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Saint Therese Church

June 8, 2014 Ministered by the Discalced Carmelite Friars Established 1924

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510 North El Molino Street .Alhambra, California 91801 . 282-2744 . FAX 282-7560 (Unless otherwise indicated, all the telephone numbers in the bulletin are in the (626) area code.)

Pastor: Fr. Philip Sullivan, OCD (226) Associate Pastors: Fr. David Guzman, OCD (222) and Fr. Bernard Perkins, OCD (232) In Residence: Fr. Albert Bunsic, OCD (336) Deacon Couple: Deacon Joe & Lorraine Mizerski (333) Vocations: Fr. David Guzman OCD (222); Regional: 909-629-9495 - Archdiocesan: 213-637-7515

Masses & Services: Monday-Saturday: 6:00 & 8:00 am; Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm; Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 am, and 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; Fatima Devotion: I 3th of the month from May through October

Sacramental Programs:

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession): Wed., 7:00 - 8:30 pm; and Sat., 3:30 - 5:00 pm Baptism: Register at 284-0020, 225 Weddings: Call 6 months before date RCIA: Rhonda Storey 284-0020, 225

Other Ministries / Programs:

Bereavement Support, 2nd/4th Wed., 2:30-4 pm: Deacon Couple, 333 Bible Study: Aurora Juarez, 688-9349 **Detention Ministry: Sonia Macias** 323-724-6443 First Friday Mass/All-Night Prayer Vigil, Mass from 7:30 pm-6:00 am Holy Family Infertility Support Group: Katrina Crow, 292-1906 Knights of Columbus: Mike Pulciano, 641-0870 Legion of Mary: Mon., 7:00 pm Natural Family Planning: 292-1906 Respect Life Ministry / Foot Soldiers: Catherine Contreras, 213-435-3942 Rosary Makers/Tuesdays: Ed William 975-1838 / tieknt@gmail.com St. Joseph Prayer Group: Wednesdays, 6:15 pm - Albert Grana 576-0872 "Tea at Therese" Womens Group:

Dara Barbosa, (301)542-9701

St. Therese, Pray for Us!



PARISH MISSION STATEMENT: St. Therese Church is an active and Eucharistic Parish Community dedicated in faith and service to a loving and merciful God under our Patroness, St. Therese of Lisieux. We are committed in our ministries to providing discipleship through evangelization and fostering a contemplative life, resulting in Christian formation and spiritual growth of our members. Parish Secretary: Denise McMaster-Holguin, 223

Finance: Noralyn Cailan, 228

Christian Services: Bridie McDermott, 224

Choir Directors/Organist: 11:00 a.m.: George and Barbara Klump (818) 249-8472 9:00 a.m.: Marcia Martinez-Bateman (775) 771-4992

Coordinators for Ministry to the Sick: Fred & Margaret Padilla, 282-0943

St. Therese Religious Education: Rhonda Storey 284-0020, 225 rhondalstorey@gmail.com

* Pre K through 8th Grade * Adult Religious Ed

Youth / Adult Confirmation Programs: Ruben Beltran, 284-0020, 235. Email: rubenconfirmation@yahoo.com

St. Therese Catholic School: 289-3364 - Principal: Carmela Lovano, clovano@stthereseschoolalhambra.org Web Site:.stthereseschoolalhambra.org

New Parishioners: Welcome to St. Therese! Please come to the Parish Office to register.

510 N. El Molino St., Alhambra—Office Hours: Monday through Friday, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm; 2:00 to 5:00 pm; 6:00 to 8:00 pm—<u>closed from 1:00 to 2:00 pm & 5:00 to 6:00 pm</u> Eucharistic Adoration - Continuous, day and night. Sign up for an hour of adoration and pray for vocations. Coordinators: Carlos & Carla Johnson – 289-0388

Pentecost Sunday - June 8, 2014

There appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them. —Acts 2:3

PLEASE WELCOME DEACON BROTHER LEONEL VARELA TO THE SAINT THERESE PARISH COMMUNITY

Deacon Bro. Leonel Varela of Jesus and Carmel will is now assigned to St. Therese for his Pastoral year (beginning this month). He will be ordained a priest at 9:30 a.m., on July 26, 2014, at St. Frances Xavier Cabrini in Yucaipa (near Redlands), where he has family. When you meet him, please be sure to give him a warm welcome!

