



# Saint Therese Church



February 7, 2016

Established 1924

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(Unless otherwise indicated, all the telephone numbers in the bulletin are in the (626) area code).

**Pastor:** Fr. Philip Sullivan, OCD (332) **Associate Pastors:** Fr. Bernard Perkins, OCD (232)

and Fr. Leonel Varela, OCD **In Residence:** Fr. Albert Bunsic, OCD and

Deacon Bro. Charles Nawodylo, OCD **Deacon Couple:** Deacon Joe & Lorraine Mizerski (333)

**Vocations:** Carmelite: (909) 629-9495 - Archdiocesan: (213) 637-7515

## Sacraments:

**Confessions:** Wednesday: 7:00-9:00 p.m.  
Saturday: 3:30-5:00 p.m.

**Baptisms:** Once a month on a Saturday

**Weddings:** Fill out an application (on the website) at least six months in advance.

Ruben Beltran at 284-0020 (2)

## Other Ministries/Programs:

### \*Annulments:

Deacon Joe & Lorraine Mizerski (333)

### \*Avila Young Adult Group:

Paula Grimm (909) 703-1284

### \*Bible Study:

Debbie Robles 679-6370

### \*Carmelite Spiritual Reading Group

Mondays, Jim Gillette (213) 448-1039

### \*Detention Ministry:

Sonia Macias (323) 724-6443

### \*Grief Support:

2nd/4th Wed 2:30-4p.m.

### \*Knights of Columbus:

Grand Knight Tom Quintana: (626) 863-7061

### \*Legion of Mary:

Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.

### \*Natural Family Planning:

Jack & Katrina Crow 292-1906

### \*OCDS:

Stan Interrante 714-996-4164

### \*Respect Life Ministry:

Catherine Contreras (213) 435-3942

### \*Rosary Makers:

Mondays, 6-8 p.m.

Magda Contreras (213) 300-7776

### \*St. Joseph Prayer Group:

Wed, 6:15 p.m., Albert Grana 576-0872

### \*Tea at Therese Women's Group:

Dara Barbosa (301)542-9701



Bl. Mother Candelaria of St. Joseph OCD  
February 1  
1863 – 1940

## Masses & Services:

### Monday-Saturday:

6:00 & 8:00 a.m.

Carmelite Cloister: 7:30 a.m.

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.

### Sunday:

7:30, 9:00, 11:00 a.m., & 5:00 p.m.

Latin High Mass: 1:00 p.m.

### Holy Days:

6:00, 8:00, 10:00 a.m. & 7:30 p.m.

### Devotions:

Rosary: After Mon-Sat 8:00 a.m. Mass;

Exposition/Benediction: Thursdays, 7:00-8:00p.m.; Intercessors for Priests:

Thursdays, 8:00 p.m.; First Friday Mass and All-Night Vigil: 7:30 p.m.

## St. Therese Carmelite School:

289-3364 - Principal: Alma Cornejo (661)  
stsprincipalcornejo@gmail.com

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**School Chaplain:** Fr. Leonel Varela

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## Choir Directors:

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## Ministry to the Sick:

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Rhonda Storey 284-0020 (1)  
rhondalstorey@gmail.com

## Youth & Adult Confirmation:

Ruben Beltran 284-0020 (2)  
rubenconfirmation@yahoo.com

## Parish Vision Statement:

To be a spiritual Catholic Family focused on prayer as well as service to the Gospel through a Sacramental life. We envision our Parish as a community of stewards dedicated to building up the Body of Christ through active ministry while living the example of simplicity, humility, confidence and love of our Patroness, St. Therese of Lisieux.

## CATECHESIS Q & A: DEEPENING OUR KNOWLEDGE

### “What is the Holy Year of Mercy?”

Submitted by Rhonda Storey, Director of Religious Education

December 8, 2015, marked the beginning of the Holy Year of Mercy, an Extraordinary Jubilee Year called for by Pope Francis. But what exactly does that mean? What is a Holy Year? The Catholic tradition of practicing a Holy Year (Jubilee Year) began with Pope Boniface VIII in 1300; and since 1475, an Ordinary Jubilee has been celebrated every 25 years in order to allow each generation to experience at least one during their lifetime. The Holy Year is traditionally a year of forgiveness of sins and also of the punishment merited by one's sins. It is also a year for reconciliation between enemies, conversion, and receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Until now there have only been 26 ordinary Jubilees and three extraordinary, the last of which was the Jubilee of 2000. Each has featured a special plenary indulgence.

