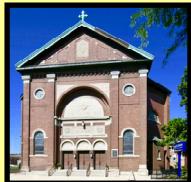


ST. MOTHER TERESA OF CALCUTTA PARISH



**2859 South Throop Street
Chicago, Illinois 60608**



**THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

**Oct.
27,
2019**

ST. MOTHER TERESA OF CALCUTTA PARISH

**Installation of
Fr. Francis Li,
Pastor**

Sunday, October 27 | 9:30 AM

St. Barbara Worship Site

2859 South Throop Street, Chicago, IL 60608



All parishioners and friends are cordially invited
to the Installation of Reverend Francis Li as

Pastor of
St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta Parish

RECEPTION TO FOLLOW IN ST. BARBARA CAMPUS GYM

**The prayer of the lowly pierces the clouds;
it does not rest until it reaches its goal,
nor will it withdraw till the Most High
responds.**

— Sirach 35:17-18a

FREE UNITY CONCERT

A Unity Concert consisting of the Music Ministers and Musicians of All Saints/St. Anthony, St. Barbara, St. Gabriel, St. Jerome, Nativity of Our Lord, St. Mary of Perpetual Help and St. Therese will be held on Sunday, November 3rd at 2:00 pm. The concert will be hosted by St. Gabriel Church, 4322 S. Wallace. Doors open at 1:30 pm.



The Lighting Sponsor for the week:

35th Anniversary: Felix Krzyzanski

Requested by: Daughters



ALL SAINTS DAY A Holy Day of Obligation

Oct. 31: 7:00 p.m. Anticipated Mass in Church

Nov. 1: 8:00 a.m. Mass in Church

MEMORIAL MASS SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND

On Saturday, November 2nd at 8:00 am, we will celebrate a Memorial Mass for all those who have died during this past year. This year, the Memorial Mass will be combined with our monthly Healing Mass. If you have buried a loved one from St. Barbara, you have received an invitation to this special mass. In order to provide for hospitality, we would appreciate your response to this invitation.

ALL SOULS' ENVELOPES

The Feast of All Souls is Saturday, November 2nd. All Souls' envelopes are on the table in the back of church.



This is a way of remembering and praying for your deceased loved ones. Special All Souls' Mass intentions will be celebrated throughout the year. These envelopes can be placed into the collection or returned to the rectory.

FR. LI'S INSTALLATION AS PASTOR OF ST. MOTHER TERESA OF CALCUTTA

Today at the 9:30 am Mass, Bishop Robert Casey will install Fr. Francis Li as Pastor of the new St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta Parish. All parishioners and friends are invited to this momentous occasion. A reception will follow Mass in the school gym.

UPCOMING YOUNG ADULT ACTIVITY!

All are welcome to attend a young adult mass on November 10th at 10:30 am at the St. Therese worship site. There will be light refreshments afterwards.



Thursday
October 17, 2019

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This Thursday is HALLOWEEN! Wear your Halloween costume to Bingo and enter our costume contest. You might be the BIG winner in our contest!



Odd/Even - \$1,199
Maribell



Coverall - \$500
Pam



Fireball Winners - \$3,102
Eva, Astrid and Rosezella
Each receiving \$1,034



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

THANKS AND CONGRATULATIONS

Thanks to all Altar Servers in our parish. They were commissioned on Sunday, Oct. 13th, at St. Barbara and on Sunday, Oct. 20th, at St. Therese. Special thanks to our Server Coordinators and Trainer Tom Howard, Miranda Huang, and Joe Delfin and to all parents who support their children to be part of this important ministry.

Thanks to all parents who attended the Parent Formation talk on Virtue at St. Therese last Sunday and to Tom Howard for facilitating and to Jackie Yan for witnessing her faith journey.

Congratulations to Nichole Young and Ishan Jain who celebrated their matrimony last Saturday at St. Therese. We rejoice with them and assure them of our prayers as they begin their married life together.



“BAPTIZED AND SENT!”

As we celebrate the last Sunday of the “Extraordinary Missionary Month,” the words of Pope Francis continue to challenge us all as Christians to be true missionary disciples. Rooted in our common baptism, we are called and sent to share the Good News with people of all nations through our personal witness and welcome.

“The Church,” the pope wrote, “needs men and women who, by virtue of their baptism, respond generously to the call to leave behind home, family, country, language and local church, and to be sent forth to the nations, to a world not yet transformed by the sacraments of Jesus Christ and his holy church.”

