



*St. Theresa of the
Child Jesus Church*
**2800 East Ramon Road, Palm
Springs, CA 92264**



12th Sunday

I N O R D I N A R Y T I M E

"What I say to you in the darkness, speak in the light; what you hear whispered, proclaim on the housetops. And do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul."
Matthew 10:27-28

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760-323-2669 Ex. 315

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Mass Times:

Mon.-Fri.– 7:30am (Daily Mass)

Saturday

5:00 pm English

7:00 pm Spanish

Sunday

7:00 am English

8:30 am Spanish

10:30am English

12:30pm English

Monday—Friday

7:30 am English

Adoration—8:00am-3:00pm

Saturday Confessions—

3:30pm-4:30pm

Our Parish Mission Statement:

St. Theresa is a welcoming multicultural, diverse Roman Catholic community; aspiring to make God the center of our lives, striving to proclaim Jesus' message of Hope, Forgiveness, Love and Compassion to all.

Nuestra Misión Parroquial:

Santa Teresa es una Comunidad Católica Romana, con diversidad multicultural. Aspiramos a tener a Dios como centro de nuestras vidas. Proclamamos el mensaje de Jesús que es; Esperanza, Reconciliación, Amor y Compasión al Próximo.

Rev. John Kavcak, M.S.C./ Pastor

Rev. David Foxen M.S.C. /Parochial Vicar

This parish is staffed by the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart (M.S.C.)

For more information visit the M.S.C.

website: <http://www.misacor-usa.org>

PASTOR'S COLUMN:

Today, after choosing the twelve, Jesus sends them to preach and instructs them. He warns them about the persecution they may likely suffer and advises them on their attitude: "Do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather, be afraid of the one who can destroy both soul and body in Gehenna" (Mt 10,28).

Jesus' speech is paradoxical: on the one hand, he tells us "Do not be afraid", and he presents us with a providential Father who cares even for sparrows; on the other hand, he does not tell us that this Father will save us from troubles, rather the opposite: if we are his followers, we are likely to share his fate and that of the other prophets. So, how can we understand this? God's protection is his ability to give life to our person (our soul), and to provide happiness even in tribulations and persecutions. He is the one who can give us the joy of His Kingdom—which we can already enjoy here—and is our hope of eternal life: "Everyone who acknowledges me before others I will acknowledge before my heavenly Father" (Mt 10,32).

Trusting that God will be with us in difficult times gives us courage to speak Jesus' words in the light; moreover, it gives us the energy we need to do good, so that through our works people can give glory to our heavenly Father.

GENTLE THOUGHTS:

"We are here on earth to do good to others.

What others are here for, I don't know." W.H. Auden

Fall seven times, stand up eight. Japanese Proverb

"Regret for things we did can be tempered by time.

It is regret for the things we did not do that is inconsolable. " S. Harris

"Many of life's failures are people who did not realize how close they were to success when they gave up." Thomas Edison

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Online Giving and get started.
<https://osvhub.com/st-theresa-ps/funds>

May Contributions

5/3/26- \$12,113.50
5/10/26- \$14,088.50
5/17/26- \$12,538.50
5/24/26- \$10,371.00
5/30/26- \$11,498.00

School Tuition Assistance
\$3,862.00

DDF/2nd Collection
\$3,094.50

Total: \$60,609.50

On-Line Giving
\$7,457.00

Diocesan Development Fund**How to support the DDF:**

The 2026 Goal is \$56,300.... As of: June 7, 2026

Pledges made: \$33,398.00

Percent of Goal: 78.0426%

Gifts Received: \$43,938.03

Make Pledge: Use a DDF envelope and send it to the Diocese or drop it into the collection basket at Mass (card, cash, or check) Make a Donation: Indicate on the check or envelop "DDF2026" Online Donation: visit our website and make a donation under the DDF 2026 tab.