**What is an Extraordinary Jubilee Year?** An Extraordinary Jubilee can be called for a special occasion or for an event that has a particular importance, as is the case with Pope Francis' 2016 Holy Year of Mercy. The first extraordinary Jubilee was called in the 16th century, and the most recent were in 1933, when Pope Pius XI called one to celebrate 1,900 years of Redemption, and in 1983, when St. John Paul II proclaimed one to honor 1,950 years of redemption after Christ's death and resurrection.

**What is a Holy Door?** If you kept up with the Pope during his recent trip to Africa, you probably caught the early opening of the Holy Door for the Year of Mercy in Bangui, Central African Republic. Although the Holy Year officially kicked off on December 8, it marked the first time in history that a Pope has opened a Holy Door outside of Rome. Each of the four papal basilicas in Rome has a holy door, which are normally sealed shut from the inside so that they cannot be opened. The doors are only opened during Jubilee years so that pilgrims can enter through them in order to gain the plenary indulgence that is connected with the Jubilee. The rite of the opening of the Holy Door is intended to symbolically illustrate the idea that the Church's faithful are offered an “extraordinary path” toward salvation during the time of Jubilee. It symbolizes a person's leaving behind of the world and entering into the presence of God, similar to the way the High Priests in the Old Testament would pass through the veiled entrance of the Holy of Holies on Yom Kippur to enter the presence of God and offer sacrifices.

After the Holy Door opened in St. Peter's Basilica, the other three Roman basilicas, St. John Lateran, St. Paul Outside the Walls and St. Mary Major, were opened as well. During the Holy Year of Mercy, Pope Francis has also given diocesan bishops permission to designate specific Holy Doors in their dioceses. In the case of a plenary indulgence, it is a full remission of sins. *“I wish that the Jubilee Indulgence may reach each one as a genuine experience of God’s mercy, which comes to meet each person in the Face of the Father who welcomes and forgives, forgetting completely the sin committed.”* -Pope Francis, Letter to Archbishop Rino Fisichella, Sept. 1, 2015

**How to obtain an indulgence during a Holy Year:** According to the Apostolic Penitentiary, to gain indulgences (plenary or partial) it is necessary that the faithful be in the state of grace at least at the time the indulged work is completed. To receive the Jubilee Year indulgence, you must fulfill the usual conditions (specified below) and perform the indulged act: Passing through a designated Holy Door during the extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy (between December 8, 2015, the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception, and November 20, 2016, the Solemnity of Christ the King) and/or performing one of the corporal or spiritual works of mercy.

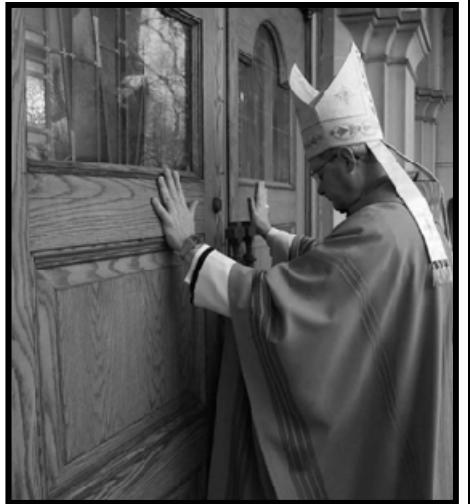
In order to obtain a plenary indulgence, the faithful must, in addition to being in the state of grace: 1) Have the interior disposition of complete detachment from sin, even venial sin; 2) Have sacramentally confessed their sins; 3) Receive the Holy Eucharist (preferably within the context of Mass); and 4) Pray for the intentions of the Pope (a spiritual work of mercy). Ideally, one would go to confession, receive Communion, and perform the indulgence works all on the same day; but it is sufficient that these sacraments, works of mercy, and prayers be carried out within several days (about 20) before or after the indulged act. Prayers for the Pope's intentions are left to the choice of the faithful, but an “Our Father” and a “Hail Mary” are customary. One sacramental Confession suffices for several plenary indulgences, but a separate Holy Communion and a separate prayer for the Holy Father's intentions are required for each plenary indulgence. Exceptions can be made by confessors for the sick and the homebound. Indulgences can always be applied either to oneself or to the souls of the deceased, but they cannot be applied to other persons living on earth.

