

St Teresa Catholic Church  
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May 14, 2023  
 Sixth Sunday of Easter  
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Office hours: Mon and Wed 9am-4pm; Fri 9am-1pm (subject to change)

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**ST TERESA PARISH WELCOMES NEW FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS MOVING INTO THE AREA. Please register by calling the rectory office. If you have a change of address, phone number or email, please inform the parish office.**

**BAPTISMS: Please contact the office to schedule Baptism. 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. Contact IC to register for class.**

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

**NW2 MASSES and RECONCILIATION**  
**Saturday masses**

Holy Rosary (HR) . . . . . 4:30pm  
 Immaculate Conception (IC) . . . . . 5:00pm  
 Our Lady of Guadalupe (OLG) . . . 7:00pm

**Sunday masses**

Holy Rosary . . . . . 8am & 11:00am  
 Immaculate Conception . . 8am & 11:00am  
 Our Lady of Guadalupe . . . . . 9:00am  
 St Patrick . . . . . 9:30am  
**St Teresa . . . . . 10:00am**

**Weekday masses**

Monday IC . . . . . 7:30am  
Tuesday IC . . . . . 7:30am  
 HR . . . . . 8:15am (8:00am if no 8:15am School mass scheduled)  
Wednesday HR . . . . . 12:05pm  
 OLG . . . . . 7:00pm  
**St Teresa . . . . . 7:00pm**  
Thursday IC . . . . . 7:30am  
 St Patrick . . . . . 8:00am  
Friday HR . . . . . 8:00am  
 OLG . . . . . 8:00am  
 IC . . . . . 9:00am (7:30am if not 9am School mas scheduled)  
Saturday HR . . . . . 8:00am

**Reconciliation** Saturday 3:30-4:15pm HR  
 Saturday 4-4:30pm IC,  
 Saturday 6:15-6:45pm OLG  
 Wednesday 6:30-6:50pm St Teresa

**Mass Intentions**

Wednesday, May 17th **Fr John**  
 7:00pm Mass-Marlene Thesing  
 Sunday, May 21st **Fr Rob**  
 10:00am Mass-Nick Grilliot

**Eucharistic Ministers**

5/21 10:00am Alexis Berry  
 Ann Vian (C), Jessica England (C)

**Mass Servers**

5/17 7:00pm Gary Fullenkamp, Logan Fullenkamp  
 5/21 10:00am Elanya Moeller, Natalie Moeller

**Lectors**

5/21 10:00am Allison Hughes 1, Lynn Hughes 2

**Ushers & Honor Family**

5/21 10:00am Doug Hughes, Grant Minnich

**Church Cleaning**

5/14-20 Bob Eichler Family  
 5/21-27 Amber Mattraw Family

**Sacristans**

5/17 7:00pm Diane Fullenkamp  
 5/21 10:00am Melissa Fent

**Vocation Cross**

5/14-20 Brian Bruns Family  
 5/21-27 Greg Bruns Family



**Remember St Teresa in your Will!**

**Mercer County RTL Mother's Day Rose Sale** is today after mass. Roses are \$1.00 each or 3 roses for \$5.00. The Mercer County Right to Life appreciates the many volunteers and all who support this fundraiser...THANK YOU!

**Thank you Doug Hughes** for stepping up to volunteer to chair the Rockford Community Days hamburger stand. RCD will be held June 16-17, 2023. List for volunteers and donations will be set out soon, watch the bulletins for details.

**Finance Meeting** on May 17th after 7:00pm mass in church basement.

**St. Isidore the Farmer, Family of Parishes has a new Facebook page!** This new Facebook page is where you can find all communications involving events, parish news, Mass times, special announcements, and more for all parishes. Be sure to follow this new page and stay up to date on all that is happening at St. Isidore the Farmer, Family of Parishes. Follow this link <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100091994397837> or you can find the link to this new page on current Facebook parish accounts and parish websites or search on Facebook for **St. Isidore the Farmer, Family of Parishes**. You can also scan the QR code below which will take you directly to the page.



**St Isidore Feast Day** mass will be held May 15, 2023 at Maria Stein Shrine at 7:00pm with Fr John celebrating. This is an opportunity for us to gather as the growing season begins and ask God to bless our labor, through the intercession of St Isidore the Farmer. Veneration of St Isidore's relic immediately following the Mass.

**Holy Land Pilgrimage** - Sept 6—16, 2023 with Fr Rob Muhlenkamp, 8 spots remaining! Last day to register is June 5th Contact Eddie Abufarha 810-394-5291 or email ttravels10@gmail.com. \$3900 for 11 days includes: airfare, entry fees to all sites, 5 star hotels, air conditioned motor coaches, 2 meal a day, catholic tour guide.

Fulfill the dream of a lifetime through an inspirational journey. Strengthen your faith and feel closer to God while Walking in the footsteps of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Don't miss the opportunity to discover this distinctive and spiritual land. You will be spiritually nourished by visiting the sites where our Lord Jesus Christ performed his miracles.

Enrich your prayers and understanding of the Scriptures while celebrating the Mass at the world's ancient cities of Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Nazareth, Sea of Galilee, Cana, Jericho and many more.

**MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK:**

Wednesday, May 17th after 7:00pm mass Finance meeting in church basement

Vocation View: "If you love me, you will keep my commandments." The Holy Spirit gives us the courage to embrace our Faith with a whole heart, but we must receive this gift in humility. (John 14:15)

SUNDAY COLLECTION		5-7-2023		
Envelopes/online (24)	\$ 910.00	Weekly Offering	\$ 1476.35	YTD total Collection \$ 61,430.30
Loose envelopes	\$ 566.35	Week Budgeted	\$ 1275.00	YTD total Budgeted \$ 57,375.00
<b>TOTAL RECEIVED</b>	<b>\$ 1476.35</b>	Over/Short	\$ 201.35	Over/Short to date \$ 4,055.30