



## PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

“Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!” - Mk 11:9

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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

### 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

### Parish Office Hours

**Monday—Friday: 8:00 am to 3:30**

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**Parish Email: sttheresaps@sbdiocese.org**

**Parish Website: www.sttheresaps.com**

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**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:**

The blood of Jesus has a central role in the Passion according to Saint Matthew. At the Last Supper Jesus says that the cup of wine that he has blessed is his blood. He then declares that it will be poured out to forgive the sins of all. To take advantage of this offering, people must repent of their sins. That is, they must acknowledge that they have sinned and strive to change their behavior. It sounds simple, but humans, being what they are, have had great difficulty doing it. In the narrative Pilate tries to wash his hands of the blood of Jesus. He doesn't want to admit that his unwillingness to confront the Jews with the truth will result in the death of an innocent man. Judas admits that he has sinned by betraying Jesus when he returns the thirty pieces of silver. However, instead of asking for Jesus' forgiveness, he hangs himself.

The Jews also acknowledge responsibility for the death of Jesus when they say: "May his blood be on us and on our children!" But they give no indication of repentance. Where are we in all this drama? Are we ready to admit our sins and change our behavior? Have we not been envious like the high priests by wishing bad for those who prove themselves more talented or more fortunate than we? Have we not abandoned Jesus like the disciples in Gethsemane by not praying to him daily? Have we not lied like Peter to avoid difficult situations? And have we not mocked other people like the passers-by and the crucified thieves mock Jesus? For these sins among others we have to ask the Lord's forgiveness.

Only by accepting responsibility for the blood of Jesus and repenting of our sins can we take advantage of what we celebrate this week. Only by asking Jesus' forgiveness can we be saved from the penalty of our sins.

**Palm Sunday. Holy Week. EASTER SUNDAY.**

This is what our faith is all about!

We have been working all of Lent (and walking toward it all of our life), what we believe;

**Christ has died!**

**Christ has risen!**

**Christ will come again!**

We can talk about what Jesus did to save us or we can, through mystery (as our liturgy says) join Christ and the whole church throughout the world in experiencing the Paschal Mystery. The Holy Week schedule can be found elsewhere in this bulletin.

Try to join us at least once this Holy Week as we build our Community of Faith and walk towards Easter Glory!

**This is our Faith!**

**This is the Faith of the church!**

**We are proud to confess it through Christ Jesus our Lord!**

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**Visit our website to sign up to  
Online Giving and get started.**  
[https://osvhub.com/st-theresa-ps/  
funds](https://osvhub.com/st-theresa-ps/funds)

**February Collections**

**Ordinary Collection**  
2/4/24- \$16,078.00  
2/13/24- \$14,129.00  
2/18/24- \$12,267.50  
2/25/24- \$12,400.00

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**Total = \$54,874.00**

**On-line giving- \$5,813.00    Ash Wednesday- \$5,800.00**

**Religious Ed.- \$3,550.00**





**Mass Intentions**  
FOR THE WEEK 

**Saturday, March 23**  
**5:00pm**

Tyler Hoffman +  
Robert Fox +  
Mary Westell +

**7pm-Español**

Fr. John Fahnestock +

**Sunday, March 24**  
**7:00am**

Jose Ramoran +  
Robin Dinnoo S/I-Birthday  
Maximo & Susanna Mendoza +

**8:30am- Español**

Maria de Los Angeles Moncayo  
(S/I-Birthday)  
Juanita Rodriguez +  
Maria Castalloñ S/I-Healing

**10:30am**

Ziggy Osinski +  
Rudy Villar +  
Juvy Agregado +

**12:30pm**

Fabio Juarez +  
Ramon Maghinay +  
Hernandez Family S/I

**Monday, March 25**

No Mass Intentions  
“Holy Week”

**Tuesday, March 26**

No Mass Intentions  
“Holy Week”

**Wednesday, March 27**

No Mass Intentions  
“Holy Week”

**Thursday, March 28**

No Mass Intentions  
“Holy Week”

**Friday, March 15**

No Mass Intentions  
“Holy Week”

