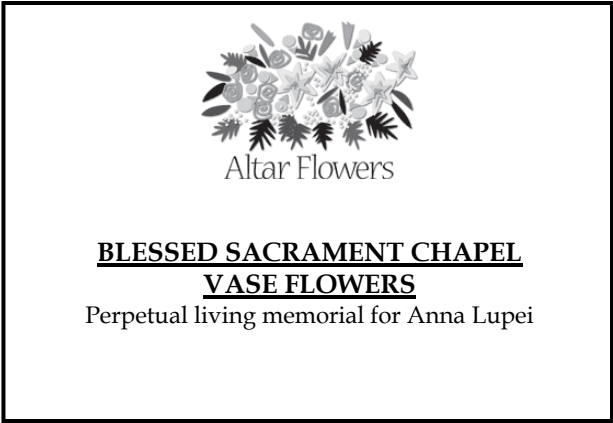




“Through his suffering, my servant shall justify many.”

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 18, 2015



BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL
VASE FLOWERS
 Perpetual living memorial for Anna Lupei

MASSES AND INTENTIONS

THIS WEEKEND OF
OCTOBER 17-18, 2015

Saturday 5:00 PM **Mass**
*Intention: **Tim Gustin (RIP)***
Requested By: Jerry & Karen Gustin

Sunday 8:00 AM **Mass**
*Intention: **St. Therese Parishioners***

Sunday 10:30 AM **Mass**
*Intention: **Deceased Members of KofC Council 9428***

WEEK OF
OCTOBER 19-23, 2015

Monday 9:00AM **Mass**
*Intention: **Evelyn Leigh (RIP)***

Tuesday **No Mass**

Wednesday **No Mass**

Thursday **No Mass**

Friday 12:00 Noon **Mass**
*Intention: **Fr. Leo Zonneveld (RIP)***
Requested By: John & Sharon Watts

THIS WEEKEND OF
OCTOBER 24-25, 2015

Saturday 5:00 PM **Mass**
*Intention: **Chris Dagenhart (RIP)***
Requested By: Tom & Jeri Trudeau

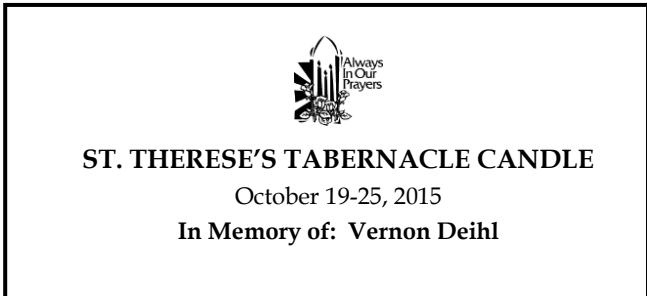
Sunday 8:00 AM **Mass**
*Intention: **St. Therese Parishioners***

Sunday 10:30 AM **Mass**
*Intention: **For all Priests on this Priesthood Sunday***

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

This section is being replaced by the double-sided insert "Take Five for Faith." The insert will be in the bulletin every other weekend.

Daily Readings may be found at the
www.USCCB.org website.



"No one shall appear before the LORD empty-handed, but each of you with as much as he can give, in proportion to the blessings which the LORD, your God, has bestowed on you." Deuteronomy 16:17

OPERATING BUDGET
 Fiscal Year 7/1/15 through 6/30/2016
 Annual operating expense budget: \$469,454.00

Did you know...
 We expect Bingo to contribute \$11,692 this year to our budget? Go Volunteers!!

OFFERTORY
 Actual Contributions 10/4/2015: \$6,372.98
 Gifts were in envelopes and in loose cash/checks with a total Weekend Mass attendance total of 349

Other contributions 10/4/2015 not used for operations totaled \$2,349.18

In addition we received E-giving support this week totaling \$912.50

CELEBRATE THE FEAST OF ST. THERESE!
 On October 1st we honor our parish patron saint, Therese of Lisieux. We have a contribution line on our e-giving page if you wish to donate in honor of her. Thank you for your generosity and please visit www.sttheresechurch.info for more details.

The Church of St. Therese is a STEWARDSHIP parish.
 Each week we depend upon and are grateful for your generous support of time, talents, and treasure to strengthen this, YOUR parish community.

We can accept Visa, MasterCard, Discover, American Express, Debit Cards, and savings/checking drafts.

OCTOBER'S 2ND COLLECTIONS
 October 24 -25 Catholic Virginian

BINGO

WEEKLY BINGO RESULTS:

October 5, 2015

On October 5, attendance included 46 players (7 parishioners) and 10 volunteers. The night's deposit totaled \$1,337.50 is used for gaming expenses and donations to St Therese. Donations for 2015 now total \$22,310; these funds will be used for unbudgeted items and special projects.

