

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2026

SEPTUAGESIMA SUNDAY

† Mass Intentions at *Little Flower*

Sunday, Feb 1 – 8:15am
 Sunday, Feb 1 – 10:45am
 Monday, Feb 2 – 8:15am
 Monday, Feb 2 – 6:00pm
 Tuesday, Feb 3 – 5:30pm
 Wednesday, Feb 4 – 8:15am
 Thursday, Feb 5 – 8:15am
 Friday, Feb 6 – 8:15am
 Friday, Feb 6 – 6:00pm
 Saturday, Feb 7 – 8:15am
 Sunday, Feb 8 – 8:15am
 Sunday, Feb 8 – 10:45am



Our Eucharistic Vigil and First-Friday All Day Adoration is this week. Please be sure to find a replacement if you are unable to make your commitment. We need at least two committed adorers per hour and we are short. Would you consider spending one hour with the Lord monthly?

Please Pray For: Ashley & Kitty Hudson, Genny Lorenzo Garcia, Heriberto Ruiz, Benito Romeu, Shawn Canale, Jeanine Hilbert, Vanessa Jones, Helen Johnson, Shane Canale Jr., Michael Valdejuli, Ann Shorter, Whit and Carolyn Bell, Maya Roy

BAPTISM REMINDER: Parents and Godparents wishing to have a child baptized in the Parish **must attend a Baptism prep class here** at St. Theresa, offered on the First Saturday of each month from 9:30- 10:30 AM. Class **will not** be offered if no one is signed up. Please contact the DRE to schedule a class.

Parents must be *registered and active parishioners for a minimum of six months prior to the date of baptism*. Please check the website for more info.

Sanctuary Candle Dedication

2 WEEKS: \$20 & 1 WEEK: \$10

Candles Burn This Week For:

† J. Guadalupe Longoria Samaniego

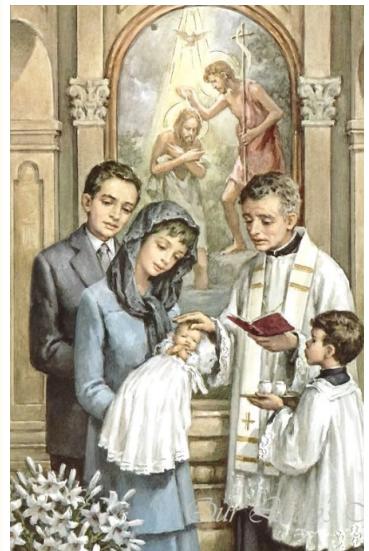
For Graces This Lenten Season

† In Reparation to the Blessed Sacrament

† Juan Carlos Coss Vargas

Benefactors of the Parish

Families of the Parish



Mass in English (at Blessed Sacrament) at 5 PM

High Mass at 7 PM

Weekly Offerings (Sunday January 11, 2026)

General:	\$3,945.63	YTD:	\$97,769.65
Building:	\$485	YTD:	\$14,326.78
St. Martin:	\$170	YTD:	\$24,640.24

ST. JOSEPH'S PROJECTS COLLECTION:

Repairing our church as we look forward to the 100 year anniversary of Little Flower parish. Campaign to Date Total as of this Fiscal Year: \$49,677

Second Collection is for the Sacred Music Program

† Mass Intentions at *Blessed Sacrament*

Saturday, Jan 31 - 4:00pm
 Poor Souls
 Sunday, Feb 1 – 1:45pm
 Saturday, Feb. 7 - 4:00pm
 Poor Souls; St. Michael the Archangel
 Sunday, Feb 1 – 1:45pm
 Vazquez Guerrero Family



CANDLEMAS: THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

TOMORROW
Monday, February 2

HIGH MASS AT 6 PM

Come celebrate the official close of the Christmas season with us.

Bring candles which you will burn at home throughout the year to be blessed before Mass.

SEPTUAGESIMA

Lent is just around the corner! Septuagesima, meaning *seventieth*, refers to roughly 70 days before Easter, beginning today, February 1st, and is a time to prepare ourselves for the great fast of Lent. *What will you offer to the Lord to help you draw closer to Him in holiness?*

ASH WEDNESDAY IS FEBRUARY 18TH.
 Mass in Spanish at 6 AM (*Misa en Español—6 AM en Santa Teresita*) Note: No 8:15 AM Mass

TWO mounts are related as the first and second acts in a two-act drama: the Mount of the Beatitudes and the Mount of Calvary. He who climbed the first to preach the Beatitudes must necessarily climb the second to practice what He preached. The unthinking often say the Sermon on the Mount constitutes the “essence of Christianity.” But let any man put these Beatitudes into practice in his own life, and he too will draw down upon himself the wrath of the world. The Sermon on the Mount cannot be separated from His Crucifixion, any more than day can be separated from night. The day Our Lord taught the Beatitudes, He signed His own death warrant. The sound of nails and hammers digging through human flesh were the echoes thrown back from the mountainside where He told men how to be happy or blessed. Everybody wants to be happy; but His ways were the very opposite of the ways of the world...



The Beatitudes cannot be taken alone: they are not ideals; they are hard facts and realities inseparable from the Cross of Calvary. What He taught was self-crucifixion: to love those who hate us; to pluck out eyes and cut off arms in order to prevent sinning; to be clean on the inside when the passions clamor for satisfaction on the outside; to forgive those who would put us to death; to overcome evil with good; to bless those who curse us; to stop mouthing freedom until we have justice, truth and love of God in our hearts as the condition of freedom; to live in the world and still keep oneself unpolluted from it; to deny ourselves sometimes legitimate pleasures in order the better to crucify our egotism—all this is to sentence the old man in us to death.

- from “*The Life of Christ*” by Venerable Fulton J. Sheen



MARCH 11TH - 19TH
ST. JOSEPH
 NOVENA OF MASSES

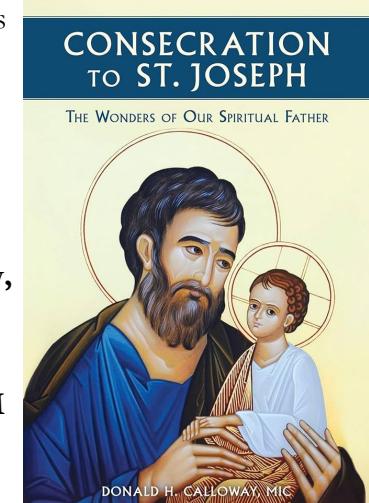
ENROLL YOURSELF OR A LOVED ONE IN THE ST. JOSEPH NOVENA OF MASSES! These nine masses will invoke the intercession of him to whom Our Lord Himself was obedient, the provider and protector of the Holy Family of Nazareth. St. Teresa of Avila, a Doctor of the Church, highly recommended recourse to Joseph: “I do not remember that I have ever asked anything of him which he has failed to grant...To other saints, the Lord seems to have given grace to help us in some of our necessities. But my experience is that St. Joseph helps us in them all; also that the Lord wishes to teach us that, as he was himself subject on earth to St. Joseph, so in heaven he now does all that Joseph asks.”

SUBMIT YOUR ENROLLMENTS ONLINE OR TO THE OFFICE BY SUNDAY, MARCH 8TH, 2026.

Please fill in all the required fields below and kindly send in your donation of \$50 or more either by check (payable to St. Theresa Church and write St. Joseph's Projects in the memo), in the collection with the filled-in slip (available by the statue of St. Joseph), or online via the link below (please select St. Joseph's Projects when donating).

Consecration to St. Joseph
Preparation begins February 15.

Meetings in both English and Spanish on Tuesday, March 10th at 6:30 PM



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