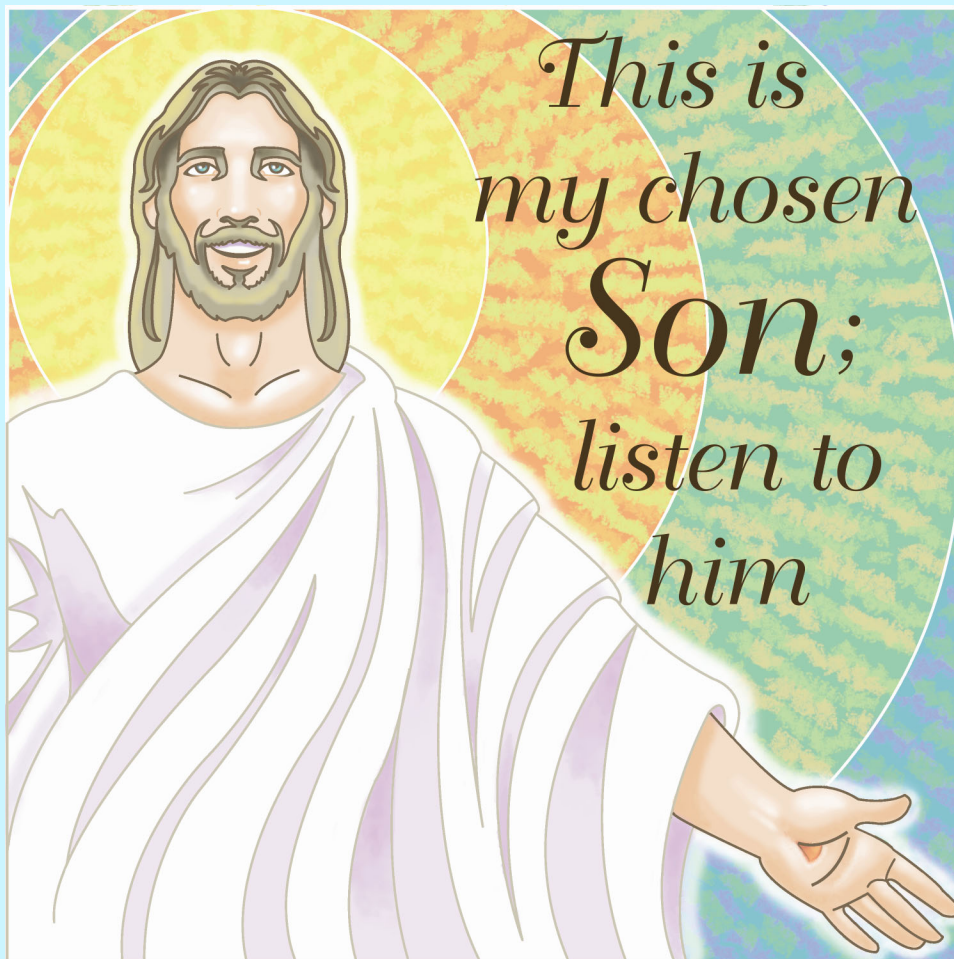




ST. THERESA CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

THE LITTLE CHURCH WITH A BIG HEART

February 28, 2010
Second Sunday of Lent



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Office Hours
M-F, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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352-245-2458

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Parish Email & Website:
info@sttheresacatholicchurch.org
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PASTORAL & STAFF

Pastor: Fr. David Vivero

Ret. Assoc. Fr. Robert Fuchek

Ret. Assoc. Msgr. James Lichtenthal

Deacon: Normand LaFleur

Secretary/Admin: Alice Ghigliotty

Religious Educ.: Julie McAllister

Social Service: Jimmy Johnson

Liturgy & Music: Kay Roberts

Maint./Repair: Tom Swarbrick

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms and Confirmation:
Please contact the Parish Office at 245-2458 for more information.

Marriage: Call the office at least 6 months prior to intended date.

Anointing of the Sick: Available at end of all weekend Masses.

Vocations: Call the office for more information and guidance.

Confessions: 3:00-3:45 p.m.
on Saturday or contact the office for appointment.