LIVING OUR MISSION

I would like to thank the 160 households for generously pledging a gift to the *Living Our Mission* Campaign. However, 160 households equals *only* thirty-five percent of our 485 registered families. A campaign of this scale comes along *once in a lifetime* and is a chance to do something really great for our parish. So, if you have not made your gift, please prayerfully consider doing so. For your convenience envelopes are available in the basket on the desk to mail your pledges to the Diocese. I thank you for your prayerful consideration of a pledge, and again to those of you who have already done so, God Bless you and thank you.

FAMILY LIFE MINISTRY

Make Your Own Pizza after the 5:00 PM Mass on Halloween! All families are invited to stop into the Social Hall on their way to or from trick or treating to make their own pizzas in our new ovens, donated by the Knights of Columbus and the Theresians. Free to parishioners including games, food, and drinks. Join us Halloween night for fun to good it's scary (but not really scary). See you there!

CHECK IT OUT!

The parish website at www.sttheresechurch.info should be live! Please visit it often and if changes/updates are needed, we ask that you contact the parish office. We will continue "tweaking" details and hope that you are pleased with the upgrade.

HELP US REACH OUR GOAL!!!

Justice & Peace wants to recycle your plastic bags! We have received 200 pounds of plastic bags and our goal is 500 pounds by November 30th. Help St. Therese earn a free bench by turning in your plastic grocery bags to the recycling boxes in the social hall. Thank you for helping us!

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) sessions meet each Thursday from 7:00—9:00 PM at the Adult Learning Center. These sessions are for anyone interested in learning more about the Catholic Church or is interested in becoming Catholic. Contact Nadine McGrady at 693-5939 or N.McGrady@StThersGlo.org for more information.

VIRTUS TRAINING

There will be a VIRTUS training session here at St. Therese on Saturday, October 24th from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM in the Social Hall. This is a requirement for those who work with youth under the age of 18 and is part of the Safe Environment Mandate for the diocese. Registration is accessed through the diocesan website,

www.richmonddiocese.org. For more information contact Nadine McGrady at 693-5939 or N.McGrady@StThersGlo.org

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today is World Mission Sunday! In Scripture, we read that St. Paul asked the Gentile Churches to take up a collection to support the Church in Jerusalem. Now we are asked to reach out and support the young churches throughout our world. Your prayers and generous gifts to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith in the collection today will help missionaries offer the poor of these areas practical help as they share the mercy of God. It will ensure the development of local dioceses, and support the work of priests, religious and lay leaders who serve in those on the margins and in most need. Go out to the whole world through your gift in today's collection!

2015 RED MASS

The Most Reverend Francis X. DiLorenzo, Bishop of Richmond, and The Saint Thomas More Society invite everyone in the Richmond Diocese to join in worship and fellowship at the **32nd Annual Red Mass and Dinner on Wednesday, November 4**. Rev. Msgr. R. Francis Muench, J.C.L., Judicial Vicar for the Diocese of Richmond, will celebrate the Red Mass. Mass is at 5:30 p.m. at Saint Benedict Catholic Church, 300 North Sheppard Street, Richmond. The Dinner will follow in the Halsey Lecture Hall at the Virginia Historical Society, across the street from Saint Benedict Catholic Church. The keynote address will be given by Ryan T. Anderson, Ph.D., Senior Research Fellow in American Principles and Public Policy at The Heritage Foundation who researches and writes on marriage and religious liberty. Dinner tickets are \$50 each. The Saint Thomas More Society is an educational, fraternal, and service organization of Catholic lawyers. Further information can be obtained from Society President, James Schliessmann, jeschliessmann@hotmail.com or 804-873-1035.

ANNUAL VETERANS BRUNCH

This year, our annual Veterans Brunch will be Sunday, November 8th. Instead of a guest speaker presentation, we are going to try a form of audience participation. We are looking for a short story from your time in uniform that is humorous, thoughtful, emotional, or inspiring. The emcee will read your story and it should be no more than two minutes in length. If you have one, or two, that you would like to share, please send it via e-mail to Jim Gierlak at jegierlak@gmail.com or call (804) 832-8595.

CHRISTMAS EVE MUSIC PROGRAM

Sing the song of the Lamb; sing the praises of His birth. Join the music ministry as we prepare our Christmas Eve music program (held prior to the 5:00 PM Mass). Practice will be held every Monday at 6:30 PM. Ages 5th grade and up are welcome.



At Last I have found my vocation:

My vocation is love.
--Saint Therese of Lisieux