

**RCIA meets in the Parish Hall,
Sunday at 8:30am**

Question of the Week

Who needs my forgiveness? How might I start a "ripple of forgiveness" that could expand to a global tidal wave of unending forgiveness?

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Tm 2:1-8; Ps 28:2, 7-9; Lk 7:1-10

Tuesday: 1 Tm 3:1-13; Ps 101:1b-3ab, 5-6; Lk 7:11-17

Wednesday: 1 Tm 3:14-16; Ps 111:1-6; Lk 7:31-35

Thursday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13

Friday: 1 Tm 6:2c-12; Ps 49:6-10, 17-20; Lk 8:1-3

Saturday: 1 Tm 6:13-16; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 8:4-15

Sunday: Is 55:6-9; Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18; Phil 1:20c-24, 27a;
Mt 20:1-16a

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Month of September Prayer Intentions of our Holy Father, Pope Francis



Parishes

That our parishes, animated by a missionary spirit, may be places where faith is communicated and charity is seen.

St. Therese Parishioners Rosary Intention:

*Those employed and those searching for employment
and Peace in the World!*

Please pray for the repose of soul:

† *Reyes Hernandez Murguia* - Maria Hernandez' uncle

May he rest in peace, and may his family
find comfort and consolation in the Lord.

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let
perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of
all the faithful departed, through the mercy of*

God, Rest in Peace!



**Information for the bulletin should reach the parish office by note or email no later than 12noon on Tuesday for the following weekend. When sending an email, please put "Bulletin" in the subject line. Thank you for your cooperation.

SAVE THE DATE!

► **SEPTEMBER 27 – 6:00PM – PARISH HALL**

FINAL PREP MEETING TO FINALIZE

FEAST DAY CELEBRATION

► **OCTOBER 1 – ST. THERESE FEAST DAY
CELEBRATION AT CAMP GARAYWA**

► **The 31th annual St. Joseph Catholic Church German-Fest** is scheduled for **Sunday, September 24, 2017** from 11:00am-5:00pm. Advance meal tickets are \$6 and are available from parishioners of St. Joseph Catholic Church. Ticket information is also available by calling the parish office at 601-856-2054. Meals the day of the festival will be \$7.

► St. Joseph Catholic School is hosting their annual Open House, **November 5**. This is no ordinary school tour, but a student-inspired, performance-filled showcase. Incredible art, academics, theater, music and athletics - not to mention that one-of-a-kind spirit which makes St. Joe the exceptional place that it is. See for yourself the bright, shining soul of St. Joe.

LECTORS AND COMMENTATORS:

Each month the sign-up sheet is placed in the preparation room. Currently, only a handful are signing up. Please review your calendars, then please sign-up for the weekends that you can commit. **The weekend of September 23/24, a table will be set up in the Gathering Space for people interested in being Lectors, Commentators, Eucharistic Ministers, and Altar Servers. Your service is truly needed!**

St. Richard Special Kids Day

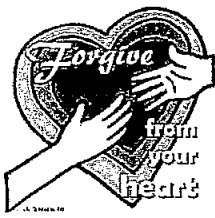


It is that time of year again! The St. Richard Special Kids Day is Thursday, October 5 at Deerfield Golf Club. It is hard to believe that this will be the 36th annual golf tournament! We would like you to be a part of this special day's activities that helps support the programs, of both our school and our church. We will have two separate flights, one in the morning, and one in the afternoon. The morning will begin with breakfast from M7 Coffee House, and the afternoon will start with lunch at Deerfield Golf Club. Raffle tickets for a Mother's Day Weekend in Florida are being sold as part of this event. The tickets are available NOW in the church and school offices for \$5, or five tickets for \$20. The winner will be announced at the golf tournament, but you do not have to be present to win. No donation is too small! Thank you for always supporting the Special Kids!

FORGIVE OTHERS

There are many kinds of alms the giving of which helps us to obtain pardon for our sins; but none is greater than that by which we forgive from our heart a sin that someone has committed against us.

-St. Augustine



Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 17, 2017

Forgive your neighbor's injustice; then when you pray, your own sins will be forgiven. -- *Sirach 28:2*

TODAY'S READINGS:

First Reading – Sirach 27:30-28:7

Psalm – Psalm 103

Second Reading – Romans 14:7-9

Gospel – Matthew 18:21-35



Rev. Jeremy Tobin, Mr. Otis, Rita Reed, Eva Jean Davis, Faye Fowler, Lucrecia Gibson, Peggy Harkins, Leo Hornkohl, Natalie Jones, Gladys Rod, Julie/Bobby Strnadell, Robert Tisdale, John Thompson, 9/10; John Hardy, Blair Richard, Searra Rose Rimes 9/3; Noel Machost, Robert Jones 8/20; Tanya Long, Msgr. Elvin Sunds, Janna/Billy Avalon,

