

# PARISH OF ST. THERESA / OUR LADY OF THE WAYSIDE

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time  
September 4, 2016

## MASS SCHEDULE

*St. Theresa*

Monday thru Friday: 6:45 a.m. & 9:00 a.m.  
Saturday: 8:00 a.m. & 9:00 a.m.  
Sunday Vigil: Saturday at 5:15 p.m.  
Sunday: 7:45, 9:00\*, 10:45 & 12:45 p.m.

*Our Lady of the Wayside*

Sunday Vigil: Saturday at 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Holydays: As announced in the Bulletin  
prior to the Holyday

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

*St. Theresa*: Saturday 4:00 to 4:45 p.m.  
*Our Lady of the Wayside*: Saturday 4:00 to 4:30 p.m.

## WEDDINGS

Please arrange six months in advance, prior to any other  
wedding arrangements. Parish membership is required.

## BAPTISMS

Please arrange three months before arrival.

## NEW PARISHIONERS

If you are new in the parish, we would appreciate it if you  
register. **[Please PRINT clearly]**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No \_\_\_\_\_ Apt. No. \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

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| <input type="checkbox"/> New Registration     | <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Address |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Moving Out of Parish | <input type="checkbox"/> Want Envelopes    |
|   | <input type="checkbox"/> Want Parish Pay   |

Please cut out and drop in the collection or mail to the  
Parish Rectory.

## *Mass Intentions*

For period of September 3 to September 11, 2016  
We remember the people of our past and present

### Saturday, September 3 (St. Gregory the Great)

8:00 A.M.  
9:00 A.M.  
5:15 P.M. Dominic and John Mangialardi

### Our Lady of the Wayside

5:00 P.M.

### Sunday, September 4

7:45 A.M. Anthony Paletta  
9:00 A.M. William Cioffiro  
10:45 A.M. Megan Lapicki  
12:45 P.M. John Kilroy

### Our Lady of the Wayside

9:00 A.M.  
10:30 A.M. Deceased Members of  
Grimaldi Family

### Monday, September 5 (St. Theresa of Calcutta)

6:45 A.M. Enid and Lawrence Whartenby  
9:00 A.M. Eugene Ruggiero

### Tuesday, September 6

6:45 A.M. People of the Paris  
9:00 A.M. Millie, Pat, Fannie Palmieri

### Wednesday, September 7

6:45 A.M. Patrick Kelly  
9:00 A.M. Sr. Rose Cecila Bozzo & Sr. Petra Zanghi

### Thursday, September 8 (The Nativity of the

**Blessed Virgin Mary)**

6:45 A.M. Maryjane Medovich  
9:00 A.M. Giuseppina and Michael Calandrello

### Friday, September 9 (St. Peter Claver)

6:45 A.M. Richard Jordan  
9:00 A.M. John Bader (3<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary)

### Saturday, September 10

8:00 A.M. Anthony A. Vassalo  
9:00 A.M. Marie & John Levendusky  
5:15 P.M. Silvia, Charles, Gladys Glad

### Our Lady of the Wayside

5:00 P.M. Jean and Dominick Sansone

### Sunday, September 11

7:45 A.M. Victims and Families of 9-11-01  
9:00 A.M. Joseph Fenton  
10:45 A.M. Elizabeth Szanto  
12:45 P.M. Barbara McGrath

### Our Lady of the Wayside

9:00 A.M. Ernie Peters  
10:30 A.M. Deceased Members of Forstbauer Family

## St. Theresa Parish News



### THE PARISH PRAYS FOR THE SICK

Frances Bader, Taylor Clarke, Brian Cobuzzi, Christine Cobuzzi, Richard Cobuzzi, Sr., Elizabeth Cook, Marie Guarino, Baby Hazel, Maureen Farrell Kenner, Andrée Lalak, Luzmarina Lalli, Theresa McGee, Michael Montalto, Edward O'Brien.

### REST IN PEACE

Janet Lindgren. Our prayers are with her family and friends.



The Sanctuary Lamp will be burning this week in memory of **Theresa O'Brien**.

### TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

#### **First Reading: Wisdom 9:13-18b**

This reading acknowledges that people have had a difficult time attempting to know God's wishes. At times we have difficulty understanding the things that happen on earth. Therefore, learning of things in heaven would have been impossible, except that God sent us wisdom and the Holy Spirit to help us understand him.

#### **Second Reading: Philemon 9-10, 12-17**

Paul writes to Philemon regarding Onesimus, a slave who ran away and encountered Paul. Although Paul wished Onesimus could remain with him, he did not want to violate Philemon's wishes. Paul asks that Philemon receives his friend Onesimus as a beloved brother, not as a slave. He closes by saying, "Welcome him as you would me."

#### **Gospel: Luke 14:25-33**

Jesus warns people who wish to follow him that they must abandon everyone else first. A person calculates the amount of money needed to complete a project before they begin it. In the same way, Jesus warns these people to consider exactly what is involved before they make a commitment to follow him.

### BEEF STEW WEEKEND

This weekend is **Beef Stew Weekend**. Please be generous with your donation of food or money. The poor in our area depend on our continued assistance.



### PARISH OFFICE

**Please Note:** The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, September 5<sup>th</sup> for Labor Day, and we will begin regular office hours on Tuesday, September 6<sup>th</sup>.

