



“Master,  
I want to see.”

30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in  
Ordinary Time

October 25, 2015



Donated by: Loonam Family  
In Memory of : Barbara Loonam

## MASSES AND INTENTIONS

### THIS WEEKEND OF OCTOBER 24-25, 2015

Saturday	5:00 PM	Mass
Intention: <b><u>Chris Dagenhart (RIP)</u></b>		
Requested By: Tom & Jeri Trudeau		
Sunday	8:00 AM	Mass
Intention: <b><u>St. Therese Parishioners</u></b>		
Sunday	10:30 AM	Mass
Intention: <b><u>For all Priests on this Priesthood Sunday</u></b>		

### WEEK OF OCTOBER 26 - 30, 2015

Monday		No Mass
Tuesday	9:00 AM	Mass
Intention: <b><u>Petra Rascon (RIP)</u></b>		
Requested by: Rosa Rodriguez		
Wednesday	12:00 Noon	Mass
Intention: <b><u>Those praying for Kathy Abers</u></b>		
Requested by: Kathy Abers		
Thursday	9:00 AM	Mass
Intention: <b><u>Frank Fountain (RIP)</u></b>		
Friday		No Mass

### THIS WEEKEND OF OCTOBER 31-November 1, 2015

Saturday	5:00 PM	Mass
Intention: <b><u>Vernon Deihl (RIP)</u></b>		
Requested By: Kathy Abers		
Sunday	8:00 AM	Mass
Intention: <b><u>St. Therese Parishioners</u></b>		
Sunday	10:30 AM	Mass
Intention: <b><u>Michael Tutaj (RIP)</u></b>		
Requested By: Tom & Jeri Trudeau		

### **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](http://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 10/18/2015: \$4,782.50  
Gifts were in envelopes and in loose cash/checks with a total  
Weekend Mass attendance total of 359  
  
Other contributions 10/18/2015 not used for operations totaled  
\$1,185.04  
  
In addition we received E-giving support this week totaling  
\$1,942.00

### **CELEBRATE THE FEAST OF ST. THERESE!**

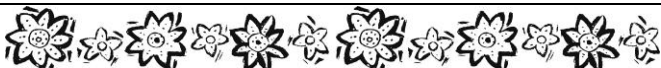
During the month of October we continue honoring our  
parish patron saint, Therese of Lisieux. We have a  
contribution line on our e-giving page if you wish to  
donate in honor of her. Thank you for your generosity and  
please visit [www.sttheresechurch.info](http://www.sttheresechurch.info) for 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.

### **NOVEMBER'S 2ND COLLECTIONS**

October 31 - November 1	Parish Growth
November 21/22	Catholic Campaign for Human Development
November 28	Begin Poinsettia memorials



**BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL VASE FLOWERS**

Perpetual living memorial for Anna Lupei

# BINGO

## WEEKLY BINGO RESULTS:

October 12, 2015

On October 12, attendance included 25 players (7 parishioners) and 13 volunteers. The night's deposit totaled \$691.75 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 162 households for generously pledging a gift to the *Living Our Mission* Campaign. However, 162 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.

## PIZZA AND HALLOWEEN!

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 from 6:00 – 8:00 PM. See you there!

## CHECK IT OUT!

The parish website at [www.sttheresechurch.info](http://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.

## WE ARE HALFWAY THERE!!!

Justice & Peace wants to recycle your plastic bags! We have received nearly 300 pounds of plastic bags and our goal is 500 pounds by December 31<sup>st</sup>. 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](mailto:N.McGrady@StThersGlo.org) for more information.



## 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 5<sup>th</sup> grade and up are welcome.

## BISHOP KEANE INSTITUTE PRESENTS:

### FR. JAMES MARTIN

The Bishop Keane Institute presents, "Encountering Jesus: Meeting the Jesus of History and the Christ of Faith," a lecture by Fr. James, Martin, SJ. **Tickets are now available for \$15 at [keaneinstitute.org/tickets](http://keaneinstitute.org/tickets).** Fr. Martin is the New York Times bestselling author of *The Jesuit Guide to (Almost) Everything* and his most recent publication, *Jesus: A Pilgrimage*. Often using humor to share his profound love of Jesus, Martin has been a guest to late night programs like, "The Colbert Report." The Bishop Keane Institute is a ministry of Immaculate Conception Church in Hampton, VA. This event will be held off-site at Bethel Church: 1705 Todds Lane, Hampton VA 23666. Call the Immaculate Conception parish offices with questions: (757) 826-0393

## 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. Further information can be obtained from Society President, James Schliessmann, [jeschliessmann@hotmail.com](mailto:jeschliessmann@hotmail.com) or 804-873-1035.

## ANNUAL VETERANS BRUNCH

The Knights of Columbus Council invites Veterans and their families to the Annual Veterans Brunch on Sunday, November 8<sup>th</sup>, at 11:45 AM in the Social Hall. A sign-up sheet is located in the Commons. Please submit a short-story (2 minutes) from your time in uniform that is humorous, thoughtful, emotional, or inspiring to Jim Gierlak at [jegierlak@gmail.com](mailto:jegierlak@gmail.com) or call (804) 832-8595. In keeping with military tradition, we encourage veterans to wear their medals or ribbons and veterans service organization hats on that solemn day.

## RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

For healing after abortion, a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat will be held December 11-13 at Shalom House Retreat Center, for women and men who have known regret, sorrow, guilt or shame from abortion. The weekend combines living scripture meditations, spiritual exercises, and discussion in a guided process that leads to the heart of God's love and compassion. If you would like to learn more about this retreat, contact Mary Montgonery-Jennings at 804-704-0429, or Maggai Carlson at 804-432-2589 or email: [RV4hope@gmail.com](mailto:RV4hope@gmail.com). Their website is [www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org). Inquiries, registration and participation are strictly confidential.

## ARE YOU BEING CALLED?

"What do you want Me to do for you?" Could your answer be the grace of a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life? Call Father Michael G. Boehling at (804) 359-5661, or write: [mboehling@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:mboehling@richmonddiocese.org).