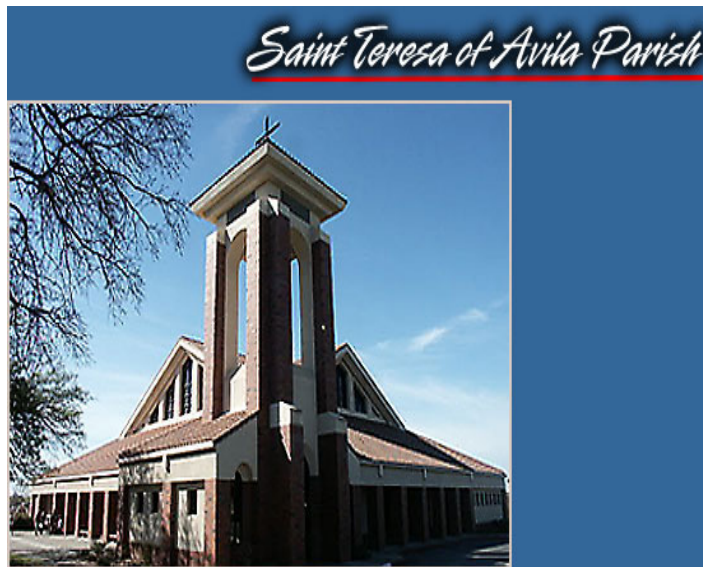


Pastor: Fr. Michael Carroll
Parochial Vicar: Fr. Arthur Najera, Jr.
Pastoral Associate: Sr. Anita Minihane, RSM
Deacons: Dave Ford, Ed Morgado

October 25, 2009

MISSION STATEMENT

“As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you; abide 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.



11600 Atwood Rd., Auburn, CA 95603

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil.....5:00pm
Sunday.....8:00am, 10:30am,
.....4:00pm (Spanish), & 5:30pm

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—12:00pm

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 (530) 889-2254

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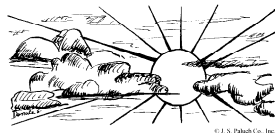
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Youth Group:
Steve Gold, (Youth Director) - (530) 217-9523



**Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 25, 2009**

The LORD has done great things for us;
we are glad indeed.
— Psalm 126:3

THE HOPE AND PROMISE OF REDEMPTION

The prophet Jeremiah prophesies the end of the Babylonian exile. He describes how the weak and sorrowful people now return with joy. These are the scattered people of God: the blind and the lame, the mothers and pregnant women. They shall be led along an easy road so that no one will stumble. The Lord's kindness and mercy are on all these weak and broken people.

Here and in Psalm 126 we find the most lovely poetic images of God's love and care for us. "Those that sow in tears / shall reap rejoicing. Although they go forth weeping, / carrying the seed to be sown, / they shall come back rejoicing, / carrying their sheaves" (Psalm 126:5-6). Although God had to punish Israel for their many sins, God never forgot them, scattered as they were, and brings them all back to the land of their ancestors, there to flourish and be joyful again. We can see in this the hope and the promise of our own redemption, gathered from the far corners of the earth into the great banquet of God.

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October 26, 2009 — November 1, 2009

Monday:	8:30am	+	Lloyd Henry
Tuesday:	8:30am	+	Georgia Erdei
Wednesday:	8:30am	+	Lois Fata
Thursday:	8:30am	+	Bill McKillip
Friday:	8:30am	+	Rita Qualey
Saturday:	8:30am	+	Maureen Gilligan
Saturday:	5:00pm	+	Kathy Begley
Sunday:			

ALL SOULS

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — I will lead the people to brooks of water, on a level road, so that none shall stumble (Jeremiah 31:7-9).



Psalm — The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy (Psalm 126).

Second Reading — It was not Christ who glorified himself, but rather the one who said to him: You are my son: this day I have begotten you (Hebrews 5:1-6).

Gospel — Immediately the blind man received his sight and followed Jesus on the way (Mark 10:46-52).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

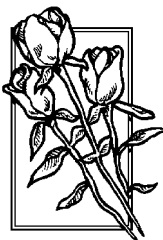
Monday:	Rom 8:12-17; Lk 13:10-17
Tuesday:	Rom 8:18-25; Lk 13:18-21
Wednesday:	Eph 2:19-22; Lk 6:12-16
Thursday:	Rom 8:31b-39; Lk 13:31-35
Friday:	Rom 9:1-5; Lk 14:1-6
Saturday:	Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29; Lk 47-11
Sunday:	Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24; 1 Jn 3:1 Mt 5:1-12a

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Priesthood Sunday
Wednesday:	St. Simon and St. Jude
Saturday:	Halloween; Blessed Virgin Mary

St. Francis Memorial Rose Garden

The granite plaques are a loving reminder of those we hold dear in our hearts. If you want to memorialize a loved one please contact the parish office. The cost is \$500.00 and all proceeds benefit St. Joseph Parish School.