Hospital and Homebound Communion: Call Parish Office.

Friday Eucharistic Adoration:
Holy Hour 3-4 p.m.; Silent 4-6 p.m.

SICK CALL and FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS
245-2458

MASS SCHEDULE

DAILY MASSES
Monday through Friday:
8:30 a.m.

WEEKENDS
Saturday:
4:00 & 5:30 p.m.

Sunday:
7:30, 9:00 & 11:30 a.m.
Holy Day Vigil: 7:00 p.m.

Holy Day Masses:
8:30 a.m.

12:00 Noon (except if a Saturday)

TRIDENTINE (Latin) MASS
6 P.M. every Sunday
Queen of Peace

PARISH ADMINISTRATIVE LIFE

Mission Statement



WE ARE COMMUNITY FOUNDED BY CHRIST HIMSELF, EMPOWERED BY HIS GIFT OF THE EUCHARIST. WE ARE COMMITTED TO GROW IN FAITH, HOPE, LOVE AND SERVICE TO ALL.



St. Theresa Catholic Church

Pastor: Fr. David Vivero
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Soup Kitchen- Mary Ann Gricar (352) 245-1359
Thrift Shop- Mary Ann Jones (352) 245-0650
Website- Penn Herbert info@sttheresacatholicchurch.org
Parish Social Events & Hall coordinators
 Marilyn & Russ Kaster (352) 624-1900
St. Vincent DePaul Society (352) 245-2915
 Tony Roberto and Tom Feenaghty
Catholic Charities Counseling (888) 658-2828
 (Information and Referral Service)
Stewardship/Vivos Christi (352)245-2458
 Jane Schatzman

Bulletin Notices & Website Info.

Please submit all announcements or bulletin items to Donna at donna@bokalosarmoury.com or place written copy in appropriate box in parish office two (2) Thursdays prior to the weekend of publication effective immediately until March 25, 2010.

WEEKEND COLLECTIONS:

Feb. 14, 2010
 Offertory.....\$8,096.50
 Project Growth.....\$2,383.13
 Feb. 21, 2010
 Offertory.....\$8,547.50
 Project Growth.....\$2,266.56

LITURGICAL FORMATION

Holy Hour/Adoration Assistants: Fred @ 861-4397
 Altar Servers:Julie @ 245-5300 or Pastor @ 245-2458
 Lectors: Kay @ 245-9098
 Ushers: Kay @ 245-9098 or Pastor @ 245-2458
 Choir: Kay @ 245-9098
 Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC)
 Fred @ 861-4397

FAITH FORMATION

Children's Faith Formation: Julie @ 245-5300
 Adult Faith Formation: Carl Ross @ 245-5300
 Catechists: Julie @ 245-5300
 R.C.I.A.: Julie @ 245-5300 or Gloria @ 347-6149
 Youth & Young Adult Ministry: Julie @ 245-5300

PASTORAL/ OUTREACH

Ministers to the Sick (MTS): Jerry & David 245-2458
 Bereavement: Mary @ 259-0548
 Respect Life/A.I.D.S. Ministry: Vicky Kovacs @ 245-2458

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Cursillo and Ultreya: Mary @ 854-2779
 Knights of Columbus: Dick @ 347-7717
 Columbiette's Auxiliary: Joyce@ 237-0230
 Ladies Guild: Loretta @ 245-5437
 Legion of Mary: Peggy @ 347-6439



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**Second Sunday of
 Lent**
February 28, 2010
 The LORD is my light
 and my salvation;
 whom should I fear?
 — Psalm 27:1

PARISH SPIRITUAL LIFE

Mass Intentions



SATURDAY, FEB. 27 2010

4:00 p.m. **Well-Being of Parish Family**

5:30 p.m. **Ricardo Montalbo (+)** Lee Montalbo
Concetta M. Fantozzi (+) James Fantozzi & Family

Richard Roberto (+) Anthony Roberto

SUNDAY, FEB. 28, 2010

7:30 a.m. **Well-Being of Parish Family**

9:00 a.m. **The Marino Family (+)** Mr. & Mrs. LiPuma
Paul F. Bush (+) Matty Bush

