



# Saint Teresa

## of Avila Parish

June 18, 2017

*The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ*

LOVE GOD. LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR. MAKE DISCIPLES OF JESUS.

### PARISH CLERGY

**Reverend J. Jerome Wild, Pastor**

Deacon Francis C. Lally, Permanent Deacon  
Reverend Richard M. Jacobs, Sunday Assistant

### LITURGY

**Saturday Vigil:** 4:15PM  
**Sunday:** 9:00AM and 11:00AM  
**Holy Days:** as published in the bulletin  
**Daily Mass:** 10:00AM on Mondays  
 7:00AM on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays  
**Communion Service:** 8:00AM Saturdays  
**Confession:** 3:15PM Saturdays, or by appointment  
**Eucharistic Adoration:** Tuesdays 7:30AM to 8PM

### PARISH STAFF

**Heidi L. Reese, Administrative Assistant to the Pastor**  
**Mare Barbuto, Coordinator of Music Ministry**  
**Sarah Stong, Adult & Children's Choir Director**

**Office Hours: M-Th 9:00AM - 4:30PM**  
 Fri. 9:00AM-4:00PM  
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### OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & YOUTH MINISTRY

**Erin Gauntner**  
*Coordinator of Religious Education & Youth Ministry*  
 610-666-0167/staprep@verizon.net

### MOTHER TERESA REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL

405 Allendale Road, King of Prussia, PA 19406  
**Principal:** Christine Pagan  
**Phone:** 610-265-2323



*Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; he who comes to Me will not hunger, and he who believes in Me will never thirst."*

*-John 6:35*

A warm greeting is extended to all who have come to worship with our community of faith. We are grateful for our faithful parishioners who are here every week. We also welcome all our visitors and invite you to consider joining our parish. If you are not Catholic, we encourage you to contact our Parish Office for information about becoming a member of the Church.

**PARISH REGISTRATION** is held in the vestibule of the Church after all Masses on the 1st and 3rd weekends of the month. You may also register at the Parish Office on weekdays during business hours.

**BAPTISM** is usually celebrated on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month at 12:00PM. Please call Mrs. Gauntner at 610-666-0167 for upcoming baptism dates. Parents must attend our Pre-Jordan Class prior to their child's baptism. *Our next Pre-Jordan class will be held at 7:00PM on Wednesday, July 19, 2017 in our Parish Center.*

**MATRIMONY:** Couples must make arrangements for matrimony in person with the Pastor at least six months prior to date of their anticipated wedding ceremony. One of the parties must have family registered in the parish at the time the couple comes to make arrangements. Please call the Parish Office for an appointment with Father Wild.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Parishioners who are seriously ill, weakened by advanced age, or entering the hospital for surgery are encouraged to request the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Homebound sick & elderly may receive Holy Communion in their homes on a regular basis. Please contact the Parish Office to arrange for a home visit or to request an anointing.

**MOVING?** Please let us know by calling or emailing the Parish Office so we can update our records.

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*Now you are the body of Christ,  
and each one of you is a part of it.*

*1 Corinthians 12:27*



My Dear Parishioners,

On this, the Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ we are called to share ourselves with one another – not just through our food or our hospitality. That is just the beginning. When we share in the Eucharistic feast we are bound together as one body and one spirit. With the strength we gain from that unity we can go out into the world with greater confidence. Through our sharing in selflessness, gentleness and patience we can bring a positive change into the lives of others. Out of very little, great things can happen – as Jesus showed us in the feeding of the five thousand.

No matter how little time and resources we may have, to share these with others, "... bear with one another charitably"; we can bring justice, peace and truth, in a small way to a troubled world. It is the work of selfless, gentle and patient believers that brings Christ to life in our families and communities.

I want to express my deep gratitude to all parishioners who serve in various ways at our celebration of Eucharist: extraordinary ministers, lectors, ushers, our various choirs, cantors, musicians altar servers, greeters and those who register new parishioners after Masses. On this feast of the Body and Blood of Christ, may we value the great gift of the Holy Eucharist and always remember that in Jesus' presence, scarcity becomes abundance; when we turn to *HIM* in our situations of want, we, too, will find the resources we need to follow God's call. In addition, as we give one another the bread saying, "*This is the Body of Christ,*" we give ourselves to one another saying, "We are the Body of Christ." It is one and the same giving, it is one and the same body, it is one and the same Christ.

Let's remember.....we are all in this together as followers of Christ and as the parish community of St. Teresa of Avila!

