



Saint Therese

Catholic Church - Iglesia Católica
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Solemnity of all Saints November 1, 2020

“See what love the Father has bestowed on us
that we may be called the children of God.”
— 1 John 3:1

TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14

Psalm — Psalm 24

Second Reading — 1 John 3:1-3

Gospel — Matthew 5:1-12a



PASTORAL CARE

Kathy Payment, Crystal and Stephen Warren, Phil Thiac,
Meg Maziarz, Glynn Long, Bill Rush, John Bradshaw,
Andrew Lavigne, Billy & Janna Avalon, Mary Maziarz,

Vicki Hillman, Gwen Roberson, Leslie Alcorn, Tommy/Traci Avalon,
Tom/Angela/Seth Brittain, Theresa Cannon, Eva Jean Davis,
Frank/Linda Develle, James Doddridge, Mike/Cathy/Jared/Michael
Eaves, Janis Hamblin, Lindsay Harwood, Steve Kennedy, Jodie
Lencock, Traci and Andrew Miller, Steve Musil, Jon/Christin Quinn
Family, Kenny Skellie, Karen Winn, Chad Ermis, Corey/Bonnie
Granier, Betsy Carraway, James Lee, Jr., Joseph Perlick, Irene
Rangel, Rita Reed, Lillian Stachura, Epigmenia Tartinez,
Vince/Sissy/Codi Warren, James/Marva Brown, Beth Gaines,
Lucrecia Gibson, Janie Keary, John Laughlin, Nettles/Pollard
Families, Doug Simmons, Pam Smith.

HOMEBOUND & NURSING HOME

Helen Machost, Brenda Williams, Eugene Humphery, Adelaida
Dethloff, Sandra Elliott, Kenny Evans, Abron Haymond, Peggy
Huffman, Aurora Ramirez, Kate Rutherford, Anna Starr,
Tom/Brenda Steen, Sue Trebotich.

Eternal Rest to: Teresa Bradshaw, Audrey Phillips, Rosemary
Anderson



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,
Ty Develle, Lee Greco, Erling Gresham, Tanner
Hutchins, Steven J. Jackson, Michael Jessie, Kimberly Johnson,
Derek Lieding, Anna/Malcolm Lowe, Michael Machost Jr., Steven
P. Meadows, Blake Nations, Nick Pendleton, Brooks Stevens,
Nathan Waltman.

Sacrificial Giving this past week:

Budget Needed Weekly	\$ 6,000.00
Weekly Offertory	\$ 3,300.00
Online	\$ 1,687.00
New Life/Nueva Vida	\$ 505.00
Online	\$ 330.00

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK:

Mon: Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9;
Jn 6:37-40,

Tues: Phil 2:5-11; Ps 22:26b-32; Lk 14:15-24

Wed: Phil 2:12-18; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14;
Lk 14:25-33

Thurs: Phil 3:3-8a; Ps 105:2-7; Lk 15:1-10

Fri: Phil 3:17 — 4:1; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 16:1-8

Sat: Phil 4:10-19; Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a, 9;
Lk 16:9-15

Sunday: Wis 6:12-16; Ps 63:2-8; 1 Thes 4:13-18
[13-14]; Mt 25:1-13

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK:

Sunday, November 1

9:30am – Shavel & Hisaw family members, Angel Espino

12:30pm – Feliciano Juan Sebastian (birthday)

3pm -

Mon, November 2 — “All Souls Day”

Tues, November 3 — Bill F. Hutchins

Wed, November 4 —

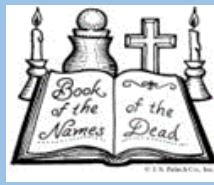
Thurs, November 5 —

Fri, November 6 — Glenn and Doris Kemp

Sat November 7 — No Mass

**Please fill out a Mass Intention Envelope and place in
the collection basket.**

During the Month of November
Ways to Remember Our Loved Ones



- 1) Remembrance cards to write the names of deceased loved ones on, to be included in the Prayers of the Faithful
- 2) Write the names of your deceased loved ones in the *Book of the Dead*.
- 3) Have a Mass Intention for your deceased family members during this month of remembrance or any time during the year. (*Mass intention envelopes are located on the table as you enter church. Suggested stipend is \$10.*)



November Month of The Holy Souls in Purgatory

“ Thus he made atonement for the dead that they might be freed from this sin.”
-II Maccabees 12:46

As a reminder of our duty to pray for the suffering faithful in Purgatory, the Church has dedicated the month of November to the Holy Souls. The Holy Souls are those who have died in the state of grace but who are not yet free

from all punishment due to their unforgiven venial sins and all other sins already forgiven for which satisfaction is still to be made. They are certain of entering Heaven, but first they must be cleansed in Purgatory.

Celebrating the Day of the Dead

Nov. 2nd - All Soul's Day (Bilingual Mass at 6:30pm)

Celebrating the Day of the Dead has long been a tradition in Latin America. During the days of the Dead, some believe that the souls of the departed return to earth to visit with their loved ones.

Families would visit family grave sites, clean them up, and decorate the graves. Many set up altars in their homes in remembrance of their departed relatives and pray for their souls.



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

It begins every Wednesday at 9am and concludes at 3p.m. Come to a quiet place and spend an hour with Jesus. Please call the office to make an

appointed with Jesus on Wednesday. We need volunteers!!!

PRAYERS OF SAFETY AND HEALTH FOR ALL DOCTORS, NURSES, AIDS, PT'S AND ALL THOSE ON THE FRONT LINES CARING FOR ALL WITH COVID-19!

**St. Therese Parishioners Rosary Intention:
Vaccine and Cure for the Coronavirus-19**

SAINTS AND SINNERS

The only difference between the saint and the sinner is that every saint has a past, and every sinner has a future.
—Oscar Wilde

Introduction of the Liturgy of the Day:

How wonderful to celebrate the Solemnity of All Saints on a Sunday this year, this day on which we remember all those holy men and women who have come before us. The Church is a living entity transcending time and space and so we are joined with the saints and they with us as we strive to live lives that witness to our faith.

Introduction to the Liturgy of the Word:

The Gospel today presents a prescription for a saintly life. With the Beatitudes, Jesus taught his disciples how they would be blessed. As we listen to today's readings let us pray for God's grace in becoming poor in spirit, clean of heart, and hungry for righteousness, among the other prescriptions Jesus lays out for us as his disciples. May we be consoled in the knowledge that God has bestowed on us all that we need to achieve this.

Question of the Week:

Besides myself, who do I know that is in need of God's mercy? What can I do so that it flows through me to those in need?

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Saint Martin de Porres (1579-1639)
November 3

An old illustration pictures Martin de Porres, finger to his lips—“Shhhh!”—as several mice peek out of sacristy vestment drawers, preparing to join a rodent “procession” following him out of church! Martin's rescue of these unwelcome guests, and statues depicting him, broom in hand, feeding a dog, cat, bird, and mouse from the same dish symbolize his life and sanctity. Initially denied entrance by the Dominicans because of his mixed race (Spanish father, Panamanian mother), Martin cherished society's marginalized. For him, menial tasks, lovingly done, were sacred. Great and lowly alike feasted on his charity. Enemies were reconciled by this “poor mulatto” (his self-description), kind even to those whose racism demeaned him. Apprenticed to a surgeon-barber in his youth—thus patron saint of hair stylists and public health providers—Martin dispensed healing and dignity to Lima's poorest, serving in them the Christ he adored for hours in the Blessed Sacrament. By the time he died, all Peru called him Martin the Charitable, a title even those of us who will never be called “saint” might still aspire to

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