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May 10, 2009



ST. TERESA OF AVILA CHURCH

11600 Atwood Rd., Auburn, CA 95603
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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.

Eucharistic Adoration

Saturdays.....9:00am—3:00pm

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
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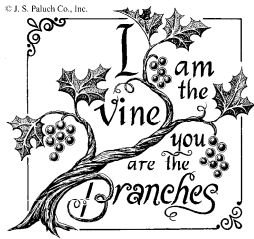
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Youth Group:

Steve Gold, Youth Director - (530) 217-9523

MISSION STATEMENT

“As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you; aide in My Love.”
In Christ’s Love the Eucharistic community of St. Teresa of Avila, Auburn, embraces and welcomes all as part of God’s family. We value every parishioner and strive to reflect the forgiveness and healing of the Gospels.



**Fifth Sunday of Easter
May 10, 2009**

Let us love not in word or speech
but in deed and truth.

— 1 John 3:18

LIVING BRANCHES

The Gospel and second reading for this Fifth Sunday of Easter emphasize the need for us to remain in Christ, and he in us. This shared life finds expression in the image of the one vine and many branches. We become living branches of the vine, members of the Body of Christ through baptism, Eucharist, and confirmation, sacraments of sharing God's own life. The First Letter of John describes the fruit of this vine as active love of neighbor: "And his commandment is this: we should believe . . . and love one another" (1 John 3:23).

Our first reading from Acts shows us an example of someone who shares in Christ's life in the person of Saint Paul. Paul's fearless witness, even at the risk of his life, is proof to everyone that the risen Lord's Spirit truly fills him with life and is bearing fruit in him.

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Mass Intentions for the week



May 11, 2009 — May 17, 2009

Monday:	8:30am		Sick & Homebound
Tuesday:	8:30am	+	Mr. Mrs. Finta
Wednesday:	8:30am		Michelle Coakley
Thursday:	8:30am	+	James Buckley
Friday:	8:30am	+	Tom Fritch
Saturday:	8:30am	+	Mary Weidman
Saturday:	5:00pm	+	Kathy Begley
Sunday:	8:30am	+	Betty Grady
	11:00am	+	Joseph Rogers
	5:00pm	+	Vern & Dorothy Morgan

OUR BLESSED MOTHER

Our May Procession (Rosary and Benediction) will be held on **Sunday, May 17, 2009 at 2:30pm** in front of the Church. Our Lady Of The Welcomes Statue and our St. Francis Memorial Garden will be Blessed by Bishop Francis Quinn.

All are invited for a great family day, pipers, mariachis, choirs and plenty of food.



Weekly Offering for:

Average Weekly for May 3, 2009
(Based on 42 weeks)

**Thank You
For Your Offering**

\$11,761

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Barnabas reported to the apostles how Saul had seen the Lord on the way (Acts 9:26-31).

Psalm — I will praise you, Lord, in the assembly of your people (Psalm 22).

Second Reading — This is God's commandment: that we may believe and love (1 John 3:18-24).

Gospel — I am the true vine; whoever remains in me will bear much fruit (John 15:1-8).



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Acts 14:5-18; Jn 14:21-26
Tuesday:	Acts 14:19-28; Jn 14:27-31a
Wednesday:	Acts 15:1-6; Jn 15:1-8
Thursday:	Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Jn 15:9-17
Friday:	Acts 15:22-31; Jn 15:12-17
Saturday:	Acts 16:1-10; Jn 15:18-21
Sunday:	Acts 10:25-36, 34-35, 44-48; Ps 98; 1 Jn 4:7-10 or 1 Jn 4:11-16; Jn 15:9 1 or Jn 17:11b-19

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	Fifth Sunday of Easter; Mother's Day
Tuesday:	St. Nereus and St. Achilleus; St. Pancras
Wednesday:	Our Lady of Fatima
Thursday:	St. Matthias
Friday:	St. Isidore the Farmer
Saturday:	Armed Forces Day



*We wish everyone a
Happy Mother's Day.*



**MAY PROCESSION
MAY 17TH, 2:30pm**

To be honest, I am very excited to be part of the preparation for our May Procession. During Holy Week, my nephew David Lordan, brought bag-pipe Marian music from Ireland. I've shared this with my piper friend, Del Hansen, and we keep getting together to hear his version of Mary's hymns. Please God, along with the pipers, the mariachis, our choirs and our participants, we will give Honor to The Mother of God.

*"The bells of the Angelus are calling to pray,
In sweet tones announcing .The Sacred Ave.
Ave, Ave, Ave Maria
Ave, Ave, Ave Maria"*

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*"I'll sing a hymn to Mary  
The Mother of my God  
The virgin of all virgins  
Of David's royal blood  
Oh, teach me Holy Mary  
A loving song to frame  
When wicked men blaspheme thee  
To Love and Bless thy name".*

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*"Hail Queen of Heaven, the ocean star,
Guide of the wanderer here below,
Thrown on life's surge, we claim thy care;
Save us from peril and from woe.
Mother of Christ, star of the sea,
Pray for the wanderer, pray for me".*

The statue of Our Lady Of The Welcomes will be in place by next Sunday, along with our new blue toned carpet. The gardens are also ready for Bishop Francis Quinn's blessing. The food for our children is ordered, advertising is paid for, and good weather prayed for - all we need now is for the faithful to be faithful.