This mission must start in our families, our local church and the neighborhood. St. Mother Teresa wisely says, **“What can you do to promote world peace? Go home and love your family.”** Knowing, sharing and living out the Good News belongs to all baptized and is liberating and empowering to me. If we all do our parts as the Body of Christ, miracles will happen. We may feel at times that our part may not be necessary, but we are needed. St. Mother Teresa says, **“We ourselves feel that what we are doing is just a drop in the ocean. But the ocean would be less because of that missing drop.”**

As I am installed this Sunday as your Pastor, I know how blessed I am. It is Jesus who calls me to be your shepherd. Through the rite of installation, the Bishop officially and publicly sends me out to be among you to serve and to minister. I chose the good shepherd image for the front cover of today’s worship aid because I want to do my best to be a good shepherd. I and our community need your prayers and participation and support.

God is calling us to Renew God's Church. Fully aware of some of the hurts and tensions caused by the process and unification, I want to assure you that I am committed to be a "wounded healer", to be "merciful like the Father" and to strive to be a good shepherd who is willing to live with the "smell of the sheep." Please pray for me as I continue to serve God and God's holy people. How blessed I am and we are to be called and sent by our creator, savior, and sanctifier!

Let me conclude with another quote by St. Mother Teresa, "**Yesterday is gone. Tomorrow has not yet come. We have only today. Let us begin.**"

St. Barbara, pray for us and our community!

St. Therese of the Little Flower, pray for us and our community!

St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta, pray for us and our community!

Peace

Fr. Francis

RELIGION IN CHINA TODAY

This Tuesday, October 29th, Fr. Francis will be hosting/participating in a presentation on "Religion in China Today: Back to the Center of State and Society" at Loyola University's Water Tower Campus at 6:30 pm. The main speaker is Pulitzer Prize winning author Ian Johnson. Admission is free, but registration is required for the presentation.

For more information, contact www.USCatholicChina.org/JohnsonOnChinaFaith

Standing Before God By Sister Caritas

Often today we hear our president say he is the best president we have ever had. He also tells us he has accomplished more in his present term than any other president. We do not hear many people saying that about him, especially when we have had presidents like George Washington and Abraham Lincoln. It is hard to believe what he is saying about himself.

As we go through life, we learn more and more about ourselves. We learn the truth about what we can do, the gifts we have, and the virtues we have the grace to develop. If we have self-awareness, we also learn our faults. We discover what we cannot do and what attitudes and actions need to change. Sometimes our reflections help us to learn and other times it is the people around us who share their views of our mistakes. Sometimes it is situations themselves which show us who we are and what we can really accomplish—both the good and the not so good.

Jesus tells us the parable of two men going to the temple. One prays to God, telling God he is so wonderful, and he lists all he does and how he is better than others. The other man places himself before God and asks God to have mercy on him, a sinner. Jesus says the man that knew he was a sinner left the temple justified. True humility is standing before God, recognizing our good and our bad traits. We do not need to compare ourselves to others. Before God, even the great saints knew they were still sinners. God is infinite goodness. Before God, if we are honest, we know we are always capable of committing sin. We can always be weak human beings. This does not mean we have no gifts. True humility is not the denial of the good in us that is there. It is the reflection of God in us. True humility also recognizes our sinfulness and brokenness. We acknowledge that in us which is not yet as good as it could be. Standing before God and knowing that all we have and the good we do comes to us from God is humility. Humility is truth. In this truth, with the help of God's grace, we will be like the second man...justified before God.

news and events

Faith Formation for Children, ages 3-7. November 9th at 9:30 am at the St. Therese Worship Site: Beginning Nov. 9th at the St. Therese Worship Site from 9:30 am to 11 am, the Sisters of Charity will offer the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Program for children between the ages of 3 to 7 in our community room. Story-telling, interactive games, art projects, and hands-on activities will highlight the dynamic, faith-filled program. Parents are welcome to accompany their children or simply drop them off and return. The program will run through May, 2020. Please call the parish office to register.

First Friday Mass: Our next First Friday devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus will take place at 7:00 pm on Friday, November 1st, at the St. Therese Worship Site with the praying of the Divine Mercy Chaplet and time for silent meditation and benediction. All are welcome.

All Saints Mass: All Saints' Day is a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be as follows:

St. Barbara Worship Site: Thursday, October 31st at 7:00 pm and Friday, November 1st at 8:00 am.

