



Saint Theresa Catholic Church

Alive in Christ

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Sunday Nov. 16, 2014 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Mass Intentions

Saturday	Nov 15	7:00 a.m. Robert and Lucille Fluette by the family
		4:00 p.m. Albert and Diana Coulombe by their daughter and great grandson
Sunday	Nov 16	9:30 a.m. Gilchrist and Driscoll families (for good health) by Marylee Gilchrist
Monday	Nov 17	7:00 a.m. Joseph DiPietro (for good health) by Dicky and Sheila Landry
Tuesday	Nov 18	7:00 a.m. Mass for Blessed Mother (for a favor obtained) by a parishioner
Wednesday	Nov 19	7:00 a.m. For the People of St. Theresa
Thursday	Nov 20	7:00 a.m. Edna Derois by Constance and Roger Perreault
Friday	Nov 21	7:00 a.m. Rita Cardinal by Yvette Asselin
Saturday	Nov 22	7:00 a.m. Denise McNamara by Jim and Elaine 4:00 p.m. Norma DiPietro by her husband, Joseph
Sunday	Nov 23	9:30 a.m. Henri Riquier by his family

***If possible, we would like members of the family who requested the Mass to bring up the gifts at the appropriate time
***Please excuse any misspelled names. Please phone any corrections.



THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

	Mon-Sat	Noon	12 Golden Steps Meeting	Father Lamothe Center
DAILY				
Sunday	Nov 16	After Mass	Coffee And ...	Father Lamothe Center
Tuesday	Nov 18	9:00 a.m.	Prayer Shawl Group	Father Lamothe Center
Wednesday	Nov 19	7:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal	Church
Thursday	Nov 20	9:00 a.m.	Prayer Shawl Group	Church
Friday	Nov 21	6:30 p.m.	Holy Hour	Chapel
Saturday	Nov 22	3:00 p.m.	Confession	Confessional

11/22 & 11/23	Altar Servers	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Readers
Saturday 4:00 p.m.	D Cardone, R & C Swenson	M. Cardone, C. Martinelli, C. & R. Perreault, H. Trottier	D. Plouffe
Sunday 9:30 a.m.	C Demotte, A & B Putnam M Driscoll, M Varieur, C Norcross-Joyce, O Castonguay, A&A Marino	G. Marchand, E. & J. McNamara, R. Turcotte	T. Harvey

Last Sunday's Collection: Stewardship: \$2547; Capital Improvements: \$733.75 Thank you!
Saint Michael's Vigil Lights: For All Military Members in Harm's Way

NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome to Saint Theresa's Parish. Please register at the Parish Office on the second floor.

BAPTISM: Contact Father O'Mara or Deacon Gagliani for catechesis and arrangement for celebration of the sacrament.

MARRIAGE: Marriage preparation takes about one year. Couples who wish to marry at Saint Theresa's should see Father O'Mara or Deacon Gagliani as soon as possible.

RECONCILIATION/PENANCE: Saturday at 3:00 to 3:40 p.m. in the confessional or by appointment.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Please call for a hospital visit or anointing of the sick.

HOLY HOUR: Friday evening at 6:30.

ROSARY: After the weekday morning Mass

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Sundays, September to May. Kindergarten through Grade 10. Session begins at 8:15 a.m. and ends after Mass at 10:30 a.m.

FOOD PANTRY: Donations are always accepted. "Got Food? Sunday" collection is the last weekend of each month. The pantry is available on Tuesday and Saturdays, 9 a.m. to noon and Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. It is located in the Thrift Shop.

THRIFT SHOP: Open Tuesday & Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to noon and Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Donations of clothing are accepted Monday thru Friday. 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS

"Got Food? Sunday" collection, Saturday and Sunday, November 29 & 30
Social Committee Meeting Tuesday, December 9 at 7 p.m.



FROM THE OFFICE:

Are you a registered parishioner? Has your registration information changed? Please find registration forms on the literature table. Take one, complete, and mail it or drop it in the collection basket. We are happy to receive you into the family of St. Theresa's.

