into weekly drawings to win! The state is giving away \$7 million in cash prizes for adults and \$3 million in scholarships are available for youth!

Musicians Exchange (Sunday July 18th):

Music plays a very important part in our liturgical celebrations. Our parish music leaders met recently to discuss ways to enhance and improve our liturgical music. One concrete thing they decided is to exchange mass duties, this coming Sunday **July 18th** at the 9:30 a.m. (SBWS) and 10:30 (STWS) liturgies. We hope this will be a positive experience for both our musicians as well as our parishioners. More music news coming soon.

WEEKLY COLLECTION - June 27, 2021

St. Barbara

Sunday Envelopes (75)	\$ 1,063.05
Sunday Loose	\$ 427.00
Give Central	\$ N/A
Total Collection	\$ 1,490.05

YTD Weekly

Actual	\$ 3,101.30	\$ 1,490.05
Goal	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 2,500.00
% of Goal	62%	59%

Votives and Vigil Lights	\$
2nd	\$

St. Therese

Sunday Envelopes (75)	\$ 2,618.00
Sunday Loose	\$ 228.00
Give Central	\$ 518.00
Total Collection	\$ 3,364.00

YTD Weekly

Actual	\$ 4,524.00	\$ 3,364.00
Goal	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 2,500.00
% of Goal	90%	134%

Votives and Vigil Lights	\$
2nd	\$

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!**

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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, Walter Annerino, Debbie Annoreno, Amy Averet, Kimberly Babe, Geraldine Baldwin, Tony Baressi, Judith Beaudry, Christine Bertucci, Joseph 'Joey' Bertucci, Lonnie & Theresa Bertucci-Falls, Jennifer Bond, Jeff Bowman, Andrea Brongiel, Mary Camarda, Anthony Capone Sr., Laverne Connolly, Tim Consola, 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, Cheryl Lynn Gilhooly, 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, Chester Jendryczka, Dr. Joe, John Kaput, Dorothy Kawalerski, Rose Kisielowski, Anna Kolendo, Christine Krupa, Janice Kutansky, Craig Labudda, Ken Labudda, Sunny Labudda, Baby Kinsley Paige Leschinsky, Susie Levato, Kiera Litwin, Lenny Loretto, Richard Lyznicki, Nancy Mallory, John Mangan, Kayle Marth, Paul Martinez, Bill Marczuk, Zena Masi, Maria Mawgwi, Lil' Joe Michalak, Cindy Moore, Dr. Mike, Cydney Muti, Stephanie Nicks, Ann Njeru, 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, 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, Laverne Scianna, Kennedy Shepski, 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, 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, Irene Zima, Roberta Cheong, Brian Cook, Cita Orendain, Anne Pataka, Victor Roa, Hu Bin, Lois Payton, Gerard Phillips, Felina Li, Barbara Metzinger, Shiu Wah Leung, Ali Powers, Benjamin N. Lucas, Lan Ying Yee, Richard Shew, Amelia Lorraine Schroeder, Lai I Fan, Mia Rose Faciana, Jose Cardenal, Karl Schroeder, Xue Ying Mou, Angelo Lasillo, John Paleoik, Phil Maraldi, Ching Shiu Yau, Anthony Valentino, Matthew Mantia, Nicholas Tobar, Gyna Gazzi, Luke Williamson, Sister Noel Devine, Joseph Rubin, James Gemkow, Bai Xue, Barbara McElroy, Ken Barber, Frank Karagianes, David Leung, Ramona Zavala, Kay Siani, Levi Kirkland, Luz Whitehead, Michael Howley, Jerry McCarthy, Ted Sin, Phyllis Robinson, Mina Preysler Munoz, James Rak, Susan Zibricky, James Longo III, Richard Tobar, Mark Donato, Henry F. Wong, Rose Perez, MAD & Rose Marie Donato, George Lee, Florence Yu, Joseph Caruso. Kerry Fluder, Roseann Gurgone

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Sacramental

Please contact the rectory 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.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) 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.

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Building the New Reality #4: Missionary Disciples—Tom Howard

The Catholic mass provides parents a great way to evangelize. My granddaughters, for instance, love participating in the mass. The opening procession, hearing the readings, singing the songs, participating in the offertory, and counting how many times the bell rings during the Eucharistic prayer all capture their imagination.

