

In Touch: Climbing the Holy Mountain

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Transfiguration reminds us that Lent is a time to ascend spiritually through prayer, sacrifice, and seeking a deeper connection with God.

Visit: youtube.com/c/StTheresaCatholicChurch



Engaging Group and Events

Parish Schedule

Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Open daily for silent prayer from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Mass Times

Sundays at 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 5:30 p.m.

Monday - Friday at 7:00 a.m.

Wednesday Mass at 6:00 p.m.

Saturday (Vigil Mass) at 5:00 p.m.

First Saturday of the Month at 9:00 a.m.

Spanish Mass on the last Sunday of the month at 1:00 p.m.

Are you sick, or do you have a homebound family member?

Watch our Live Streamed Weekend Masses at sttheresa.cc/online-mass or on our YouTube channel. In addition to the live stream of our services, watch the Homilies Playlist.

Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturdays from 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Wednesdays from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

For confessions by appointment, contact: 713-869-3783.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesdays after the School Mass (9:00 a.m.) to 5:45 p.m. in the main Sanctuary.

Let us Know How We Can Help You

The parish office hours are Monday to Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and

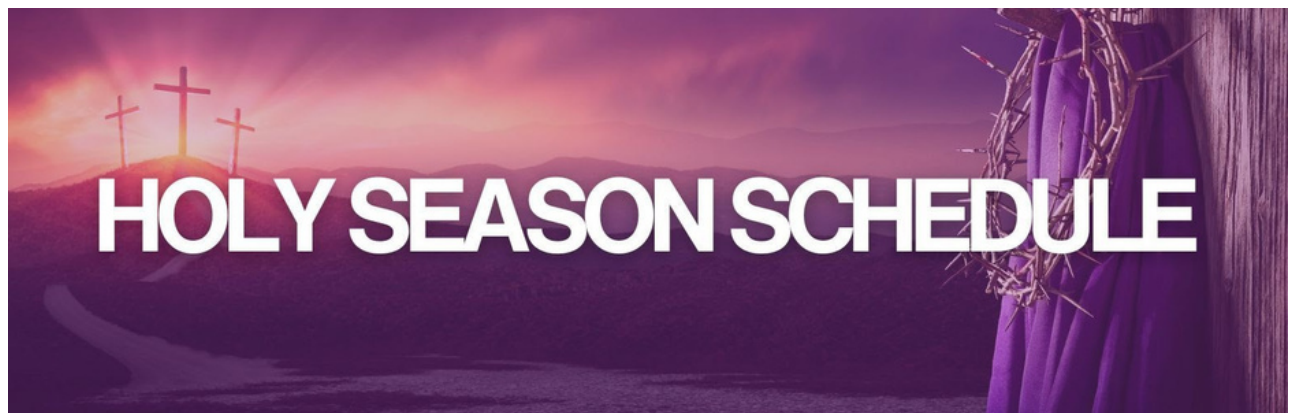
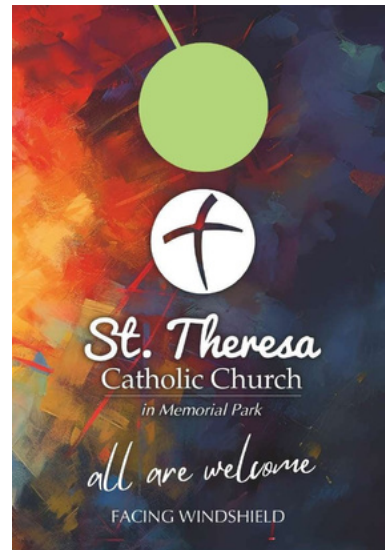
Fridays from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Contact: 713-869- 3783 or info@sttheresa.cc

Houston Open Golf Tournament Parking Tag

The Houston Open Golf Tournament will be held on **March 29th to the 30th**. Parking will be limited. Parishioners attending weekend Masses are kindly requested to obtain a rearview mirror parking tag to facilitate access to the Church parking lots. Please note that this tag does not permit parking in the surrounding neighborhood and does not guarantee the availability of a parking space. We kindly encourage you to arrive early.

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Fridays during Lent

6:00 p.m. Station of the Cross

7:00 p.m. Via Crucis (Español)

Lenten Penance Service

Tuesday, March 18th, 7:00 p.m.

