



# St. Therese Catholic Church

**Our Mission:** Nurture the Little Flowers of God's Garden to Grow and Bear Fruit.  
Nutrir las Pequeñas Flores del Jardín de Dios para crecer y dar fruto.

## JANUARY 16, SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### DAILY MASS

Monday - 8:00 a.m.  
Tuesday - 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday - 12 Noon  
Thursday & Friday - 8:00 a.m.

### CONFESSIONS

30 minutes before daily Mass &  
1 hour before Weekend Masses

### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil 5:30 p.m.  
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. / 11:30 Spanish

**FIRST SUNDAY MASS:** 7 a.m.  
(First Monday Weekend)

**Holy Days of Obligation**  
8 a.m. / 12 Noon / 6:00 p.m.

### DEVOTIONS

**ADORATION:** On First Fridays  
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

*Kindly Signup in the Narthex.*

**FIRST SATURDAY MASS:** 8:00 a.m.

### ROSARY

Tuesday: 5:30 pm, Wednesday: 11:30 am  
First Saturday after Mass

St. Therese Catholic Church  
885 1st Monday Lane  
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**Rev. Jesudoss Thomas, S.T.L.**  
903-567-4286

**Deacons:**  
Jim Burkel: Alan Stehse!  
Larry Edwards: Jon Fadely;

**Office Hours /Horas de Oficina**  
Monday-Friday/Lunes al Viernes  
9:00 am – 3:00 pm  
**Sunday / Domingo:**  
10:00 - 11:30am

### Office Staff

Secretary: Anna Stephens  
Bookkeeper: Sharla Lewis  
Facility Rental: Deacon Larry Edwards  
Finance Council: Helen Howell  
Building Maintenance: Ed Lucas  
DRE: Barbara Cozart  
Pastoral Council: Bill Pinola  
Music Director: Ken Mings  
CYO H. School: JoAnne Henson  
CYO Jr. High: Sue Watson  
Liturgy Coordinator: Deacon Jon Fadely

### Religious Education / Ministries

Faith Formation Coordinator: Anne Lucas  
RCIA: Deacon Alan Stehse!  
Adult Bible Study: JoAnne Hensen  
Rosemarie Hicks  
Sanctity of Life Ministry: Jim Burkel  
Crisis Pregnancy / Gabriel project: 1-888-300-5112

### Educación Religiosa / Ministerios

Ministro de Lectores / Servidores: Cecilia Sanchez  
Estudio de Biblia: Francisco Delgado  
Ministerio de Coro: Gerardo Ramirez  
Sacramentos para Adultos: Francisco Delgado  
Preparacion de Quinceñeras: Maria Delgado  
Grupo de Oracion: Francisco Delgado

### Monthly Meetings

Ladies Guild	2nd Sun	10:00 a.m.
Holy Name Society	2nd Sun	10:00 a.m.
Knights of Columbus	3rd Thurs	7:00 p.m.
Grupo de Oracion	Every Wed	7:30 p.m.
CYO	Every Wed	6:00 p.m.
RCIA	Every Sun	10:30 a.m.

### Parish Organizations

K of C: Carlo Caravetta  
Ladies Guild: Sheila Herrera  
Holy Name Society: Mike Perez  
St. Therese Charity: Kathleen Bulfer  
Religious Gift Shop: Chin Boyd  
Prison Ministry: Bill Pinola  
Scholarship Fund: Helen Howell



**“Everyone serves good wine first, and then when people have drunk freely, an inferior one; but you have kept the good wine until now.”**

John 2:1-11

### Welcome to Our Visitors and New Parishioners

**We joyfully welcome you to our Parish Family. We are blessed by your visit!**  
**If you would like to become a member of our St. Therese Family, please, come by the office after the 9:00 am Mass to register. Thank you and God Bless! Website : [www.sttheresecanton.org](http://www.sttheresecanton.org)**  
**Email: [sttheresecanton@gmail.com](mailto:sttheresecanton@gmail.com)**





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Nuestra Misión: cultivar las florecitas del jardín de Dios para que crezcan y den fruto  
**9 DE ENERO, EL BAUTISMO DEL SEÑOR**



<b>Sunday</b> 9:00 am 11:30 am	<b>Jan. 16</b> Mass S.Mass	<b>Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Father Jesu (Birthday Friday 1/21) † <b>Antonio Diaz &amp; The Diaz Family</b> By The Diaz Family
<b>Monday</b> 8:00am	<b>Jan. 17</b>	Communion Service
<b>Tuesday</b> 5:30 pm 6:00 pm	<b>Jan. 18</b> Rosary	Communion Service
<b>Wednesday</b> 11:30 am 12:00 noon	<b>Jan. 19</b> Rosary	Communion Service
<b>Thursday</b> 8:00 am	<b>Jan. 20</b>	Communion Service
<b>Friday</b> 8:00 am	<b>Jan. 21</b>	Communion Service
<b>Saturday</b> 5:30 pm	<b>Jan. 22</b> Mass	† Matthew Crouch By Chavera Family

