



St. Theresa Catholic Church-Memorial Park (Houston)



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Pillars of Faith

As we honor Saints Peter and Paul, we're reminded how the grace of God transformed them into fearless witnesses, inviting us to live more fully in Christ.



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. Parishioners who are homebound and regularly watch the live-streamed Mass may wish to have a Eucharistic Minister bring them Communion at home.

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

Wednesday at 8:00a.m. to 5:45p.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

Celebrating Fr. Vincent's First Anniversary at St. Theresa

On **Sunday, July 13th**, after the 10:00 a.m. Mass, we joyfully celebrate Fr. Vincent's First Anniversary with us here at St. Theresa Catholic Church. Over the past year, Fr. Vincent has become a beloved part of our parish family. We give thanks for his leadership, compassion, and the many ways he has enriched our parish life. Whether through the celebration of the sacraments, or his presence at parish events, Fr. Vincent has made a lasting impact. Let us come together in gratitude and celebration to mark this special milestone. Be sure to join us at Mass and take a moment to offer your prayers to Fr. Vincent as he continues his ministry with us.



4th of July Morning Mass at 10:00 a.m.

On **Friday, the 4th of July**, morning mass (7:00 a.m.) will be celebrated at 10:00 a.m., and the Church office will be closed due to the Independence Day Holiday. Mark your calendars and come together as we honor this significant day in unity and prayer. Please plan accordingly.



Heart of Worship: What is Conversion of the Heart?

This is your chance to renew your faith and recharge your soul, so mark your calendars and get ready to join us for an unforgettable experience of spiritual fulfillment on **Saturday, September 13th**, from 1:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Dr. John Bergsma, a renowned speaker who will present two talks; the first about the Eucharist and how it's not just a "Catholic thing" but a "Christian thing" that is integral to the teachings of the early Fathers to partake of the Eucharist, which according to the words of Jesus himself simply is the New Covenant promised by Israel's prophets. Registration is now open. Secure your spot and be part of this inspiring event.

Visit: sttheresa.cc/how

Contact: Veronica Benitez at v.benitez@sttheresa.cc



Secure Your Spot

St. Joseph Homeless Social Ministry Food Drive

This summer, help feed the hungry by donating to our food relief effort. Look for the collection cart in the Narthex. The food drive will continue through **August 1st**, we

are collecting canned and nonperishable items to support local food pantries, which often face critical shortages during the summer months. Your donation will make our food relief effort possible and serve all our neighbors who seek food assistance. Items needed: pasta sauce, rice, beans, pasta, peanut butter, canned soup, canned vegetables, canned fruit, mac and cheese, cereal, and paper and plastic grocery bags.

Contact: Connie Huch at c.huch@sttheresa.cc



Amazon Wishlist

Spanish Mass

Celebrate the monthly Spanish Mass with the Hispanic Ministry on the last Sunday of every month. The next Mass in Spanish is on **Sunday, June 29th** at 1:00 p.m. All Are Welcome. Todos son bienvenidos.

Visit: sttheresa.cc/ministeriohispano



Vacation Bible School

At St. Theresa's True North VBS, kids can escape the Houston heat and embark on the ultimate Alaskan adventure. Join us **July 14th to 18th**, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., to explore a wild world where PK-4 to 5th graders will discover the endless love of God. Registration will end on Monday, June 30th. Prepare to trek the tundra and trust Jesus!

Contact: Josephine Balgos Le at

j.balgosle@sttheresa.cc

Visit: sttheresa.cc/vacation-bible-school



Register

Archdiocesan Youth Conference 2025

Join youths from across the local Church to celebrate the diversity of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston. **July 25th to 27th**. Hilton Americas. \$200 per person. Open to 9th to 12th graders this fall and graduating seniors.

Contact: Tommy Cordova at t.cordova@sttheresa.cc

The Beatitudes: Our Guide to Happiness

The Beatitudes reveal the vision of Jesus for a blessed, fulfilled life centered on dependence on God and a life of mercy, justice, and peace.

Reflection Questions:

1. How do I depend wholly on God in my vulnerability or sorrow?
2. How can I embody mercy and purity in my relationships with others today?
3. Which Beatitude speaks most directly to my current spiritual journey, and why?