Palm Sunday Vigil, April 12th

5:00 p.m. Mass

Palm Sunday, April 13th

8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 5:30 p.m.

Holy Thursday, April 17th

6:00 p.m. Mass

Good Friday, April 18th

3:00 p.m. Liturgy of the Word

Holy Saturday, April 19th

8:30 p.m. Easter Vigil Mass

Easter Sunday, April 20th

8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 5:30 p.m.

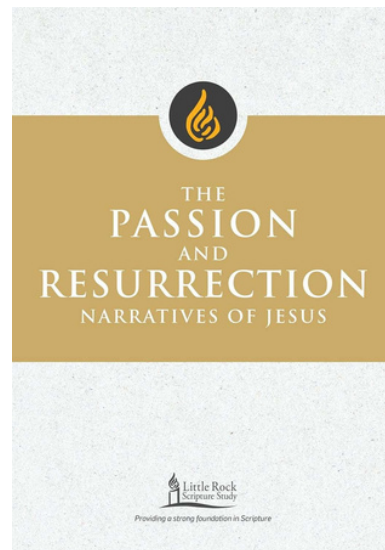
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Visit: www.sttheresa.cc

Lenten Bible Study

You are invited to join us for Bible study beginning on **Monday, March 17th**, at 7:00 p.m. in the Holy Spirit Room and on Thursdays beginning **March 20th** in the Marian Room at 1:00 p.m.

Contact: Tommy Cordova at t.cordova@sttheresa.cc or 346-335-1816



Lenten Penance Service

Approach the Sacrament of Confession to receive forgiveness and spiritual healing during this Lent. St. Theresa Parish in Memorial Park will offer a Penance Service on **Tuesday, March 18th**, at 7:00 p.m.

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How Do You Get Confirmed As A Catholic Adult?

Adult Confirmation Preparation will begin **Tuesday, March 18th**, at 7:00 p.m. in the Holy Spirit Room. This six-week session is for any Catholic adult who has not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation.

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Christian Initiation Scrutinies

As part of the Christian initiation process, the Christian Initiation of Adults Scrutinies will take place during the **6:00 p.m. Wednesday Mass** on March 19th, 26th, and April 2nd. All are welcome to be part of the renewal experience in faith as it prepares and welcomes new members into the Church. Please, see the attached pdf link to understand the history behind the scrutinies.

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Christian Initiation for Adults

Learn more about the Catholic faith by joining us for the next Christian Initiation Inquiry Session. The session will begin on **Thursday, March 20th**, at 7:00 p.m. in the Holy Spirit Room.

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Renewed: The Sacrament of the Eucharist

The Eucharist, the summit of Christian life, unites us with Christ, nourishes our Faith, and calls us to renewal through His real presence.

Reflection Questions:

1. How does receiving the Eucharist deepen your personal relationship with Christ?
2. In what ways does the Eucharist unite you with the Christian community and commit you to serving others?
3. How can you allow each reception of the Eucharist to bring spiritual renewal to your life?



That Man Is You: The Wounding of the Heart

Embrace your identity as sons of the Father and heirs of His Kingdom. Men, take on the challenge on **Thursday, March 20th**, from 5:45 a.m. to 6:55 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall, and answer the call to serve a purpose greater than ourselves.

Contact: Chris Favre at 713-256-0057 or chrisfavre@gmail.com

Visit: sttheresa.cc/that-man-is-you

Collections During Mass

Support Our Parish Mission

Electronically. Your electronic gifts—weekly, monthly, or one-time—are vital in sharing God's love and supporting our parish. Set up donations, including second collections, online or use our collection boxes at exit doors. For second collections, please use our golden envelopes.

May our shared efforts bring abundant blessings to those we serve.



February 2025 Stewardship Financial Report

Please consider making a pledge or creating a recurring online giving account to help us continue fulfilling our mission. We are very thankful for your continuous support and to those who generously increased their giving or added an additional gift.