Scan QR Code to give



Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, June 20

5:00pm

Renato A. Leopando S/I-Birthday
Melchor Jandoc +
Benjamin Hernandez +

7:00pm-Espanol

Manuel Gomez +
Angelina Gonzalez +

Sunday, June 21

7:00am

Sandy & Emerita Go +
Rodrigo Hernandez +
Rene Hernandez +

8:30am- Español

Luis Loera S/I-Birthday
Edmund Asejo S/I-Healing
Evelyn Perez +

10:30am

Fabio Juarez +
Wilfried Arthen +
Arturo Rodriguez +

12:30pm

Primativa Bautista +
Maria Miranda +
Arturo Rodriguez +

Monday, June 22

Alyssa Dinnoo S/I-Healing
Larry Stevens +
Blanche Yaphe- S/I

Tuesday, June 23

Tyler Hoffman +
John Hoffman +

Wednesday, June 24

Victor Soto +
Reyes Garcia +
Edgar Corado S/I-Healing

Thursday, June 25

Dennis Cook +
Edgar Corado S/I-Healing
Katie Baisley S/I-Healing

Friday, June 26

Edgar Corado S/I-Healing
Melinda Jennings +

**We pray for the sick and for those who care for them:
Oremos por las personas enfermas y por las personas
que cuidan de ellos:**

John Salerno, Bryan Dinnoo, Chuck Stone,
Carolyn O'Linn, Norma Cardova Chanman, Ynez Romo,
Roger Newallo, Norbert Chanman, Laurie Mikolaycik,
Christopher Navo, Nicolette Rusanberg,
Nancy Holmes, Joyce Norvell, Keila David, ,
Aisling O'Connor, Marie Irwin, Richard Martanivick, ,
Cam (Tommy's Son) Sewnarain, Jose Alex Gonzalez, Carol Patney,
Joseph Ibanez, Monica Newallo, Lloyd Forbes, Tony Chanman,
Remy Ruesenberg, Tiffany Moretti, Ken Zachik,
Manuel & Sony Silverio, Esperanza Asejo, Henry McShane,
Joseph Piscopo, Melinda Jennings & Family,
Jackie Peters, Florence, Angelito Rayos, John Paschal,
Christina Ettegui, Ernesto Cuabo, Sheila Sparling, Lisa Jarecki,
Butch Skillman, Val & Christopher, Luz Maria Matha,
Joseph Godinez, Jerome Godinez, Marc Motzer, Ray, Terry Moretti,
Roman Hernandez, Rae Wenzel, Pat Malon, Kathy Kuniej Cooper,
Cristina Alverdez, Maria Cruz Cardenas, David Landeros,
Jay Bednar, Becky Benedict, Susie Hoff, Selena Perez,
Steven Pilgrim, Bob Blum, Pat Quinn, Daniel Chavez,
Steve Schultz, Carmen, Marquez, Juan Zetina, Maria Bedillo, Sheila
Kucich, Ulla Brown, Judah Luke, Josie Imus, Joe Wesolowski Sr.
Arielle Cohen, Warren Parada, Steven & Bob, Brent Krekeler,
Mary Lou Quintana, Brad Mann, Joanna Diaz, Alyssa Dinnoo,
Catherine Dinnoo, Loretta Becerra, Jose Guadalupe Aleman Meza,
Debbie Inocencio

**(Names will be kept for 3 months. Please contact the
Parish Office to remove a name from the list/**

**Los nombres permanecerán por 3 meses. Por favor
de contactar a la Oficina Parroquial para remover un
nombre de la lista.)**



Readings for the week of June 21, 2026

Sunday: Jer 20:10-13/Ps 69:8-10, 14 and 17, 33-35/Rom 5:12-15/
Mt 10:26-33
Monday: 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18/Ps 60:3, 4-5, 12-13/Mt 7:1-5
Tuesday: 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36/ Ps 48:2-3ab,
3cd-4, 10-11/Mt 7:6, 12-14
Wednesday: **Vigil:** Jer 1:4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab and 17/1 Pt 1:8-
12/Lk 1:5-17
Day: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15/Acts 13:22-26/Lk
1:57-66, 80
Thursday: 2 Kgs 24:8-17/ Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9/Mt 7:21-29
Friday: 2 Kgs 25:1-12/ Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6/Mt 8:1-4
Saturday: Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19/ Ps 74:1b-2, 3-5, 6-7, 20-21/
Mt 8:5-17
Next Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a/Ps 89:2-3, 16-17, 18-19/Rom 6:3-4,

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**ST. THERESA CATHOLIC
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Blessing of Fathers

God and Father of all creation,
we come before you today with humble hearts.
You are our model of a loving father.
When we fail and fall short of your expectations,
you are always there at the end of the day with open
arms,
ready to heal the cuts and scrapes of the day
and to encourage us to try again and not to give up.

