

St Teresa Catholic Church
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August 29, 2021
 Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
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ST TERESA PARISH WELCOMES NEW FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS MOVING INTO THE AREA. Please register by calling the rectory office. Any parishioners who are leaving the area or changing an address or phone number should notify the office.

BAPTISMS: Baptism will be held on the 1st Sunday of the month after Sunday morning mass. Call the office in advance to schedule. Parents are obligated to attend preparation sessions before a child's baptism if they have not attended one in the past five years. This can be done before the birth of the child. Call the office to register for class.

COUNSELING SERVICES: 1-937-299-9005 Offered by Bob Skipper at Spiritual Center of Maria Stein

BULLETIN ARTICLES: due in writing by 5:00pm on Tuesday. You may email article to: stteresachurch@bright.net.

Mass Intentions

Wednesday, Sept 1st
 6:30pm Reconciliation
 7:00pm Mass-Jim Provc
 Sunday, Sept 5th
 10:00am Mass-People of the Parish

**Volunteers needed,
 please contact the
 parish office if
 interested**

CELINA CLUSTER MASSES

Saturday 5pm IC, 7pm OLG
 Sunday 8am IC, 9am OLG, **10am ST**, 11am IC
 Monday 7:30am IC, 8am OLG Comm Service
 Tuesday 7:30am IC, 8am OLG
 Wednesday 7:30am IC Comm Service
 7pm OLG, **7pm ST**
 Thursday 7:30am IC
 Friday 8am OLG, 9am IC school mass
 Reconciliation Saturday 11am IC,
 6:15-6:45pm OLG
Wednesday 6:30pm ST

Vocation Cross

8/29-9/4 Bob Eichler Family
 9/5-11 Ernest England Family

Remember St Teresa in your Will!

Eucharistic Ministers

9/5 10:00am Deb Roehm

No Eucharistic Minister for wine until further notice

Mass Servers

9/1 7:00pm Jaymin Peel
 Jerry Provc
 9/5 10:00am Bryce Stearns
 Trevor Stearns

Lectors

9/5 10:00am Ann Vian

Ushers

9/5 10:00am Barry Peel Family
 Nick Bruns

Church Cleaning

8/29-9/4 Ron Gruss Family
 9/5-11 Lisa Hess Family

Sacristans

9/1 7:00pm Melissa Fent
 9/5 10:00am Julie Peel

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:

Parish Council is looking for a **Young Adult Representative** (age 18-30). This position is determined on a year to year basis. Council meets the 3rd Thursday of the months of Jan, Mar, May, Aug and Nov at IC PAC. If this interest you, please contact the office or a council member.

We are in need of volunteer to **count Sunday collection** once a month on a rotating basis. Looking for someone with honesty, trustworthy and confidentiality and good with numbers. If this interest you, please contact the parish office.

Religious Education (CCD) begins Sunday, Sept 12th at 8:45-9:45am. All students are to meet in the church.

BEACONS UPDATE: BE HEARD, STAY INFORMED, SIGN UP – Beacons of Light, the archdiocese-wide pastoral planning process currently underway, will impact every parish in the archdiocese, including ours. To stay on top of the latest developments on Beacons of Light, sign up for the free monthly *Beacons Update* newsletter at www.BeaconsAOC.org.

RCIA Will you be a witness on the journey of faith for our RCIA participants? You can volunteer as a sponsor for one of our catechumens or simply serve as a faith witness during our formative sessions. You need not be an “expert” on Catholic theology - just a faith-filled parishioner willing to share the Catholic life with someone that has answered God's call to join our community. If you are a fully initiated Catholic (baptized, confirmed, actively participating in the Eucharist) who is at least 18 years of age, please contact your parish office or Charlie Mescher (meschercj@bright.net or 419-586- 5618) for more information to find out how you can be a positive influence in our RCIA process. It's an enriching experience for everyone involved.

Calling All Mothers! IC Cluster Mothers Group planning to meet 1-2x per month depending on needs of group (previous meetings have been at I.C. Parish Activity Center). Meetings will include prayer, fellowship, and discussion of the book “M omnipotent” by Danielle Bean. Contact icclustermothersgroup@gmail.com or txt 419-852-7954 if interested.

Maria Stein Shrine to hold BIBLE STUDY: THE BOOK OF DANIEL—This bible study leads us through a penetrating study of the Book of Daniel using the biblical text itself and the Church's own guidelines for understanding the Bible. Register by emailing m.hess@mariasteinshrine.org or calling 419.925.4532 **by September 7th**. The study is \$25 per person, includes study materials and will occur every Tuesday between September 28 - November 16, 2021.

2021 Suicide Prevention and Awareness Walk ASSURE at Mercer County Fairground on September 11, 2021 at 9:00am. Contact Margie Griesdorn 419-852-3312 for more information.

MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK:

Vocation View: “Be doers of the word and not hearers only.” The reception of the Word of God demands a living response, for the Word is active and alive, spurring us on to action. (James 1:22)

SUNDAY COLLECTION	8-22-2021				
Envelopes/online (15)	\$ 632.00	Weekly Offering	\$ 750.00	YTD total Collection	\$ 6,927.32
Loose envelopes	\$ 118.00	Week Budgeted	\$ 1275.00	YTD total Budgeted	\$ 10,200.00
TOTAL RECEIVED	\$ 750.00	Over/Short	\$ -525.00	Over/Short to date	\$ -3272.68