Aileen Nelson (+) Jack & MaryAnn Jones

11:30 a.m. **Rosemary Jasper (+)** Kevin Jasper

Teddy Jasper (+) Kevin Jasper

Amelia Donofrio (+) Kevin Jasper

MONDAY, MARCH 1, 2010

8:30 a.m. **Sophie & Clyde Weaver (+)** The Family

Sara Santanello (+) Connie Reutenauer

Salvatore LaScala (+) Sal & Corinne Costanzo

TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 2010

8:30 a.m. **Teddy Rivet (+)** The Family

Spec. Int. of Pat & Mike Sullivan by Mary P. Sullivan

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, 2010

8:30 a.m. **Holy Souls in Purgatory (+)** **Fabiola Botero**

Mary Rich (+) Ronnie Maxim

THURSDAY, MARCH 4, 2010

8:30 a.m. **MaryAnn Moncovich (+)** Mary LeBlanc
& Ben Matulak

FRIDAY, MARCH 5, 2010

8:30 a.m. **Monthly Memorial Mass**

Salvador O. Santana (+) Petra Santana & Petra Beard
Bauer & Trudell Family (+) John & Theresa Trudell

Jack Dooley (+) Gina Dooley

Eugenia Jones (+) Lorraine Smith & Family

Lillian Pastewski (+) Jan & Gene Stehura

SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 2010

8:30 a.m. **Communion Prayer Service**

4:00 p.m. **Patricia A. Fels (+)** Jerome J. Fels

Louise K. Campbell (+) William Campbell

Emily D'Angelo (+) Kim & Frank Dunphy

5:30 p.m. **Joseph Testa Sr. (+)** Joseph Testa Jr.
& Anita Montalbo

Marlene Casteel (+) Gerald Qualter

Pray for . . . the Sick of Our Parish

Jack Reynolds Rosalie Selenski Hada Almeida
Kathryn Soth Daniel Stango Estelle Zegaren Leo Dubuc
Gloria Silva Frank DiMichele Theresa Preston
Bob & Marge Wilson Virginia Koerber Derrick Brooks
Paul Usrey Rita Ryan Tom Lautner Joseph Tapler
Robert Cavanaugh John Nowak Josh Schneider
Ann Kennedy Robert Gizzi Margaret Lewis
Anna DiStefano Bill Sterbinsky

ALL ABOUT CHANGE

On this Second Sunday of Lent the scriptures remind us that when we have an encounter with our God, things are bound to change. In the first reading God tells Abram to raise his eyes to the sky, promising descendants as numerous as the stars. Abram's act of faith in the Lord is sealed in covenant, forever changing the course of salvation history. In the Gospel story of the Transfiguration, always proclaimed on this Lenten Sunday, the Lord Jesus changes in appearance before the eyes of the apostles who, like Abram, raise their eyes to the spectacle in the sky. It is Saint Paul who brings it all together for us: "He will change our lowly body to conform with his glorified body" (Philippians 3:21). Lent is all about change, all about conversion. Let us cast our own eyes to heaven, awaiting that day when we will be changed—when we will share in Christ's glory.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The Lord made a covenant with his faithful servant, Abram, saying, "To your descendants I give this land." (Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18)

Psalms — The Lord is my light and my salvation (Psalm 27).

Second Reading — We await the Lord Jesus, who will change us to conform with his glorified body (Philippians 3:17 — 4:1 [3:20 — 4:1]).

Gospel — Peter, James, and John witness the transfiguration of Jesus on the mountain

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Second Sunday of Lent;
Purim (Jewish observance)

Wednesday: St. Katharine Drexel

Thursday: St. Casimir

Friday: First Friday; World I
Abstinence

Saturday: First Saturday



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10; Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20; Mt 23:1-12
Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20; Mt 20:17-28
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10; Lk 16:19-31
Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a; 17b-28a;
Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15; Ps 103;
1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lk 13:1-9
Alternate readings (Year A):
Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8;
Jn 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42]

PARISH PASTORAL LIFE**SOCIAL SERVICES****SERVE THE POOR**

Be diligent in serving the poor. Love the poor, honor them as you would Christ himself.