Please visit us at www.sttheresablackstone.org.



LEARNING, LOVING, & LIVING IN CHRIST

Our Religious Education enrollment continues to grow. We currently have 80 students registered! Confirmation has been scheduled for June 15. Further information will be posted in the bulletin and sent home with students shortly. Thank you for your patience.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE NEWS

Thank you to all the volunteers at the Christmas Crafts and Treasures. This event raised \$970.44.

It is time to elect a new chairman. Please consider joining the Social Committee and volunteering to chair this important ministry in our parish. For more information, contact the office or attend the next meeting on Tuesday, December 9 at 7 p.m. in the Father Lamothe Center.

On Sunday, November 30 at 1 p.m. the committee will gather for a social luncheon at the Coachman Restaurant (Dutch).

FOOD PANTRY

GREAT NEWS! Thanks to an additional volunteer, the food pantry and thrift shop are now open Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and Tuesday and Saturday 9 a.m. to noon. *More volunteers are always appreciated.* Thank you to all who donate food during the month AND on "GOT FOOD? Sunday." For the month of October the food pantry served 30 families. Donating to the Food Pantry can be easy and affordable by shopping the weekly specials. Any (non-perishable) items will be greatly appreciated. Drop off any time, however, the next "Got Food? Sunday" collection is November 29 and 30.



COFFEE AND ...

Please join us after the 9:30 a.m. Mass in the Father Lamothe Center.



THE ST. THERESA'S CHILDREN'S CHOIR meet on Sunday evenings at 6:30 to 7:15 p.m. New members are always welcome. Ages 7 and up. Contact Paula with questions at 508-883-2435

ALTAR SERVERS TRAINING is available to anyone who has received their First Communion. The first session will be Friday, November 21 from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. with Father Thien.

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Good stewards are like the industrious and reliable servants in today's Gospel, prudently using and multiplying the gifts entrusted to them by God. *or* The "worthy wife" described in today's first reading is a perfect example of active stewardship, reaching out her hands to the poor and extending her arms to the needy.

ENVELOPE REMINDER

The second collection on **November 23** is for the **Catholic Campaign for Human Development.**

The Annual Appeal for the Retirement Fund for Religious collection will be Saturday, December 6 and Sunday, December 7.



CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE will be going up soon and the tags will be hung. If you would like to participate in helping a family at Christmas, please plan on taking a tag to purchase a gift for a child or children to be returned to the church before December 7.



WELCOME to the Catholic Christian Community
through the Waters of Holy Baptism

Noah Xavien Orellano

May God bless him and his family.

ST. VINCENT DePAUL

The next meetings are Sunday, November 16, at St. Paul's and Sunday, December 14, at St. Theresa's. And in the new year, Sunday, January 18 and February 15, 2015 both meetings will be at St. Theresa's.

BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE

Volunteers are being sought to start a Bereavement Committee. This committee will support families of those who have died by helping them plan their funeral Mass. Please call the office for more information.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

"When one finds a worthy wife, her value is far beyond pearls. Her husband, entrusting his heart to her, has an unfailing prize." Do we value the prize we have in our spouse enough to take time to enjoy it? The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are December 5-7, 2014 and January 23 - 25, 2015. For more information call Jim and Elaine Richard at 1-800-710-WWME or visit our webpage at www.wwme.org



CATHOLIC CHARITIES is seeking individuals interested in working with elderly and the disabled. Aides provide light housekeeping, laundry and shopping and personal care. Companions provide socialization and light snacks. Hours needed for areas in the Blackstone Valley Greater Milford Area. Candidates must be reliable, compassionate and have reliable transportation. Please call 1-800-649-4364

IN THE COMMUNITY

St. Augustine's Parish will be having their **Annual Christmas Craft Fair on Saturday, November 29 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.**

St. Augustine's Knights of Columbus will be hosting a Meat Raffle and a spaghetti and meatball dinner. in the church hall. The charge is \$7.