**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:**

Betty Pemberton, John Salerno,  
Cameron Robertson, Bryan Dinnoo,  
Bobbi Hudson, James Navo Holmes,  
Sherry Moretti, Tera Moore, Chuck Stone, Catherine Dinnoo,  
Ashton Chanman, Beth Hassan, Orzai Rizo, Mrs. K. Maloney,  
Virginia Faustino, Bruce Robertson,  
Jeremiah Berry, Tasha Dinnoo, Kim Deanna  
Sampson-Smith, Cheri, Zach, Patrick Penny, Carol Vicente,  
Vicki Johnson, Vincent & Diane Moretti, Mary Ann Andrew,  
Carol Zachik, Terry Moretti, Ariella Cohen, Sergio Abel Cuevas,  
Laurie Mikolaycik, Marguerita Jezo, David Johnston, Rae Wenzel,  
Ronwald Em, Alex Diaz, Carolyn O'Linn,  
Gabriela Lares, Holly Gromise & Family, Ruby Signoretti,  
Colleen Gresell, Joel Lusung, Alida Rey. Martha Ramirez,  
Adriana Serna, Billy Jackson, Paula Mason, Tim Purrellio,  
Ellie Salazar, Ignacio Garcia, Gabriel Garnica,  
Nidia Anaya, Robert Montague, Tony Piscopo,  
Carey Gromis, Monsignor Philip Behan, Jeremy Brown,  
Marivic Coloma, Eddie Los, Gabriella Sanchez, Susan Bruss,  
Sherri Pontes, Alissa Dinnoo, Kim Chanman Rodriguez,  
Norma Cardova Chanman, Allison Torrey, Glen Miller,  
Gladis Gomez, Ynez Romo, Robin Dinnoo, Roger Newallo,  
Joshua & Joseph Ibanez, Kylee Dinnoo, Jean Williams,  
Cathryn Corey Ciolli, Alejandra Abraham, Malinally Cortez,  
Thomas Kelly Murray, Fatima Nina Guillermo, Thomas Holland,  
Liliana Tenori, Norbert Chanman

**(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 March 24, 2024**

Sunday: Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 (2a)/  
Phil 2:6-11/Mk 14:1—15:47 or 15:1-39  
Monday: Is 42:1-7/Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14/Jn 12:1-11  
Tuesday: Is 49:1-6/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 and 17/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38  
Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a/Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-34/Mt 26:14-25  
Thursday: *Chrism Mass*: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9/Ps 89:21-22, 25 and 27/Rv 1:5-8/Lk 4:16-21  
*Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper*: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc,  
17-18 (see 1 Cor 10:16)/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15  
Friday: Is 52:13—53:12/Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25 (Lk 23:46)/  
Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1—19:42  
Saturday: *Easter Vigil*: Gn 1:1—2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a/Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35  
(30) or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20-22 (5b)/Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-  
18/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 (1)/Ex 14:15—15:1/ Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18 (1b)/Is  
54:5-14/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 (2a)/Is 55:1-11/Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 (3)/Bar 3:9-  
15, 32—4:4/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 (Jn 6:68c)/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3,  
4 (42:2)/Rom 6:3-11/Mk 16:1-7

### Diocesan Development Fund (DDF2024)

Thank you to everyone who contributed in last weekends second collecton, to those who have made a pledge or a one time gift.. Our \$55,600 and a 100% participation. Each and every persons gift is very important, regardless the size. For those who have not participated, we invite you to join us in or 2024 DDF.

**2nd collection 2/18-19 = 6,446.00**

#### How to support the DDF:

Make a 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

#### “DDF 2024”

Online Donation : visit our website and make a donation under the DDF 2024 tab

#### TAX TIME.....

If you need a summary of your 2023 annual giving, here at St.

Theresa Church, please call the parish office at 760-323-2669, we will be happy to send you a letter of your contribution for the year.

Thank You!



*Easter Lilies*

Buy a Lily plant in remembrance of a Loved One or Friend.

The Lilies will beautify the Altar on Easter Sunday

Orders Due by March 25 **\$20** Per Plant

St. Theresa Altar Society

Please submit Order and Payment to St. Theresa Parish Altar Society  
2800 Ramon Road  
Palm Springs Ca 92262



# FISH FRY

March 22, 2024  
5 p.m.- 7 p.m.

~IN THE PARISH HALL~

ADULT- \$15  
KIDS- \$10

Menu  
• 2 piece cod  
• French Fries  
• Coleslaw

Available drinks for purchase

**YOUR PARTICIPATION IN THE BABY BOTTLE DRIVE HAS BEEN OF A GREAT SUPPORT TO BIRTH CHOICE OF THE DESERT . THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS.!**

**IF YOU STILL HAVE A BOTTLE, THEY CAN BE RETURNED ANYTIME TO THE CHURCH OFFICE OR PLACED IN THE COLLECTION BASKET.**



St. Theresa Catholic School is celebrating National Reading Month by hosting a Read-A-Thon fundraiser in March. Our goal is two-fold. First, we want our students to read at least thirty minutes daily to enhance their comprehension skills and, second, to raise funds for our school. If you want to support our students and your school, pleas visit our website at

[https:// bit.ly/STSTRead-a-Thon](https://bit.ly/STSTRead-a-Thon)



SCAN ME

St. Theresa Catholic School completed the Accreditation Cycle by hosting a team of six Catholic educators. The team's findings considered our Self-study that occurred during the 2022-23 school year and concluded in the fall of the 2023-24 school year. On Wednesday, February 28th, the visiting team shared their findings with the school faculty and Fr. John. We are very proud of our teachers, staff, parents, and students who have played an important role in continuous school improvement. Please take time to review the PowerPoint presentation. Scan the code or visit the link. <https://bit.ly/WCEAfindings>



SCAN ME





# HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

**HOLY THURSDAY**  
 MARCH 28, 2024

**5 p.m.- English Mass**  
**7 p.m.- Spanish Mass**

Adoration with the Blessed Sacrament will begin at 8 p.m. (after the spanish mass) in the Daily Mass Chapel. Please join us.