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS: OFather, raise up abundant and holy vocations to the priesthood, who keep and guard the blessed memory of Your Son Jesus through the preaching of His word and the administration of His Sacraments, through which You continually renew Your faithful. Amen



Deacon Bro. Leonel receiving his diplomas for his Master's of Divinity and Master's of Theology

St. Therese School is proud to be a Community of Faith, Knowledge, and Service.

Please join us as we bid a fond farewell to our 8th graders. May you all continue to be blessed and guided by St. Therese throughout your high school years. Please remember that STS will always be your home! ALSO... we wish our beloved **Mrs. Christina Valenzuela** a very happy retirement! We thank you for the past 19 years of service and dedication to the children of STS and for your overall devotion to Catholic Education. Have a joyous and blessed retirement! We will miss you!



- Farewell Assembly for $8^{\rm th}$ Graders AND Mrs. Valenzuela on June 10 at 2:00 p.m.
- All School Mass on June 12 at 9:00 a.m.
- 8th Grade Graduation on June 13 at 5:00 p.m.
- Last-day-of-School All School Mass on June 19 at 9:00 a.m.
- Summer School Begins on June 22!
- Ongoing Summer School Registration for TK 8th Grade
- Ongoing New Student Registration for TK 8th Grade
- Ongoing Student Guest Program Your child is invited to experience a day with our students
- Ongoing Collection of Non-Perishable Food for our Christian Services Pantry
- Ongoing Collection of Box Tops for Education

We encourage you to visit the school office or our website, www.stthereseschoolalhambra.org, for important information and updates. Please feel free to contact our Principal, Mrs. Lovano, by phone at 289-3364 or by email at clovano@stthereseschoolalhambra.org. We look forward to hearing from you!



VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DINNER

Saturday, June 21, from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.

In honor of our 90th Anniversary, the theme for this year's celebration is **"Honoring Our Past"**. If you volunteer at St. Therese in any ministry, group, or event, then **YOU** are invited to attend this complimentary dinner and celebration.



During the celebration we will honor Fr. David for his five years of service before he leaves for his new assignment as Priest-Administrator of Santa Cruz in Tucson.

Check your calendars to see if you're free on Saturday, June 21, from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.,

and then RSVP to 282-2744 (223). Give your name, your ministry, and—if

bringing a guest—the guest's name. <u>If you aren't a</u> regular volunteer but would like to help us set up for this event, please call Denise in the Parish Offices at 282-2744 (223). DRESS: We hope to have a PHOTO BOOTH so, if you'd like, get in the spirit of the evening and come dressed in an era from our past: the 20's, 30's, 40's, 50's, 60's, etc.



BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP: If you are grieving for a loved one—no matter how long ago or for whom—please join us for our Bereavement Support Group, formed in honor of Patricia Bordonaro. We meet in the Parish Offices from 2:30 to 4:00 p.m. on the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of each month (next dates are June 11 and June 25). For additional information, please contact Deacon Joe and Lorraine Mizerski at 282-2744, ext. 333.

RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY-FOOT SOLDIERS FOR LIFE

Please keep the Foot Soldiers for Life in your prayers and know that you are in ours. If you are interested in joining one of the below activities or have any questions, please feel free to contact Catherine Contreras at (213) 435-3942. God bless you and remember, as Pope Francis said, "Defend the unborn against abortion even if they persecute you, calumniate you, set traps for you, take you to court, or kill you."