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: Second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Monday: St. Anthony, Abbot  
Thursday: St. Fabian, Pope, Martyr and St. Sebastian  
Friday: St. Agnes, Virgin  
Saturday: Day of Prayer for Legal Protection of Unborn Children

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday: Is 62:1-5 ; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11  
Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23 ; Mk 2:18-22  
Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13 ; Mk 2:23-28  
Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51 ; Mk 3:1-6  
Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Mk 3:7-12  
Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21; Mk 3:13-19  
Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Mk 3:20-21  
Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10; 1 Cor 12:12-30; Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

**Sacraments / Sacramentos**

**Baptisms:** Please contact the church office at least three months prior to setting a date as a pre-baptismal meeting is required.  
**Marriage:** Please contact the church office at least six months before setting a date as premarital classes must be attended prior to the wedding.  
**For both of these sacraments you must be a member of our Parish and in good standing. If you belong to some other Parish but seeking the Sacraments you must bring letter from your priest.**  
**Bautizos:** Se debe contactar a la oficina al menos un mes antes de la fecha de celebración. Una reunión pre-bautismal es necesario antes de configurar la fecha.  
**Matrimonio:** el padre debe ser contactado durante al menos seis meses antes de la boda. Recuerda tomar clases antes de fijar la fecha.  
*Para ambos sacramentos debe ser miembro de nuestra parroquia y estar en buena posición. Si pertenece a otra parroquia pero busca los sacramentos, debe traer una carta de su sacerdote.*  
**Quinceañera:** Si está planeando un quinceañera, asegúrese de comunicarse primero con la oficina de la iglesia, antes de fijar una fecha.

**Respectful Dress Code For Divine Worship**

Please remember that our liturgical dress code does NOT allow shorts, short skirts, tank tops, spaghetti straps, halter tops, crop tops, sleeveless tops (no bare shoulders or revealed midriff). Please consider dressing with dignity as you partake in the liturgy. *"Your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit. Glorify God in your Body"* (1Cor 6:19,20)

**Diocese Code of Ethics and Integrity**

**Pastor:** Father Jesudoss Thomas 903-567-4286  
**Promoter of Justice:** Rev. John Gomez 903-534-1077  
**Parish Contact Person:** Cynthia Stanley  
Please contact the Church Office for contact information

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Country Breakfast is today after the 9am mass and will be every third Sunday of the month. Please join us and donate to The Holy Name Society and to their good work.

There will be **Adult Faith Formation Classes after the 9 am Mass** for all the parents who have registered their Children in the Faith Formation and Sacramental Prep Classes. We encourage the parents to attend this class and to grow in your faith. This will be held in the Education Building Classes are ongoing with the Kids class schedule and classes have already begun please join us.

If you requested a poinsettia for a loved one Kindly, pick one up in the Parish Hall Today.

**Adult Bible study** classes will begin on the January 17th. If the books are received in time. Please contact the church office for definite start date. All will meet at 6pm in the Education Building, there will be 10 sessions.

The Knights of Columbus meeting is on January 20th.

If you would like to receive **your tax-exempt letters** for the donations you offered in 2021, kindly contact the church office. Also, please **consider making special year end** (tax write-off) **donations** to St. Therese Catholic Church, for our special projects planned for this year 2022. If you requested a letter, they are available for pick up in the office.

The **Parish Pictorial Directory** is ready for pick up, in the office. Those who did not pre-pay for the directory, you may purchase one for 20.00 at the church office.

**Fr. Jesu will be on vacation till February 15.** During those days there will not be daily Mass but only the Communion Service by our Deacons. For any emergency, call our secretary Anna Stephens or Sharla Lewis.  
*Please see the Bulletin or our website for upcoming events. May God keep you safe during this season of grace.*

**Announcements from our Diocese**

**Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass,** celebrated by Bishop Joseph Strickland on Saturday, February 12, 2022, at 2 pm.

**Water to Wine Date Night** Married couples are invited to a special date night on Friday, February 4th from 6:30 pm-9:00 pm at St. Mary Magdalene in Flint. Tickets are \$75/couple (includes art supplies).

**Catechist Training** The St. Philip Institute is hosting a Catechist Training Seminar on February 19th at St. Therese in Center, TX. The day begins at 9 a.m. and ends at 3 p.m.

For more information and to RSVP, visit [www.stphilipinstitute.org/events](http://www.stphilipinstitute.org/events)

**The St Therese Canton Radio**

*If you are in the listening area, you can tune into KDMI-LP 97.5 FM. We are encouraging everyone to "follow" the Facebook page or listen to the station to stay up to date on things happening at St. Therese. Facebook page @ StThereseCantonRadio.*

**Youth Ministry**

CYO Grades 6 – 12 are meeting **every Wednesday** from **6 pm – 7:30 pm.** in the Education Building. Please contact JoAnne Henson for more information.

**ANUNCIOS**

El Desayuno Campestre es hoy después de la misa de las 9am y será cada tercer domingo del mes. Unase a nosotros y done a The Holy Name Society y a su buen trabajo.