For more information, please see the articles on the next page (Page Three) about where to obtain a Plenary Indulgence for the “Year of Mercy” and an explanation of Church teaching about indulgences.

# LOCATIONS IN CALIFORNIA WHERE YOU CAN OBTAIN A PLENARY “YEAR OF MERCY” INDULGENCE

Per the article on Page Two, the Pope has designated places of pilgrimage where the lay faithful can walk through the doors as part of obtaining the plenary indulgence. In California, they are located at the following churches and cathedrals (local sites are highlighted and underlined):

Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Bakersfield \* St. Dominic Savio, Bellflower  
 \* Our Lady of Guadalupe, Calexico \* El Capillo de Cristo Rey, El Centro \* St. Bernard, Eureka \* Our Lady of Good Counsel, Fort Bragg \* St. John's Cathedral, Fresno \* Christ Cathedral, Garden Grove \* Holy Family, Glendale  
 \* St. Raphael, Goleta \* Immaculate Heart of Mary, Hanford \* Our Lady of Guadalupe, La Habra \* Christ the King, Hollywood \* St. John Chrysostom, Inglewood \* St. Mary Immaculate, Lakeport \* St. Anthony, Long Beach \* Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels, Los Angeles \* Resurrection, Los Angeles \* St. Joan of Arc, Los Angeles \* St. Joachim, Madera \* American Martyrs, Manhattan Beach \* Our Lady of Mercy, Merced \* St. Stanislaus, Modesto \* Immaculate Conception, Monrovia \* San Carlos Borromeo Cathedral, Monterey \* Our Lady of Lourdes, Northridge \* Cathedral of Christ the Light, Oakland \* St. Thomas More, Oceanside \* Holy Family Cathedral, Orange \* Santa Clara, Oxnard \* St. Mary, Palmdale \* St. Anthony of Padua, Reedley \* St. Ann, Ridgecrest \* Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament, Sacramento \* Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, San Bernardino \* San Gabriel Mission, San Gabriel \* Mission San Diego de Alcalá, San Diego \* St. Joseph Cathedral, San Diego \* St. Jude Shrine of the West, San Diego \* Cathedral Basilica of St. Joseph, San Jose \* Our Lady of Guadalupe, San Jose \* Mission Basilica, San Juan Capistrano \* St. Joseph, Santa Ana \* Shrine of Our Lady of Peace, Santa Clara \* St. Louis de Montefort, Santa Maria \* St. Eugene Cathedral, Santa Rosa \* St. Therese, Shafter \* St. Patrick, Sonora \* Cathedral of the Annunciation, Stockton \* Our Lady of the Holy Rosary, Sundale \* St. Aloysius, Tulare \* St. Joan of Arc, Yountville \* St. Lorenzo Ruiz, Walnut \* St. Mary of the Assumption, Whittier.



## CHURCH TEACHING ON INDULGENCES (CCC No. 1471)

The doctrine and practice of indulgences in the Church are closely linked to the effects of the Sacrament of Penance. An indulgence is a remission before God of the temporal punishment due to sins whose guilt has already been forgiven, which the faithful Christian who is duly disposed gains under certain prescribed conditions through the action of the Church which, as the minister of redemption, dispenses and applies with authority the treasury of the satisfactions of Christ and the saints.” “An indulgence is partial or plenary according as it removes either part or all of the temporal punishment due to sin.” Indulgences may be applied to the living or the dead (1472).

