

*St. Teresa of Avila Parish  
11600 Atwood Road  
Auburn, CA 95603*



**Father Michael Carroll, Pastor, Father Innocent Subiza, Parochial Vicar  
Deacon Edwin Morgado, Deacon Michael Young**  
StTeresaAuburn.com

**Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
August 5, 2007**

Teach us to number our days aright,  
that we may gain wisdom of heart.

— *Psalm 90:12*

**Sunday Masses**

Saturday Vigil.....5:00pm  
Sunday.....8:30am, 11:00am & 5:00pm

**Daily Masses**

Monday - Saturday.....8:30am

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday, 3:00pm – 4:30pm

The priests are honored to celebrate the Sacrament of Penance at any time; please call for an appointment with the priest of your choice.

**Baptisms:** For the celebration of Baptism, please call the Parish Office, for information.

**Marriage:** If you are a member of our parish, please contact a priest or deacon of your choice at *least* six months in advance of your desired wedding in order to participate in a process of marriage preparation.

**Confirmation:** For teens, the Sacrament of Confirmation is a two-year preparation process; please contact our coordinator of religious education; for adults not yet confirmed, please call the parish office.

**Ministry to the Sick:** Please call parish office  
(530) 889-2254

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**Monday, August 6:** 8:30am Mass  
+ Joseph Polak

**Tuesday, August 7:** 8:30am Mass  
+ Mr. & Mrs. Shoemaker

**Wednesday, August 8:** 8:30am Mass  
All Parishioners

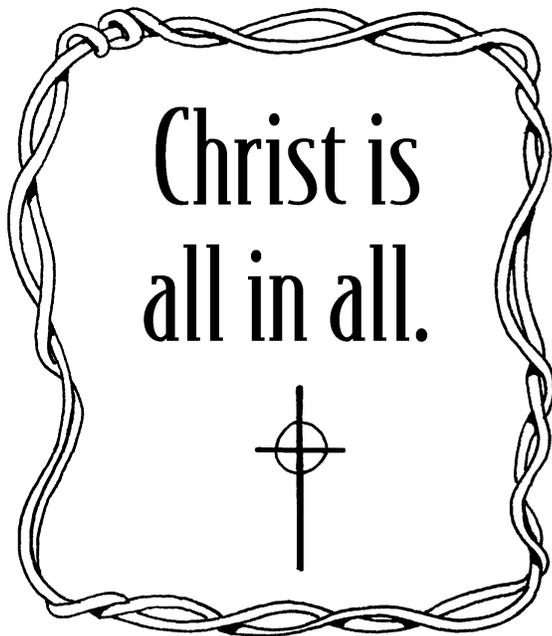
**Thursday, August 9:** 8:30am Mass  
+ Rosanne Hannah

**Friday, August 10:** 8:30am Mass  
Our Military

**Saturday, August 11:** 8:30am Mass  
Sick & Homebound

**Saturday, August 11:** 5:00pm Mass  
+ Tom Schuck

**Sunday, August 12:** 8:30am Mass  
+ Carrie Ivins  
11:00am Mass  
+ All Parishioners  
5:00pm Mass  
+ Lorraine Smith



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**Weekly Offering**



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5th Week of July 2007:  
\$9,249.52

**Our weekly goal is  
(\$12,000)**

**HITTING IT BIG**

It seems to be commonly accepted nowadays that everyone wants to win the lottery, hit the slots big at the casino, or be a millionaire. This attitude is akin to what the first hearers of the parable of the successful farmer would have thought: why, of course he'd want to find a way to preserve his good fortune for the future, to secure for himself a life of leisure, eating, drinking, and merriment. It's exactly the kind of life that the right ticket, hand of cards, or quiz show answer might bring us today. Being surrounded by this "common wisdom" makes the words of Qoheleth, the psalmist, Paul, and Jesus all that much harder to hear today. Perhaps good fortune will be ours, perhaps it will not be. But if we make that fortune or the quest for it the heart, the very center, of our lives, then we will live to regret it. We will not achieve the future security we pursue, and we will lose the present moment in the chase.

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**TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading** — Vanity of vanities! All things are vanity! (Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23).

**Psalms** — If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 90).

**Second Reading** — You, too, will appear with Christ your life in glory (Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11).

