

Seventh Sunday of Easter | June 1st, 2025

Saint Theresa of the Child Jesus Catholic Church

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE UPCOMING WEEK

June 3rd	12:00 pm – Gregory Ellard (RIP)
June 4th	12:00pm – Richard Rice (RIP)
June 5th	12:00pm – Michael Garcia (RIP)
June 6th	12:00 pm – Thomas Jefferson (RIP)
June 8th	4:00 pm – Elizabeth Attaway (RIP)
June 9th	8:00 am – Dan Paffumi (SI) 10:30 am – D.L. Duet (RIP)

This week's reading will be number 1097. | Seventh Sunday of Easter / C

HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS: Tuesday-Friday: 12:00pm | Saturday: 4:00pm |
Sunday: 8:00am, 10:30am, 2:00pm (Spanish)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Tuesday-Friday 11:15am | Saturday 3:30pm | Sunday 9:00am

HOLY ROSARY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY: Weekdays: Tuesday- Friday 11:20am | Weekends:
Saturday and Sunday, 30 minutes prior to Mass | **20 Decade Rosary:** Wednesday at 10:30am

ADORATION HOUR: Wednesday evening from 7:00pm to 8:00pm |
Thursday evening from 6:00pm to 7:00pm.

FLAME OF LOVE PRAYER CENACLE: Tuesday at 10:30am in the church.

FATHER BEAN'S BOOK CLUB: Thursday at 10:00am in the Martin Hall.

MARY, MOTHER GUARDIAN OF THE FAITH PRAYER CENACLE: Thursday 6:00pm – 7:00pm
For more information, please call Jan/ Craig Bernard (205) 907-9874

FAITH FORMATION FOR CHILDREN: Will resume in September!

O.C.I.A.: Will resume in September!

FIRST FRIDAY: June 6, Anointing of the Sick following the Noon Mass.

FIRST SATURDAY: June 7, Confessions 11:15AM, Mass 12:00PM

"UPPER ROOM CATHOLICS"

You're invited to join us every "First Tuesday" of the month at 6:30 pm (in the Lounge Room) for intercessory prayer and personal ministry.

"When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place."

Acts 2:1 🙏

Contact Gina/Ricky for more information
@ 205-283-8842

Do you have a family member, friend or neighbor who died by suicide? The Church offers hope in the Amazing mercy of Jesus. There are prayers for them in the current Roman Missal. Fr. Bean would like to offer a Mass for the repose of these souls one evening in the near future. If you would like to have someone prayed for at this Mass please email their name(s) to the office at sttheresaleeds@gmail.com. The date for this Mass will be announced later.

"How To Pray" Seminar

How's your prayer life? Good...bad? Awesome...non-existent? Okay...but could be better? Regardless of what kind of prayer life you currently have, this "How to Pray" seminar can help to make it better. Join us as we dive into the prayer technique taught by St. Francis de Sales in his book, *Introduction to the Devout Life*. This seminar is for everyone - beginners in prayer to seasoned prayer warriors. We will be led by Fr. Bean, and parishioners Grant Fenske (3rd Order Dominican) and John Martignoni.

St. Paul tells us that we are to "pray without ceasing" (1 Thes 5:17). Yet, he also says that we "do not know how to pray as we ought," (Rom 8:26). For many of us, prayer can be a bit of a challenge. So, do you want to learn how to "pray as we ought" so that you can better "pray without ceasing"? Do you want to learn how to grow in your relationship with our Lord and with His Holy Spirit through prayer? How to develop a greater understanding and appreciation for the presence of God in your life and in the Eucharist?

These 3 evening sessions goal is to help you to learn how to spend your day with Christ, to have joy in your life and have it abundantly. It will also help you to better understand the power of prayer, where it comes from and how to use this gift of the Holy Spirit to change your life and the community around you!

If this piques your interest, then mark your calendars to join us on these three Tuesday nights - July 8th, 15th, and 22nd, 6:30pm - 8:00pm

Sacred and Immaculate Hearts Sodality meeting

1st Saturday, June 7, 2025

Come to honor the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary! Those two ❤️💖 hearts that love us so dearly every 1st Saturday starting June 7, 2025.

We will meet in the Church at 7:30 p.m. to pray the Litanies of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

Afterwards we will go to St. Martin's Hall for snacks, fellowship and fun. Come join us to pray and spend some time with your St. Theresa Parish family. Snacks will be provided but feel free to bring a snack to share if you wish.