

Second Sunday of Lent

March 1, 2026



Saturday, February 28th

4:00pm Rosary

4:30pm

† Olga R. (4 Ann) & Mario Mercado – Pablo & Irma Johnson

† Moises Jose Maria Ortiz (8 Ann) - family

† Rafeal Loy Cabrera (30 Ann) – Johnny Cabrera, Jr & fam

Sunday, March 1st Second Sunday of Lent

9:45am Rosary

10:15am

† Will Zelaya (13 Ann) – Melba Zelaya & family

† Felo & Fane Garza – daughters

† Leo Carrales (2 Ann) – Leo Carrales, Jr.

† Luis Rene Lozano (3 Ann) – Janey Lozano & family

† Rafael Loy Cabrera (30 Ann) – Raul & Belia Gutierrez

11:30am For the People

Monday, March 2nd

8:00am No Mass

Tuesday, March 3rd

12:00pm

† Malcolm Buterbaugh - family

† Rafael Loy Cabrera – Raul & Belia Gutierrez

Wednesday, March 4th

8:00am

† JC Janicek – Janicek family

† Malcolm Buterbaugh - family

7:00pm Lenten Talk

Thursday, March 5th

8:00am † Malcolm Buterbaugh - family

Friday, March 6th

6:00pm † Malcolm Buterbaugh - family

6:30pm Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 7th

4:00pm Rosary

4:30pm

† Alan Chapa – Ricky & Felo Garcia

Sunday, March 8th Third Sunday of Lent

9:45am Rosary

10:15am

† Ignacio Guerra, Jr. (26 Ann) – M/M Ignacio Guerra

† David Rodriguez (25 Ann) – Rosario Gonzalez

† Ramiro C. Gonzalez, Jr (Ann) – Rosario Gonzalez

11:30am For the People

Dear friends in Christ Jesus,

On the Second Sunday of Lent, the Gospel tells us of the Transfiguration of the Lord (Luke 9:28–36). Jesus takes Peter, James, and John up the mountain, and there His glory is revealed. His face changes, His clothes become dazzling white, and the disciples hear the Father's voice:

“This is my chosen Son; listen to Him.”

In the midst of our Lenten journey, this moment of glory strengthens us. Before the suffering of the Cross, the disciples are given a glimpse of who Jesus truly is. Lent invites us to climb the mountain with the Lord- through prayer, sacrifice, and repentance- so that our faith may be renewed. When life feels heavy or uncertain, we remember that Christ is truly the Son of God, and His light shines even in our darkest moments.

This week, let us listen more closely to Jesus. Let's try to walk with Him and climb up to the top of the mountain. May His presence transform our hearts and lead us toward the joy of Easter.

With prayers,
Fr. Sanish Mathew HGN

Next Week's Readings:

Ex 17:3-7 Rom 5:1-2, 5-8 Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15

For Your Information

Contact the parish office for 2025 Tax info

Check out our new Website: sttheresapremont.org

Baptism classes/Baptisms will Not be available during Lent.

During Lent, Friday Morning mass will be changed to 6pm- followed by Stations of the Cross.

To prepare our bulletin board for the Vocation of Marriage, we are in need of your wedding day photos. If you would like to be part of our Marriage Vocation bulletin board, please email or text a photo to Michelle Gomes at mrgomes1217@gmail.com or 361-756-302. One photo per family please. Thank you in advance.



Schedule of Church Ministries March 7th & 8th

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Saturday 4:30pm Terri Trevino, Lupita Davila
 Sunday 10:15am Michelle Gomes, Mary Jo Morales
 Sunday 11:30am Rosie Gonzalez, Lily Rodriguez

Lectors

Saturday 4:30pm Salvador Velasquez
 Sunday 10:15am Becky Hinojosa, Debbie Siemonsma
 Sunday 11:30am Julio Martinez

Altar Servers

Saturday 4:30pm Scarlett
 Sunday 10:15am Thiago, Thalia, Cael
 Sunday 11:30am Maggie Rdz, Jesse, Renezmay

Steubenville Brisket Fundraiser

St. Theresa Parish Hall

Sunday March 29, 2026

11:00pm - 1:00pm

Donation \$12.00

(brisket sandwich, chips & drink)

Please help our youth by donating the following items:

10 Briskets
 300 Buns
 300 Chips
 300 Brown bags
 300 Foil sheets
 300 Sandwich zip lock bags
 1 sack if onions
 3-gallon BBQ sauce

Monetary donations are also accepted.

Thank you for the following donations:

Pat Burke \$300 Gilbert & Norma Leal \$100
 Anonymous \$20 Deacon Ruben & Imelda Maldonado \$100
 Anonymous \$500 Anonymous \$500 Homer & Letty Vera \$50

To purchase tickets, please contact Lily Rodriguez

St. Theresa of the Little Way Court #2384

Presents our Annual Lenten Talks

Wednesday, March 4, 2026

Our Guest Speakers

March 4th Fr. Raju



A light meal at 6:30pm Talk begins at 7pm. All are welcome to attend.

St. Theresa Community Life Center Bingo

Bingo will take place on the **First & Second Tuesdays of every month**



March 3rd & 10th

Concession stand will be available.