We hold up these men in our midst who act in the
world as fathers to their children or models of fathers
for others.

Bless them in their moments of doubt and frustration
with their children. Give them warm and open hearts
to forgive failures. Provide them with the words
needed for encouragement and perseverance.

We ask all this in the name of Jesus.
Amen.



Meditation Garden

Please join us in the restoration of the
Meditation Garden by purchasing an
engraved brick paver of remembrance
which creates a new walkway to the statue
of Jesus with outstretched arms. You may
do so by getting an order form from the
posters located at all church entrances.
This form with your check should then be
taken to the parish office for processing
during normal office hours. You may also
purchase online at the parish web site
sttheresaps.com. Select the 135 Ministry
tab on the home page then the drop down
menu Meditation Garden to order.

St. Theresa Catholic Church

FILIPINO SUNDAY MASS

COME JOIN US

UPCOMING MASSES:

*2026	JANUARY 11 FEBRUARY 8 MARCH 8 APRIL 12 * MAY 3 JUNE 14 JULY 12 AUGUST 9 SEPTEMBER 13 OCTOBER 11 NOVEMBER 8 DECEMBER 13	*2027	JANUARY 10 FEBRUARY 14 MARCH 14 APRIL 11 * MAY 2 JUNE 13 JULY 11 AUGUST 8 SEPTEMBER 12 OCTOBER 10 NOVEMBER 14 DECEMBER 12
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* Schedule changed due to "Mother's Day" holiday.

FILIPINO SUNDAY MASS IS CELEBRATED EVERY 2nd SUNDAY OF THE MONTH AT 5:00PM. MASS WILL BE BILINGUAL: TAGALOG/ENGLISH

For any question, contact: Josie Imus - 442.234.8758 / Amy Villar - 760.448.1326

2800 E. Ramon Road, Palm Springs, CA 92264

Palm Springs Knights of Columbus Council 3583 is sponsoring a recycle drive to support St. Theresa School. We urge all students, parents and parishioners to save their bottles and cans. We accept all glass bottles including beer and wine bottles, all plastic water and beverage bottles.



If in doubt, look for the recycle symbol. You may drop off items at the school or every Saturday from 10 to noon on the east side of the church.

Amount Collected:
\$20,026.33

GOOD GRIEF MINISTRY

Dates for meetings:
(1:30pm in the St. Peter & Paul Rooms)

June 28, 2026	December 20, 2026
July 26, 2026	January 24, 2027
August 30, 2026	February 28, 2027
September 27, 2026	March 21, 2027
October 25, 2026	April 25, 2027
November 29, 2026	

MEDITATION GARDEN BLESSING

Phase 1 of the **Meditation Garden** will be completed the week of June 22nd. On June 28th you are invited to a special blessing of the garden after the 10:30 am mass.

Thanks to all who contributed to this beautiful addition to our church.

BINGO RE-CAP 2026

The BINGO Ministry raised \$23,323 for the St. Theresa School Student Tuition Assistance Program during its 18-week season from January through May 2026. Thanks to our volunteers and players from all three Palm Springs parishes for making this success possible. We are seeking additional volunteers for our eight-week fall season, October 2–November 20. The commitment is 4–6 hours twice a month, and no experience is required. For information, contact

Jerry Sjolander at 442-529-4804 or jsjolander@live.com.



Gifted and Called
LGBTQ Catholics Ministry
Palm Springs

Contact us at:

Giftedandcalledlgbtcatholics@gmail.com

COLUMNA DEL PASTOR :

Hoy, tras elegir a los doce, Jesús los envía a predicar y les da instrucciones. Les advierte sobre la persecución que probablemente sufrirán y les aconseja sobre la actitud que deben adoptar: «No teman a los que matan el cuerpo pero no pueden matar el alma; teman más bien a aquel que puede destruir tanto el alma como el cuerpo en la Gehena» (Mt 10, 28).

