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Saint  
Therese  
Church

Established 1924

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#### Masses & Services:

Monday-Saturday: 6:00 & 8:00 am  
Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 am & 5:00 pm  
Latin High Mass: Sundays at 1:00 pm  
Holy Days: 6:00, 8:00, 10:00 am and 7:30 pm

#### Devotions:

Rosary: Following the Mon-Sat 8:00 am Mass  
Exposition/Benediction: Thursdays, 7:00-8:00 pm  
Intercessors for Priests: Thursdays, 8:00 pm  
St. Joseph Devotion: Wednesdays, 6:15-7:00 pm  
Fatima Pilgrimage: 13th of the month (May-Oct.)

#### Sacramental Programs:

Sacrament of Reconciliation:  
Wed, 7:00 - 8:30 pm; and Sat., 3:30 - 5:00 pm  
Baptism: Call 284-0020, ext. 225, to register  
Marriage: Contact priest at least six months before date  
RCIA (Sac. for adults) Rhonda Storey 284-0020, Ext. 225

#### Other Ministries / Programs:

Bible Study: Aurora Juarez, 688-9349  
Detention Ministry: Sonia Macias 323-724-6443  
First Friday Mass/All-Night Prayer Vigil, 7:30 pm-6:00 am  
Infertility Support Group: Alison Contreras, 713-702-7232  
King's Men: Sun. 6:30-8:30 pm, Rex Owens, 323-273-8825  
Knights of Columbus: Mike Pulciano, 641-0870  
Legion of Mary: Mon., 7:00 pm - Fr. David Guzman X 222  
Natural Family Planning: Jack & Katrina Crow 292-1906  
Respect Life Ministry: Catherine Contreras, 213-435-3942  
Rosary Makers: Edward William 768-0758/tieknt@gmail.com  
St. Joseph Devotion Prayer Ministry: - Ed William 768-0758

**Pastor:** Fr. Philip Sullivan, OCD (Ext. 226)

**Associate Pastors:** Fr. David Guzman, OCD (X222)  
and Fr. Bernard Perkins, OCD (Ext. 232)

**Deacon Couple:** Deacon Joe & Lorraine Mizerski (X333)

**Vocations:** Parish: Fr. David Guzman OCD (X 222)  
Regional: 909-629-9495; Archdiocesan: 213-637-7515

**Parish Secretary:** Denise McMaster-Holguin (Ext. 223)

**Finances/Donations:** Noralyn Cailan (Ext. 228)

**Christian Services:** Bridie McDermott (Ext. 224)

**Choir Directors/Organist:**

George and Barbara Klump (818) 249-8472  
9:00 a.m.: Marcia Martinez-Bateman (775) 771-4992

#### Liturgical Coordinators:

Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers of the Altar:  
Deacon Joseph & Lorraine Mizerski (Ext. 333)  
Eucharistic Ministers to the Sick:  
Fred & Margaret Padilla, 282-0943

#### St. Therese Religious Education:

Rhonda Storey 284-0020 (Ext. 225) rhondalstorey@gmail.com  
\* Pre K through 8th Grade \* Adult Religious Ed

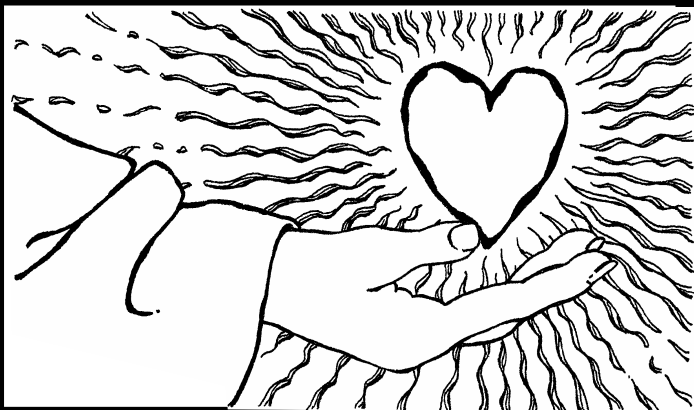
#### Youth/Adult Confirmation Program:

Ruben Beltran, 284-0020, Ext. 235;  
Email: rubenconfirmation@yahoo.com

**Youth Ministry:** Adam Orozco, 284-0020, Ext. 235;  
Email: Adam.o311@gmail.com

**St. Therese Catholic School:** 289-3364, Ext. 660  
Principal: Carmela Lovano, E-mail:

510 North El Molino Street . Alhambra, California 91801 . 282-2744 . FAX 282-7560 (Unless otherwise indicated, all telephone numbers in the bulletin are in the (626) area code.) **New Parishioners: WELCOME TO ST. THERESE!** Please come to the Parish office to register. **Office Hours:** Monday through Friday, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm; 2:00 to 5:00 pm; 6:00 to 8:00 pm—**closed from 1:00 to 2:00 pm & 5:00 to 6:00 pm;** **Eucharistic Adoration** - Continuous, day and night. Sign up for an hour of adoration and pray for vocations. Coordinators: Carlos & Carla Johnson - 289-0388



## Fifth Sunday of Easter

April 28, 2013

Behold, God's dwelling is with the  
human race. —Revelation 21:3

# First Friday Celebration

The next First Friday Mass and All-Night Vigil will be this **Friday, May 3rd**. The celebration will begin with **Mass at 7:30 p.m.**, followed by the all-night vigil, conducted by the Alliance of the Two Hearts. The vigil includes led meditations, the Rosary, and a talk at approximately 9:00 p.m.. The celebration concludes with a Benediction service beginning at 5:45 a.m.



## ST. THERESE SCHOOL NEWS:

**BE OUR GUEST!** St. Therese School would like to invite your child to experience a day with our students. Please call the school office for more details.

Please keep our 2nd Graders in prayers as they prepare for First Communion.

Congratulations to our 8th Grade students for their outstanding achievements in being accepted to the area's top high schools.

Please consider joining us for these upcoming events:

- May Crowning All-School Mass on **Monday, May 6**, at 8:00 a.m.
- Fine Arts Night on Friday, May 17
- 2013-2014 New Student Registration for TK - 7<sup>th</sup> Grade
- Ongoing Collection of Non-Perishable Food for our Christian Services Pantry
- Ongoing Collection of Box Tops for Education
- Imagination Station: Summer Enrichment Program for TK through 6<sup>th</sup> Grade from June 24 to July 19. Call the school office for more information.



Please visit the school office to purchase retail gift cards and to purchase AVON! We also encourage you to visit the school offices or our website at [www.stthereseschoolalhambra.org](http://www.stthereseschoolalhambra.org) for important updates. Please feel free to contact our Principal, Mrs. Lovano, by phone at 289-3364 or by email at [clovano@stthereseschoolalhambra.org](mailto:clovano@stthereseschoolalhambra.org). We look forward to hearing from you!

# Special

## RELIGIOUS ED FUNDRAISER

St. Therese Religious Education (STRE) is having a fundraiser for our 2013 Summer Youth Programs. Please join us on **Friday, May 10, anytime between 5:00 and 11:00 p.m., at Shakey's Pizza on Valley in Alhambra.** Bring your friends and family. Dine in or take out (except for the buffet). **SPECIAL GUEST!** Our former pastor, Fr. Jan Lundberg will be in attendance to see all his parish friends. Come enjoy some pizza AND catch up with Fr. Jan as he shares his experiences at the Carmelite Mission in Africa. **THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING THE STRE PROGRAMS!**



# Save the Date!

The Ninth Annual **VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DINNER** will be held on **Saturday evening, June 29!** If you volunteer in any way for our parish, mark this event on your calendars now so you won't miss out!



**MOTHER'S DAY BENEFIT:** Who is hand-delivering 1200 gifts this Mother's Day? The Auxiliary of the Pregnancy Help Center of the SGV (PHC) is the "culprit." The week before Mother's Day the Auxiliary celebrates the gift of motherhood, and saving babies' lives, by bestowing a gift on each of its benefactors, and those expressing a wish to help support the PHC. The Center offers services to pregnant women who have financial or emotional obstacles to a happy pregnancy. What is the "gift?" It is a practical, compact and convenient manicure set in its own white plastic case. The set includes nail scissors, nail clippers, tweezers, and nail file. If you are interested in receiving this gift, and wish to help make this project a success, please contact Susan Cuni at 287-7474—or make a check payable to the Auxiliary of the PHC-SGV (309-0788), and mail it to Jane Chavez, Executive Director, Pregnancy Help Center of the San Gabriel Valley, Inc., 5626 North Rosemead Boulevard, Temple City, CA 91780. Thank you!

