

READINGS FOR THE WEEK
5/21/06

Monday: Acts 16:11-15; Jn 15:26—16:4a
 Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34; Jn 16:5-11
 Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22—18:1; Jn 16:12-15
 Thursday: Acts 1:1-11; Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 [1-7, 11-13]; Mk 16:15-20 (for Ascension); otherwise Acts 18:1-8; Jn 16:16-20
 Friday: Acts 18:9-18; Jn 16:20-23
 Saturday: Acts 18:23-28; Jn 16:23b-28
 Sunday: Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26; Ps 103; 1 Jn 4:11-16; Jn 17:11b-19 or for Ascension Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47; Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 [1-7, 11-13]; Mk 16:15-20

LOVE ONE ANOTHER

Last Sunday we heard the familiar passage from John's Gospel in which Jesus uses the metaphor of the vine and the branches. In that passage we were told that if we remained in Christ we would bear much fruit. Today's Gospel tells us just what that fruit is: love. Today's second reading and Gospel together create a great hymn to love. The chorus of this hymn is simple—God loves us so much that Jesus was sent into the world so that we would have life. The Lord Jesus, who last week told us to remain in him, this week tells us to remain in his love. In a world marked by division and terrorism, the Lord's final words in today's Gospel are a great challenge: "This I command you; love one another."

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — In truth, I see that God shows no partiality. Rather, in every nation whoever acts uprightly is acceptable (Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48).

Psalm — The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power (psalm 98).

Second Reading—Let us love one another, because love is of God (1 John 4:7-10) or 1 John 4:11-16.

Gospel — This is my commandment: love one another as I love you (John 15:9-17) or Jn 17:11b-19.

THANK YOU for listening to our appeal to register and to contribute. We will let you know by the beginning of next month how many have registered here at St. Teresa's. Some people adjusted their offerings to reflect one hours weekly wage. We saw one check for \$10.06 Please discuss with your family one hours contribution from your weekly wage. Two parishioners have gifted our parish \$3,000.00 and \$9,000.00 to be used where the need is greatest.

2nd Sunday of May 2006 9,691.74



Mass Intentions for the Week
May 22, 2006– May 28, 2006

St. Teresa of Avila

Mon. 05/22	8:30am	+	Souls in Purgatory
Tues. 05/23	8:30am	+	Richard Lloyd
Wed. 05/24	8:30am	+	Art Luthi
Thurs. 05/25	8:30am	+	John Malone
Fri. 05/19	8:30am	+	Curtis Shurter
Sat. 05/20	5:00pm	+	Grandma Cohan & Brennan
Sun. 05/21	8:30am	+	Grace Wallgren
Sun. 05/21	11:00am		All Parishioners
Sun. 05/14	5:00pm		Mary Carr

SPECIAL COLLECTION

Next weekend the special collection will be for the Church in Latin America. Proceeds from this collection go directly to support the work of pastoral projects in Mexico, Central and South America, and the Caribbean. The support from last year went for 470 projects in 217 dioceses within 21 countries, and included catechetical and lay programs, youth ministry, evangelization, and programs for religious, priests and deacons.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU

A special thank you to Don Wilford and Mike Kitchell for stepping up and making our parish offices happen.

To all our parishioners, please come by and see what an awesome job these men have done to give us our new home.

Parish Registration: We will be available after all Masses during the month of May for St. Teresa's registration.

All parishioners need to know, you must register either at St. Teresa's or St. Joseph's. Even though you have registered in the past when we were one parish, that registration is no longer in effect.

If you have any questions, please call 889-2254.

PASTOR'S CORNER**First Communion Photographs**

When children are born into a family it is a time of blessing for all. God gifts us with children and asks us to raise them. When parents prepare children for their First Holy Communion, they bring their children back to God—to Christ. First Holy Communion day is one of the earliest memories most of us have. But it needs to be more than just a memory. How can we keep the beauty of this closeness to Christ alive?

Photographs are important to all of us. They also show our value system. When I visit homes, I always want to see family pictures. You see all kinds of family reunions, baseball and soccer pictures. But you see little or no pictures on display of First Holy Communion Day. Not long ago while visiting a grandmother who was dying, the pictures she had on display were of her grandchildren's First Communion days. To my parents these First Communion pictures had a special place in our home. They are still a celebration of our faith and a source of blessing to us now grown children.

