



# Saint Therese

Catholic Church - Iglesia Católica

Tel 601-372-4481

## Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 26, 2021

*“The law of the Lord is perfect, refreshing the soul;  
the decree of the Lord is trustworthy,  
giving wisdom to the simple.”  
— Psalm 19:8*

### TODAY’S READINGS

**First Reading** — Numbers 11:25-29

**Psalm** — Psalm 19

**Second Reading** — James 5:1-6

**Gospel** — Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK:

**Mon:** Zec 8:1-8; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Lk 9:46-50

**Tues:** Zec 8:20-23; Ps 87:1b-7; Lk 9:51-56

**Wed:** Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Ps 138:1-5; Jn 1:47-51

**Thurs:** Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Ps 19:8-11; Lk 10:1-12

**Fri:** Bar 1:15-22; Ps 79:1b-5, 8-9; Lk 10:13-16

**Sat:** Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Ps 69:33-37; Mt 18:1-5, 10

**Sunday:** Gn 2:18-24; Ps 128:1-6; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16 [2-12]

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK:

**Sunday, September 26**

9:30am – Ursin Oubre Jr. +

12:30pm – Enrique Herrera +

**Mon, September 27** —

**Tues, September 28** —

**Wed, September 29** —

**Thurs, September 30** —

**Fri, October 01** —

**Sat, October 02** — no Mass

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

**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**

### Sacrificial Giving this past week:

<b>Budget Needed Weekly</b>	<b>\$ 6,000.00</b>
<b>Weekly Offertory</b>	\$ 3,217.00
<b>Online</b>	\$ 530.00
<b>New Life/Nueva Vida</b>	\$ 195.00
<b>Online</b>	\$ 150.00

*Thank you for your generosity!*

**FOR PARISH SAFETY REASONS, WE ASK THAT YOU MAIL YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO:**

**ST. THERESE CATHOLIC CHURCH**

**P. O. Box 8642**

**Jackson, MS 39284-8642**

**DO NOT MAIL TO THE STREET ADDRESS**

Or go to our website: [sttheresejackson.org](http://sttheresejackson.org)

click on: **DONATE** Choose your fund.

*Thank you for your assistance.*



### **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

**Every Wednesday**

9 a.m. - 3p.m.

Come and spend an hour with Jesus. Please call the office to make an appointment with Jesus on Wednesday.

**We need volunteers!!!**

### **THOSE IN THE MILITARY**

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.

## Question of the Week

What aspect of my selfhood leads me to sin? What must I do to remove that aspect?

- *Pastoral Patterns Summer* [2020wlp@jspaluch.com](mailto:2020wlp@jspaluch.com)

### Introduction to the Liturgy of the Day

We gather together today to listen to God's word and to share in the Eucharist. In today's first reading we hear the story of two of Moses's friends, Eldad and Medad, who missed the gathering when the LORD bestowed the spirit of prophesy on all the elders. Yet the spirit of the Lord came to rest on them as well. Let us keep in mind all those who are not with us today, for whatever reason, and pray that the Holy Spirit may bear fruit in them as well as all of us.

### Introduction to the Liturgy of the Word

Joshua stands ready to condemn those who prophesy without God's authority, but Moses praises God's generous gift of the spirit, no matter on whom it might come to rest. Jesus similarly tells John that anyone doing mighty deeds in his name should be welcomed. May the Holy Spirit, bestowed on us in baptism, lead us to speak and do great things.

## FEAST OF FAITH

### The Lord's Prayer

The Eucharistic Prayer ends with the great "Amen," the acclamation of assent by the assembly. Then the Communion rite begins with the Lord's Prayer. We pray this prayer in many contexts, both inside and outside the Church's liturgy. Here, in the context of the Mass, the Lord's Prayer is profoundly eucharistic. When we ask for our "daily bread," we are asking for the gift of the Eucharist. When we ask God to forgive us as we forgive others, we are seeking forgiveness and purity of heart before we approach the altar to receive the sacrament of the Lord's Body and Blood—"so that what is holy may, in fact, be given to those who are holy" (*General Instruction of the Roman Missal*, 81).

At Mass, a prayer for peace is inserted between the prayer and the doxology. In this prayer, called the embolism, the Church asks God for freedom—freedom from sin and all anxiety and distress. We are living in an in-between time; even as we rejoice in Christ's presence, we await his coming in joyful hope.