**BIBLE STUDY:** You may join our weekly Bible Study program at any time. We are now studying "**The Bible Timeline: The Story of Salvation,**" Jeff Cavins' 24-part Bible study. It began on Wednesday, January 30, and will continue to be held **most every Wednesday from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m.,** in the Parish Meeting Room of the Parish Center (2nd Floor). This study will take you through the *entire* Bible, teaching you how events in the Old Testament are fulfilled in the New—giving you a greater appreciation for the Scriptures. For more information or to register, please contact Aurora Juarez at [ajuarez@dwcpackaging.com](mailto:ajuarez@dwcpackaging.com) or 688-9349.

**RETREAT OPPORTUNITIES FOR MEN AND COUPLES:** Get away from your day-to-day life and go on a retreat at El Carmelo with the Carmelite Friars in Redlands (Father Adam, Father Mark and Brother Jason). You will have a comfortable room with private bath, family style meals, and an atmosphere of Peace and Beauty. The rates for the weekend are \$170.00 (Shared Room) and \$195.00 (single room). We do require \$50.00 check or money order (made out to El Carmelo Retreat House) as a non-refundable deposit. All retreats include the Sacraments, conferences, private consultations, etc. The first opportunity is a **MARRIED COUPLES RETREAT on the weekend of May 17—19.** For reservations and/or more information, call Tom and Jeanette Curran at (619) 444-4971. The second is a **MEN'S RETREAT on the weekend of May 31—June 2.** For



# Parish Ministries

## ST. TERESE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



**STRE** The final dates for the year are as follows: **Sunday, May 5:** Final class; **Saturday, May 18, 10:00 a.m.:** First Communion Mass; **Sunday, May 19:** All students and their families will attend the **9:00 a.m. Mass**, which will include a May Crowning celebration. Year-Two First Communion students should wear their First Communion clothes and bring a couple of roses or flowers to present to Mary during the procession. After the Mass, we will gather in the Hall for Certificates and a final celebration.

**RCIA:** Congratulations to those receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation today, April 28! Upcoming classes are May 2, 9 and 16. The final class is June 6.

**SHAKEY'S PIZZA FUNDRAISER:** We invite all Religious Ed Families to our fundraiser at Shakey's on Friday, May 10. See the details on Page Three.



## YOUTH CONFIRMATION

Congratulations to our Year-Two students who will receive the long-awaited Sacrament of Confirmation at today's 5:00 p.m. Mass. The next—and final—class for all students will be next Sunday, May 5, at the normal time.



## LECTOR

**MINISTRY:** If you're interested in becoming a Lector, call Ruben.

**YOUTH MINISTRY:** For information about upcoming events, send Adam an email at Adam.o311@gmail.com.

**BAPTISM MINISTRY:** Rhonda Storey, 284-0020, X 225 ~ In order to take part in our Baptism Program, **PARENTS & GODPARENTS** are required to: 1) Have an interview the month before the Baptism; 2) Attend a class (next are **May 6 and June 3**)—fee is **\$100 per child or \$25 for the class only** from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m., in the Library; And 3) Attend a Presentation Sunday Mass (next open dates are **May 12 and June 16**) at 9:00 a.m. Your child will then be baptized on a Saturday (next OPEN Baptisms are on **May 25 and June 22 at Noon**). **SELECTING THE GODPARENTS:** Canon Law requires you to have at least one godparent (may have two) who: 1) is at least 16; 2) has been Confirmed; and 3) is a practicing Catholic. A form attesting to this will need to be signed by a priest from the parish of each prospective godparent.

## RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY, "FOOT SOLDIERS FOR LIFE":

Mother's Day Benefit: See Page Three for details.

Please keep Roosevelt High School Safety Task Force and its Mission in your prayers. Roosevelt High School is the only school in the United States that has a Planned Parenthood clinic on its grounds. Birth control, condoms, and abortion referrals are being given to the students without parent knowledge or consent.

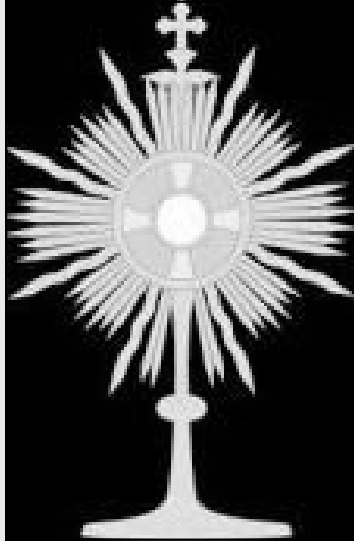
"ProLife with Catherine" can be heard on an internet radio show the first Tuesday of every month <http://www.davidlgray.info/blog/2013/02/dlg-program32013/>



Pray, Get Active, and Save Some Lives!!

