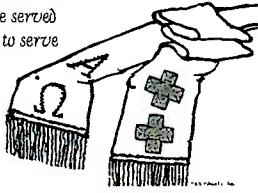


The Son of Man
did not come
to be served
but to serve



Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 21, 2012

Through his suffering,
my servant shall justify many. – Isaiah 53:11b

Today's Readings:

First Reading – Isaiah 53:10-11

Psalm – Psalm 33

Second Reading – Hebrews 4:14:16

Gospel Reading – Mark 10:35-45



Ruth Beaudoin, Frances Carraway, Billy Copeland, Kenny/Laura Evans, Robbie Graves, Will/Grace Jeadron, Genie Kennedy Family, Joan Latham, Bobbie/Ed Mahan, Will McDearman, Vaught Moody, Jane Natzke, Ted Opiela, Michael Rieder, Thelma/William Roberts, Fr. Richard Somers, Art Updike 10/21; Philip Coco, Barbara Johnson, Betty/Harry Louque, Helen McDearman, Kay Parker, Tanesha Walker 10/14; Juanita Littleton, Dr. Brent Meador, Kate Rutherford 10/7; Cleotha/Colosie Smith Family (2012 Habitat Home Recipients), Mary Alice Conn, Bob/Sara Gorrell, Ester Mark, Joan Moran, Katherine Parker 9/30; Joel Converse, Leroy Girard, Susie Gleason, Doris Kemp, Tina McDearman, Jim McDowell, Sandra Pardue, Betty Rooks, Bill/Linda Wilson 9/23; Persons wanting to be added to the Prayer List need to complete the prayer request form and forward to the office – Names will stay on the Prayer List for one month.

PRAYER REQUEST FORM 2012

Date _____ By _____

Please pray for: _____

Is this a: New name _____ Renewal _____ (check one)

Please place in the collection basket or mail to the office.



Prayers for Safety for all service men and women at home and abroad, who give of their lives daily in order that we may enjoy our freedom:

Preston Blocker, David Brooks, William Aaron Burks, Michael P Collins, Nathan Darnell, Michael Jessie, Kimberly Johnson, Derek Lieding, Michael Machost, Jr., Steven P. Meadows, Nick Pendleton, James (Alec) Ponder, Nathan Waltman, Jeremy Walton, and Austin Whiteted. You may place a picture of the individual on the military bulletin board located in the parish hall.

Sacrificial Giving Last Weekend

Regular Tithe	\$4,416.08
"Take a Step" Capital Campaign	
To date: Received	\$92,136.00
117 pledges- 3 Year Pledged	\$202,400.00
Catholic University	\$5.00

Thank you for your generosity!

The Greatest Test

The greatest test of courage on earth is to bear defeat without losing heart. – Robert Ingersoll

Month of October Our Lady of the Rosary



MASS INTENTIONS & WEEKLY SCHEDULE:

NOTE CHANGES and/or ADDITIONS

Mass is held Monday– Friday, 7:30am at the Carmelite Monastery – all are invited.

Saturday, October 20 – St. Paul of the Cross

4:00pm Confession

5:00pm Mass – Gisela and Ernest Gonzales

Sunday, October 21– 29th Sunday Ordinary Time

8:00am Mass – People of the Parish

***8:30am Confirmation – parish office

***9:30am PSR – parish office

***9:45am RCIA – parish hall

11:00am Mass – Bernita Moore

1:00pm Vietnamese Mass

Monday, October 22 – NO MASS

Tuesday, October 23 – St. John of Capistrano

5:30pm Mass – Joan Latham for Healing

6:10pm Rosary

6:30pm Prayer Meeting

Wednesday, October 24 – St. Anthony Mary Claret

8:30am Mass – Jordaine Piernas Birthday Intention

9:30am Adoration until 7pm – chapel

6:15pm Salt & Light – parish hall

Thursday, October 25

5:30pm Mass – Bob Gorrell for Healing

Friday, October 26

12Noon Mass – Dr. Brent Meador for Healing

Saturday, October 27 – Blessed Virgin Mary

10:00am – 2:00pm GARAGE SALE DROP OFF - gym

4:00pm Confession

5:00pm Mass – Paul Machost, Sr.

Sunday, October 28 – 30th Sunday Ordinary Time

Priesthood Sunday; National World Youth Day (U.S.)

8:00am Mass – People of the Parish

***8:30am Confirmation – parish office

***9:30am PSR – parish office

***9:45am RCIA – parish hall

11:00am Mass – Jessie Osborne

Pray for the repose of the souls:

† Rev. James O'Riordan - died Saturday, October 13.

Father O'Riordan was born on July 18, 1940 in Killarney, County Kerry, Ireland. He was ordained on June 6, 1964 for the Diocese of Natchez-Jackson. During his ministry, he served in a number of parishes in the

Diocese Jackson and what is now the Diocese of Biloxi. His last assignment was pastor of All Saints Church in Belzoni and its mission in Anguilla. He retired from the active ministry in January of 2009. Mass of Christian Burial was 11:00 a.m., Friday at St. Michael Church followed by interment at the Vicksburg City Cemetery. May he rest in peace, and may he enjoy the reward of his labors.

