Third Annual Feast of St. Therese

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23 5:00 - 10:00 PM

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24 3:00 - 10:00 PM

PROCESSION ~ 3:30 PM

MASS INTENTIONS

SAT.	**5PM**	**Edo Barzelatto, Love, Maryann**
	5PM	**Brendan O'Boyle, req. Carole & Kevin O'Boyle**
SUN.	**7:30**	**For the People of the Parish**
	9:30	**George Nilsen, req. the Nilsen Family**
	9:30	**Gil Muller, req. Lois Pagnozzi and the office of Religious Education**
	11:30	**John & Nancy Kearns, req. the Foley Family**
	11:30	**Doug Taylor, req. Angela Caserta**
MON.	**8:30**	**Paul Berberich, req. Audrey & Ken Hecken**
	8:30	**Ed Marks, req. Mary Ann & Bob Cassidy**
TUE.	**8:30**	**Alfred Elter, req. the H.S.A. of St. Therese**
	8:30	**(Margaret) Peggi McCann, req. Claire Cobb**
WED.	**8:30**	**Eileen Donovan, req. Peter & Felicia Amicucci**
	8:30	**Tyler Sullivan, req. William & Therese Higgins**
THU.	**8:30**	**Eileen Donovan, req. Aline McGrail**
	8:30	**Tony Duran, req. the LaMastra Family**
FRI.	**8:30**	**Anne Keegan, req. Aunt Anna Thomson**
	8:30	**John Sullivan, req. Anna Thomson**
SAT.	**5PM**	**John J. Fitzpatrick, req. John F. Fitzpatrick**
	5PM	**Gary Mioli, req. Tana**
SUN.	**7:30**	**For the People of the Parish**
	9:30	**George Postolakis, req. his wife, Madeline**
	9:30	**Robert Bigelow, req. Lois Pagnozzi**
	11:30	**Geraldine Solasky, req. Tara & Jim Glennon**
	11:30	**Geraldine Solasky, req. Lois Ozga**

Second Collection

Next weekend we will have our monthly CARES COLLECTION. Donations from CARES go directly to the needy of the parish.

THANK YOU!

Weekly Collection

Our week's goal is: $15,300.00

This week's collection:	**Regular**	**$ 12,828.00**
	Assessment	**$ 1,776.00**
	Total:	**$ 14,604.00**

Please make **all** checks payable to St. Therese Church.

Pray for ...

those among us who are sick and in need of our prayers:

CARMELO ABBRUZZESE	SCOTT KUBRIN
LEONARD ABBRUZZESE	BILL LE
SARKIS ARSLANIAN	CHRIS LORA
VIRGINIA BARBAGALLO	JOE MARCHESE
MANUEL BERRIOS	ANNE MARSIGLIANO
CALVIN BROKAW	TIMMY MC DONNELL
JOHN BURKE	STEPHANIE MC NAMARA
DEIDRE BYRNE	MICHAEL
MARY CARLY	MICHELLE MULLEN
CHARLES CASTLE	MARY ANN NASO
SAM CITERO	MARY ANN OATES
DIANE CUNNINGHAM	JOSEPHINE PAPA
JACK CURTIN	EDWARD PAUL
MATTHEW CURTIN	GUS PEREZ
REGINA DEITZ	MICHELLE PREOLO
DOLORES DE SANTI	BOB PRINCE, JR.
JAMES DE STENO	JESSIE RACYN
JIM DONNELLY	SR. CATHERINE REDDY
ELLEN DUNN	RINA ROMANELLI
COSTINTINO FAUSTINI	RALPH ROTUNDA
JOHN FLYNN	WENDY RUGGIERO
KATHLEEN FREEMAN	BEVERLY SCHWAB
JOSEPH FRISCIA	JOANN SCIMANICO
KYLE GERAN	ELAINE SEMAN
PAT GERAN	CECILE SICARI
SEAN GONCI	DONNA SPINA
MICHELE GUERRA	RONALD THOMAS
DAN HAGGERTY	NORMAN TRASS
MAUREEN HALLENBECK	FRANK UVENIO
GLORIA IORIO	PATRICIA VICTORY
RAY KEIM	DOT WILLIAMS
ELLEN KEOHANE	AMANDA WILSON

For our loved ones who have died, especially **Bob Cassidy,** that they may be at peace with God.