# Parish Ministries / News:

## PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION



*“The presence of Jesus in the Eucharist is proof that His love for us has no sunset. The stresses and hurts and partings of life often bear down on us, and we may tend to feel alone as when the sun has gone down. But our lives do not have to go down into the shadows. It was at evening time that the Risen Lord restored the desolate spirits of two disciples by revealing His presence to them ‘in*

*the breaking of the bread.’ They pleaded with Him, ‘Stay with us, for it is towards evening’ (Lk 24,29). We too can plead with him, ‘Lord, be with us, both at sunrise and at sunset.’ -- Msgr. John Moloney, P.P.*

To sign up for an hour every week, please call Carlos or Carla Johnson at 289-0388.

## THANK YOU!

### FOR YOUR DONATIONS!

WEEKLY OFFERINGS: Below are the totals for last weekend’s collection and for the previous four weeks:

April 20 / 21, 2013

Unrestricted.....	\$10,701.00
Restricted .....	\$ 1,112 .00
<b>T O T A L.....</b>	<b>\$11,813.00</b>

March 23 / 24, 2013.....	\$17,043.00
March 30 / 31, 2013.....	\$30,266.00
April 6 / 7, 2013.....	\$13,974.00
April 13 / 14, 2013.....	\$12,452.00

As a friendly suggestion for those who are employed, we propose a realistic donation of at least one hour of pay per week.



## TOGETHER IN MISSION 2013

“Love Never Fails”

Our assigned goal.....	\$64,563.00
Donations received as of 4/23/13.....	\$12,277.00
Donations needed to reach goal.....	\$52,286.00

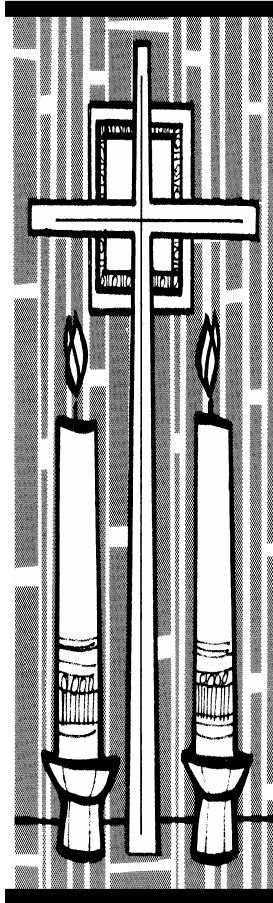


**Baby Bottle Drive:** Members of Guadalupe Pregnancy Services (GPS) will distribute baby bottles after all the Masses next weekend, **Saturday, May 4, and Sunday, May 5.** Those who take the bottles are asked to fill them with coins, cash or checks throughout the month of May, the proceeds of which will go to help mothers and their babies. On the weekend of June 1 & 2, designated volunteers will pick up the filled Baby Bottles at the church. If you have any questions, stop by the table that will be set up outside the church to ask one of the volunteers.

**Mary’s Crib Project:** Guadalupe Pregnancy Services (GPS) will also sponsor this project during the month of May. A crib, set up near Our Lady’s side altar, will have tags attached to it with various baby items written on them. Please take one or more tags, purchase the item written on it, and then bring the item(s) to church to place into the crib. These items will be collected regularly by volunteers to be used for mothers and their babies. GPS is also having its Second Anniversary Open House on the weekend of May 18 & May 19.