**Good Friday**  
 March 29, 2024

2 P.M.- ENGLISH STATIONS OF THE CROSS

3 P.M.-PASSION OF CHRIST

7 P.M.-GOOD FRIDAY LITURGY- SPANISH

*Easter Vigil*  
 8 p.m  
 Bilingual Mass

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
**EASTER EGG HUNT**

**Easter Sunday March 31st**  
 Following the 10:30 a.m. mass

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting their annual Egg Hunt Event on Easter Sunday. All families are invited to this community event! Refreshments will be served.

Please remember to bring your Easter basket to carry the eggs.

The egg hunt is open to children aged 1 to 10.

We hope to see you there!!!

**OFFICE CLOSURE**

**CLOSED** MARCH 29  
 Good Friday

**CLOSED** APRIL 1  
 Easter Monday

**CIERRE DE OFICINA**

**CERRADO** 29 DE MARZO  
 Viernes Santo

**CERRADO** 1 DE ABRIL  
 Lunes de Pascua

**COLUMNA DEL PASTOR :**

La sangre de Jesús tiene un papel central en la Pasión según San Mateo. En la Última Cena Jesús dice que la copa de vino que ha bendecido es su sangre. Luego declara que será derramado para perdonar los pecados de todos. Para aprovechar esta ofrenda, la gente debe arrepentirse de sus pecados. Es decir, deben reconocer que han pecado y esforzarse por cambiar su comportamiento. Suena sencillo, pero los humanos, siendo como somos, hemos tenido grandes dificultades para hacerlo. En la narración Pilato intenta lavarse las manos de la sangre de Jesús. No quiere admitir que su falta de voluntad para confrontar a los judíos con la verdad resultará en la muerte de un hombre inocente. Judas admite que ha pecado al traicionar a Jesús cuando devuelve las treinta monedas de plata. Sin embargo, en lugar de pedir perdón a Jesús, se ahorca.

Los judíos también reconocen su responsabilidad por la muerte de Jesús cuando dicen: “¡Que su sangre caiga sobre nosotros y sobre nuestros hijos!” Pero no dan ninguna indicación de arrepentimiento. ¿Dónde estamos en todo este drama? ¿Estamos listos para admitir nuestros pecados y cambiar nuestro comportamiento? ¿No hemos sentido envidia, como los sumos sacerdotes, al desear el mal a quienes demuestran ser más talentosos o más afortunados que nosotros? ¿No hemos abandonado a Jesús como los discípulos en Getsemaní al no orarle diariamente? ¿No hemos mentido como Pedro para evitar situaciones difíciles? ¿Y no nos hemos burlado de los demás como los transeúntes y los ladrones crucificados se burlan de Jesús? Por estos pecados entre otros tenemos que pedir perdón al Señor.

Sólo aceptando la responsabilidad por la sangre de Jesús y arrepintiéndonos de nuestros pecados podremos aprovechar lo que celebramos esta semana. Sólo pidiendo perdón a Jesús podemos ser salvos del castigo de nuestros pecados.

**Domingo de palma. Semana Santa. Domingo de Pascua.**

¡De esto se trata nuestra fe!

Hemos estado trabajando toda la Cuaresma (y caminando hacia ella toda nuestra vida), lo que creemos;

**¡Cristo ha muerto!**

**¡Cristo ha resucitado!**

**¡Cristo vendrá otra vez!**

¡Intenta unirse a nosotros al menos una vez esta Semana Santa mientras construimos nuestra Comunidad de Fe y caminamos hacia la Gloria Pascual!