To understand this doctrine and practice of the Church, it is necessary to understand that sin has a double consequence. Grave sin deprives us of communion with God and therefore makes us incapable of eternal life, the privation of which is called the “eternal punishment” of sin. On the other hand, every sin, even venial, entails an unhealthy attachment to creatures, which must be purified either here on earth, or after death in the state called Purgatory. This purification frees one from what is called the “temporal punishment” of sin. These two punishments must not be conceived of as a kind of vengeance inflicted by God from without, but as following from the very nature of sin. A conversion which proceeds from a fervent charity can attain the complete purification of the sinner in such a way that no punishment would remain (1473). The forgiveness of sin and restoration of communion with God entails the remission of the eternal punishment of sin, but temporal punishment of sin remains. While patiently bearing sufferings and trials of all kinds and, when the day comes, serenely facing death, the Christian must strive to accept this temporal punishment of sin as a grace. He should strive by works of mercy and charity, as well as by prayer and the various practices of penance, to put off completely the “old man” and to put on the “new man.”



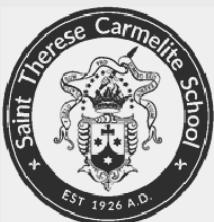
# S A I N T T H E R E S E C A R M E L I T E S C H O O L

Deeply rooted in Carmelite spirituality, Saint Therese Carmelite School seeks to form students in faith, academics, and virtue through a Classical education.

"The splendor of the rose and the whiteness of the lily do not rob the little violet of its scent nor the daisy of its simple charm.." –St. Therese



- Ash Wednesday Mass on February 10 at 10:00 a.m.
- Stations of the Cross on Friday, February 26 at 1:30 p.m.
- STCS Sponsored Soup Night on Fri., February 26, at 5:30 p.m.
  - First Friday Mass on Friday, March 4
  - School Mass on Friday, March 11, at 8:00 a.m.
  - Stations of the Cross on March 11 at 1:30pm
  - Chaplet of Our Lady of Sorrows on March 16 at 1:30 p.m.



Saint Therese Carmelite Parish School is pleased to invite you to participate in our Annual Silent Auction, "Black and White Masquerade," to be held on April 8 at Almansor Court. It is our sincere hope that you can support this extraordinary event to benefit our school by your prayers, by donating an item or a service to our auction, by sponsoring the event through a monetary donation, and/or by coming to our event with your family and friends. Please feel free to contact us at 289-3364 or by email at [sainttheresecarmeliteschool@gmail.com](mailto:sainttheresecarmeliteschool@gmail.com). We encourage you to visit the school office to learn more about our school.

## R E S P E C T L I F E M I N I S T R Y

*Vox Vitae...Be A Voice For Life!*



*Vox Vitae is a new Catholic non-profit organization with the mission of Educating, Empowering, and Spiritually Nurturing People to Actively Be A Voice for Life! Our Pastor, Fr. Philip Sullivan, is the Vox Vitae Spiritual Advisor. He will be writing a monthly blog on our site for everyone to read.*

*Check us out at [www.VoxVitae.org](http://www.VoxVitae.org).*

**SHIELD OF ROSES—SIDEWALK COUNSELING TRAINING:** Shield of Roses is coming to St. Therese to provide sidewalk counseling training! Come join us in the Avila Room (in the Parish Office building, 510 N. El Molino Street) TODAY, Sunday, February 7, from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m. If you would like to attend, please first RSVP by calling Catherine Contreras at 213-435-3942.

## BAPTISM MINISTRY



In order to take part in our Baptism Program, **PARENTS & GODPARENTS** are required to attend a class from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m., in the Parish Library. The next classes for which you can enroll are April 5 and May 10. The fee is **\$100 per child OR \$25 for the class only**. Upcoming open baptism dates are Saturdays, April 16 and May 28—both at 11:00 a.m. For more info, call Rhonda Storey at 284-0020 (X225)

**REQUIREMENTS FOR GODPARENTS:** Canon Law requires at least one godparent (may have two) who: 1) is at least 16; 2) has been Confirmed; and 3) is a practicing Catholic. A form attesting to this will need to be signed by a priest from the parish for each prospective godparent.