Let First Holy Communion day be a deepening of our love of Christ. May we the parish family of St. Teresa of Avila share the joy of our children. If you can find your own First Communion picture or that of your children, share it. In the weeks ahead, get that film developed and display the First Communion pictures. Send them to Grandparents and Godparents and relationships will deepen.

God Bless,
Fr. Mike

GIGGLES: The priest came out to begin Sunday Mass and discovered that his microphone didn't seem to be functioning properly. "There's something wrong with this microphone," he began. To which the people responded, "And also with you!"

Nothing is always wrong. Even a clock that has stopped running is right twice a day.

It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit.

**St. Joseph's School News**

Congratulations to the first SJS Golf Team. They entered their first championship match and finished right in the middle of the competition.

The Boys Volleyball team came in 2nd place in the PAL playoffs. They finished their division undefeated. Congratulations!

Track & Field: Max Rozowski-Vogt came in 3rd in the mile run PAL league championships. Max's time was 5.39 and the first place winner was 5.33. Way to go, Max!

Registration is now being accepted for the 2006/2007 school year. Please call the school office at 530-885-4490.

Congratulations to the following children who made their First Communion this weekend. *Jacob Arnold, Colin Bellotti, Katie Betts, Megan Billingham, Donald Brennan, Sarah Brennan, Courtney Chapman, Daniel Deltessandoro, Emily Graham, Daniel Harrington, Garrett Kenes, Kristen Kopp, Nicholas Lawicka, Zachary Lowe, Michael May, Caroline Paxton, Magdalena Raffanti, Christopher Raigoza, Dylan Ray, Bryan Remington, Ian Scheller, Rachel Schott, Joseph Shanahan, Jacob Silva, Brian Stangland, Benjamin Thill, Radd Thomas, Emily Thurman, Ryan White, Maiah Yanni and Shie-Ann Yates.*

Vacation Bible Study: "Treasure Cove" VBS is right around the corner. The dates are June 26 through June 30 from 8:45am to 12:30pm. Registration forms can be picked up at the parish office. Forms are due June 19, 2006. Space is limited and, unfortunately no walk in registrations will be accepted, so hurry and don't delay! Youth volunteers entering 6th grade and older are also needed. For more information, please contact the RE department at 530-823-7122.

COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS

Over one hundred parishioners attended our Liturgy Workshop on Saturday, May 13, 2006. Alas, Jackson Schoos's automobile could not make it up the Auburn hill. He send his regrets and apologies. Jean Sawyer, our Liturgical Coordinator, came to the rescue and ran a faith filled and lively discussion on our parish liturgies. Eight new ministers have volunteered to help in the Liturgy and Jean has assured me she has already contacted all of them. Thank you Jean and ALL of our Church ministers.



The following Alter Servers are scheduled for next weekend May 27th and 28th Masses.

5:00pm Saturday Vigil: Christina Winters
Victoria Winters
Paula Tomich

8:30am: Mathew DiMiceli
Felicia Gold
Melina Gold

11:00am Joseph Gubler
Lauren Collins
Michaela Collins

Please remember, if you are unable to serve to call a substitute.

Week At A Glance
May 21, 2006—May 27, 2006

SUN	8:30am	First Communion	St. Teresa's
05/21	11:00am	First Communion	St. Teresa's
WED.	6:00pm	Bingo	Parish Hall
05/24	7:00pm	Choir Practice	St. Teresa's
THUR	7:00pm	Finance Meeting	Parish Office
05/25			
SAT	5:00pm	First Communion	St. Teresa's
05/27			

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St. Joseph Church Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm
Sunday: 7:30, 10:30am, Spanish 12:30pm

St. Teresa of Avila Parish

Census Form

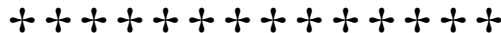
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Family Last Name _____

Street Address _____

Home Phone _____
(Please note if unlisted)

City and Zipcode _____



Family Members

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