## Mass Intentions For the Week of 4/27/13 to 5/4/13



**Saturday:**  
5:00 p.m. Sherry Lopez INT

**Sunday:**  
\*7:30 a.m. Fr. Jerome Lantry OCD RIP  
7:30 a.m.: Parishioners  
9:00 a.m.: Soledad Ruiz RIP  
11:00 a.m.: Letty Baldo O'Donnel RIP  
1:00 p.m. (Latin): Jim Lindsay INT  
5:00 pm: Joseph Mulvihill RIP

**Monday:**  
6:00 a.m.: Theresa Lim RIP  
\*7:30 a.m.: Catherine Park INT  
8:00 a.m.: Jerry Deason RIP

**Tuesday:**  
6:00 a.m.: Josua Joseph Ribaya INT  
\*7:30 a.m.: Scholastica Keimon INT  
8:00 am: Lucille Moore RIP

**Wednesday:**  
6:00 a.m.: Thomas Park INT  
\*7:30 a.m.: Moira Tam INT  
8:00 a.m.: Salvator Maiorino RIP

**Thursday:**  
\*6:00 a.m.: Theresa Lim RIP  
7:30 a.m. Pual A. Erskine RIP  
8:00 a.m. Jessie and John Cairns RIP

**Friday:**  
6:00 a.m.: Leslie & Jay Ribaya Anniv. INT  
\*7:30 a.m. Paul A. Erskine RIP  
8:00 am: Antonio Cailan INT

**Saturday:**  
7:30 p.m.: Theresa Lim RIP  
\*7:30 a.m.: Carmelite Community  
8:00 am: Richard Haberman RIP

\*Held in the Cloistered Carmelite Chapel, 215 E. Alhambra Road—open to the public every day **except** on Sundays, Vigils and major holy days and holidays.

### *Intentions of our Holy Father for May 2013:*

1) That seminaries, especially those of mission Churches, may form pastors after the Heart of Christ, fully dedicated to proclaiming the Gospel; 2) That administrators of justice may act always with integrity and right conscience.



## Lectors:

### Saturday:

5:00 p.m. Rebeca Willis / Elena Muhr

### Sunday:

7:30 a.m. Ron Sandoval / Florence Goh  
9:00 a.m. Rylin Bencenti / Antoinette Sandoval  
11:00 a.m. Marta Timar / Andy Zepeda  
5:00 p.m. Gil Vargas / Youth Lector

## Floral Dedication



This week's flowers are in honor of the birthdays of the following persons:

+ Rosana Diokno-Sanders  
+ Ruben Valenzuela

May God grant each of you many blessings on your birthdays!

To dedicate a floral arrangement in someone's honor, for a special occasion, or in memory of a loved one, contact Giovanna Setiady at 281-9049.

## Personal Ads

**FOR RENT:** Large Room in LA home. Priv. entrance, kitch. privileges. \$500/mo.+\$300 deposit (utilities included). No smoking/alcohol/illegal drugs. Call 323-222-8909.

**STUDIO FOR RENT:** Upstairs, includes stove and refrigerator, quiet area, street parking, walk to bus, shops. \$900/mo. Call 241-8727.

## Outside the Parish

Come to the St. Francis H.S. **GIANT YARD SALE** (in their gym), 200 Foothill Blvd., La Canada, Sun., Apr. 28, from 8:30 am to 1:30 pm. For more info, call 818-790-0325.

**PACIFIC MISSION TOURS** takes you to the Missions of the L.A. Basin in six hours. Includes lunch and beverages at each stop. Call 415-413-8687 for more info.

**CARMELITE PILGRIMAGE TO WESTERN EUROPE** (Carmelite and Marian Shrines) on **September 2-15, 2013**, with our Pastor, Fr. Philip Sullivan, OCD. Will visit many sites in France (Paris, Lisieux, Lourdes); Spain (Avila, Segovia); and Portugal (Fatima). Cost is \$4,395. For more info, call Louisa & Jack Day at 323-722-9339 or 323-360-5186. Download an itinerary at [www.syversentouring.com](http://www.syversentouring.com).

**SAFARI IN TANZANIA:** Have you dreamed of seeing wildlife in its native habitat? Do you desire to learn about new cultures? If so, this tour through Tanzania is the vacation for you. Fr. Jan Lundberg will be joining this safari in Tanzania from Nov 4 to Nov, 13, 2013. Cost including airfare & land tour is \$5,408 per person (double occu.). Daily Mass during the trip. If interested, contact Angela at Avenue of Travel at 394-4367 or [aokyang@gmail.com](mailto:aokyang@gmail.com).

Please join Fr. Jose Parathanal on a **pilgrimage** to Guadalupe, Mexico from 5/20/13 to 5/25/13; and a "Footsteps of St. Paul" to Turkey & Greece 10/3/13 to 10/15/13. Contact: Bernadette Corpuz at [bcorp1114@hotmail.com](mailto:bcorp1114@hotmail.com); tel: 323-344-1548 or 323-547-6618.

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