

St Teresa Catholic Church  
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October 24, 2021  
Thirtieth 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, Oct 27th  
6:30pm Reconciliation  
7:00pm Mass-Special Intention  
Sunday, Oct 31st  
10:00am Mass-Pete Weddle

**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  
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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**  
10/24-30 Jerry Garwood Family  
10/31-11/6 Connor Gehle Family



**Remember St Teresa in your Will!**



**Eucharistic Ministers**  
10/31 10:00am Lynn Hughes

**No Eucharistic Minister for wine until further notice**

**Mass Servers**  
10/27 7:00pm Austin Knapke  
Jerry Provc  
10/31 10:00am Megan Nichols  
Eddie Nichols

**Lectors**  
10/31 10:00am Cheryl Nichols

**Ushers & Honor Family**  
10/31 10:00am Nick Bruns  
Michael Ford

**Church Cleaning**  
10/24-30 Ron Gruss Family  
10/31-11/6 Trevor Eischen Family

**Sacristans**  
10/27 7:00pm Melissa Fent  
10/31 10:00am Julie Peel

**FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:**  
October 21<sup>st</sup> was the **Feast of St. Gaspar del Bufalo**, the founder of the Missionaries of the Precious Blood who have been serving each of our cluster parishes from the beginning – IC since 1863, OLG since 1904 and St. Teresa since 1937. While the pastoral care of IC and St. Teresa is being returned to the care of Archdiocesan priests July 1, 2022, we would like to celebrate our founder's feast with each of our cluster parishes. The prayers and readings for masses this weekend, October 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> will be from the Proper of Masses for the Feast of St. Gaspar del Bufalo approved by the Holy See. Please see the bulletin attachment this weekend to learn more about the life and ministry of St. Gaspar. We are grateful for the opportunity to serve at each of our cluster parishes and are sad to be returning IC and St. Teresa to the care of the Archdiocese. Each of the cluster parishes will have a special place in the hearts and prayers of many CPPS priests and brothers for years to come, especially me. We ask your prayers for our C.P.P.S. members serving locally and throughout the world. May God continue to bless the C.P.P.S. with members who will dedicate their lives to proclaiming the saving power of Jesus' precious blood to all people.

This weekend we also celebrate **World Mission Sunday**. In 1926 Pope Pius XI instituted Mission Sunday for the whole Church with the first worldwide Mission Sunday collection taking place in October 1927. World Mission Sunday is celebrated in all the local Churches as the feast of catholicity and universal solidarity so Christians the world over will recognize their common responsibility with regard to the evangelization of the world. Your generosity towards missionary efforts throughout the world is greatly appreciated.

**Eucharistic Adoration** will be held at Our Lady of Guadalupe, Sunday, October 24<sup>th</sup> beginning at 10 AM and concluding with Benediction at 4 PM. Everyone is invited.

Monday, November 1<sup>st</sup> we celebrate the **Feast of All Saints**. We remember the saints who are canonized or beatified, and the multitude of those who are in heaven enjoying the beatific vision that are only known to God. This year, the Feast of All Saints is a holy day, but not of obligation since it falls on a Monday. There will be a Mass at each of the cluster parishes – IC at 7:30 AM, OLG at 8:00 AM and **St. Teresa at 7:00 PM**.

The Bereavement Ministry of the Celina Cluster invites families who have lost loved ones to join in a **Mass of Remembrance**, Tuesday, November 2, 2021 at 6:30 PM at Immaculate Conception Church. As we grieve the loss of one we love, we often feel alone. We all grieve in our own way and in our own time. The comfort we find at the times when we hurt the most comes from our memories and from the company of people with whom we can share those memories. A special gift from God is a community which understands, loves and supports us in our time of sorrow and grief. We are never alone. Jesus is always with us.  
*Blessings and prayers, Fr. Ken*

**Monthly Money Madness** winners for the month of October are \$100, Diane Fullenkamp; \$50 Sharon Reichert; \$25 Arline Sacher; and \$25 Jane Obringer. Congratulations to all!

**MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK:**  
Sunday, Oct 31st from 8:45a-9:45a CCD Classes in church basement

Vocation View: "You are a priest forever, according to the order of Melchizedek." The priesthood of Jesus Christ is not bestowed by ancestry, as the Temple priesthood was, but by selection by Christ in imitation of Melchizedek. (Hebrews 5:6)

SUNDAY COLLECTION		10-17-2021			
Envelopes/online (22)	\$ 1085.00	Weekly Offering	\$ 1403.25	YTD total Collection	\$ 14,954.32
Loose envelopes	\$ 448.25	Week Budgeted	\$ 1275.00	YTD total Budgeted	\$ 20,400.00
TOTAL RECEIVED	\$ 1403.25	Over/Short	\$ 128.25	Over/Short to date	\$ -5,445.68