Minister Schedule for September 24 -25

Eucharistic Ministers:

5:00 PM.....G. Bickford, R. Bickford, A. Dempsey
B. Gibb, R. Hartmann, C. McConville
7:30 AM.....A. Barbieri, R. Barbieri
A. Diggins, J. Donnelly
9:30 AM.....S. Dauble, J. DeCristofaro, A. Leclercq
C. Manna, M. Millett, D. Millheim
11:30 AM.....M. Halabi, M. Hudick, D. Kelliher
S. L'Angiocola, M. Pasi, K. Regan

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Lectors:

5:00 PM.....M. Dobrovolsky, P. McConville
7:30 AM.....Nicholas Tauro
9:30 AM.....Jim & James Leclercq
11:30AM.....L. Liebeskind, A. Smith

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Servers:

5:00 PM.....Nolan Morgan, Isabella Vitolo
9:30 AM.....Nina Toups, Sisley Carretas
11:30 AM.....Dominick Manoy, Raffaela Manoy

From The Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners:

As we begin our new academic year many programs and many activities are coming back to life. The parish in many ways is coming back to life. The sights and sounds in the parking lot remind us that the school has begun and the lazy hazy crazy days of summer have come to an end.

As we settle back into the routine of "ordinary" life we look forward to the fall and all it will bring. Cooler days, pretty colors, and the falling leaves which often remind us of our own mortality and the passage of time.

In today's scripture readings we are reminded of the responsible use of money or resources. Wealth is a good thing but only if it is used properly. Christians have always held that the proper use of money is a part of our overall spirituality and responsibility. We are particularly aware of our call to serve the needs of the poor and the afflicted. We know from experience that the more we give the more we receive. It's biblical math. The more generous we are to others the more we are blessed in simple everyday ways.

God has called us to be the stewards of our little piece of the world. The children entrusted to us, the sick and elderly and those who are mourning or who have lost hope all become our responsibility. Together our community can do great things in manifesting God's love and presence in our world. As this new year begins please consider sharing your talents and gifts by becoming more active in the ministries of our parish community. There is much work to be done and lots of fun to be had.

With Love,
Fr. Sam

Join us in celebrating a Memorial Mass in honor of Fr. Pat on Saturday, October 1st at 11am. Refreshments will follow.

On September 18th we will join with parishes throughout our diocese to celebrate Catechetical Sunday. The theme of our celebration is "Prayer: The Faith Prayed." During the 9:30am Mass, we will recognize all those involved in handing on the faith to children, youth and adults in our parish.

NEW PARISH APP

An easy way to connect with the parish is our new app, which is now available for Apple or Android devices. You can stay in the loop with parish events, communications and Catholic material. Search the App Store or Google Play Store for (INSERT APP NAME HERE) and download it for free!

PIZZA & PARABLES

Don't forget about "Pizza & Parables Series on September 18! We will eat pizza, discuss a current TEEN Topic and see what Jesus has to say about it in His teaching stories.

ALTAR SERVERS

There will be a mandatory training session for all current altar servers and those interested in becoming altar servers on October 4th in the Church. Two sessions will be held for your convenience at 3:30pm and 7pm.

This ministry is open to fourth graders and older.

CEREAL DRIVE

Our Cereal drive will take place this weekend and next weekend. Donations will go to the Office of Concern in Englewood. Please bring your cereal before or after any of the Masses. On behalf of these families, we thank you for your generosity.

"Becoming the Church of Mercy"
An Evening of Music, Prayer and Reflection

featuring

DAN SCHUTTE

composer of favorites like Here I Am Lord and Table of Plenty.

Weaving music with stories and reflections, Dan will offer an evening focused on the Jubilee Year of Mercy. We will sing and pray together and remember the blessed moments on our journey of faith.