Recently I took them to both of our worship sites for different liturgies. Thanks to this, my oldest granddaughter, Emelina, now wants to be an altar server. “Grandpa, I want to be an altar server!” I replied, “Well, that’s great. But first, you will have to wait until you are around nine years old. You need to be strong enough to carry the cross to the altar.”

Our Altar server program, coordinated by Miranda Huang and Joe Delfin, represents one way to build the new reality. When the mass becomes attractive, even to a four-year-old child, there is great hope.

But what about those who do not attend the Catholic mass? Are we, the committed members of SMTCP, willing to make the Catholic faith attractive to those who do not know Jesus?

Last week the witness of George Lee and Roberta Cheong was offered as an example of how to make the Catholic faith attractive, despite great odds. A takeaway from last week’s story is that cooperation and willingness are fundamental qualities for the success of BNR.

Missionary disciples, unlike the majority of parish-based ministries, embrace an outwardly focused concern. BNR radically depends upon the HOLY SPIRIT. Like those in the early church, it’s not always practical or feasible for missionary disciples to draw upon the Catholic mass as a reference point when speaking with those unfamiliar with organized religion. It is essential not to make this assumption while witnessing one’s faith.

With this in mind, Pope Francis reminds us that “The Church which “goes forth” is a community of missionary disciples who take the first step, who are involved and supportive, who bear fruit and rejoice.” (Joy of the Gospel, #24).

Next week I hope to explore how Jesus’ cross may perhaps be the most natural way to bear witness of one’s love for Christ with authority.



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JOY YEE NOODLE – NAPERVILLE – IROQUOIS CENTER

1163 East Ogden Avenue, Naperville, IL (630) 778 - 9688

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COMING SOON! Fall 2021: 3334 N. Western Ave



Wei-Chuan U.S.A., Inc. is a leading Chinese food manufacturer and supplier in the United States and headquartered in City of Industry, California. The Company specializes in producing frozen Chinese foods, including Dumplings, Gyoza, Potstickers, Meat Buns, Spring Roll Shells, Moo-Shu Shells, Wontons, Mini Buns, Pan Fried Buns, Noodle Bowls, Rice Bowls, Spring Rolls, Egg Rolls, Wrappers, and more. We also distribute a wide variety of imported products such as Frozen Food, Dry Food, Frozen Seafood, and Organic Food through our six distribution centers, where customers are able to purchase Wei-Chuan's products at grocery stores or wholesalers in North America.

For more than four decades, Wei-Chuan U.S.A., Inc. has upheld the tradition while also pursuing innovation to produce affordable and delicious foods. With our passion for food, we insist on quality and continuously invest in technical expertise. Our food brings convenience to modern life and also provides a taste of home for overseas Chinese. Moreover, we also seek mainstream market and international market so more people will come to enjoy the Chinese flavor. Wei-Chuan U.S.A., Inc. is committed to corporate responsibility—paying particular attention to food safety and quality, at the same time emphasizing customer satisfaction and traditional taste.

Taste of Happiness

ANNUAL CHINATOWN SUMMER FAIR

JULY 31 - AUGUST 1, 2021
ST. MOTHER TERESA OF CALCUTTA PARISH
@ ST. THERESE CHURCH



This is our parish's biggest event of the year--not only financially, but in terms of our presence in Chinatown and promotion of the church to all visitors. This event would not be possible without your help and support!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

PLEASE EMAIL US OR SIGN UP AT THE CHURCH ENTRANCE IF YOU CAN HELP OUT ON EITHER OR BOTH DAYS WITH ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

Saturday 7/31/2021 and Sunday 8/1/2021

9 AM to 11:30 AM - Set up and food prep

11:30 AM to 3 PM/3 PM to 6:30 PM shifts -

Food booth (food prep, grillers, cashiers, packers, runners)

Activity booths (helpers for Ministry, Church Tours, Dunk Tank, Putting, Basketball)

6 PM - Clean up

Food will be provided for all volunteers

Donations and Booth Sponsors are also needed. Please contact us if you would like to sponsor a booth!

50/50 Raffle Tickets are available for \$10. Ticket sellers: Jing Zhang (church office), Nick & Ellen Andriacchi, Corwin Eng, Marilyn Leung, Ray Lin, Darlene Lowe, Naomi Lowe, Teresa Moy, Wendy Sin, Marian Woo Torrez, and Gemma Wong.

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