

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time | October 5th, 2025

Saint Theresa of the Child Jesus Catholic Church

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Office Hours: Monday - Friday: 8:00am-12:00pm, 1:00pm-4:00pm

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE UPCOMING WEEK

October 7th | 12:00 pm – Joseph Keller (SI)

October 8th | 12:00pm – W.E. Pearson (RIP)

October 9th | 12:00pm – Deason “Sal” Rubio (SI)

October 10th | 12:00 pm – John Lowery (RIP)

October 11th | 4:00 pm – Lenara Brittain (RIP)

October 12th | 8:00am- Maria (Orlando) Paffumi (RIP)
10:30 am – Joe Shirley (RIP)

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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.

UPPER ROOM CATHOLICS: First Tuesday of the month, 6:30pm. In the lounge, in the church.
For more information, please call Gina/ Ricky at (205)283-8842.

SACRED AND IMMACULATE HEARTS SODALITY: First Saturday of the month, 7:30pm.
In the church.

P.S.R. and O.C.I.A.: Classes are Sunday mornings at 9:00am in the Parish Life Center!

We will be handing out 300 baby bottles for 40 Days for Life! Please fill them with change and return them to the church. They will be donated to Her Choice Birmingham Catholic Women's Center. Thank you!

The month of October is known as the Month of the Rosary in the Catholic Church, a tradition established by Pope Leo XIII in 1884 to encourage daily recitation of the Rosary to honor the Virgin Mary and intercede for peace and reconciliation in the world. This dedication stems from the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, celebrated annually on October 7th, commemoration the Christian victory at the Battle of Lepanto in 1571.

Saturday, October 11th will be the Anointing of the Sick after the 12:00PM Mass.

Fr. Bean will be on the Diocesan Priest Retreat October 13-17.
In case of a Sacramental emergency please call Deacon Chuck at 205-317-9909.

Please be generous with the Bishop's Catholic Charity Appeal. This funds the work of our Diocese. May the Lord reward you!

Fr. Bean's Book Club will start a new selection of short stories by Catholic writer Flannery O'Connor. Please pick up a copy and join us at 10AM in Martin Hall.

Items to be blessed by Fr. Bean should be left on the table outside of Martin Hall (just past the restrooms). After being blessed, the items will be marked with a cross sticker.

The Office of Vocations will be hosting a Seminary Live-In at Notre Dame Seminary October 23-26, 2025. This event is for men 21-35 years of age and is an opportunity for men to experience daily life in the seminary, attend classes, and meet current seminarians.

There is no fee to attend, but registration is required.

Father Bean invites you on a pilgrimage to the saints and shrines of Italy, APRIL 13-24, 2026! There are only 10 available seats left! You can find more information, including locations and cost, on the table near the restrooms. Register online at tektonministries.org.