Please bring your family, neighbors and friends to a great family day as we celebrate the blessings of our faith.

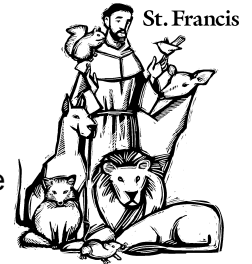
**St. Francis of Assisi
(Of Our Memorial Garden)**

John Berndoni became know as Francis because of his early affection for French fashions and the French way of life. He is better known as a lover of nature and animals, a tireless worker for peace and simplicity of life. In his day he and his followers invited all people to look at the gospel as a mirror, and to make the necessary adjustment. Many people think of St. Francis as a rebel or a "Hippie". Yes, he was counter cultural in that he chose the gospel way of life. His life and that of his followers were absolutely orthodox. They had a remarkable devotion to the Church, to the Sacraments and to the Pope. He sought and received recognition for his followers from Pope Innocent III.

Poverty, Chastity and Obedience were the vows that the Franciscans lived by. St. Francis' first undertaking was to repair local churches that had fallen into disrepair because of lack of use. The church

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St. Francis of Assisi
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had lost its credibility, it had moved away from the gospel values. St. Francis asked his followers to act humbly. He did not accept ordination to the priesthood, he stayed a deacon so as not to have the adulation of people. Joyful singing was part of his life as he and his followers moved from town to town.

Within ten years of their charter from Pope Innocent III the Franciscans were five thousand in number. At their first general chapter in 1221, five hundred came seeking admission. The Franciscans preached in the language of the people and included non-ordained people in their order by establishing the third order. Men and women continued to work in their professions, raise families and lived a modified version of the Franciscan rule. The faithful shared the spiritual advantages of close association with the Friars through prayer and works of charity. Such was St. Francis humble and joyful life that he was canonized within two years of his death.

Our Memorial Gardens are placed under the protection of St. Francis (and our new security system).

St. Francis Pray for Us.
God Bless, Fr. Mike

Soul Endeavors
Cancer Support Ministry Group

Join others in our faith community that have been effected by cancer in a new ministry, Soul Endeavors, which will begin its monthly meeting schedule on Saturday, June 13th at St. Teresa of Avila's parish in Auburn. It will be held in the parish office starting at 10:00am and ending at 11:15am. The meeting will be a spiritually focused support group offering prayer, reflection, and sharing. The group will be open to anyone affected by the disease including current patients, survivors, and loved ones.

Each monthly session will provide time for sharing one's spiritual and emotional challenges and/or victories. We will actively and openly discuss ALL aspects of the disease process from initial diagnosis, treatment, and possible progression of the disease or recurrence.

The group will be facilitated by fellow parishioner, Claudia A. Beckwith, a breast cancer survivor. If you have any questions or concerns, please call 530-906-1623 or leave message at the parish office for Claudia to return you call.

MINISTRIES UPDATE

Circle of Friends: Would like to help you with spring yard cleaning, light home repairs, rides to shopping and appointments. In home visits, reading or playing cards, you ask, we will help. Our next meeting will be on Thursday, May 14, 2009, 7:00pm in the fireplace room. The crafters will meet on the same day (May 14th) at 11:00am in the fireplace room. If you like to knit or crochet, come join us. For information, call Stephanie Rosa at 823-3710.

Catholic Ladies Relief: There will be no meeting this month as we will be at a convention.

If you are interested in joining one of our parish ministries, please pick up a Ministry Guide located in the back of the Church in the display cases..

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Director of Marriage & Family Life Position: The Diocese of Sacramento has an immediate opening for Administrator for the Department of Evangelization & Catechesis/Director of Marriage & Family Life. For more information and a complete job description, visit the diocesan website www.diocese-sacramento.org and look under employment. To apply, please e-mail cover letter and resume to personnel@diocese-sacramento.org by June 1, 2009.

HEALING OF GRIEF & LOSS
Saturday, May 16, 2009

This day is devoted to people dealing with grief and loss. It will address how grief affects us physically, emotionally, psychologically and spiritually. There will be time for prayer, guided meditation, ritual and sharing.

Facilitator: Sr. Margaret Ann Walsh, RSM is a spiritual director and former chaplaincy director, and Barbara Freuler, a member of the "Ministry to the Bereaved" here at St. Teresa's.