## ASH WEDNESDAY, LENTEN SOUP NIGHTS, and STATIONS



Ash Wednesday is February 10. Masses will be in the morning at 6:00, 8:00, and 10:00 a.m.; and in the evening at 7:30 p.m. It is a day of Fast and Abstinence; all the Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence (no meat).

Soup Nights (simple meatless meals) will be held in the Parish Hall on all the Fridays of Lent from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. (February 12 through March 18). There will be a free-will offering basket available—all donations will go towards the Christian Services program.

Stations of the Cross will be held in the church every Friday during Lent at 7:00 p.m., following Soup Night. There will also be a Children's Stations of the Cross at 5:00 p.m. (before Soup Night).

For details about the rules for fasting and abstinence, please see the Events section of our website.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



**STRE NEWS:** Classes are in session today, February 7, and on Sunday, February 21.

Religious Education is an extremely important part of the faith life of every Catholic family! If your children are not attending Catholic School, they NEED to be enrolled in a Religious Education program. Classes for elementary grades are held twice monthly on Sundays—from 9:00 to 10:45 a.m. For any questions, please contact Rhonda Storey at 284-0020 (1).

## YOUTH CONFIRMATION



Next classes will be February 21 for C1 students only. That weekend, February 19 through 21, all C2 Students will be on Retreat in Big Bear.

**SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION:** Bishop O'Connell will be here at the 5:00 p.m. Mass at St. Therese on Sunday, May 22, to confer the Sacrament of Confirmation. For questions, contact Ruben Beltran at 284-0020 (2) or rubenconfirmation@yahoo.com.

## CATHOLIC TRADITION TALK:

The next Catholic Tradition Talk will be **Friday, February 12, at 8:00 p.m.** (after the Stations of the Cross), in the Parish Meeting Room of the Parish Center (2nd floor). Our topic will be "Temptations."



## FELLOWSHIP AFTER THE LATIN MASS



All those attending the 1:00 p.m. Tridentine Mass on the second Sunday of each month are welcomed to come to the Guadalupe Courtyard (behind the church) immediately after the Mass. Please bring some bottled water or other drinks, and cookies or chips to share. Help us build fellowship amongst the Latin Mass community here at St. Therese! Next date will be Sunday, February 14 (Valentine's Day).

## RCIA Adult Faith Formation

If you have been attending our RCIA classes, this is just a reminder of upcoming meetings. The next classes are on Thursdays, February 18 and 25. The next rite will be the Rite of Sending for Catechumens on Sunday, February 21, at the 11:00 a.m. Mass.

## “Eucharist: Discovering the Mass in the Bible”



If you'd like to know more about what the Church teaches about the Holy Eucharist and the roots of the Mass in the Bible, you are invited to attend! This series will deepen your knowledge of the Last Supper, Communion, and the Great Feast. Jesus said "*This is my Body*" and "*This is my Blood.*" Some say they're merely symbols of remembrance. Others, that they're really the Body and Blood of Christ, but can't explain how that's possible.

The Eucharist is the center-point of the Mass—but why? The answers are here. Renowned teacher Dr. Brant Pitre guides us through Scripture, history, and Church teaching to illuminate the wonder and miracle of the Eucharist. With deep insight, Dr. Pitre gives a fresh perspective for understanding the mystery that is the Eucharist. Classes will meet on Tuesday evenings in the Parish Library from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m., on the following dates: February 9 and 23, March 8 and 22, April 5 and 19, and May 10 and 24. For more information, contact the class facilitators, Ruben Beltran at 284-0020 (235) or Rhonda Storey at 284-0020 (225).