Weekly Offering

**Average Weekly for:
October 18, 2009
(Based on 16 weeks)**

\$11,546

**Thank You
For Your Offering**



The Hall of Fame and the Communion of Saints

In sports not many people get to enter the Hall of Fame. Christian Brothers High School in Sacramento has a more inclusive group in it's "LaSalle Hall of Fame." Not only do the good players get elected, but, so do many others who have lovingly promoted the game of baseball. God invites all of us to His Hall of Fame in Heaven. We need to hear the Lord's invitation, the help and example of fellow pilgrims, and then we need to join our efforts with the Communion of Saints in giving glory to God.

November is the month of the Holy Souls. A time to prayerfully remember our own loved ones who have gone ahead of us to God's Kingdom. Not all in my Hall of Remembrance would be regarded as saints. Yet, all of them loved God and they had more than their fair share of good points. I have always taken comfort out of our belief in Purgatory. Purgatory for the Church is not so much a place of punishment, but a place of hope. Pope Benedict XVI wrote, "Purgatory plays an important part in hope....we would hope, there will be few people whose lives have become an irredeemable and total loss....Purgatory basically means that God can put the pieces back together again."

Part of remembrance is also making alive the qualities and good works of our deceased loved ones who lived amongst us. So, this November as the parade of our Hall of Fame flash upon the inward eye, let us continue the good ways of life we have inherited.

To Succeed

"Come you who are blessed by my Father.
Come and possess the Kingdom...I was hungry and you fed me, thirsty and you gave me a drink;
I was a stranger and you received me in your homes, naked and you clothed me;
I was sick and you took care of me, in prison and you visited me."

(Our Lord Jesus Christ)

"To laugh often and much
To win the respect of intelligent people
And the affection of children....."

To appreciate beauty;
To find the best in others;
To leave the world a bit better" (Ralph Waldo Emerson)

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Giggles:

Teacher: "Johnny, please list the Ten Commandments in any order."

Johnny: " O.K. 3,1,6,4,8,2,9,5,10, and 7"

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I recently took up meditation. It beats sitting around doing nothing.

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"God don't make mistakes, That's how he got to be God." (Archie Bunker)

Deo Gratias

Volunteers—A Gift of the Heart

Gathered together in the house of the Lord
 Hearty volunteers were all aboard.
 And from above we know there were cheers
 Because God just loves His volunteers.

Nary a person was known to shirk—
 Knowing many hands make light work.
 Assuredly, there were praises to be sung
 For senior citizens and the very young.

How sweet it is to pass in review

Everyone chipping in with something to do.

The task at hand everyone knew:

“Out with the old, in with the new.”
 Yes, this was the day the Lord had made,
 When volunteers in numbers cheerfully obeyed.
 With each person doing their part,
 God knew it was a gift of the heart!

Discernment Opportunity

We each have precious gifts of time, talent and treasure. Are we free enough to give them away—to share with others? Now is the time to discern how you and your family are called to support the Church. Take some time together this week and come to an agreement as to how you can serve the parish with time and talent? Can you give the one hour a month Fr. Mike asked for? Do you have a talent or professional skill—such as painter, plumber, electrician or musician that could move our parish forward and save some money at the same time?

We at St. Teresa’s are dedicating the month of October to Stewardship:

➤ **October 31st-November 1st** **Commitment Sunday**

Stewardship Committee Members:

Fr. Michael Carroll, Sr. Anita Minihane, Mike Hess, Lori Belanger, Ed Morgado, Renee & Vince Anaclerio, Ed Gilligan, Mark Korb and Mike Pittner

We are called as God’s faithful servants to: Prayerfully discern how God has uniquely gifted each of us, reflect on the priority God and the Church plays in our lives, make an intentional, planned gift of time, talent, and treasure.