Collections Actual for February 2025		\$145,062
Monthly Budget		\$150,000
Online Giving included in Total		\$102,403
Online Participants		615

Collection Activity (July 2024 to June 2025)

Year-to-Date Collections Income		\$1,370,237
Year-to-Date Collections Budget		\$1,365,500

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Please share our need for more committed adorers with your family and friends. We have several hours that are open for adorers **every Wednesday** after the School Mass (9:00 a.m.) to 5:45 p.m. in the main Sanctuary.

Contact: Diana Sepulveda, Adoration Coordinator, at dsepulveda@smithcarr.com

Alcoholics Anonymous Coed

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) provides a safe, confidential space for anyone seeking support with alcohol-related challenges. Meetings at St. Theresa Catholic Church are free and open to all, regardless of age or background. Join us **every Thursday** at 7:00 p.m. in the Marian Room to take positive steps toward recovery alongside others who understand your journey. You're not alone and healing starts here.

Visit: sttheresa.cc/aa

Mass Intentions

A beautiful way to lift your prayers for those you hold dear. Please schedule your mass intentions at least two weeks in advance.

Contact: 713-869-3783 Mass Intention Request

Saturday, March 15th**5:00 p.m.**

† Ruth and Keith Thayer

† Nunzie and Jeanette Loria

† Michael Poncio

Sunday, March 16th**8:00 a.m.**

† Diane Kizzia Daniel

10:00 a.m.

Pro Populo

5:30 p.m.

† Kirke Bridges

† Lloyd Johnson

Monday, March 17th**7:00 a.m.**

† Jack Chapman Minter

Tuesday, March 18th**7:00 a.m.**

Peace for Anne (L)

Wednesday, March 19th**7:00 a.m.**

John William Rizzo (L)

8:15 a.m.

† Melva Stevenson

6:00 p.m.

† Stafford Dennis

Thursday, March 20th**7:00 am**

† Mercedes Mosquera

Friday, March 21st**7:00 am**

† Fr. Wayne Elkins

Serving Ministries

Lector Ministry

This ministry is essential because it brings alive the scriptures to the hearts of the faithful. This week, the following parishioners will be reading at mass:

Saturday, March 15th, 5:00 p.m.

Joseph LeBlanc (1)

Kelly Kindstrom (2)

Sunday, March 16th, 8:00 a.m.

Ashley Horstman (1)

Josephine (Josie) Bunch (2)

Sunday, March 16th, 10:00 a.m.

Aimee Ferrell (1)

Sunny Saenz (2)

Sunday, March 16th, 5:30 p.m.

Austin Rasch (1)

Missy McNamara (2)

Contact: liturgicalministries@sttheresa.cc

Community Outreach

Christian Community Service Center Lenten Food Drive

St. Theresa will be hosting a Lenten food drive for CCSC starting on **March 16th**.

Any of the following items will be a blessing, and a great appreciation for your generosity: cereal, pasta, rice, beans, canned vegetables and fruits, peanut butter, canned tomatoes, canned tomato sauce, spaghetti sauces, canned tuna, and canned chicken.

Visit: ccschouston.org



Loaves and Fishes

Volunteers are needed on **Friday, March 21st** to help prepare and package hot meals for the homeless. Must be 15 or older. Let us make a lasting impact that helps heal and nourish our community.

Contact: Connie Huch at c.huch@sttheresa.cc or 346-335-1832



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podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/renewed/id1576557779

Helpful Websites

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA): aa.org

American Red Cross: redcross.org

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: cdc.gov

Christian Community Service Center: ccschouston.org

Counseling (Grief, Family, etc.): catholiccharities.org

Domestic Violence: tbotw.org

Families of Addicts: al-anon.org

Houston Police: If you have a life-threatening emergency, call 911. Non Emergencies:

houstontx.gov/police

Narcotics Anonymous (NA): na.org

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline Center: 988lifeline.org

Overeaters Anonymous (OA): oahouston.org

Sex Addicts Anonymous (SAA): saa-recovery.org

Texas Department of Family and Protective Services txabusehotline.org

United Way of Greater Houston: unitedwayhouston.org

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O Most Beautiful Flower of Mt Carmel, Fruitful Vine, Splendor of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in my necessity. O Star of the Sea, Help me, show me herein you are my Mother. O Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succor me in my necessity: Please heal Nicolas from his cancer.

There are none that can withstand your power Oh Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee.

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O Holy Mary, I place this cause in your hands.

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AMEN

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