

Shrine of St. Therese Catholic Church

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Office Hours

Monday – Friday

9 am-12 pm – 1 pm-4:30 pm



MASS SCHEDULE

Monday – Friday

6:45 a.m.

Saturday

7:30 a.m.

Saturday

4:30 p.m.

Sunday

8:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday – 3:00-4:00 p.m.

And by appointment

Baptism

Contact the parish office
six months beforehand.

Marriage

Contact the parish office
one year beforehand.

We, the Faith Community of the Shrine of St. Therese are Stewards of our faith and resources as we live the command of Jesus to Peter: "Feed my lambs, feed my sheep."

MISSION STATEMENT

We, God's people of the Shrine of St. Therese, are a culturally diverse body with many gifts and talents. We celebrate and proclaim the Catholic Faith by serving the Lord Jesus and His People. Our Challenge is to reach out and inspire a sense of community and family through charity and mercy. Our Compassion extends to the larger community and the world.

Shrine of St. Therese E-mail: enunez@shrine-sttherese-pueblo.org

Shrine of St. Therese website: www.shrine-sttherese-pueblo.org Diocesan website: www.dioceseofpueblo.org

Parish Knights of Columbus Council 12720: www.kofc12720.org

Announcements



Coffee Servers:

- Dec. 4 - 8:00 - Andrew & Monica Huber Family
10:30 - Pat Martinez & Esther Herrera
- Dec. 11 - 8:00 - Shirley Parr & Helen Kneib
10:30 - Marylyn Herman & Maria Church

Greeters:

- Dec. 3 - 4:30 - Joyce Mazza & Rose Wertz
- Dec. 4 - 8:00 - Shirley Parr & Helen Kneib
10:30 - Rose Shaddy & Lynn Brady
- Dec. 10 - 4:30 - Scott Richards Family
- Dec. 11 - 8:00 - Vin & Margaret Gonzales
10:30 - Tom & Isabel Starnes

The Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary is Thursday, December 8th.

Masses on Thursday are:
6:45 am and 6:00 pm.

This is a Holy Day of Obligation.

Drawing for the DMF Campaign Grocery Gift Cards will be after the 6:00 pm Mass.


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Saturday, December 24th - Christmas Eve - 4:00 pm
Sunday, December 25th - Christmas Day
12:00 Midnight and 10:00 am

Monday, December 5, 2016
Regular Schedule

Tuesday, December 6, 2016
Sobriety in Action - 7:30 pm, St. Joseph Rm.


Wednesday, December 7, 2016
7th-12th Grade Religious Education Class - 6:30-8 pm,
Office Conference Rm.

Thursday, December 8, 2016
Feast of the Immaculate Conception
Masses - 6:45 am and 6:00 pm
CCW Luncheon/Mtg. - 12:00 Noon, St. Joseph Rm.
Rosary - 11:30 am, St. Joseph Rm.

Friday, December 9, 2016
Regular Schedule

Saturday, December 10 2016
Regular Schedule

Sunday, December 11 2016
Religious Education Classes - 9:20-10:20 am,
St. Joseph Rm./Parish Hall



Religious Education Times:

- K-6th Grade - Sundays 9:20-10:20 am**
- 7th-12th Grade - Wednesdays 6:30-8:00 pm**

Confirmation Preparation: Confirmation preparation is on Sunday mornings from 9:20-10:20 am. Those in Confirmation preparation are not required to attend the Wednesday night class, but it is encouraged. Please register now to begin our two year Confirmation preparation program.

RCIA: Do you or someone you know want to become Catholic? If so RCIA is the place to begin the journey. Please contact Brian in the parish office for more details.

Join us for an **Adult Bible Study Class** on the *Letter to the Hebrews*, from 9:20-10:15 am in the North Parish Hall Classroom, led by Bruce Lundberg and Dave Rush. The study will follow the *Ignatius Study Bible Booklet on Hebrews*, with text, commentary and notes by Scott Hahn, and with study and application questions.



Cooperative Care Center's wish for the month of **December** is for **Canned Fruit**. Please put your donation in the food cart. Thank You!

GROCERY GIFT CARD FUND RAISER: Grocery gift cards make great gifts.

Support Elderly Religious: Your donation works for aging religious. "I read that roughly 95 percent of donations to the Retirement Fund for Religious aid senior religious," a donor writes. "That's wonderful when we truly want our donations to work." Your gift works for elderly religious by helping to furnish medications, nursing care, and more. Please support the collection for the Retirement Fund for Religious and give to those who have given a lifetime. This collection will be taken up next weekend, December 10/11.

Emergency Operations Plan: The parish council is seeking help from parish members in creating an Emergency Operations Plan. Those who have experience in law enforcement, medical professionals, fire/disaster response, and plant maintenance are especially encouraged to be part of this process. Please leave your contact information with the parish office.

Advent Reconciliation Services

December 7	12:00 Noon	St. Joseph
December 7	12:30 pm	Cathedral of Sacred Heart
December 10	8:45 am	St. Mary Help/Christians
December 15	6:30 pm	Shrine of St. Therese
December 19	7:00 pm	Our Lady of the Meadows



Advent Angel Tree: The following agencies will receive the gifts from the Shrine of St. Therese parish community: A Caring Pregnancy Center, CASA, Hope for Children, Poor Clare Sisters, and Salvation Army. If you took an angel from the tree, be sure to purchase the gift, wrap the gift, place the angel tag on the gift, and return it to the church or parish office by **December 11th**. The parish purchases any requests not filled by this date.