Habrà Clases de Formación de Fe para Adultos después de la Misa de 9 am para todos los padres que han registrado a sus Hijos en las Clases de Formación de Fe y Preparación Sacramental. Animamos a los padres a asistir a esta clase y crecer en su fe. Esto se llevará a cabo en el Edificio de Educación. Las clases continúan con el horario de clases para niños y las clases ya comenzaron. Únase a nosotros.

Si solicitó una flor de Pascua para un ser querido, amablemente, recoja una en el Salón Parroquial hoy.

Las clases de estudio bíblico para adultos comenzarán el 17 de enero. Si los libros se reciben a tiempo. Comuníquese con la oficina de la iglesia para conocer la fecha de inicio definitiva. Todos se reunirán a las 6pm en el Edificio de Educación, habrá 10 sesiones.

La reunión de Caballeros de Colón es el 20 de enero.

Si desea recibir sus cartas de exención de impuestos para el donaciones que ofreció en 2021, comuníquese con la oficina de la iglesia. Además, considere hacer donaciones especiales de fin de año (cancelación de impuestos) a la Iglesia Católica St. Therese, para nuestros proyectos especiales planificados para este año 2022. Si solicitó una carta, son disponible para recoger en la oficina.

El Directorio Pictórico Parroquial está listo para ser recogido en la oficina. Aquellos que no pagaron por adelantado el directorio, pueden comprar uno por 20.00 en la oficina de la iglesia.

Padre Jesús estará de vacaciones hasta el 15 de febrero. Durante esos días no habrá Misa diaria sino solo el Servicio de Comunión de nuestros Diáconos. Para cualquier emergencia, llame a nuestra secretaria Anna Stephens o Sharla Lewis.

Consulte el Boletín o nuestro sitio web para conocer los próximos eventos. Que Dios te mantenga a salvo durante esta temporada de gracia.

**Anuncios de nuestra Diócesis**

**Misa Diocesana de Aniversario** de Bodas, celebrada por Obispo Joseph Strickland el sábado 12 de febrero de 2022 a las 2 pm.

**Water to Wine Date Night** Las parejas casadas están invitadas a una noche de cita especial el viernes 4 de febrero de 6:30 pm a 9:00 pm en St. Mary Magdalene en Flint. Los boletos cuestan \$ 75 por pareja (incluye materiales de arte).

**Capacitación de catequistas** El Instituto St. Philip está organizando un Seminario de capacitación de catequistas el 19 de febrero en St. Therese en Center, TX. El día comienza a las 9 a.m. y termina a las 3 p.m.

Para obtener más información y confirmar su asistencia, visite [www.stphilipinstitute.org/events](http://www.stphilipinstitute.org/events)

**DAILY MASS**

If and when you can, kindly consider attending one of the weekday Masses. You will receive special graces for your efforts.

**THE ALTAR FLOWERS**

If you would like to honor someone with Altar flowers, Please contact Martie Brown or the Church Office

**The Holy Father's Prayer Intention For January**  
***For true human fraternity***  
We pray for all those suffering from religious discrimination and persecution; may their own rights and dignity be recognized, which originate from being brothers and sisters in the human family

**Intención de oración del Santo Padre para enero**  
***Por la verdadera fraternidad humana***  
Oramos por todos aquellos que sufren discriminación y persecución religiosa; Que se reconozcan sus propios derechos y dignidad, que nacen de ser hermanos y hermanas en la familia humana.

Bill Pinola, Francisco Delgado,  
Barbra Tracy, Jack Harris, Jerry Watkins,  
Dorothy Ward, Jane Cordell, Tracie Leigh Sprangler,  
Joan Hashem, Carol Faben, Kari Mackey,  
Vicky Styre, Susan Carlos, Tim Wilcoxson,  
Kathleen LeBars, Eddie Valdez, ,  
Dawson Elmore, Larry Minor, Greg Musgrave,  
Virginia Bennet, Rose Montgomery,  
Dora Oliver, Marty Weaver, Maureen Mayer,  
Powers Family, Emily Wilcoxson

**The Adoration of the Holy Eucharist**  
**Signup in the Narthex**  
**First Friday from 8:30 am to 5:00 pm**

**Your Gift is for God's Work**  
**Weekend Mass Collection: \$3,534.00**  
**Attendance for January 8 & 9 334**  
**We suggest 10% of monthly income**  
**Please Remember St. Therese Church in your "Will"**

**Parish Income & Expenses for November**  
PARISH INCOME : \$28,352.00  
PARISH EXPENSES: \$28,132.85  
WEEKLY BUILDING FUND COLLECTION: \$380.00  
PARISH HALL BUILDING LOAN BALANCE: \$268,631.87

**WE WISH TO WELCOME EVERYONE VISITING US TODAY! THANK YOU!**

**Remember you can access the bulletin at our website [sttheresecanton.org](http://sttheresecanton.org)  
DESEAMOS DAR LA BIENVENIDA A TODOS VISITANOS HOY! GRACIAS.**