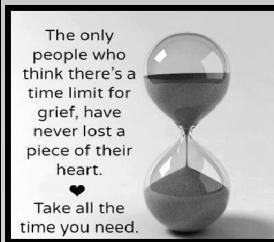
## ANNUAL WOMEN'S RETREAT

Join the women from St. Therese on the weekend of March 11, 12, and 13. The retreat will be conducted by our Carmelite Friars in Redlands. This year's Retreat Team is Fr. Adam, Fr. Peter, and Bro. Jason. The rates for the weekend are \$170 (shared room) or \$198 (single room), which includes a comfortable room with private bath, family-style meals, and an atmosphere of peace and beauty. We will assign your room as soon as we receive your \$50 non-refundable deposit (check or money order made out to El Carmelo). The Retreat also includes the Sacraments, conferences, private consultations, etc. **BUS TRANSPORTATION IS INCLUDED!** For reservations and/or info, call Louisa Day at 323-360-5186, Cecilia Tweedy at 712-3478, or Ernie O'Conner at 445-4333. Brochures are in the church vestibule.

**YOUNG ADULTS (Ages 21–39, singles and couples):** Join us for our events, including 1) Formation Talks most first Saturdays of the month at 6:00 p.m., (next will be February 6) in the Guadalupe Courtyard; and 2) Social Events, such as movie/pub nights, sports events, concerts, dances, etc. For info, contact Paula Grimm at [pgrimm.dir@gmail.com](mailto:pgrimm.dir@gmail.com).



**CARMELITE SPIRITUAL READING GROUP:** All are invited to join us every Monday from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m., in the Parish Library in the Parish Center. Lectio Divina is practiced on the first and third Mondays and Spiritual reading is done on the second and fourth. All are welcome! For more info, contact Jim Gillett at 213-448-1039 or [jimgillett@me.com](mailto:jimgillett@me.com).



**GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP:** This group (formed in honor of Patricia Bordonaro) is for anyone who is grieving for a loved one—no matter how long or for whom. We meet in the Parish Offices from 2:30 to 4:00 p.m. on the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of each month. The next meetings will be February 10 and 24. For more info, call the office at 282-2744.



**WOMEN'S PRAYER AND DISCUSSION GROUP:** Join us for prayer and discussion, along with tea and treats! (Play area for children!). Meetings are on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 10:00 a.m., in the Avila Room of the Parish Offices. The next meetings will be February 11 and 25. For more info, contact Dara at (301) 542-9701.



**IRISH STEP-DANCING CLASSES:** Irish dance classes are held on Tuesdays at 3:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall (for 45 minutes to one hour). Classes are for kids 4+ and for adults and are taught by Mrs. Kelly Mohun. For more information, please contact Kelly at (805) 421-7548 or [1stkdoc@gmail.com](mailto:1stkdoc@gmail.com).

## FINANCIAL OFFERINGS

### May God reward you!

Below you will find the total collections for last weekend and for the previous four weekends.

January 30 / 31, 2016

Unrestricted.....	\$13,358.50
Restricted .....	\$ 2,059.50
<b>T O T A L .....</b>	<b>\$15,417.00</b>

January 2 / 3 .....	\$24,884.00
January 9 / 10 .....	\$14,311.00
January 16 / 17 .....	\$24,884.00
January 23 / 24.....	\$15,677.00