—St. Louise de Marillac

"THE WORK OF THE LORD"

Daily we at Social Services see Miracles happen. Either through our marvelous volunteers giving of their time and talents or from our many Donors. Our Donors come in many shapes and sizes. Some are our Local Grocers ..others are the Parishioners from all of our Parishes and Congregation members of other Churches. The donations we receive are either of food, money or much needed equipment. To all we sincerely extend our gratitude and appreciation for all you do for the Ministry to the Poor. Our clients repeatedly Thank Us for all we do because we the Staff and Volunteers are the visual side of our Ministry. You our marvelous Donors are the "MIRACLE." that allows us to pass the Blessings to our Clients. May you always know and live the Blessings of the Day.

Sincerely,
The Staff and Volunteers of Social Services



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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & ENRICHMENT

For more information on any of the following notices please call the Religious Education office at 245-5300 or email sttheresare@cfl.rr.com

Sacramental Preparation for Holy Communion

The first session for Preparation for Holy Communion will be on Thursday March 4th @ 6:00 p.m. in the church with opening prayer. Fr. David will lead the adult session. These four sessions are open to all in the parish who would like to renew their understanding of the Eucharist and for those preparing to receive the sacrament for the first time. Please call the Religious Education office for more information.

High School Seniors

Applications for Ladies Guild Scholarship are available in Parish Office during the week.

Deadline to apply for this scholarship is:

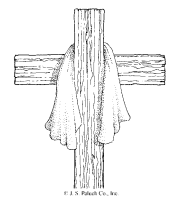
April 20, 2010

For more information please call: Josephine @ 347-4431



The children of the parish will be praying the

Stations of the Cross on
Sunday Feb.28th
at 10:15-11:00 a.m.
in the church.



All are welcome to come and pray. Children should meet their catechists in the church at 10:15 a.m. Following the Stations the children will go to the quad for a special presentation on our Sister Diocese.

PARISH SOCIAL LIFE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**St. Theresa's
Lenten Fish Fry**

Friday Feb. 19 from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Every Friday during Lent through
March 26, 2010.

MENU:

- Fried or Baked Tilapia
- French fries or mac/cheese
- Coleslaw
- Hush Puppies
- Dessert
- Drink

\$7,50 per plate

Share this season of Lent with good food
and friendly fellowship.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

UP COMING EVENTS

FEBRUARY

- 28 Children's Station of the Cross 10:15-11:00 am
Religious Education
- 28 High School Youth Ministry 7-8:30 pm
Youth Ministry

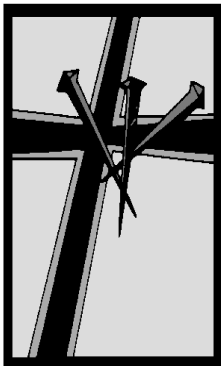
MARCH

- 1 40 Days of Life 7 am-7pm
Spiritual
- 2 Ladies Guild Mtng. 1 pm
Pastoral
- 4 SS Advisory Board Mtng. 10 am
Admin.
- 4 First Communion Prep. 6 pm
Pastoral
- 5 **Stations of the Cross** 3 pm & 7 pm
Pastoral
- 5 Ultreya Mtng. 9 am
Spiritual
- 5 First Friday Mass 6:30 pm
Spiritual
- 5 Fish Fry 4-7 pm
Social Activities
- 5 Charismatic Session 8 pm
Spiritual
- 6 & 7 Operation Rice Bowl All Masses
Pastoral
- 7 K of C Breakfast 8-11 am
Outreach
- 7 High School Youth Ministry 7-8:30 pm
Youth Ministry
- 10 Bereavement Support Group 9:30 - 11 am
Pastoral
- 11 First Communion Prep. 6 pm
Pastoral
- 11 40 Days of Life 7 am-7 pm
Spiritual
- 12 **Stations of the Cross** 3 pm & 7 pm
Pastoral
- 12 Fish Fry 4-7 pm
Social Activities
- 12 Charismatic Session 8 pm
Spiritual
- 13 & 14 Catholic Relief Coll. All Masses
Admin.
- 14 High School Youth Ministry 7-8:30 pm
Youth Ministry
- 14 St Patrick's Dinner (K of C Hall) 12-3 pm
Outreach
- 17 St. Patrick of Ireland - Mass 8:30 am
St. Patrick Movie 9:00 am
Outreach
- 17 40 Days of Life 7 am-7 pm
Spiritual
- 18 First Communion Prep. 6 pm-8 pm
Pastoral
- 19 **Stations of the Cross** 3 pm & 7 PM
Pastoral