Wisdom Group in the Fellowship Hall

Inviting all young adults and seniors! Join us for coffee, donuts, and meaningful conversation on **Saturday, June 28th** at 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. This special gathering brings together two generations to connect, share stories, and offer one another wisdom and encouragement. Whether you are navigating early adulthood or reflecting on a life full of experiences, come be part of an uplifting exchange of faith, friendship, and perspective.

Contact: Veronica Benitez at v.benitez@sttheresa.cc or Kyle Sturgis at young-adults@sttheresa.cc

Register

Little Flowers Sunday Nursery Closed

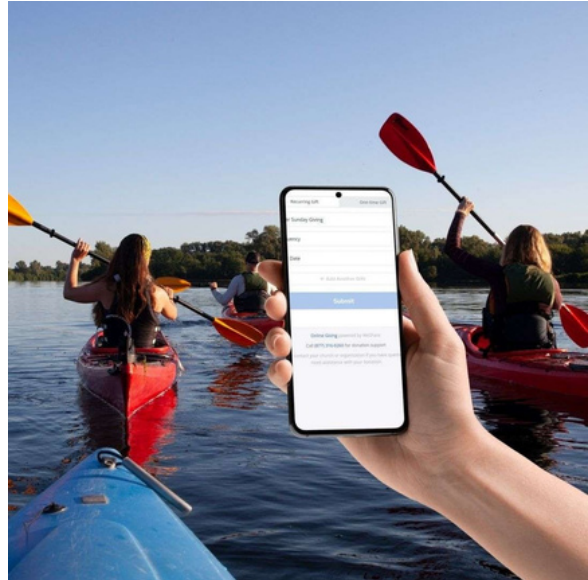
Little Flowers Nursery will be closed on **Sunday, July 6th** in observance of Independence Day. We will resume regular hours the following weekend during the 10:00 a.m. Mass.

Visit: sttheresa.cc/sundaynursery



Keep The Parish Thriving This Summer

As you enjoy the summer season, we invite you to support our parish through online giving no matter where you are. Even while away, your prayerful generosity helps us continue serving others and growing our ministry. Your electronic gifts, weekly, monthly, or one-time, are vital in sharing God's love and supporting our parish. Text the keyword **GIVE** to the number 832-246-3222 and receive a link to the online donation page. Thank you for your generosity.



Online Giving

Bereavement Group

Find comfort and support through our Bereavement Group at St. Theresa Catholic Church. We offer a space to grieve, heal, and honor the memories of loved ones with care and compassion. Our next meeting will be held on **Friday, July 11th** at 8:30 a.m. in the Holy Spirit Room, as we will be closed on July 4th in observance of Independence Day. No reservations are necessary; walk-ins are always welcome.

Contact: Bertha Brophy, the Bereavement Group leader, at 713-869-3783

Visit: sttheresa.cc/bereavement

Rosary for Peace Group

The Rosary is a special prayer. Our Blessed Mother requested to pray for peace in the world and for the conversion of all people to Her Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ. The Rosary for Peace is held in the Church at 6:40 a.m. on **Fridays** before the 7:00 a.m. Mass.

Contact: Stuart Greene at SGreene@wm.com or 713-836-0050

Visit: sttheresa.cc/rosary-for-peace

Alcoholics Anonymous Men's Group

Addiction can be an isolating struggle, but we can overcome it together. Don't let alcohol control your life any longer; find understanding, camaraderie, and support as we navigate the path to recovery. Take the courageous step towards a healthier, happier future. Join the Alcoholics Anonymous Men's Group **every Wednesday** at 8:15 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Visit: sttheresa.cc/mens-aa

Knights of Columbus Council Meetings

Open to adult male Catholics, this platform nurtures your faith, fosters friendships, and drives meaningful service. Council meetings are hosted monthly on the First Tuesday of the month at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The next meeting will be on

Tuesday, July 1st.