Time: 9:15am to 3:00pm

Suggested Donation: \$35.00

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE
Week of May 17, 2009
Altar Servers

Saturday, 5/16/09, 5:00pm:
 Michaela Collins, Danny Erum, Jacob Rice

Sunday, 5/17/09, 8:30am:
 John & Bryan Remington, Luke Thayer

Sunday, 5/17/09, 11:00am:
 Justin LaFaille, Mavis Shawl, Emily Thumon

Sunday, 5/17/09, 5:00pm:
 Marissa & Salena Ordorica, Alex Vice

Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday, 5/16/09, 5:00pm:
 Angie & Larry Franzoni, Judy Gerhard
 Jim & Kathy Quinnan, Micael Percoski

Sunday, 5/17/09, 8:30am:
 Corrine Bowen, Deborah Buresh, Georgia Stempel
 Julie & Samantha Eggert, Julie & Jim Opsahl

Sunday, 5/17/09, 11:00am:
 Rheme Brockway, Tom Massetti, Joyce Rose Reynolds
 Robert Springborn, Dick Juliano, Barbara Allen

Sunday, 5/17/09, 5:00pm:
 Michelle Armson, Michele Broussard, Danny Campos
 Julie Gold, Judy Sanabria, Tony Ivins, Alice Masucci

Lectors

Saturday, 5/16/09, 5:00pm:
 Tom Plummer, Richard Vielbig

Sunday, 5/17/09, 8:30pm:
 Shana & Kellyn McDonald

Sunday, 5/17/09, 11:00am:
 Chuck Manzar, Bill Nesbitt

Sunday, 5/17/09, 5:00pm:
 Confirmation students

Greeters

Saturday, 5/16/09, 5:00pm:
 Joe Mello, Sally LaPorta, Sharon Dunkel, Joyce Swartz

Sunday, 5/17/09, 8:30am:
 Sharon Hane, Bonnie & Chuck Vrooman
 Brenda & Pat Remington, Joan Thompson

Sunday, 5/17/09, 11:00am:
 Katherine Trout, Paul & Shirley Nester
 Bridget Piziali, Julie Juliano, Ruth Wright

Sunday, 5/17/09, 5:00pm:
 Kathrynne Giles, Barbara Johnson
 Andrew Zehm, Mark Champlin

Ushers

Saturday, 5/16/09, 5:00pm: Not Filled

Sunday, 5/17/09, 8:30am:
 Bill Fixmer, Pete Ivovic, Ron Malinowski, Jim Morgan

Sunday, 5/17/09, 11:00pm:
 Paul Law, Bill Stirman

Sunday, 5/17/09, 5:00pm: Not Filled

Sacristan

Saturday, 5/16/09, 8:00pm: Jim McKevitt
Sunday, 5/17/09, 8:30am: Julia Eggert
Sunday, 5/17/09, 11:00am: Joe Offer
Sunday, 5/17/09, 5:00pm: Mark Champlin

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday, May 18, 2009

9:30am	Bible Study	Chapel
3:00pm	SJS Volleyball Practice	Parish Hall
6:00pm	Jr. Cantors Practice	St. Teresa
7:15pm	RCIA	Chapel

Tuesday, May 19, 2009

7:00am	Special Elections	Fireplace Room
3:00pm	SJS Volleyball Practice	Parish Hall
3:30pm	Children's Choir Practice	Chapel

Wednesday, May 20, 2009

5:30pm	Bingo	Parish Hall
6:30pm	Adult Choir Practice	St. Teresa

Thursday, May 21, 2009

11:00am	Circle of Friends Crafters	Fireplace Room
3:00pm	SJS Volleyball Practice	Parish Hall

Friday, May 22, 2009

6:00pm	Pinhero/Redmond Rehearsal	St. Teresa
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Saturday, May 23, 2009

1:00pm	Senior Board Meeting	Fireplace room
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Sunday, May 24, 2009

3:30pm	Youth Choir Practice	St. Teresa
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CALLING ALL CAMPERS!
Vacation Bible School
June 22nd through June 26th.



Volunteers are still needed. If you are interested in helping, please call 823-7122. Forms available online at: www.StTeresaAuburn.com

Summer Adult Program

This summer, we will be offering through the Sacramento Department of Evangelization and Catechesis of the Diocese, classes to learn more about the Catholic faith. They will be held on Tuesdays, beginning June 2nd through August 18th, from 6:30 to 9:30pm here at St. Teresa's. The cost for this course is \$12 per session or \$130 for all thirteen sessions. Bishop Soto is asking all Religious Education Teachers to have this certificate or at least to have begun the sessions in order to teach. To enroll, please contact the Diocese of Sacramento at (916) 733-0123 or Judy Jones at 823-7122.

Mother's Day Rose Sale

Roses will be sold after all Masses today in honor of Mother's Day. Cost is \$5 per rose and all proceeds will benefit the Sacramento Life Center.

RE Families

Next Sunday, May 17th, there will be no RE classes. Instead of class Fr. Mike is encouraging all families to attend the May Procession In Honor Of Our Lady at 2:30pm in front of the Church. Bishop Francis Quinn will be presiding this procession.