Next ULTREYA meeting March 5 at 9:00am

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday
during Lent
3:00 P.M.
with Exposition of the
Blessed Sacrament
until 6pm
and
7:00 P.M.
(stations only)



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PERSONAL LIFE**NEW ONGOING BEREAVEMENT
SUPPORT GROUP FORMING**

Are you grieving the loss of someone special in your life, feeling lonely and that no one understands your pain? Then this is the group for you. We will be meeting every second and fourth Wednesday of the month in the quad from 9:30 –11:00 a.m. Next meeting is March 10, 2010. Come, give and receive support from those who are also grieving, who understand what you are going through because they are too.

Contact Mary 259-0548
if you have any questions.

**COME CRUSING
AGAIN!**

Dec. 6th through Dec. 11th,
2010

We are going to the Western
Caribbean,
Costa Maya & Cozumel
Aboard the Radiance of the
Seas.

Inside cabin from \$486.
Ocean view from \$586.



LENTEN RETREAT
MARCH 22-25
8:30AM & 7:00PM



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Submitted by Vicky Kovacs, Respect Life

IMMIGRATION

"For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, I was a stranger and you welcome me ... I tell you solemnly, in so far as you did this to one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did it to me" - Matthew 25: 35-40

Humanity and dignity belong also to refugees, migrants and immigrants, who are special to God.

This catholic social understanding is based in the Old and New Testaments when they portrayed the exile of Moses and the Jewish people; the travel of the Magi from the East; how baby Jesus and his family were refugees in Egypt escaping Herod's wrath; Jesus' continuous going from one place to another while teaching his word.

We also find in the Scriptures how Jesus was capable of dealing with the fear of the stranger, prejudices, competition and sense of loss.

In our case, we have to remember that with exception of our Native American brothers and sisters, we are all immigrants or the children of immigrants. These are the foundations of our great nation. When we welcome the refugees, migrants and immigrants, we welcome Christ himself.

This year national campaign launched by the U.S. Bishops encourages all Catholics to get involved through the "Justice for Immigrants Postcard Campaign" to advocate with our Legislators for a humane and comprehensive immigration reform. We will share the Papal teachings ...

*Sources: The Holy Bible; Justice for Immigrants, Bishop John C. Wester, Bishop
Thomas G. Wenski*



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Ocala 40 Days for Life Campaign

St. Theresa Prayer Vigil

March 1: 7a.m.-7 p.m.

March 11: 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

March 17: 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Thank you for choosing an hour or two to

STAND TOGETHER FOR THE UNBORN

Sign up after Masses OR online at:

www.40daysforlife.com/Ocala

Or call Vicky Kovacs @ 352-361-0461

Please Pray for our three Catechumens
preparing to enter into the Catholic Faith
Dainiel Faxon
Ryan Nitsche
Winston Schuler
They will be receiving the Sacraments of
Baptism
Confirmation
Holy Eucharist
At the Holy Saturday Vigil

EWTN

A group will be traveling to EWTN, the Eternal Word Television Network, on March 22—26, 2010. Tour the studio, hear Mass in the Chapel of the Angels and participate in a live television production. We will be staying at the St. Bernard Abbey, where you can visit the Ave Maria Grotto. We will also spend a day at the Shrine of The Blessed Sacrament in Hanceville. One price includes board, transportation and all meals. Registration forms and additional information is available by contacting Karen Kirby at 352-347-1615 or email:

travelkaren@embarqmail.com; or go to
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