FREE! "40" FILM PREMIER in Burbank on Thursday, June 12, at 7:00 p.m. "40" Is a wakeup call for America that Investigates the aftermath of legalized abortion over the last 40 years. It gives voice to both sides and lets women speak about their firm convictions about abortion. 40 addresses some of the strongest arguments for the pro-choice position, provides heartfelt testimonies from post-abortive women and men, and captures the impact of abortion on women, men, families, and society in an exquisite encounter with human dignity. Beautifully shot, eloquently produced, with no abortion images, 40 it is a must see for all people, young and old. There are LIMITED Seats available for this FREE premiere. To reserve your ticket, please REGISTER at the following link: www.eventbrite.com/e/40-film-premiere-in-los-angeles-tickets-11572574883

SURVIVORS PROLIFE TRAINING CAMPS have equipped hundreds of high school and college students to be effective voices for the preborn! From preparing press releases to sharing the truth of abortion on a street corner, the Survivors are trained as abolitionists of the highest caliber. Through the signature combination of classroom teaching and hands-on experience, the Survivors ProLife Training Camps are producing Pro Life leaders for the next generation. If you were unable to reserve a seat for Camp (which is sold out), you may still join us on the Activism days (Camp goes from June 23 to July 4). You will be able to join almost 100 Youth from across the country sharing the message of Life, and will be forever moved at their truth-filled zeal! Here is a link for more information: www.survivors.la/upcoming-events-1/

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ADORATION CHAPEL

"Now consider which is more excellent, the manna in the desert or the Flesh of Christ, the Body of life. The former was from heaven, the latter from the Lord of the heavens; the former was subject to corruption if it was preserved for a second day, the latter foreign to all corruption so that whoever shall have worthily tasted it will not be able to experience corruption. For the people of Israel, water flowed

from the rock; for you, Blood flows from Christ. The water satisfied them for a while; Blood washes you for eternity." --St. Ambrose

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

VIRTUS TRAINING CLASS. "Protecting God's Children"



Anyone working or volunteering with or around children in a n y Archdiocesan parish or school must be VIRTUStrained. To help our staff and volunteers be in compliance with this requirement, we will offer a VIRTUS "Protecting God's Children" training class on Wednesday, June 11, to 9:00 from 6:00 p.m., in the Parish Call Rhonda Library. Storey, DRE, at 284-0020, ext. 225, to register or for more information. If no answer, please leave your

name and number. If you do not receive a confirmation call, please be sure to be there on time! There is no fee for attending.

GUADALUPE PREGNANCY SERVICES (GPS) GPS Are you pregnant? Do you need help? Guadalupe Pregnancy Services (GPS) counselors are available to help you with any situation regarding your pregnancy. All services are local and are offered privately and confidentially. We offer counseling, education, resources and referrals. Contact Louisa Day at 872-2483 or email gps.pregnancy@ymail.com

TITHING

REMEMBER... Tithing is an integral part of YOUR relationship with God...

WEEKLY OFFERINGS: Below are the totals for last weekend and for the previous four weekends:

May 31 / June 1, 2014

Unrestricted Restricted	. ,
ΤΟΤΑΙ	
May 3 / 4, 2014	\$13,216.00
May 10 / 11, 2014	\$ 8,968.00
May 17/18, 2014	\$11,119.00
May 24 / 25, 2014	

...for God loves a cheerful giver" (2 Corinthians 9:7).



90TH ANNIVERSARY PICTORIAL DIRECTORY UPDATE! The directory is now in the production / printing stages! We have put extra time into it as we want it to be extra-special for our 90th Anniversary. It will contain several articles, including about our history, our patroness, her parents, and her sisters. Additional copies will be available for purchase.



CD OF THE WEEK - "Marriage and Family: Love Unveiled" by Dr. Scott Hahn. Good relationships and marriages are of vital importance to individuals, the Church, and society overall, but real effort and wisdom are indispensable to making them strong and lasting. In this focused presentation, Dr. Scott Hahn shares key principles that he has lived out in his own life. His advice is practical and challenging and sometimes requires sacrifice, but it is sure to bear good fruit and bring forth many blessings. *"Brilliant words of wisdom... A great engagement or wedding gift!" -Julie, Sterling, VA.* Your donations help us to replenish the kiosk with more CDs and Books. Make checks payable to St. Therese Church. Thank you. For more information, contact Victoria Sandoval at (323) 803-9956 or geribah03@gmail.com.