† Nadine Gray - mother of Tanesha Walker (school parent) and grandmother of Briana Reser (student).

Please remember the Gray/Walker/Reser families in your prayers.

May the souls of all the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God, Rest in Peace.



Mark Your Calendar - Sunday, November 11th

11am-4pm - 50th Anniversary - TurkeyFest 2012

Silent Auction -Donate items for auction (new/gently used). **Bingo** -Donate new/like new items for bingo prizes. **Cake Walk** -Donate that special cake of yours. **Country Store** - Prepare homemade jams, jellies, breads, cakes, canned items, etc. **Dinner** -set-up crew, wash/dry station crew, drink station, dessert station, clean-up crew. **Games** set-up, work a game, clean-up. **Plants and More** -Donate a special cutting, plant or yard art item. **Music...**

VOLUNTEER your TIME & TALENTS

helping make this event successful is a lot of fun!

Mary Parker, Coordinator 601-927-4333 or mary.515@hotmail.com
Veronica Womack, Co-Coordinator Veronica.Womack@TeamRevell.com
Church Office stheresecc@yahoo.com

ANNUAL GARAGE SALE

Our ANNUAL TURKEYFEST GARAGE SALE

DROP-OFF begins:

SATURDAY, October 27, 2012

10:00am to 2:00pm

Additional drop off days/times:

Monday 29th – Thursday Nov 1st 5pm-7pm



PLEASE COME JOIN US in sorting through all the treasures and then on **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3rd from 7am-NOON**, the **ACTUAL DAY OF THE SALE** come help and, do some shopping. There are many wonderful treasures to be found.



The size of this event will amaze you! **To Volunteer:** Church Office stheresecc@yahoo.com



“TRUNK OR TREAT” OCTOBER 27th

The St. Therese Knights of Columbus, Council 8285 invite you to come celebrate, beginning with the **5:00pm Vigil Mass, Saturday, October 27th** - - - afterwards (around 6:15pm) they will host a “Trunk or Treat” Halloween Fun time. The Knights invite you to decorate your car trunks and park in the church’s parking lot. Bring your own candy to treat the children. A prize will be given for the “best dressed trunk”. All parishioners are welcome to take part even if you don’t have children – **all families of St. Therese School are invited. This is a Parish-Wide Event!** There is no charge for this event...we do ask everyone that participates to bring a canned good for our St. Therese Food Pantry. This will give all our children and youth a safe and fun time for Halloween and help our brothers and sisters in need. For more information, contact Rusty Kemp 769-798-0169 or rkemp60@att.net .



THE COUNTDOWN HAS BEGUN - 21 days!

Sunday, November 11, 2012

St. Therese TurkeyFest 50th Anniversary! PICTURES WANTED!!!

This 50th Anniversary year we are dedicating to the memory of Mrs. Betty Farthing. "If you have pictures of Mrs. Betty working around the cafeteria or anywhere around St. Therese, can we please use them or you donate them to post around the church/school until TurkeyFest on November 11. If you want them back, please put your name on the back, if you want her family to have them, put the word "donate" on the back.

Any item you want to donate for the "silent auction" can be brought to the parish hall with a note "auction item" and placed in available box.

Make a special effort to be involved if your children attend St. Therese School - so you can truly experience the environment your children are growing up in.

THIS IS YOUR PARISH and YOUR SCHOOL - LET'S WATCH IT EVOLVE MORE THAN IT EVER HAS. OPEN YOUR HEARTS! Thank you for your continued support!

Mary Parker, Coordinator 601-927-4333 or mary.515@hotmail.com
Veronica Womack, Co-Coordinator

Salt & Light Youth meet Wednesday nights at 6:00pm in the parish hall. All 7th-12th grades are invited to join. Contact: Phyllis Mokry at phyllis.mokry@gmail.com.



Knights Table #8285

► **The Holiday's are coming!** The Knights of Columbus will be selling smoked/fried turkeys, smoked hams or any type meat you would like.

We are taking orders after all masses and will continue until Sun., Nov. 11. The prices will be \$25.00 to prepare/cook plus market price for the meat. **Place your order today!**

► **TurkeyFest Dinner tickets** will be available for purchase after all weekend Masses. Adult \$8 and Child \$5, be prepared to purchase yours in advance.

Rusty Kemp, Grand Knight
769-798-0169 or email: rkemp60@att.net

DISCOVER ST. JOE

You are invited to Discover St. Joe, Sunday, November 4 at 2:00pm. Explore classes, arts, activities and athletics in a faith-filled environment. For more information contact Kristi Garrard at 601-898-4812.

ARE YOU INTERESTED OR DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO IS INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH?



RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) will meet each week in the parish hall from **9:45am-10:45am Sunday mornings**. Those who choose to continue in the program will be able to join St. Therese Church at Easter. Please contact the Parish Office 601-372-4481, email: stheresecc@yahoo.com or Jill Hisaw at jthisaw@gmail.com if you are interested. Join us any Sunday at 9:45am.