Blessings,

*Father Jerry Wild*



*Wishing all the Fathers in our community  
a blessed and love-filled Father's Day.*

*May you be lifted up in your daily endeavors and seek  
God's guidance for your balance of compassion and strength.  
Please enjoy this day set aside just for you! -Father Wild*

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## Mass Intentions, Saints & Special Observances

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| <b>Sat. June 17</b><br>4:15 PM             | <b>Vigil Mass</b><br>Patricia Hengemihle &<br>Donald Wright                   |
| <b>Sun. June 18</b><br>9:00 AM<br>11:00 AM | <b>Most Holy Body &amp; Blood of Christ</b><br>Seham Skaf<br>Marty Moore      |
| <b>Mon. June 19</b><br>10:00 AM            | <b>Weekday</b>  |
| <b>Tues. June 20</b><br>7:00 AM            | <b>Weekday</b><br>Joseph Canci  |
| <b>Wed. June 21</b><br>7:00 AM             | <b>Weekday</b><br>Frances Bartoszek   |
| <b>Fri. June 23</b><br>7:00 AM             | <b>Weekday</b><br>John Gibat  |
| <b>Sat. June 24</b><br>4:15 PM             | <b>Vigil Mass</b><br>Eugene Furlan, Jr.                                       |
| <b>Sun. June 25</b><br>9:00 AM<br>11:00 AM | <b>12th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b><br>Frances Bartoszek<br>Salvatore Cotteta |

## Looking Ahead at St. Teresa's

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| <b>Monday, June 19</b><br>Rosary (Chapel)   | 6:30PM                         |
| <b>Tuesday, June 20</b><br>Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)<br>Scola Choir Rehearsal (Church)                         | 7:30AM-8:00PM<br>7:00PM-8:00PM |
| <b>Wednesday, June 21</b><br>Band Rehearsal (Church)  | 7:00PM-8:00 PM                 |
| <b>Thursday, June 22</b><br>Men's Bible Study (STA Conf. Rm.)<br>Prayer Shawl (School Faculty Rm.)                  | 7:00 PM<br>7:00 PM             |
| <b>Saturday, June 24</b><br>Communion Service (Chapel)<br>Women's Bible Study (Faculty Rm.)<br>Confessions (Chapel) | 8:00 AM<br>8:45 AM<br>3:15 PM  |
| <b>Sunday, June 25</b><br>Adult Choir Rehearsal (Church)  | 7:00-8:30 PM                   |



**Do you have a desire to spend more time in thoughtful prayer and faith at home with your school-aged children?**

**Are you unsure as to quite how?  
Would you like guiding materials to help you?  
We have just what you are looking for!  
Contact the Church Office for more information**



## Praying With Our Parish

**Please pray for all our deceased parishioners.**

**Please pray for the healing of:**

Sarah Neve, The Family of Martin Kern, Elizabeth MacIntyre, The Family of Aileen Beirne, Eileen Swiech, Rita Scotti, Pat Leberman, Shannon Austin, Frank Coll, Barrie Gehrlein, Max Maertzig, Don Pell, Eli & Ella Vivian, Clara DaSilva, Helen Garcia, Eduardo Rojo, Michael Semach, Robert Whalon, Jean Brosso, Jeanette Collins, Tamara Proietto, Ron Roberts, John Bubser, Jack MacDonald, Marilyn Keis, Gloria DiSanto, Kaytie O'Hara, Jean Butera, Brooke Weidenfeld, Julie Noble, Lahra Birmingham, Ralph Pettine, Lauren Mendez, Anthony Jacquin Mendez, Mary Snyder, Barbara DeSantis, Diana Rava, Baby Alayna Lihn, Christine Tasker, Jonathan Auris, John Witlin, Baby Brock Immel, Barbara Tassoni, Melissa Williamson, Robert C. McBall, Sr., Donna Hicks, Kristine Schafer, Thomas Dietzler, Chip Capinski, Janice Gilpin, Kathy Hall, Catherine Fisher, Sr. Dorothy Sullivan, RSM, Domenic DiPaolo, Alyssa Lackner, Gilbert Martinelli, Gloria Keppta, Dottie Keim, Tina Moyer, Bob Wikel, Margaret Cesare, Lawrence Reynolds, Jim Uckele, Jennifer Owens, Jack Walsh, Peggy Walsh, Al & Dorothy Caza, Terry Strainick, Debbie Scott, Maureen Suter, Bill O'Neill, Butch Cunningham, Don Barbuto, Ryan Zoschg, Barbara Breitbarth, Steven Kehoe, Adele Semach, Rosemary Schlichtig, Diane Benton, John McPhelim, Tony Polvino, Mary DiCecco

**Please pray for all those who serve our country:**  
Vincent Bergandino, MGySgt Darin Chinavare; Cmdr. David L. Cute, Jr. USN; John Doran; Lance Hecker, Sp.Op; Cmdr. Matt Kosnar, LCPL Mikey Kirkpatrick; Capt. Thomas Larner; Captain Valerie Smith; Msgt. Timothy R. Whalon; 1st Lt. Jaysen Satterwhite, Sgt. Major John D. Greis.