BAPTISM MINISTRY Rhonda Storey, 284-0020, Ext. 225 - In order to take part in our Baptism Program, PARENTS & GODPARENTS are required to



attend a class from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. in the Parish Library (next date, July 1). The fee is \$100 per child or \$25 for the class only. Your child will then be baptized on а

Saturday at Noon (next open Baptism is July 19).

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.

ATTENTION ALL PARISHIONERS! SAY GOODBYE TO FR. DAVID

The Knights of Columbus invite you to come to Pizza Place California, 303 South Mission, San Gabriel, on **Tuesday, June 17, any time between 6:00 and 9:00 p.m.,** for an opportunity to say "goodbye" to Fr. David before he leaves for his new assignment in



Tucson. If you'd like to check out the menu and the prices before going, the website is <u>www.pizzaplaceca.com</u> (the restaurant will give a percentage of each person's or family's total food bill to Fr. David as a gift).

SHORT FILM TO BENEFIT CATHOLIC EDUCATION

Actor David Henrie, best known for his work in *Wizards of Waverly Place*, has written and directed a heartwarming short film called "*CATCH*" about the ever-present realities faced by fathers and sons with a moving message about the importance of family and faith. Purchase a DVD or download it for just \$4.99. One dollar of every download, DVD purchase, or related merchandise will benefit the Catholic Education Foundation and give children in need a Catholic education. To purchase or download, go to www.catchtheshortfilm.com

"TEA AT THERESE" - WOMEN'S GROUP

"She opens her mouth with wisdom, and the teaching of kindness is on her tongue." -Proverbs 31:26

Women! Come join us for a prayer and discussion group, accompanied by tea and treats! Children are welcome! We hold these meetings at **10:00 a.m., on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month,** in the Avila Room in the Parish Offices (510 N. El Molino Street). Next dates are June 12 and 26. For more information, contact Dara Barbosa at (301)542-9701.





Intentions of our Holy Father for June 2014:

1) That the unemployed may receive support and find the work they need to live in dignity; and 2) That Europe may rediscover its Christian roots through the witness of believers.



Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Alice Cheung / Elena Muhr

<u>Sunday</u>:

7:30 a.m. Aurora Dolores / Olivia Carnegie 9:00 a.m. Lucas Setiady / Jim Raney 11:00 a.m. Ignacio Verduzco / Jeff Storey 5:00 p.m. Gil Vargas / Vickie Blair

Floral Dedications

The floral dedications for this week are:

 In Thanksgiving for a Generous Parishioner

To dedicate a floral arrangement in someone's honor, for a special occasion, or in memory of a loved one, leave a message for Giovanna Setiady at 281-9049. Each bouquet is \$40 (most people get two).



Personal Ads

Mature, responsible Parishioner (non-smoker, nondrinker) SEEKS A 1 BR APT. AVAILABLE FOR RENT (Can pay \$1,000 or less per month). If you have availability, leave a msg. at 282-2744 (223).

Memorial Mass for Madeline Purdy



Outside the Parish

ATTENTION SINGLE CATHOLIC MEN, 18-30 years of age: The Knights of the Holy Eucharist, a community of lay brothers faithful to Holy Mother Church and Our Eucharistic Lord, invite you to discern your vocation at the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Hanceville, Alabama. Learn more at their website, <u>www.knights.org</u>.

LOS ANGELES AREA PREMIERE! A new documentary, *Band of Sisters*, tells the story of Catholic nuns and their work for social justice after Vatican II. It will be playing June 24-28 at the Laemmle in Pasadena. See the times at <u>www.laemmle.com</u> or for more info about the movie, go to <u>www.bandofsistersmovie.com</u>

LAST CHANCE! PILGRIMAGE TO TURKEY-GREECE & EPHESUS, June 16–30, 2014, with Carmelite Father Ramiro Casale. For more info, contact JMJ Ministries at 520-573-0065.

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