### ALTAR SOCIETY

The Altar Society is a delightful group of volunteers who quietly give of themselves in order to support the parish by providing care and attention to our spiritual home. The Society consists of two primary groups. One provides the necessary linens for each and every Mass. This team of dedicated women take turns washing and ironing for all of us to experience the proper and dignified sacrifice of the Mass. Members of the second group rotate once every six to eight weeks and devote approximately one hour attending to the altar flowers, sacristy, sanctuary, sacramentals and help prepare the church for the transition from one liturgical season to another. **Fr. Edison is our clergy moderator assigned to give guidance to this valuable ministry.** If quiet, prayerful, unassuming but vital ministry is calling you, **we would love to welcome you as a new member!** In addition to the tasks at hand, this ministry gathers for a social breakfast twice a year and is always invited but never pressured to pray the Rosary after 9:00 Mass Monday through Saturday.

### ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING

On **Saturday, September 10 at 9:30 a.m. sharp** all members of the Altar Society of both OLW and STC **are asked to attend a meeting** in the lower church of St. Theresa's.

We will discuss revitalizing this ministry and offer updated objectives to help form a current mission statement for this highly valued church ministry. Any parishioners who are interested in joining this group of volunteers are also welcome and encouraged to attend. Following the meeting, we will commence our Communion Breakfast at Terra Rustica on North State Road, Briarcliff. Please **RSVP** to the rectory, **941-1646 before Thursday, September 8<sup>th</sup>**, to attend the meeting and/or the complimentary breakfast.



### FINANCE CORNER- August 2016

August 7, 2016	\$6,763	
August 14, 2016	\$6,420	\$1,741
August 21, 2016	\$6,571	
August 28, 2016	\$7,405	
Assumption	\$560	

**We thank you for your continued generosity. St. Theresa Parish encourages use of Parish Pay.**

### BAPTISMS

We recently welcomed into the family of God and our parish family during the month of August:

**Alexa Ivette Damiano  
Jack Thomas Berta  
Michael Pugh**

Congratulations to their families and friends.



### FALL BIBLE STUDY

**Who are the Prophets of the Bible?  
Come and join your fellow parishioners  
starting Thursday, September 8 at 7 p.m.**

as we begin to study the role of the Prophets. Nearly every week at mass we hear, "A reading from the Book of the Prophet....Isaiah, or Jeremiah or Hosea...." The prophets urge us to repentance, warn us of the dangers of sin, and announce the blessings of faithfulness. Their prophetic words speak to us even today as they draw us to a closer relationship with God. **Our program will run for 10 consecutive Thursday evenings at 7 p.m.** as we watch video presentations, engage in a guided discussion and take home study. You need not attend each week and do not have to have any prior bible study experience. We are a small group of parishioners who enjoy the fellowship of studying God's word and learning more about our very rich Catholic faith. The program is FREE. Steve Watson at 917-270-8395 is our program coordinator.

### **Religious Education News**

#### REGISTRATION

All registration paperwork is due at the Religious Education Office for the 2016-2017 year. To request registration materials call (914) 923-3286. Classes begin Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup>. No registrations will be accepted the day of class.

#### CATECHISTS NEEDED

**Grade 2 (Sunday), Grade 5 (Monday/Tuesday), Grade 6 (Monday), Grade 8 (Monday).** Contact the Director at (914) 923-3286.

#### EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM

Do you have or know a child who is 3-6 years old? Begin their religious instruction early with our Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Early Childhood Montessori Program. Classes meet once a week for a 90-minute session. Contact the office at (914) 923-3286 for more information.

### **RCIA News**

#### BECOMING A CATHOLIC

Are you or someone you know interested in becoming a Catholic? Call (914) 923-3286 for more information.

### **Other News**

#### MARYKNOLL SISTERS

#### GLOBAL MISSION OUTREACH

**"United Through Mission Gala"**

**Friday, October 14, 2016 at 6 p.m.**

**Delegates Dining Room**

**United Nations Headquarters, New York City**

To purchase event tickets, advertise in our Gala Journal, view sponsorship opportunities, purchase raffle tickets or explore our silent auction items visit our website, [www.maryknollsisters.org/gala16](http://www.maryknollsisters.org/gala16) or call 1-866-662-9900.

#### MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS

#### Altar and Rosary Society

**Friday, September 9, 2016**

**St. Theresa**

*Lynn Watson and Family*

#### Our Lady of the Wayside

**Month of September 2016**

*Joanne Singer*

**September 11, 2016**

**Altar Servers \***

**\* Please go to the St. Theresa Website for assigned Masses or to volunteer.**

**September 11, 2016**

#### Eucharistic Ministers

#### Ministers of the Word

Sat. 5:15	C. DiMarzo	M. Lattin
Sun. 7:45	T. Foss	A. Saunders
Sun. 9:00	L. Engelhardt	K. Duffy
Sun. 10:45	R. Berta	B. Edelson
Sun. 12:45	R. Conway	R. Sieminski

#### Our Lady of the Wayside

Sat. 5:00	C. McAfee	J. Robertson
Sun. 9:00	J. Manocchi	B. Manocchi
Sun. 10:30	J. Jarvis	T. Weidenhamer

#### **BRIARCLIFF CENTER: E. Prendergast**

If you are not assigned, please check in the Sacristy before Mass to see if your help is needed.