**“...for God loves a cheerful giver.” (2 Corinthians 9:7).**

# Mass Intentions

## For the Week of 2/6/16 TO 2/13/16

### Saturday:

5:00 p.m.: Dorothy Antosy RIP

### Sunday:

\*7:30 a.m.: Fr. Lawrence Sullivan OCD RIP

7:30 a.m.: Parishioners

9:00 a.m.: Larry & Martha Campos RIP

11:00 a.m.: Jacqueline Halpin INT

1:00 p.m. (Latin): Crescencio Gort

5:00 p.m.: Fr. Jerome Lantry OCD RIP

### Monday:

6:00 a.m.: Ruth Laigo INT

\*7:30 a.m.: Cloistered Carmelite Nuns Novena 5

8:00 a.m.: Siew Har Chan RIP

### Tuesday:

6:00 a.m.: Heliodoro & Mara De Avila RIP

\*7:30 a.m.: Grace Lowenberg INT

8:00 a.m.: Margaret Kasimiers RIP

### Ash Wednesday:

6:00 a.m.: Alvin & Anthony Cailan INT

\*7:30 a.m.: Cloistered Carmelite Nuns Novena 6

8:00 a.m.: Amy Lynn Ball INT

10:00 a.m.: John Chang RIP

7:30 p.m. Eugene Castillo RIP

### Thursday:

6:00 a.m.: Dora INT

\*7:30 a.m.: Cloistered Carmelite Nuns Novena 7

8:00 a.m.: Luis Figueroa RIP

### Friday:

6:00 a.m.: Kevin Sheedy RIP

\*7:30 a.m.: Themis Gkatzimas

8:00 a.m.: Clara Park RIP

### Saturday:

6:00 a.m.: Siew Har Chan RIP

\*7:30 a.m.: Carmelite Community

8:00 a.m.: Arthur Lowenberg RIP

\*Held at the Carmelite Chapel, 215 East Alhambra Road.  
Open to the public every day except Sundays/holidays.

## Intentions of our Holy Father for February 2016:

- 1) That we may take good care of creation-a gift freely given-cultivating and protecting it for future generations; and 2) That opportunities may increase for dialogue and encounter between the Christian faith and the peoples of Asia.

# Lectors

### Saturday:

5:00 p.m. Charitt Torres / Alice Cheung

### Sunday:

7:30 a.m. Blanca Ruvalcaba / Thu Nguyen

9:00 a.m. Beatriz Pelayo-Garcia / Rosa Natividad

11:00 a.m. Jeff Storey / Lorraine Mizerski

5:00 p.m. Gil Vargas

# Floral Dedications

This week's Floral Dedication is:

**In Thanksgiving to God  
For His Many Blessings to  
the Gharibian Family**

To dedicate a floral arrangement in someone's honor, for a special occasion, or in memory of a loved one, leave a message for Giovanna Setiady at 281-9049. Bouquets are \$40 and up.



# Personal Ads

**KITTENS:** Parishioner needs help finding loving, permanent homes for five 8-month old black kittens (rescued at 4-weeks old). Very loving with all medical needs met. Contact: Theresa Cardinale at 975-8210.

# Outside the Parish

**CARMELITE PILGRIMAGE WITH FR. PAUL KOENIG, OCD:** In the Jubilee Year of Mercy, travel to Poland & Italy in the steps of St. John Paul II, the great "Mercy Pope," from April 13 - 26. For more info, contact Louisa Day at (323) 360-5186 or Jack Day at (323) 722-9339. Details available at <http://www.syversentouring.com/carmel>.

**EASTERN EUROPEAN PILGRIMAGE,** Sept. 12-27, in celebration of the Jubilee "Year of Mercy": Croatia, Dubrovnik, Medjugorje, Vienna, Budapest, Prague, places associated with Saints John Paul II and Faustina (the "Divine Mercy" Shrine), and many more. \$3,999 (double occupancy) all inclusive, air, transfers, land transport and lodging, breakfast/dinner, daily Masses and much more--all led by a Carmelite Chaplain. Insurance and single supplement available and optional. For more info, please contact Beth at [maddatubeth@gmail.com](mailto:maddatubeth@gmail.com) or (408) 903-6305.

Avenue of Travel with Fr. Jan Lundberg OCD presents "Marian Shrines of Europe" with Fr. Jan Lundberg on Sep. 16 -30 (15 days 13 nights). \$4141 per person, double occupancy, includes Airfare from LAX. (single supplement, add \$571 extra). Check with us for departures from other cities. Visits to Madrid, Avila, Fatima, Santiago DeCompostela, Burgos, Lourdes, Barcelona, Montserrat, Saragossa. Prices include daily buffet breakfast, 13 dinners, daily Mass, Travel Protection Plan included. If interested, book ASAP with deposit \$559 per person before rates go up. Final pymt due 6/1/2016. Send check to Avenue of Travel, P.O. Box 60068, San Angelo, TX 76906. Contact Angela Yang at [aokyang@gmail.com](mailto:aokyang@gmail.com) or 394-4367.

## **INFORMATION PAGE**

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