**Gospel** — For though one may be rich, one's life does not consist of possessions (Luke 12:13-21).

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Lk 9:28b-36

Tuesday: Nm 12: 1-13; Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

Wednesday: Nm 13:1-2, 25 — 14:1, 26-29a, 34-35; Mt 15:21-28

Thursday: Nm 20:1-13; Mt 16:13-23

Friday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Jn 12:24-26

Saturday: Dt 6:4-13; Mt 17:14-20

Sunday: Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 [1-2, 8-12]; Lk 12:32-48 [35-40]

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: The Transfiguration of the Lord

Tuesday: St. Sixtus II and His Companions; St. Cajetan

Wednesday: St. Dominic

Thursday: St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

Friday: St. Lawrence

Saturday: St. Clare



**“Thank You”**

The road to growing up to become mature, humble people begins with a simple lesson. “Say, ‘thank you’.” The Mass is our great prayer of thanksgiving and it keeps all our relationships Christ-centered and healthy. Christ shares Himself with us and He invites us to do the same.

We Thank You Lord...  
For the shame that drove us to our knees,  
For the darkness where we found the light,  
For the tears that washed our spirits clean,  
For the fear that drove us to your arms,  
For the void that only you can fill,  
For endless nights that helped us know the dawn,  
For Jesus, for the Spirit, for you, Abba - Father,  
For Mary and Teresa, for Francis and Jude,  
For the Word and the words,  
For no-longer bread and wine,  
For the cross and the blaze of Easter Morn,  
For our lives. We give you thanks.

**God Bless,  
Fr. Mike**



**Giggles:**

Father Murphy was in the middle of a homily on “Love of Neighbor” when he solicited the help of Sean in the front pew.

Father: “Sean, suppose you had two hundred thousand dollars - would you give half to your neighbor?”

Sean: “I would, Father.”

Father: “Sean, suppose you had two cows - would you give one to your neighbor?”

Sean: “I would not, Father.”

Father: “Why, Sean?”

Sean: “I have two cows, Father.”



Father Murphy met Mike, one of his parishioners on Monday morning.

Mike: “Father, who won the Cadillac in the Parish Raffle?”

Father: “The Bishop did. Was he lucky, or what?”

Mike: “Father, who won the Honda?”

Father: “I did! Was I lucky, or what? How many tickets did you purchase, Mike?”

Mike: “None, Father. Was I lucky, or what?”



**SECOND ANNUAL  
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**DATE: SEPTEMBER 10, 2007**

CHECK IN TIME: 10:00 AM, TEE OFF TIME: 12:00 NOON  
FOUR MAN SCRAMBLE FORMAT, SHOTGUN START Scoring by "Blind Bogey"  
**GREAT SIDE CONTESTS AND PRIZES!**  
*Putting Contest 10:30 - 11:30 AM*

**\$150.00 FOR EACH PLAYER**  
PRICE INCLUDES CART, GREEN FEES, RANGE BALLS, DINNER AND PRIZES

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Saint Joseph Parish, 1162 Lincoln Way, Auburn, CA 95603 **Attention:** Norm Chavez or  
Saint Teresa of Avila Parish 11600 Atwood Road, Auburn, CA 95603 **Attention:** Dan Campos

**NO LATER THAN AUGUST 25, 2007**

**SPACE IS LIMITED TO 144 GOLFERS**  
**DRESS: PROPER GOLF ATTIRE (NO T-SHIRTS or JEANS) - SOFT SPIKES ONLY!**

\*\*\*\*\*Driving Range and Putting Greens Open at 10:00 AM\*\*\*\*\*  
Dinner will be served at approximately 5:00 PM  
**EXTRA DINNERS FOR NON-GOLFING GUESTS: \$30.00**

QUESTIONS: CALL  
SAINT JOSEPH PARISH OFFICE AT (530) 885-2956 or SAINT TERESA OF AVILA PARISH OFFICE AT (530) 889-2254  
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GROUP CONTACT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ # of EXTRA DINNERS: \_\_\_\_\_

**MINISTRY SCHEDULES**

The ministry schedules for Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Greeters/Ushers and Altar Servers are posted on our web-site; stteresaauburn.com. If you are currently one of the above ministers, please check the schedules to see when you are scheduled. If you do not have internet access, please contact the person in charge of scheduling your ministry, and they will be happy to mail one to you.