**Please help us keep our Parish Prayer List current.  
Contact the Parish Office at 610-666-5820 or  
starectory@verizon.net to add or remove names  
from the list.**



**6/11/17 Sunday Offering \$9,811**

**Father's Day Offering \$563**

**Thank you for your faithful stewardship!**



**The Rose of Life this weekend is  
Donated by  
Lillian Gibat  
In Memory of  
John Gibat**

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## Mother Teresa Regional Catholic School

**Sharing Hands, Hearts and Minds  
Educating Students from Pre-School to 8th Grade**

**MTC is the regional school for St. Teresa of Avila**

We want to welcome STA families to MTC. All incoming first graders from STA will not only receive \$1000 Welcome Grant but an additional \$500 Grant for your first grade year!

Now is the time to come and learn more about Mother Teresa Regional Catholic School.

**Call today or visit our website at:**

**[www.mtcschool.org](http://www.mtcschool.org). There are many opportunities for grants and financial assistance.** If you would like to hear more about MTC, take a tour or receive an enrollment packet, please contact Patsy Swope, Director of Institutional Advancement: 610-265-2323 x225 or [patsy.swope@mtcschool.org](mailto:patsy.swope@mtcschool.org).

*We wish all of our students a very happy summer!  
Remember to do all of your summer reading.  
We will see you all very soon!*

**Congratulations to all of the MTC 8<sup>th</sup> grade students on their graduation. We are so proud of you and all you have accomplished. We wish you all the best in your future!**

**Turbo-charge your donations. Give the gift of access to a Catholic education.**

*You donate \$100, and it turns into \$1,000. You give \$500, and \*poof\*, now it's \$5,000. Yes, you read that correctly. YOU have the ability to make a donation of a nominal amount of money, which will immediately grow ten-fold on its way to supporting Catholic education.*

*Your PA State tax dollars can be easily redirected to families that struggle to afford Catholic education (or simply give up and never try) in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. You can even direct those tax dollars specifically to MTC, where 40% of our current families need the helping hand.*

*The process is extremely simple. You fill out a form. Then the Foundation for Catholic Education guides you through the rest. If you want to talk to someone "in the know" first, here are two folks that would be happy to chat with you. (Oh, and by the way, they are or will be doing this themselves!)*

- John Sion [jjision@gmail.com](mailto:jjision@gmail.com) or 610-420-0322

- Dan McCabe [danmccabe@gmail.com](mailto:danmccabe@gmail.com) or 617-314-1466

**The deadline to sign up for 2017 is June 15th, so please get in touch with any of the three people above or contact our representative from the Office of Catholic Education, Judy Neeld, directly at [610-793-8503](tel:610-793-8503).**



## STA Parish Religious Education Program (PREP)

**2017-18 PREP REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN**

**Registrations for the 2017-18 PREP session were due by May 31, 2017.** A \$25 late fee will be assessed on all registrations beginning June 1.

Registration packets are available for pickup in the Religious Education Office. Please contact Mrs. Erin Gauntner, CRE for information and forms: (610) 666-0167 or [staprep@verizon.net](mailto:staprep@verizon.net).

**St. Teresa of Avila  
VBS 2017  
Join us for  
Hero Central VBS  
July 10-14  
from 9:00-12:00 daily!**



Open to all children ages 4 to grade 4 (2017-18 school year) Registration fee: \$25 for the first child per family, \$15 each child thereafter. Adult and youth (grade 6+) volunteers needed in many areas.

Register online at <http://2017.cokesburyvbs.com/stteresaofavilaparish/> or by calling or emailing Erin Gauntner: (610) 666-0167 or [staprep@verizon.net](mailto:staprep@verizon.net).



In recognition of their service to St. Teresa of Avila Parish, Fr. Wild would like to treat all STA altar servers and youth ministry members to a **Reading Fightin Phils game on Sunday June 25th at 5:05PM. (Gates open at 4:00PM)**

**STA will cover the cost of your ticket and one guest.** Families are encouraged to attend; extra tickets are \$10 each. If you are able to carpool, we will leave from the STA parking lot at 3:30PM.

