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The Most Holy Trinity

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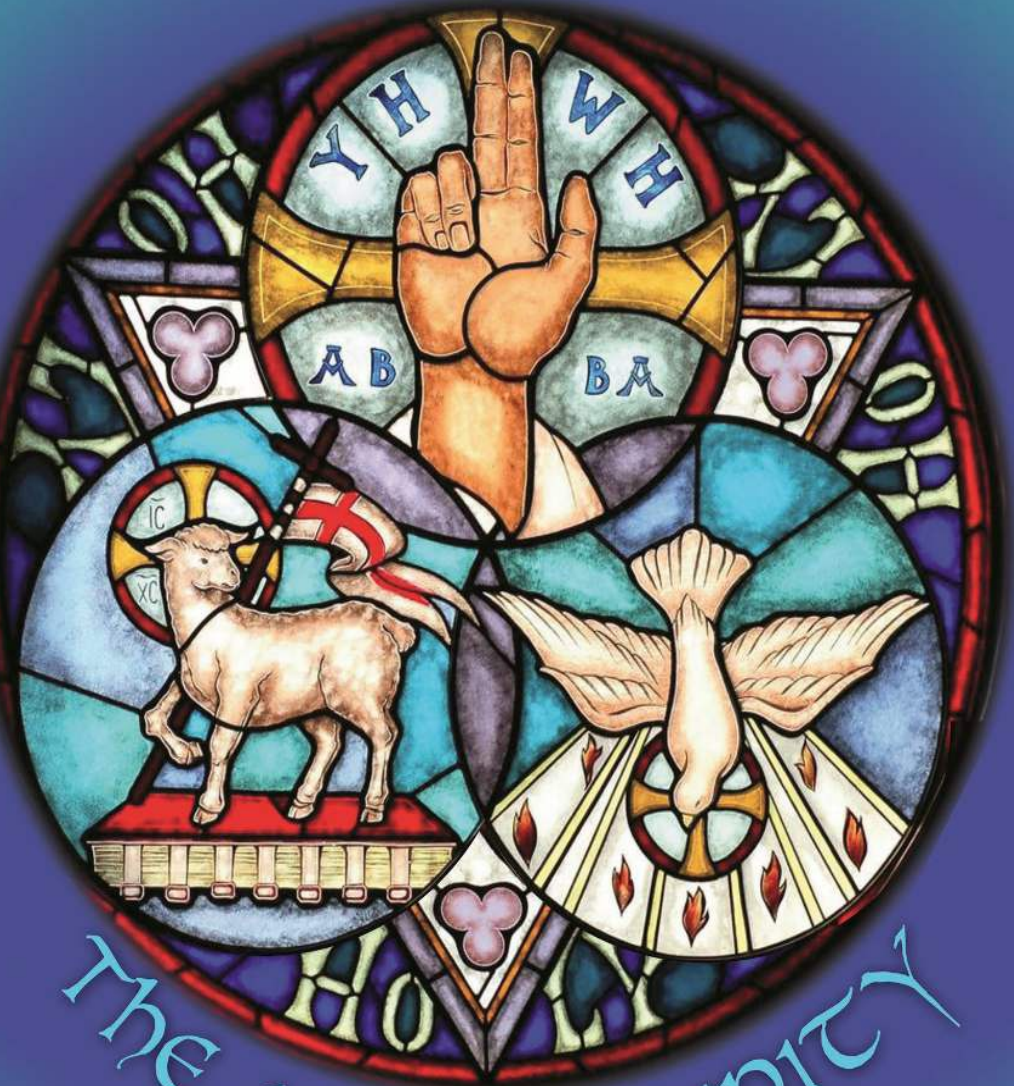
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May 31, 2026

Mass Intentions for the week of May 31st to June 6th

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
7:30 AM Elsa Bettencourt † by a Friend	7:00 AM Mary Lou Miller † by Jean Eriksen	7:00 AM Special Intentions for Brevard Cty. teachers & students	7:00 AM St Teresa EMHC Ministry
9:30 AM JoAnn Nuthall † by Thomas Nuthall	8:30 AM Deceased members of the Horner & Fissette families by the family	8:30 AM Special Intentions for the Gorrell family	8:30 AM Amelia Lewandowski † by the Lewandowski family
11:30 AM Bernardino & Juanita Nieva † by Curt & Rose	<i>God sent His only Son into the world to bring us life.</i>		

LITURGY OF THE WORD

**The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ
Thinking about the Readings**

1. When have I eaten a meal that was very nourishing? What made it nourishing?
2. What has nourished me along my spiritual journey? How does the word of God nourish me?
3. What role has the Eucharist played in sustaining my life?
4. What kind of nourishment come from Christ?