Volunteers:

Janie Martinez, Eva Palacios, Sylvia Johnson, Rosie Gonzalez, Mory Perez, Luther Hofstetter, Rick & Margot Lopez, Emma Falcon, Roland Garcia, Rosario Gonzalez, Mary Jo Morales, Esther Munoz, Lily Rodriguez, Bea Garza, Isabel Infante, Chris Trevino, Irene Benavides, Diana Carrera, Tilden Allen, Liza Ramirez, Roxie Rosas, Roel Perez, Irma Johnson, Sandra Johnson, Mandy Johnson

Catholic Daughters

Spaghetti Dinner

(Served with meat sauce, toss salad, garlic bread, And dessert)

Sunday, March 8, 2026

St. Theresa Community Life Center

11:00am to 1:00pm

\$12.00 Donation

Drive thru or dine in



Tickets are available at the parish office or CDA member

March Calendar

2nd KC Meeting at 6pm
 3rd Bingo at 7pm @ CLC
 4th CDA Lenten Retreat at 7pm
 6th Mass at 6pm/ followed by Stations of the Cross
 8th CDA Spaghetti Dinner at CLC 11am to 1pm
 10th Bingo at 7pm @ CLC
 13th Mass at 6pm/ followed by Stations of the Cross
 20th Mass at 6pm/ followed by Stations of the Cross
 24th Catholic Daughters Rosary 6pm, Meeting 6:30pm
 27th Mass at 6pm/ followed by Stations of the Cross
 29th Steubenville Brisket Fundraiser 11am to 1pm

Mass Etiquette (Do's and Don'ts When Attending The Mass)

1. Fast – Do not eat any food an hour before the mass. Only water is allowed.
2. Come Early – Allow 10 – 15 minutes of meditation before the Mass.
3. Do Not Eat – Eating is not allowed during mass.
4. Dress Properly – This is to show decency and honor to God.
5. No Phones – Turn your mobile phones off.
6. Genuflect – Kneel your right knee in the direction of the tabernacle before sitting.
7. Participate – Sing, respond, listen and pray.
8. Commune – Examine conscience beforehand.
9. Think of Others- Respect the pew and queue.
10. Be Still – Do not be in a hurry. Enjoy and feel God's presence and thank Him for His grace.

Confession Time: Confession time 4:00pm, or by appointment.

Bulletin deadline: Wednesdays at Noon Baptisms: Every first Sunday of the month after 11:30am Mass (During lent no baptisms)

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Missions Corner

Saturday, February 28th

Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission
6:15pm Holy Souls in Purgatory



Sunday, March 1st Second Sunday of Lent

Immaculate Conception Mission

8:30am

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Immaculate Conception Mission News

Join us each Sunday before 8:30am Mass at St. Joseph Hall to pray the Holy Rosary beginning at 8:00am.

Immaculate Conception Lectors

March

1st Norma Sheffer
 8th Lilia Balderas
 15th Melisa Montemayor
 22nd Jerry Stillman
 29th Norma Sheffer

Online Giving helps sustain our church. Just scan and sign up!



St. Theresa Catholic Church

Last Week's Collection Weekly Goal \$3,500

Collection	\$ 2,198.50
Building Fund	\$ 0
Online giving	\$ 360.00
Children's Collection	<u>\$ 202.00</u>
Total	\$ 2,760.50
Under Goal	\$ 739.50
Candles	\$ 224.00
Second Collection	\$ 199.00



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Last Week's Collection

Concepcion	\$ 751.00
Building Fund	\$ 0

Ramirez	\$ 95.00
Building Fund	\$ 0



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Immaculate Conception Mission "40 Cans for Lent"



Our parish will be collecting canned goods for Lent. This food drive will be benefiting the Weavers of Love choice pantry in Kingsville. Any type of canned goods donated will be greatly appreciated.

Drop Off: St. Joseph's Hall in Concepcion
 When: Sundays before/after Mass or during the week (Food Bin available outside)
 Weaversoflove.com 720 E. Lee Kingsville, Tx 78363

Prayer for Rain

Whatever we ask in your name, Lord God, you have promised to grant. We come now with You in our hearts, to pray for rain. We are firmly convinced that You, according to the measure of Your wisdom, goodness and love, have the omnipotent power to send us the rain we need. We ask this in humility, knowing Your great goodness. We also ask of You to guide us in the right path, to restrain us from evil, and to preserve us from misfortune of soul and body. We ask that we may be made worthy of Your assistance, remembering Your words, "Ask and you shall receive." Amen.

CRYROOM

To our dear parishioners, we are blessed to have a cry room available for families with young children who may become fussy or need a break during Mass. We encourage you to use this space when needed, so all can better focus on the liturgy. We are grateful for your understanding as we strive to create a prayerful environment for everyone.

The Precepts of the Catholic Church

- I. You shall attend Mass on Sundays and Holy days of obligation and rest from servile labor.
- II. You shall confess your sins at least once a year.
- III. You shall receive the sacrament of the Eucharist at least once during the Easter Season.
- IV. You shall observe the days of fasting and abstinence established by the Church.
- V. You shall help provide for the needs of the Church.

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