Just a sample of the results of the Ministry Faire:

- 28 Choir Members
- 17 Circle of Friends
- 15 Food Closet
- 14 Greeters & Ushers
- 17 New Registration Families
- 36 Altar Servers
- 8 Gardeners
- 8 Sick & Homebound
- 18 Eucharistic Ministers

God Bless America



**St. Joseph Catholic School
Presents**

THE FABULOUS FORTIES

**Annual gala, auction, raffle, dinner & dance
"A Wartime Officers Ball Celebrating the**



**"Greatest Generation"
Saturday, November 14, 2009
Six thirty in the evening
until midnight
Parish Hall**

\$70.00 per person, No host bar

**Semi-formal attire requested,
Theme Attire Welcome!**

**Traditional American Cuisine by Strings Restaurant
Hors D'oeuvres by Upscale Catering**

**To order tickets, please contact Bridget Piziali
(530) 878-8735**

BINGO Every Wednesday Night

For the past 26 years the Knights of Columbus have offered our parish the chance to have fun and possibly win money! What a combination, fun and money! Here are the details: **Doors open at 4:30pm with games beginning at 6:30pm.** Gather a group and make a night of it! Cost: \$10.00 buy-in plus many options...We pay out approximately \$3,700.00 to players each Wednesday. Games offered: **Electronic Bingo, Pull Tabs, Speed Bingo, Basic Bingo, 20 games each week with "specials" between games occurring.** Prizes are always in Cash and the majority of the Bingo proceeds are given to the Parish and various charities. No one under 18 years of age is allowed. **Mention this announcement and get a FREE game packet with a \$10.00 buy-in.** Games are held at the Parish Hall located at 11600 Atwood Road. **Please support the Knight as they support us and the Auburn Community in charity.**

Oasis Day of Prayer and Contemplation

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, following with time alone to journal, celebrate Eucharist or attend another way of being with God. For more information call Sister Margaret Ann Walsh at (530) 887-2019.

HEADLINE NEWS:

The **Ministry Faire** last weekend was a great success! To continue the theme this informational feature is being created. In the months to come a different ministry will be featured each week giving you a chance to prayerfully consider stepping forward to become a disciple in faith to the Lord by joining that Parish Ministry.



Senior Adults

Circle of Friends: This ministry is two fold. The first part involves a group of crafters that meet monthly, knitting and crocheting blankets that are given as gifts to the babies being baptized in our Church. What a warm gesture in our faith community!

The second part of this ministry consists of a group of men and women who are dedicated to serving our parishioners with special considerations Here are just a few examples of services offered:

- Ride to an appointment, shopping or Mass
- Chores in or around the house
- In home visit which may include reading, card playing or chatting

If you know of someone, or if you are one of those who need a bit of tending to, whatever the need please give a call to Stephanie Rosa to find out what the ministry can do for you. (530) 823-3710

Welcome Business Owners to Sunday by Sunday

Richard Leyva will be facilitating a meeting with business owners on Wednesday evenings from 6:00pm-7:00pm. If you are interested please call (916) 698-3189 or email Richard at rjirnwkr@juno.com

Gathering Inn—Splendor of the Trees

Splendor
in the
Trees



This is the Gathering Inn's major fund raiser. The event is held at RC Willey in Roseville on Saturday, November 14th. Raffle tickets for a 40" Flat Screen TV are \$10.00 each and will also get you into the event. To purchase tickets or to donate any item for the silent auction, please contact Lori Belanger at (530) 888-7518.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE
Week of November 1, 2009

Altar Servers

Saturday, 10/31/09, 5:00pm:
 Jacob Rice, Danny Erum, Nathan Jacques

Sunday, 11/1/09, 8:00am:
 Chris Eggert, Drew Oakes, Ian Scheller

Sunday, 11/1/09, 10:30am:
 Alex Vice, Radd Thomas

Sunday, 11/1/09, 4:00pm (Spanish):
 Not Filled

Sunday, 11/1/09, 5:30pm:
 Stephanie McCullough, Kaitlin Woytus

Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday, 10/31/09, 5:00pm:
 Judy Gerhard, Margie Vielbig, Michael Percoski
 Kathy & Jim Quinnan, Angie & Larry Franzoni

Sunday, 11/1/09, 8:00am:
 Corrine Bowen, Debbie Buresh, Julia Eggert
 Julie & Jim Opsahl, Georgia Stempel

Sunday, 11/1/09, 10:30am:
 Rheme Brockway, Susan Money, Nati McGowan
 Dick Juliano, Barbara Allen & Robert Springborn