—*Corinna Laughlin, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.*

## Monthly Devotion for September



## *Our Lady of Sorrows*

### THE DEVOTIONS OF THE SEVEN SORROWS OF OUR LADY

One of the prayers to  
the Sorrowful Mother  
(from the *Raccolta*)

Most holy Virgin and Mother, whose soul was pierced by a sword of sorrow in the Passion of Thy divine Son, and Who in His glorious Resurrection wast filled with never-ending joy at His triumph; obtain for us who call upon Thee, so to be partakers in the adversities of Holy Church and the sorrows of the Sovereign Pontiff, as to be found worthy to rejoice with them in the consolations for which we pray, in the charity and peace of the same Christ our Lord. Amen. *An indulgence of 500 days (Pius X, Rescript in his own hand, Jan. 25, 1906).*

### Chaplet Of The Seven Sorrows

It was about the year 1233 that seven holy men of noble birth, by name Bonfiglio, Monaldio, Bonagiunta, Manetto, Amadeo, Uguccio, and Alessio Falconieri, withdrew from the city of Florence into the solitude of Mount Senario, receiving afterwards from the Church the appellation of the "Seven Blessed Founders." For it was in that solitude that, passing their days in the constant exercise of prayer, penitence, and other virtues, they, by a special revelation from the Blessed Virgin, instituted the Order called "Servants of Mary," taking for the object of their institution, meditation on the bitter pains she suffered in the Life, Passion, and Death of her Son Jesus, and, undertaking to promulgate this devotion amongst Christian people. One of the devout practices which they made use of for their purpose was a Chaplet or Rosary of Seven Divisions, in remembrance of the seven principal Dolours of the Blessed Virgin, which were to form the subject of the reciter's meditation according to his ability; the prayers to be said during such meditation being one Pater noster ([Our Father](#)) and seven Ave Maria's ([Hail Mary](#)) for each division, with three more Ave Maria's ([Hail Mary](#)) at the end of all, in honour of the tears shed by the same most holy Virgin in her Dolours.

*Source: Copyright 2018 ImmanuGrace Free Gift For End Times*

### THE PRESENCE OF GOD

In all our thoughts and actions we ought to remember the presence of God, and account all lost in which we think not of God.

—**St. Bernard of Clairvaux**



### PASTORAL CARE

Martha Hornkohl, Jennifer Parker, James Joseph Lee Sr., Rhoyia Hope Croziar, Lozano/Rodriguez family, Vanessa Farrington, Sam Greco, Janna and Avalon family, Gabriel Rigby, Lucy Lovertich, Terese Kemp, Eva Jean Davis, Padre Juan, John Hudson, Jimmy Jones(Thiac Son-in-law), John Weston, Mary Maziarz, Sallie Riley, Sissie Warren, Gerry Trudeau, Amanda Roberts, Meg Maziarz, Margaret Hutchins, Emma Abbott, Sonny Womack, Tim Opiela, Margaret Williams, Kathy Payment, Crystal and Stephen Warren, Phil Thiac, Glynn Long, John Bradshaw, Vicki Hillman, Gwen Roberson, Tommy/Traci Avalon, Tom/Angela/Seth Brittain, Theresa Cannon, Mike/Cathy/Jared/Michael Eaves, Janis Hamblin, Steve Kennedy, Jodie Lencock, Jon/Christin Quinn Family, Kenny Skellie, Karen Winn, Corey/Bonnie Granier, Betsy Carraway, James Lee, Jr., Joseph Perlick, Irene Rangel, Rita Reed, Lillian Stachura, Epigmenia Tartinez, Vince/Codi Warren, James/Marva Brown, Lucrecia Gibson, Janie Keary, Nettles/Pollard Families, Doug Simmons, Pam Smith.

### HOMEBOUND & NURSING HOME

Helen Machost, Brenda Williams, Eugene Humphery, Adelaida Dethloff, Sandra Elliott, Aurora Ramirez, Kate Rutherford, Anna Starr, Tom/Brenda Steen, Sue Trebotich.

### Eternal Rest To:

*“Every generous act of giving, with every perfect gift, is from above, coming down from the Father of lights...” -James 1:17*



Have you considered donating to the church through *Online Giving*? If you manage your bills online, why not give to your church online? It's safe, secure, and you decide exactly when your gift is made and where it goes.

**Click the link below to donate.**

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/sttheresejacksonms>

### MASS INTENTIONS

*Honor a loved one with a Birthday, Anniversary or Healing Intention*

*Remember a loved one with a Memorial Mass Intention.*

Email: [sttherese@jacksondiocese.org](mailto:sttherese@jacksondiocese.org)

call the parish office 601-372-4481

*Suggested Mass stipend is \$10.*

September 26, 2021

26th Sunday Ordinary Time

*“We saw someone driving out demons in your name, and we tried to prevent him.” - Mark 9:38*

Discipleship is not some personal privilege to be jealously guarded. Appreciation of the good deeds done by others is essential. In his kingdom, power-seeking and rivalry have no place: they are an obstacle and a cause of scandal. Jesus is generous. The slightest good deed done for him or for his Kingdom will not go unrewarded.

*Healing of the Demonic, Sebastien; 1616 (Public Domain)*



### Stewardship: Prayers of the Faithful for September

*“Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will hear you.” Jeremiah 29:12*

September 26, 2021

26th Sunday Ordinary Time

That we may examine our lifestyle and be more responsive to God's will by being generous with our time, our talent, and our treasure. we pray to the Lord...

### September Daily Readings that refer to Prayer

**\*September 27, 2021 - Psalms 102:18**

When he has regarded the prayer of the destitute, and not despised their prayer.

### Diocese Special Event Forms



2021homegrownharestgalaregistrator



2021golfregistratioform20update.pdf