The Council of Catholic Women (CCW) of the Shrine of St. Therese will hold a Christmas Luncheon and Meeting:

- Date: December 8, 2016
- Rosary: 11:30 am, St. Joseph Room
- Luncheon: 12:00 Noon, St. Joseph Room

The Calling Committee will call members for reservations. All women are welcome to join CCW. Call Michele Prado-Landreth, President, at 543-2810 for information.

CCW Spaghetti Dinner Winner: Betty Barbera won the gift certificate at the CCW Spaghetti Dinner on November 13th.



Children sing on the 1st & 3rd Sundays at the 8:00 am Mass. **Young Adults** sing on the 2nd & 4th Sundays at the 10:30 am Mass. **Adults** sing on the 1st & 3rd Sundays at the 10:30 am Mass. Please arrive one half hour before Mass to practice. Call Terri Cook @ 240-5396 if you would like to join a choir.

2016 DMF CAMPAIGN

Assessment:	\$ 75,996.00
Amount Pledged:	\$ 74,258.00
Paid To Date:	\$ 66,724.00
# of Families Pledging:	193

If you have returned your 2015 Pledge Card, thank you for helping.

If you have not received a Pledge Card, please call the parish office.

REMEMBER! December 8, 2016, we will again give away grocery gift cards!!!!

Can You Spend 1 Hour a Week with Jesus?

The Perpetual Adoration Chapel **NEEDS** Captains for **Monday** from **6 pm-12 am**, **Thursday** from **6 pm-12 am** and **Saturday** from **12 am-6 am**, and **6 pm-12 am**. We **NEED** adorers to sign up for the following hours: **Sunday 12-1 am, 1-2 am, 8-9 am, 2-3 pm, and 3-4 pm; Monday 1-2 am, and 11 pm-12 am; Thursday 4-5 am and 7-8 pm; Saturday 2-3 am, 3-4 am, 4-5 am, and 6-7 pm**. If you can help, call the Parish Office @ 542-1788. Thank you!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Is 35:1-10; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Lk 5:17-26
Tuesday:	Is 40:1-11; Ps 96:1-3, 10ac, 11-13; Mt 18:12-14
Wednesday:	Is 40:25-31; Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10; Mt 11:28-30
Thursday:	Gn 3:9-15, 20; Ps 98:1-4; Eph 1:3-6, 11-12; Lk 1:26-38
Friday:	Is 48:17-19; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Mt 11:16-19
Saturday:	Sir 48:1-4, 9-11; Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16, 18-19; Mt 17:9a, 10-13
Sunday:	Is 35:1-6a, 10; Ps 146:6-10; Jas 5:7-10; Mt 11:2-11



Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, December 5, 2016	6:45 a.m. †Myrtle Spitzer by DiIorio Family
Tuesday, December 6, 2016	6:45 a.m. †Rose Potestio by M/M Ray Makloski and Jimmy & Raynie
Wednesday, December 7, 2016	6:45 a.m. †John Krasovec, Jr. by Potestio Family
Thursday, December 8, 2016	6:45 a.m. Intention of Mary Lou Aragon 6:00 p.m. For All Parishioners
Friday, December 9, 2016	6:45 a.m. †Virginia Pacheco by Costello Family
Saturday, December 10, 2016	7:30 a.m. †Josephine Ciavonne by Shirley Parr 4:30 p.m. †Ella Pisciotta by Frank & Carmella Jordan †Lucy Alfonso by Brady Family †Bruce Presley by Dennis & Kathy Sheehan †Boyd Baldauf by Knights of Columbus #12720 †Shirley Pacheco by Deacon John & Rose Wertz †Ronald W. Gettel by Marilyn Gettel & Family
Sunday, December 11, 2016	8:00 a.m. For All Parishioners 10:30 a.m. †Dominic J. Filangi by Frank & Joan Zugelder †Myrtle Spitzer by Rose Marie & Jim Tafoya †Josephine Ciavonne by Peter & Virginia Dell & Family †Norma Potestio by Hank & Carol Hund †Mildred Stofac by Tony & Joyce Cassio †Dan Carleo by Rose Shaddy

<i>Stewardship Offering -</i>	<i>11/19-20/16</i>
	<i>11/26-27/16</i>
Weekly Stewardship	4,580.86 4,835.75
Special Collection	574.25 153.00
Extraordinary	1,330.40 256.25
Building Fund	223.00 235.00
DMF	132.00 132.00
Memorials	10.00 0
Scholarships	50.00 63.00
Grocery Card Sales	575.00 3,150.00

Ministry Schedule for Weekend of Dec. 10th - Dec. 11th

Saturday, December 10th – 4:30 pm

- Lector – Joanna Goodman
- Altar Servers
Andres Alvarez
Sean Farley
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
Cathy & Ronald Diodosio
James & Jeanne Pagano

Sunday, December 11th – 8:00 am

- Lector – Rosalie Amato
- Altar Servers
Jack & John Krasovec
Joshua Bissonnette
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
Ed Skerjanec, Charles Racine
Douglas & Barbara Berg

Sunday, December 11th – 10:30 am

- Lector – Vona Jean Parker
- Altar Servers
Owen Parker, Eric Pumphrey
Mason Medina
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
Rene & Tom Sitzmann
Christine & Angel Medina

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