**Please register by Tue. June 20 using the email that you received from STA Parish or online here: [tinyurl.com/yb4c3ftl](http://tinyurl.com/yb4c3ftl)**

**June 25 is a Celebrate your Faith Night at the Fightin Phils.** Enjoy a post-game concert with **Christian rock band Boundaries** followed by a faith discussion with **Reading Fightin Phils players** during the post-game.

During the gathering, a faith discussion will take place in addition to a Q&A session that will last about 20 minutes.

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**Guidelines for Celebrating  
the Sacrament of  
Baptism at  
St. Teresa of Avila Parish**



St. Teresa of Avila Parish rejoices with all expectant parents and we look forward to assisting our parishioners who will be planning baptisms at our church. Our parish generally celebrates the Sacrament of Baptism on the first and third Sundays of the month.

Due to the serious responsibilities that infant baptism places on parents, those presenting their child for baptism at St. Teresa's Parish must attend our Pre-Jordan Class. Expectant parents are encouraged to attend this class prior to the birth of their child.

**Our next class will be held at 7:00PM on Wednesday, July 19, 2017, in the Good Shepherd Room in our Parish Center.**

**Quo Vadis Days 2017**

**June 26-29, 2017**

**Black Rock Retreat Center**

Retreat for young men  
graduating  
8<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade



**Cost to register is \$35 / person**

*Gather with the Philadelphia Seminarians and other high school men for 4 days of dynamic talks, small group discussions, meaningful prayer experiences, and a fun environment including a ropes course, swimming pool and a lake, basketball, soccer, ultimate Frisbee, and more. Programs also available for Junior High!*

**To register, or for more information,  
contact Sue or Dave Matour: (610) 666-1542**

Housekeeper/assistant needed for retired senior priest, partially handicapped male, local to Saint Teresa Church. Time needed is one day per week, to start. If interested, please call 610-513-2038 for more detail. Thank you!

**Eucharistic Adoration at St Teresa**

**All are invited to join us for  
Eucharistic Adoration  
in our Chapel any time from 7:30AM until  
8:00PM on Tuesdays.**



**Because of the  
Independence Day  
Holiday, there will be no  
Eucharistic Adoration  
on Tuesday, July 4th.**

**Around the Archdiocese & Local Area**

**Charismatic Retreat of Healing and Deliverance— at Malvern Retreat House** June 30th to July 2nd (Friday 5:00PM through Sun 12:30PM) with Fr. James Blount, S.O.L.T. of the Society of Our Lady of Trinity—Georgia Mission. A very gifted Spiritual Director and Confessor, Fr. Jim is a bold and charismatic preacher who speaks of living a life in relationship with each of the persons of the Holy Trinity: the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. For more information, call 610-644-0400.

**Charismatic Healing Mass at Saint Katharine of Siena—** 7:30-9:00PM, Living your faith passionately in 2017 can happen, by freeing ourselves from the distractions of the world and self while asking Jesus for His help. Join for an evening of live worship and praise music and prayer. For more information, call Paul at 610-687-8835.

**It's time for Camp Guadalupe!**

This year, **Living Bridges** will be having their 25th annual Camp Guadalupe at St. Francis of Assisi June 26-30th and also at Malvern Retreat House July 17-21st. The time for both sessions is 9:30AM to 2:15pm each day. All children ages 4-12 are invited to join this week-long celebration of Catholic Faith, art, music, and rich cultural traditions. Our theme for this year is **'Be The Light'**.

Contact **Living Bridges** at **610-525-4770** or email [staff@livingbridges.org](mailto:staff@livingbridges.org)

**Please plan to join us for our special  
Independence Day Mass,  
Tuesday July 4th at 8:00AM.**

**Come give thanks for and celebrate the freedoms  
and blessings that we have in our great country!**



**Gethsemani Ministry** at Saint Norbert

Parish in Paoli is based on an intent to reduce the stigma associated with addictions while raising awareness and providing a Catholic faith-based approach to recovery, healing and support to those in need. **Gethsemani Prayer Evenings for Addictions** are held on the 3rd Thursday of the month at 7 PM and are for all for communal prayer and to offer intentions for those struggling with addictions, loved ones supporting them and workers involved in recovery (e.g., counselors, rehab programs, and others). Adoration, Reconciliation and fellowship offered. Come to pray or just to talk. **12 Step Spirituality Faith Sharing Group** meets on the second Sunday of the month at 7:30 PM open to participants in all 12-step programs. All are welcome to share in this time of healing and support. **St. Norbert Parish, 50 Leopard Road, Paoli, PA 19301 610.644.1655**