HOSTED BY:

St. Therese Church

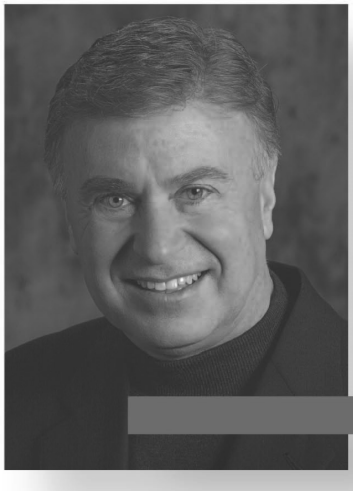
120 Monroe Avenue • Cresskill, NJ 07626

EVENT DETAILS:

Friday, October 14, 2016

7:00 pm

Free Will Offering ($15 suggested)



Dan has been composing music for worship for more than 30 years, including extensive collaboration with the St. Louis Jesuits. His more recent pieces exhibit an enduring ability to reach into people's hearts and draw them into prayer. He is one of the best-known, most prolific and influential composers of music for the liturgy today.

Adrian Soltys
201-567-2528 ext 313
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LITURGICAL MINISTER WORKSHOP

Saturday, October 15th, 2016

10:30am - 1:30pm

St. Therese Parish Center

The Saturday morning workshop is intended for all who exercise a ministry at the Eucharist, from musicians to ushers, Eucharistic ministers to lectors, presiders to those who help create the environment. We will focus the things that inspire us to do our ministry, how we can deepen the our own spirituality and, finally, on those practical things we can do that make such a difference to the community when it gathers to worship.

*Pre-registration Required

$25 (free to St. Therese parishioners)

Lunch and refreshments will be provided.

Dan has served as liturgist and music director in various pastoral and academic settings. Dan spends a significant amount of time each year traveling to offer concerts, retreats, workshops and parish missions to communities throughout the country. His ministry and compositions(Here I Am Lord, Table of Plenty, You Are Near, etc.) have impacted the prayer of millions of people.

For additional information, contact Adrian Soltys: 201-567-2528 ext. 313 *asoltys@sttheresecresskill.org*

Registration Form

Please complete and mail/fax to the attention of Adrian Soltys at 200 Jefferson Avenue, Cresskill NJ 07626

Make checks payable to St Therese Church.

Name _____

Phone # _____

Email Address _____

# of People attending Workshop _____ Amount Enclosed _____

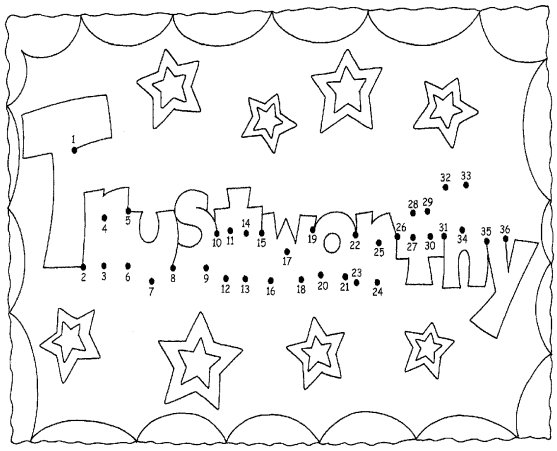
GOD'S WORD FOR CHILDREN!

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

Jesus' parable was about a dishonest man who was about to be fired because of his dishonesty. He tried to make up for his dishonesty and his boss was pleased with his actions.

Am 8:4-7 Ps 113:1-2, 4-8 1 Tm 2:1-8 Lk 16:1-13

Connect the dots to see what we call someone who is dependable and honest. Ask God to help you always to be this kind of person!



Directions: Change the words below to mean the opposite of the word given by adding DIS in front of each word.

1. agree - _____
2. engage - _____
3. arm - _____
4. respect - _____
5. pleasure - _____

If a person is honest in small matters, he will be honest in more important ones. Likewise, if a person is dishonest in small matters, he will be dishonest in more important ones.

Directions: Circle the sentences that show honesty and cross out the ones showing dishonesty.

1. This is such a big store, they won't miss just one candy bar.
2. I'm sorry I knocked the lamp over.
3. I am almost finished with my homework.
4. I only copied two answers from Jim on the test.

God should come first in your life, more than toys, television, money, etc. No one can serve two masters.

Directions: Answer the following questions.

1. Who is your best friend?

   _____

2. What is your favorite show?

   _____

3. What is your favorite thing to play with?

   _____

4. What is your favorite thing to do?

   _____

5. Would you give up these things if God wanted you to?

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