Sunday, 11/1/09, 4:00pm (Spanish):
 Not Filled

Sunday, 11/1/09, 5:30pm:
 Michelle Armson, Judy Sanabria, Julie Gold
 Alice Masucci, Danny Campos, Pat Islip, Tony Ivins

Lectors

Saturday, 10/31/09, 5:00pm:
 Julie LaValley, Michael Jacques

Sunday, 11/1/09, 8:00am:
 Teresa & Faith Oakes

Sunday, 11/1/09, 10:30am:
 Allison & Larry Thill

Sunday, 11/1/09, 4:00pm (Spanish):
 Not Filled

Sunday, 11/1/09, 5:30pm:
 Tara & Kerry McCullough

Greeters

Saturday, 10/31/09, 5:00pm:
 Carol & Bob Thomas, Pete Leash, Joe Mello

Sunday, 11/1/09, 8:00am:
 Marcia Kitchell, Joan Thompson, Betty Mathews
 Bonnie & Chuck Vrooman, John Kysar

Sunday, 11/1/09, 10:30am:
 Ruth Wright, Maureen Spencer
 Peg & Jim Moore, Shirley & Paul Nester

Sunday, 11/1/09, 4:00pm (Spanish):
 Not Filled

Sunday, 11/1/09, 5:30pm:
 Andrew Zehm, Barbara Johnson,
 Kathrynne Giles, Mark Champlin

Ushers

Saturday, 10/31/09, 5:00pm: Not Filled

Sunday, 11/1/09, 8:00am:
 Bill Fixmer, Pete Ivovic
 Ron Malinowski, Jim Morgan

Sunday, 11/1/09, 10:30am:
 Paul Law, Bill Stirman

Sunday, 11/1/09, 4:00pm (Spanish): Not Filled

Sunday, 11/1/09, 5:30pm: Not Filled

Sacristan

Saturday, 10/31/09, 5:00pm: Jim McKevirt

Sunday, 11/1/09, 8:00am: Julia Eggert

Sunday, 11/1/09, 10:30am: Joe Offer

Sunday, 11/1/09, 4:00pm: Michaela Estrada

Sunday, 11/1/09, 5:30pm: Mark Champlin

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday, October 26, 2009		
9:30am	Bible Study	Chapel
3:00pm	Volleyball Practice	Parish Hall
7:00pm	Deanery Meeting	Fireplace Room
7:15pm	RCIA	Chapel
Tuesday, October 27, 2009		
3:00pm	Volleyball Practice	Parish Hall
3:30pm	Children's Choir Practice	St. Teresa's
6:30pm	Adult Confirmation	Chapel
Wednesday, October 28, 2009		
4:30pm	Bingo	Parish Hall
5:30pm	Gregorian Chant	St. Teresa's
6:30pm	Adult Choir Practice	St. Teresa's
7:00pm	Finance Meeting	Parish Office
Thursday, October 29, 2009		
1:00pm	Sick & Homebound Meeting	Fireplace Room
3:00pm	Volleyball Practice	Parish Hall
6:00pm	Junior Cantors	St. Teresa's
7:00pm	Youth Choir Practice	St. Teresa's
Friday, October 30, 2009		
3:00pm	Volleyball	Parish Hall
4:00pm	Children's Halloween	Parish Hall
Saturday, October 31, 2009		
4:00am	Gathering Inn	Parish Hall
Sunday, November 1, 2009		
8:00am	KC Corporate Communion	St. Teresa's
4:30pm	Youth Choir Practice	St. Teresa
4:00pm	MCC Retreat	Parish Hall



*******COME, COME, ONE AND ALL*******
TO OUR TAILGATE TRICK OR TREAT NIGHT!
Who can come? All families of St. Teresa Parish!

Where: St. Teresa of Avila front parking lot
When: Friday, October 30th
Time: 5:15 to 5:45 pm : "Oldsters" park their cars and open those decorated trunks filled with treats!

6:00 pm to 7:00 pm: all the youngsters go Trick or Treating out of the car trunks!!
7:00 pm to 9:00 pm: the youth and young at heart of our parish can be **scared a lot** at the **Haunted House Hall!!** (Sponsored by our very own LIFE TEEN KIDS!!)

There will be plenty of candy, treats and fun for YOUNG and OLD alike!! Call Judy at 823-7122 or Susan at 878-1614 if you plan on bringing your decorated car trunk so we can save you a parking spot!



If you wish to donate candy or treats for this event, please bag up the goodies and leave them at the Parish Office or at the Religious Education Office in the Bell Tower.