Contact: Chance Nohavitza at

council12866@gmail.com

Visit: sttheresa.cc/knights-of-columbus



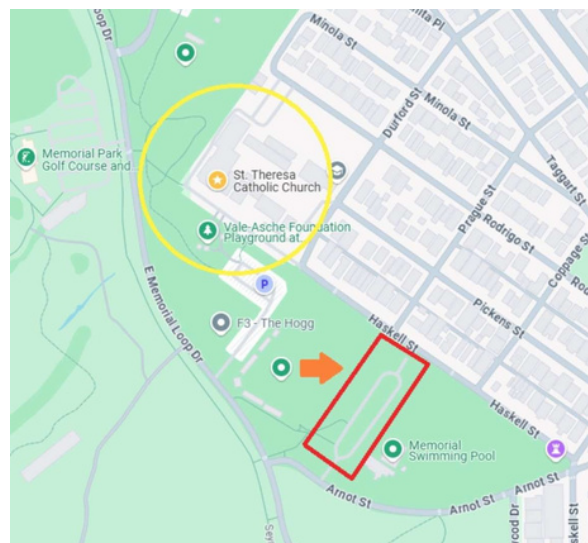
10:00 a.m. Sunday Mass Parking

Additional parking is available **FREE** of charge from **9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** in the Memorial Park Fitness Center lot when you use our parking code (a golf cart shuttle is available.) For driving directions, code, and instructions, please click on the links below.

Visit: sttheresa.cc/parking

View Map: maps.app.goo.gl/CLkRanTfFE8rJXNk8

Contact: Veronica Benitez at v.benitez@sttheresa.cc



St. Theresa Catholic School Registration

Enrollment is now open at St. Theresa Catholic School for students entering 1st through 5th grade for the 2025–2026 school year! If you have friends or family who

are interested in joining STCS next year, the application is available on our website under Admissions Process. If you have any questions regarding the admissions process at St. Theresa, please contact Kelly McCarty.

Contact: Kelly McCarty, Admissions Director at k.mccarty@sttheresa.cc or 346-335-1706

Visit: sttheresaschool.cc

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

Saturday, June 28th

5:00p.m.

† Ruth and Keith Thayer

† Stevenson and Mulvelhil Family

† Coquis Cueva

† Chiqui Garza

† Jill Walmsley

† Albin Tarnowski

Sunday, June 29th

8:00a.m.

† Raul Caffesse

† Willem Van Blyenburgh

10:00 a.m.

Pro Populo

1:00 p.m.

† Gustavo Pulido Garcia

† Eleazar Figueroa

† Freddy Marin

5:30 p.m.

† Rhoda Willis

Monday, June 30th

7:00 a.m.

† David Lester

Tuesday, July 1st

7:00a.m.

† Martha Tuoi Doan

Wednesday, July 2nd

7:00 a.m.

Corey Obregon (L)

6:00 p.m.

Peace for Anne (L)

Thursday, July 3rd

7:00a.m.

† Tecilio Avila Vega

Friday, July 4th

7:00 a.m.

† Rose Marie Palla

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:

Contact: Juliette Listi at j.listi@sttheresa.cc

Saturday, June 28th, 5:00 p.m.

Joseph LeBlanc (1)

William A. Smith (2)

Sunday, June 29th, 10:00 a.m.

Sunny Saenz (1)

Pam Masau (2)

Sunday, June 29th, 8:00 a.m.

Josephine (Josie) Bunch (1)

Stuart Greene (2)

Sunday, June 29th, 5:30 p.m.

Missy McNamara (1)

Caroline Grahmann Gardner (2)

Sign Up

Altar Flowers

The flowers on the Altar are in Celebration of **Katherine and Jackson Vo's** 20th Wedding Anniversary, who were married on June 18, 2005. Each week, St.

Theresa's Altar is beautifully decorated with flowers, made possible by the generous donations of our supporters. Consider sponsoring the Easter flowers with a donation of \$75 or more in honor of a loved one to celebrate an anniversary, mark a birthday, commemorate a First Holy Communion or Confirmation, or recognize any special

Contact: Juliette Listi at j.listi@sttheresa.cc

Community Outreach

Giving Beyond St. Theresa

We believe our generosity should extend beyond our community to those in need locally, nationally, and globally. Charitable giving reflects our call to love our neighbors. See the list of agencies below worthy of your support if you're looking to share and/or volunteer your blessings beyond the parish.

Visit: sttheresa.cc/giving-beyond

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Pinterest
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Parish Soft (Parish Registration)
galveston.parishsoftfamilysuite.com

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anchor.fm/sttheresacatholicchurch

Spotify
open.spotify.com/show/2RxeS70XjwqljKHsyEHlEX

Apple Podcasts
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:
houston.tx.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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