Tommy/Traci Avalon, John/Teresa/Mark Bradshaw, Theresa Cannon, Frank Develle, Cathy/Mike/Michael Eaves, Leroy Girard, Sandra Heatherly, Grace Jeadron, Lorraine Lorio, Frank Machost, Ursin Oubre, Jr., Sharron Sumrall, Barbara Williams, Brenda Williams, Sonny/Veronica Womack 8/13; Dorothy Barker, Billie Brown, Walter Brown, Angela Riley, Betsy Carraway, Pauline Hardy, Jessica Bigi, Raymond Brewer, Matthew Develle, Evelyn Durst, Linda/James Fitzgerald, Missy Goodman, Corey Granier, Edna Leary, Helen Machost, Louis Ray Martin, Dawna Perlick, Robert Perlick, Bill Rush, Diana Sanders, Hazel Sanders, James Wink 8/6; Buddy Champion, John Laughlin 7/30; Jeanene Hammond; Teresa Kemp 7/23; Homebound/Nursing Homes: Sandra Elliott, Abron Haymond, Peggy Huffman, Ernestine Lindsay, Anna Starr, Tom/Brenda Steen, Mary Stubbs, Sue Trebotich. **Priests/Religious:** Brian Carroll, Xavier Colavechio, Robert Oliver, Lenin Vargas, Retired Bishop Joseph Latino. **Persons wanting to be added to the Prayer List need to contact the parish office – Names will stay on for one month.**



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, Lee Greco, Michael Jessie, Kimberly Johnson, Joe Hayes, Derek Lieding, Michael Machost, Jr., Steven P. Meadows, Blake Nations, Nick Pendleton, Brooks Stevens, James (Alec) Ponder and Nathan Waltman, Austin White. You may place a picture of the individual on the military bulletin board located in the parish hall.

Sacrificial Giving this past week:

Budget Needed Weekly	\$6,000.00
Regular Tithe	\$5,348.23
“Take a Step”	\$190.00
Coffee & Doughnuts	\$8.00
Food Pantry	\$10.00
Youth	\$69.00
Extension Society	\$681.00
Campaign Building Fund	\$50.00
PSR Registration	\$380.00

Thank you for your generosity!

September Month of: Our Lady of Sorrows



WEEKLY SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS:

*** Changes or Additions

STT – St. Therese
OLOG – Our Lady of Guadalupe
MFCF – Christian Catholic Family Movement
MSJLOG – MARIAN SERVANTS@ Jesus the Lamb of God

CTK – Christ the King
SVDP – St. Vincent de Paul

Saturday, Sept. 16- Vigil 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

3:00pm Confessions

4:00pm Mass – Kelvin/Jill Hisaw Anniversary Intention; Darren/Avery Grace Schwindaman Birthday Intentions; Stanley Shavel

Sunday, Sept. 17 – 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catechetical Sunday

***8:45am RCIA – parish hall

9:30am Mass – Billy Hutchins; People of Parish

***10:30am Peggy Huffman's 106th Birthday Celebration

***10:45am PSR/Confirmation

12:30pm Spanish Mass

3:00pm Vietnamese Mass

7:30am Mass Monday – Friday at the Carmelite Monastery
Monday, Sept. 18 – NO MASS

Tuesday, Sept. 19 – *St. Januarius*

5:00pm Cursillo Group – parish hall

5:30pm Mass – Memorial Mass Reyes Hernandez Murguia (Maria Hernandez' uncle

Knights of Columbus Silver Rose of Our Lady of Guadalupe Service

6:00pm Rosary – Prayer Meeting

6:00pm MSJLOG – parish office kitchen

Wednesday, Sept. 20 – *Ss. Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Paul Chong Ha-sang, and Companions; Rosh Hashanah (Jewish New Year 5778) begins at sunset*

8:30am Mass – Rodney, Grace and Ursin Oubre, Sr.; Jeanene Hammond for Healing

9am – 8pm Adoration – chapel

Thursday, Sept. 21 – *Feast of St. Matthew*

5:30pm Mass – Dorothy Greco Warren

6:00pm SVDP – parish hall

6:00pm Finance Committee – parish office

Friday, Sept. 22 – *Autumn Begins*

8:15am Mass – CTK

Saturday, Sept. 23- Vigil 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

***10am–12 Spanish Catechesis – parish hall

3:00pm Confessions

4:00pm Mass – Victor Brace; People of the Parish

Sunday, Sept. 24 – 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

***8:45am RCIA – parish hall

9:30am Mass – Chuck and JoAnn Jackson 50th Wedding Anniversary Intention

***10:45am PSR/Confirmation

12:30pm Spanish Mass

Upcoming Second Collections

Sept. 16-17/Leah Youngblood Youth Ministry Trust
(our parish youth ministry)

Sept. 23-24/Those impacted by Hurricane Harvey