El discurso de Jesús es paradójico: por un lado, nos dice «no tengáis miedo» y nos presenta a un Padre providente que cuida incluso de los gorriones; por otro, no nos dice que ese Padre nos librará de las dificultades, sino más bien lo contrario: si somos sus seguidores, es probable que compartamos su suerte y la de los demás profetas. Entonces, ¿cómo podemos entender esto? La protección de Dios consiste en su capacidad para dar vida a nuestra persona (nuestra alma) y para brindarnos felicidad incluso en medio de las tribulaciones y persecuciones. Él es quien puede darnos la alegría de su Reino —que ya podemos disfrutar aquí— y es nuestra esperanza de vida eterna: «A todo el que me reconozca ante los hombres, yo también lo reconoceré ante mi Padre que está en los cielos» (Mt 10, 32).

Confiar en que Dios estará con nosotros en los momentos difíciles nos da valentía para proclamar las palabras de Jesús abiertamente; además, nos otorga la energía necesaria para hacer el bien, de modo que, a través de nuestras obras, las personas puedan dar gloria a nuestro Padre celestial.

VIVIR LA LITURGIA - INSPIRACIÓN DE LA SEMANA

“Lo que te digo en la oscuridad, háblalo en la luz.”
Todos escuchamos la voz de Dios susurrando en nuestro corazón. El discipulado significa decir esas palabras en voz alta. Todos sentimos el Espíritu cantar en nuestras almas. El discipulado significa bailar al ritmo de la melodía.

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**Fondo de Desarrollo Diocesano (DDF)****A fecha de: 7 de junio de 2026****Compromisos de donación: \$33,398.00****Porcentaje de la meta: \$78.0426%****Donaciones recibidas: \$43,938.03**

Nuestra Meta para el DDF 2026 es de \$56,300. Lo lograremos igual! Que Dios los bendiga.

Gracias por su participación.

Donacion en linea

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**Las lecturas de la semana del 21 de junio de 2026**

Domingo: Jr 20, 10-13/Sal 68, 8-10. 14 y 17. 33-35/
Rom 5, 12-15/Mt 10, 26-33
Lunes: 2 Re 17, 5-8. 13-15. 18/Sal 59, 3. 4-5.
12-13/Mt 7, 1-5
Martes: 2 Re 19, 9-11. 14-21. 31-35. 36/ Sal 47,
2-3. 3-4. 10-11/Mt 7, 6. 12-14
Miércoles: Vigilia, Jr 1, 4-10/Sal 70, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6. 15 y
17/1 Pe 1, 8-12/Lc 1, 5-17
Día, Is 49, 1-6/Sal 138, 1b-3. 13-14. 14-15/
Hch 13, 22-26/Lc 1, 57-66. 80
Jueves: 2 Re 24, 8-17/ Sal 78, 1-2. 3-5. 8. 9/
Mt 7, 21-29
Viernes: 2 Re 25, 1-12/ Sal 136, 1-2. 3. 4-5.
6/Mt 8, 1-4
Sábado: Lam 2, 2. 10-14. 18-19/ Sal 73, 1-2. 3-5.
6-7. 20-21/Mt 8, 5-17
Domingo siguiente: 2 Re 4, 8-11. 14-16/Sal 88, 2-3.
16-17. 18-19/Rom 6, 3-4. 8-11/Mt 10, 37-42

Bendición del jardín de meditación

La primera fase del *jardín de meditación* concluirá la semana del 22 de junio. El 28 de junio, les invitamos a una bendición especial del jardín después de la misa de las 10:30 a. m.

Gracias a todos los que contribuyeron a esta hermosa incorporación a nuestra iglesia.

Prevención y Rescate

Si estas sufriendo de alcoholism o drogadicción o tienes un familiar con esa problematica y decese la ayuda “No esteis solo” te invitamos los lunes a la asamblea familiar de 7-9 pm, salones Maria y Jose.

El grupo de 12 pasos te invita los Viernes de 7-9pm a buscar y mantener una sobriedad.

Mas informacion al.
760-534-3749