**¡Esta es nuestra Fe!**

**¡Esta es la Fe de la iglesia!**

**¡Estamos orgullosos de confesarlo por Cristo Jesús nuestro Señor!**

**Las lecturas de la semana del 24 de marzo de 2024**

**Domingo:** Mc 11, 1-10 o Jn 12, 12-16/Is 50, 4-7/  
Sal 21, 8-9. 17-18. 19-20. 23-24 (2)/  
Flp 2, 6-11/Mc 14, 1—15, 47 o 15, 1-39

**Lunes:** Is 42, 1-7/Sal 26, 1. 2. 3. 13-14/Jn 12, 1-11

**Martes:** Is 49, 1-6/Sal 70, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6. 15 y 17  
/Jn 13, 21-33. 36-38

**Miércoles:** Is 50, 4-9a/Sal 68, 8-10. 21-22. 31 y  
33-34/Mt 26, 14-25

**Jueves:** *Misa crismal:* Is 61, 1-3. 6. 8-9/  
Sal 88, 21-22. 25 y 27/Ap 1, 5-8/Lc 4, 16-21  
*Vispera Misa de la Cena del Señor:* Ex 12, 1-8.  
11-14/Sal 115, 12-13. 15-16. 17-18 (ver 1 Cor  
10, 16)/1 Cor 11, 23-26/Jn 13, 1-15

**Viernes:** Is 52, 13—53, 12/Sal 30, 2. 6. 12-13. 15-16.  
17. 25 (Lc 23, 46)/  
Heb 4, 14-16; 5, 7-9/Jn 18, 1—19, 42

**Sábado:** *Pascua de Resurrección Vigilia:* Gn 1, 1—2, 2 o  
1, 1. 26-31/Sal 103, 1-2. 5-6. 10. 12. 13-14. 24.  
35 (30) o Sal 32, 4-5. 6-7. 12-13. 20-22 (5)/Gn  
22, 1-18 o 22, 1-2, 9-13, 15-18/Sal 15, 5. 8. 9-10.  
11 (1)/Ex 14, 15—15, 1/ Ex 15, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6. 17-  
18 (1)/Is 54, 5-14/Sal 29, 2. 4. 5-6. 11-12. 13 (2)/  
Is 55, 1-11/Is 12, 2-3. 4. 5-6 (3)/Bar 3, 9-15.  
32—4, 4/Sal 18, 8. 9. 10. 11 (Jn 6, 68)/Ez 36, 16-  
28/Sal 41, 3. 5; 43, 3. 4 (42, 2)/Rom 6, 3-11/Mc  
16, 1-7

**Domingo siguiente:** Hch 10, 34. 37-43/Sal 117, 1-2. 16-17. 22-23  
(24)/Col 3, 1-4 o Cor 5, 6-8/Jn 20,



**Fondo de Desarrollo Diocesano (DDF2024)**

**DDF 2024 - Fin de semana de compromiso**

Gracias por participar a los que contribuyeron el fin de semana pasada. La meta es \$55,600. y 100% de participación. Para aquellos que aun no han contribuido, se les invita, sin importar la cantidad.

**La colecta—2/18-19 \$6,446**

**Cómo apoyar/dar al DDF:**

Hacer Promesa: Use un sobre DDF y envíelo a la Diócesis o colóquelo en la canasta de recolección en la Misa (tarjeta, efectivo o cheque)

Hacer una Donación: Indicar en el cheque o sobre

**“DDF2024”**

Donación en línea: visite nuestro sitio web y haga una donación bajo el DDF 2024



24o de Marzo de 2024

# SEMANA SANTA



## JUEVES SANTO

28 DE MARZO 2024

5 p.m.- Misa en Ingles  
7 p.m.- Misa en Español

Adoracion con el Santisimo Sacramento comenzara a las 8 p.m. (despues de la misa en español) en la capilla de misa diaria. Todos son bienvenidos.

## Viernes Santo

29 de Marzo 2024

2 P.M.-VIA CRUCIS EN INGLES

3 P.M.-PASION DE CRISTO EN INGLES

7 P.M.-LITURGIA DE VIERNES SANTO EN ESPAÑOL

## Vigilia de Pascua

8 p.m  
Misa Bilingue



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# Lirios de Pascua

Compre una Planta en memoria de un Ser Querido o un Amigo.

Los Lirios serán colocados para embellecer el Altar el Domingo de Pascua

Entrega de Órdenes Marzo 25 **\$20** Por Planta

St. Theresa Altar Society

Favor de hacer cheques a nombre de:  
St. Theresa Parish Altar Society  
2800 Ramon Road  
Palm Springs Ca 92262

San Toribio Romo González fue un sacerdote y mártir mexicano de Jalisco, Méjico, a inicios de los años 1900. Él es conocido por su devoción firme por la Eucaristía y por la catequesis a los pobres. Durante una época de persecución religiosa en México, las tropas gubernamentales le dispararon y lo asesinaron.

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### VIVIR LA LITURGIA - INSPIRACIÓN DE LA SEMANA

Las multitudes de Jerusalén embellecieron el camino de Jesús cuando entró en la ciudad, ofreciendo sus propios mantos en homenaje. Abramos paso en nuestros corazones al Rey al entrar en la Semana Santa.

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