St. Therese Worship Site: Friday, November 1st at 8:00 am and 7:00 pm.

First Saturday Healing Mass: The First Saturday of the Month Healing Mass will be at 8:00 am on Saturday, November 2nd, pm St. Barbara Church. This Mass will be combined with the annual Memorial Mass. We will have the Sacrament of Anointing and pray the Marian Litany. One of the questions people ask is, "who can receive the Anointing"?

This sacrament is not only for those who are dying, but for all who are seriously ill. Are you suffering from serious illness, chronic pain, or the debilitating effects of advancing age? Are you preparing for surgery or recovering from the effects of surgery? Come and receive this sacrament. Let Jesus heal you.

Unity Concert: The music ministers and musicians of all Renew My Church parishes in the Bridgeport/Canaryville/Chinatown area will present A Unity Concert of Song and Harmony at St. Gabriel Church on Sunday, November 3rd at 2:00 pm.

Mini-Conference: Dominican University is hosting a Mini-Conference entitled "Beautiful Body: The Theology of the Body on Saturday November 16th from 3:30-8:30 pm. More information will be included in next week's bulletin.

Flu Clinic: Due to a shortage of vaccines, the Flu Clinic sponsored by Walgreen's has been cancelled.

Calling All Liturgical Ministers at St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta Parish: Our annual gathering will be on Saturday, November 16th beginning at Noon with a complimentary lunch at the St. Barbara gym and ending with the 5:00 pm Sunday Vigil Mass. Fr. Bradley Zamora, graduate of St. Barbara and Liturgy Professor at Mundelein Seminary will guide us through the day and the topic is "Encountering Christ through Liturgy". Please reserve the date and plan to join us for a wonderful day of prayers, fellowship, renewal and sharing!

For those of you who are not liturgical ministers yet, but feel you are called to join a new liturgical ministry, you are most welcome to speak with Fr. Francis or Fr. Lucas. We would love to have you joining our ministries

MEMORIAL MASS DECEASED, 2018-2019

October 1, 2018 – September 30, 2019

**AURORA BARRERA
JOAN BECZEK
MARTIN CEJA-CHAU
JOAN MARIE DARR
CONCETTA DAVIDSON
EDWARD GLABICKI
MARIA S. GOMEZ
CECILE "CIS" KROK
EDMUND KUSKA
EDWARD LENICKY
JAVIER MELGOZA, JR.
JOSEPH MICHALAK
ALICE C. NOLAN
EDWARD PACANOWSKI
JO ANN PIEMONTE
DOLORES SCHULTZ
JULIANNE SELK
JOHN ZIEMBA
ALICE ZILLIGEN**

Special November Masses



Date	Time	Worship Site	Description
Monday 11-04-19	8:00 AM	St. Therese	School mass for St. Therese Campus
Sunday 11-10-19	9:30 AM and 10:45 a.m.	St. Barbara	Family Mass at 9:30 followed by Parent Formation talk on Anti-Bullying at 10:45 a.m. in the Church
Tuesday 11-12-19	8:00 AM	St. Barbara	School mass for St. Barbara Campus
Sunday 11-17-19	9 a.m. and 10:30 AM	St. Therese	Parent Formation talk on Anti-Bullying at 9 a.m. in the community room followed by Family Mass
Monday 11-18-19	8:00 AM	St. Therese	School Mass for St. Therese Campus
Tuesday 11-26-19	8:00 AM	St. Barbara	School Mass for St. Barbara Campus
Wed. 11-27-19	8:00 AM	St. Therese	Class Mass for 6th Graders of BOTH Campuses



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, October 26 - Vigil of the Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. + 63rd Birth. Rem.: Joseph Michalak
(Wiseman, Pirelli, Holland, and Kaput Families)
+ 80th Birth. Rem.: Dave Kaput (Children and
Grandchildren)
+ Amasako (Amy) Dihiansan (Emmanuel, Jeremy
and Angelica King)
Divine Mercy for All (C. Kisielente Family)

Sunday, October 27 - The Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

6:00 a.m. + Cecile (Cis) Krok (Arlene and Cliff Whitehouse)
Health Blessings: Koen Guest (Guest Family)
9:30 a.m. **Fr. Li's Installation as Pastor of St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta Parish**
+ Joseph A. Michalak (Family)
+ Anne Napierkowski (Family)
+ Ed Glabicki (St. Barbara Holy Name Society)
Divine Mercy for All (Parishioner)

Monday, October 28 - Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles

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

Tuesday, October 29 - Weekday

8:00 a.m. + Mike Domagala (Family)

Wednesday, October 30 - Weekday

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

Thursday, October 31 - Weekday

8:00 a.m. + 80th Birth. Rem.: Ed Glabicki (Wife, B.)