**Oasis Day - August 7, 2007 9:15am - 2:30pm**

Every first Tuesday of the month, Mercy Center Auburn offers an opportunity for persons to gather and contemplate more deeply their Christian experience. These days begin with morning prayer and Scripture reflection, and follow with time alone to journal, celebrate Eucharist or attend another way of being with God. Before the close of the day, participants are invited to engage in meaningful reflection and faith sharing. This time of sacred sharing honors the questions and mysteries which puzzle, disturb, and amaze us. Together we respond to God's call toward holiness as we seek the deepest meaning and potential of our lives. Pre-registration by phone or e-mail appreciated but not required. Please bring your own lunch. (530)887-2019.

## Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Rummage Sale** - Post this reminder on your fridge, mark your calendars and start cleaning out your closets, attics, storage units. St. Teresa's will be having their 2nd annual rummage sale. When? September 7th & 8th in the parish hall. This year, the proceeds will benefit the youth group activities. Please watch the bulletin for further announcements.



### Week At A Glance August 6 - August 12, 2007

Mon 8/06	6:00pm	Victims of Crime	Fireplace Room
Wed 8/08	9:00am	Rosary Ministry	Cry Room
	5:30pm	Bingo	Parish Hall
Thu 8/09	6:00pm	Bingo Workers Pizza	Fireplace Room
Fri 8/10	All Day	School Uniform Sale	Parish Hall
Sun 8/12	1:00pm	KC District Meeting	Fireplace Room

**Welcome Sunday** is this weekend, August 5th. The Altar Servers will be sponsoring this month's Welcome Sunday after the 8:30 and 11:00am Masses. Please stop by in the courtyard and meet other parishioners.

#### **Needed: Adoptive Parents**

St. Patrick's Foster Care & Adoption Agency is looking for individuals and families that are interested in adopting. Children of all ages and ethnicities are waiting to be adopted. For more information, call (916)421-1620 ext 230 and ask for Joanne - Adoption Supervisor.

#### **St. Patrick's Home for Children - Car Donation Program**

Your donation of a vehicle would be a huge help to our programs and is very easy to do. You simply call us and we will make all arrangements to get your vehicle handled as quickly as possible. Please call Roger Abbot at (916)428-1601.

**ACCOLADES** to all the volunteers who made the patriotic sing-along such a success. The residents at the local convalescent and retirement homes were delighted to share in singing, and those that weren't able to sing sure felt the faith-filled experience in listening to good old patriotic songs such as God Bless America, Battle Hymn of the Republic and many more. Here is a heart-touching scene that happened at one particular home. There is a medley of service songs that is sung towards the end of our program to acknowledge all the veterans. An elderly gentleman stood up in full salute when we sang The Marine's Hymn - now there is a heart full of patriotic pride! I speak for each and every volunteer when I say that the rewards are endless and the smiles are priceless. Thank you volunteers!!

Barbara Freuler - Ministry to the Sick and Homebound

#### **RELAY FOR LIFE**

One Day. One Night. One Community. By participating in the American Cancer Society Relay For Life on August 18th and 19th at the Gold Country Fairgrounds. You will be honoring cancer survivors, pay tribute to the lives lost to this disease and raise money to help fight it, right here in your community.

This is much more than a walk around a track. Relay is a time to celebrate those who have battled cancer, remember those lost and get inspired to fight back. Those who have shared the same experience find common ground, hope and healing at Relay. By participating, you have the power to continue the American Cancer Society's progress toward a future where cancer doesn't take the lives of our friends and family.

The Knights of Columbus Council 6149 will take turns (1 hour segments) walking around the Gold Country Fairgrounds for 24 hours. While people are walking, there will be entertainment, speakers, time to relax and reflect, support, and companionship.

During the Luminaria ceremony held on Saturday evening at 8:30pm, each light honors the community's cancer survivors and commemorates those lost to the disease. Walkers will circle the track rimmed with glowing luminaries while the names of survivors and those lost to the disease are read aloud. Luminarias can be purchased for \$10.

The Knights of Columbus will have an area during the event which will have food, beverages, and shade from sun. Our team theme is "SURVIVOR".

We are asking for your help. We have lost many brothers and family members to this disease. We want a big participation in this event. We are signing up walkers and sponsors. If you would like to walk, sponsor, donate or just hang out for moral support, please contact Faber Eaves at 530-305-3242 or 530-878-6747.