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wed. - 9:30am-7:00pm

(Praying for Families)



**COME ... JESUS IS WAITING
JUST FOR YOU!**



Parish School of Religion (PSR)

If your child is planning to receive: First Reconciliation and Eucharist in 2013,

THEY MUST ATTEND THESE CLASSES.

Registration forms are available in the gathering space of church. The classes will be held weekly on **Sundays at 9:30am in the parish office meeting room.** To learn more or register your child/children, please email Ingrid Piernas at iapiernas@gmail.com.

ERROR-FREE

A mistake doesn't become an error until I refuse to correct it. - *Anonymous*



HABITAT FOR HUMANITY Please sign the wooden Habitat Headers located in the gathering space, to be placed/built within the Habitat Home we will help build for

the Smith Family. Place your name, a prayer, or blessing on one. *Thank You!*

All are welcome to help with Catholic Build #27; build dates are **October 26 and 27**. If you would like to volunteer and/or contribute, please contact parishioner, Kerryn deVerteuil at snkdevo@hotmail.com or go to www.habitatjackson.org to register. **Forms are also located in the gathering space on the table with the Habitat Headers!**

NOVEMBER: Month of All Souls

St. Therese Church has several ways to remember deceased loved ones during November the month of All Souls:

- ▶ **Wednesday, Oct. 31, Vigil Mass at 6:00pm for All Saints Day (Holy Day of Obligation)**
- ▶ **Thursday, Nov. 1, All Saints Day Mass at 8:30am (Holy Day of Obligation)**
- ▶ **Friday, Nov. 2, Feast of All Souls Mass at 5:30pm**
The Feast of All Souls, honors the special people who have graced our lives and are now gone.
- ▶ Cards will be available in the Gathering Space which you can list the names of deceased loved ones you want to be remembered in prayer for the month of November, and place the cards in the basket at the altar.
- ▶ As part of our remembrance of our departed loved ones during this Month of All Souls, we're asking that you bring small photos of deceased loved ones and place them on the bulletin board set up in the Gathering Space. You can begin bringing your photos the weekend of Oct. 27-28 and continue bringing them throughout the month of November.
- ▶ You can also write the names of deceased loved ones in the Book of the Dead, found in the symbol space of church, and we will remember them in prayer during the month of November.

Hospital or Nursing Home Notification for Church Office

Due to the "privacy act", hospitals and/or nursing homes, do not release a patient/individual's name or any information. Notify us if you/or a family member are planning surgery, other procedures or being admitted to a nursing home. In an emergency, a relative or friend should call us or ask the hospital/nursing home staff to notify your church family at 601-372-4481. We also need permission to list your name on the church bulletin prayer list. Email: stheresecc@yahoo.com.

Calling on Nurses – Doctors - Health Care

Providers St. Therese TurkeyFest Health Fair is Sunday, November 11, 2012. We are recruiting Nurses, Doctors, Health Care Providers to assist at our Parish Health Fair portion of the TurkeyFest. We would like to invite our parishioners first before asking others. Please contact the Coordinators of the Health Fair:

Regina Brown regina5585@att.net or
Gail Clark gailclark73@gmail.com

PLANTS AND MORE!

Help us make this year's plant booth at TurkeyFest the best ever. We're getting started earlier and need your assistance.



Please share some "pass-a-long" plants with us -- something from your mother, grandmother, your sister or best friend, or a cutting from a plant received when a relative died. **And if you can, share the story and the name of the plant, we'll pass that along too.**

Some plants that are easy to share include: friendship plants, hostas, mother-in-law tongues, mint (all varieties), ivy, holly bushes, butterfly bushes, wax plants, peace plants, iris, angel trumpets, philodendron...

We need clay pots any size. And we'd like to offer **bird feeders and yard art** -- something original you've made or something we can spruce up to decorate our outdoor living spaces.

Please leave donations by the back door of the parish office, next time you come to church.

Thanks for sharing!!!

Janna Avalon and Teresa Kemp

Please join us in praying for vocations through our Vocation Ministry and choose the week you will pray for vocations. Sign up in the gathering space on the Vocations Ministry board.



PARISHIONERS NEEDED:

The Liturgy Committee of St. Therese is praying for parishioners to respond to the call of becoming Lectors, Commentators, and Eucharistic Ministers. More liturgical ministers are needed at each Mass. We are fortunate to have a faithful group who serve Sunday after Sunday; however, new ministers are greatly needed. If you feel led, please contact the parish office: stheresecc@yahoo.com or 601-372-4481.

REMINDER:

If you did not attend the liturgical workshop, you did not fill out a personal information sheet which we need to update our Liturgical Ministry Records. Lectors will find the personal information sheet and updated sheets of directions for Lectors and Commentators on the counter in the work sacristy. We need the same information sheet updated for Eucharistic Ministers. Once completed, place in the collection basket or turn in at the parish office. **Thank you!**

DAILY OR WEEKEND MASS INTENTIONS



Honor a loved one with a Birthday, Anniversary or Healing Intention - Remember a loved one with a Memorial Mass Intention.

Email: stheresecc@yahoo.com or call the parish office 601-372-4481 to check available calendar dates. Suggested Mass stipend is \$10.