Thursday, October 31 - Anticipated All Saints Mass

7:00 p.m. + 80th Birth. Rem.: Ed Glabicki (Dolores)

Friday, November 1 - Feast of All Saints

8:00 a.m. 80th Birth. Blessings: Edward & Maria Sraga
(Family)

Saturday, November 2 - All Souls' Day; Healing Mass

8:00 a.m. + All Souls Memorial Mass
+ Ann.: Jennie Nardi (Dee Dee)
+ Maria Ciepiela (Maria & Edward Sraga)

Saturday, November 2 - Vigil of the Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. + All Deceased SMI Members and Families
(SMI Club)
+ Ed Glabicki (Adeline Skokal)
+ Dave and Cookie Jarzyna (Marion)
+ All Deceased Family Members of Marion
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Divine Mercy for All (C. Kisielente Family)

Sunday, November 3 - The Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

6:00 a.m. + Cecile (Cis) Krok (Michael & Phyllis Tobar
Family)
+ Ed Glabicki (Christine & George Vanderford, Jr.)
Health Blessings: Koen Guest (Guest Family)
9:30 a.m. + Dolores Schultz (Pacella Family)
+ Marie Brauchle (Ed & B. Glabicki)
+ Ed Glabicki (Arlene & Cliff Whitehouse)
+ Lillian Wojcik (Elizabeth Wojcik)

Weekly Collection - October 19th - 20th

Sunday Envelopes (75)	\$ 1,371.00
Sunday Loose	\$ 503.00
School Support (30)	\$ 491.35
Total Collection	\$ 2,465.35

	YTD	Weekly
Actual	\$ 40,060.57	\$ 2,465.35
Goal	\$102,400.00	\$ 6,400.00
% of Goal	39%	39%
Votives & Vigil Lights:	\$ 139.00	
September Give Central: 1st	\$ 1,870.00	
2nd	\$ 365.00	

Attention: For those who make your offering in the form of a check, please continue to make checks payable to your respective Worship Site Churches until it is announced otherwise.

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31ST

7:00 p.m.

Lector: Barbara Hudren

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST

8:00 a.m.

Lector: Wally Podrazik

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND

8:00 a.m.

Lectors: Barbara Hudren, Jim Bertucci

5:00 p.m.

Altar Servers: H. Yu, M. Hui, R. Hui
Eucharistic Ministers: J. Lukwinski, R. Carden,
A. Skokal

Lectors: Edward Raya, Eljay Raya

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3RD

6:00 a.m.

Altar Server: G. Vanderford
Eucharistic Ministers: J. Bertucci, J. Balasa,
G. Vanderford

Lector: J. Bertucci

9:30 a.m.

Altar Servers: TBD
Eucharistic Ministers: A. Alonzo, H. Alonzo, D. Ramos
Lectors: M. Worth, H. Alonzo

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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.

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Rectory Phone: (312) 842-6777

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND LITURGIES

St. Barbara: Saturday: 5:00 pm; Sunday: 6:00am, 9:30 am
St. Therese: Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:30 am; and Mandarin Mass on the 4th Sunday of each month at 12:00 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, David Brost, Mary Camarda, Anthony Capone Sr., Adele Castro, Laverne Connolly, Tim Consola, Joe Cruz, Patti Cuchetto, Paul DeGrazia, 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 Petrucc, Dolores Pienta, Mitchell Pienta, Virginia Pienta, Ellen Pietrzak, Beverly Pirelli, Ray Polakowski, Robert Potter, Josephine Richardson, Sandra Rios, Joel Rivera, Jose Rodriguez, Jose C. Rodriguez, Mila Rolon, Dolly Roti, Ellen Ryan, Therese Ryndak, Dorothy Rzasa, Maria Saludo, Laverne Scianna, Kennedy Shepski, Adeline Skokal, Raymond Smolinski, Gary Solverson, Sharon Solverson, Jeff Spaargaren, Jr., 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, Ava Walczak, Sadie Walker, Barbara Webb, Bill Webb, Sylvia Wiertel, Madison Young, Eugene & John Zabek, Virginia Zawacki, Irene Zima

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