**Readings for The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ
June 7, 2026**

First Reading: Deuteronomy 8:2-3

We live on every word.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:16-17

The cup we bless and the bread we break are a participation in the body of Christ.

Gospel: John 6:51-58

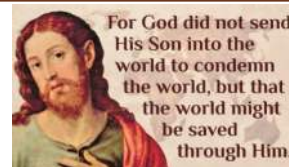
Jesus is the living bread come down from heaven

DEVOTIONS

Liturgy of the Hours (Morning Prayer) at 8:10am (before the 8:30 mass), Mon.-Thu. (unless no school on Fri.)
 Recitation of the Rosary: Mon. – Sat., 9am in the Chapel.
 Novena – Our Lady of Perpetual Help Tuesday, after the 8:30am Mass.
 Spanish Adoration & Prayer Group, Thursdays 6:00pm
 Holy Hour 9-10 – Thurs. (except holidays) after the 8:30 Mass, Divine Mercy, Rosary, Silent Prayer, Benediction.
 Holy Days – Same as Sundays (7:30am, 9:30am & 11:30am)
 Holy Day Vigil – 7:00pm
 Fatima Sundays—Every 3rd Sunday of the Month from May through October, 3-4:30pm.
 Litanies—After the 8:30am Mass

For Reflection:

The Father created and predestined us; on the first day of the week He began the work of creation. The Son redeemed us; Sunday is the "Day of the Lord," the day of His resurrection. The Holy Spirit sanctified us, made us His temple; on Sunday the Holy Spirit descended upon the infant Church. Sunday, therefore, is the day of the Most Holy Trinity.



Today's good news

The dogma of faith which forms the object of the feast is this: There is one God and in this one God there are three Divine Persons; the Father is God, the Son is God, the Holy Spirit is God. Yet there are not three Gods, but one, eternal, incomprehensible God! The Father is not more God than the Son, neither is the Son more God than the Holy Spirit. The Father is the first Divine Person; the Son is the second Divine Person, begotten from the nature of the Father from eternity; the Holy Spirit is the third Divine Person, proceeding from the Father and the Son. No mortal can fully fathom this sublime truth. But I submit humbly and say: *Lord, I believe, help my weak faith.*

Why is this feast celebrated at this particular time? It may be interpreted as a finale to all the preceding feasts. All three Persons contributed to and shared in the work of redemption. The Father sent His Son to earth, for "God so loved the world as to give His only-begotten Son." The Father called us to the faith. The Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, became man and died for us. He redeemed us and made us children of God. He ever remains the liturgist *par excellence* to whom we are united in all sacred functions. After Christ's ascension the Holy Spirit, however, became our Teacher, our Leader, our Guide, our Consoler.

The feast of the Most Holy Trinity may well be regarded as the Church's *Te Deum* of gratitude over all the blessings of the Christmas and Easter seasons; for this mystery is a synthesis of Christmas, Epiphany, Easter, Ascension and Pentecost. This feast, which falls on the first Sunday after Pentecost, should make us mindful that actually every Sunday is devoted to the honor of the Most Holy Trinity, that every Sunday is sanctified and consecrated to the triune God. Sunday after Sunday we should recall in a spirit of gratitude the gifts which the Blessed Trinity is bestowing upon us.

The Most Holy Trinity

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Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
7:00 AM Special Intentions of St Teresa Lector Ministry	7:00 AM Special intentions for St Teresa Choir	8:30 AM Special Intentions of the Knights of Columbus	7:30 AM Tinh-Pham (Teresa) † by the family
8:30 AM Russell Thomas † by the Lewandowski family	8:30 AM Fred & Frances Hatina † by their daughter-in-law Margaret	5:00 PM John E Hale † by the family	9:30 AM Irvin Ridolfo † (birthday in heaven) by Dandra
<i>The Sanctuary Lamp is lit this week in celebration of the Anniversary of Father Chris & Father Mark's Ordination into the Priesthood</i>			11:30 AM Ed, Marie & Barry Pickard † by Edwina Tutolo

STEWARDSHIP

Stewardship Thought: The Scriptures today remind us that “we, many though we are, are one body for we all partake of the one loaf.” How are we using our gifts of time and talent to build up the Body of Christ?

Parish Sacrificial Giving (Regular Sunday Offering) In gratitude for the gifts we have received from God, the parishioners and visitors gave (will be reported next week d/t the holiday) for the ministries of St. Teresa. Thank you for your continued support and generosity. God bless.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK?

Who may feel condemned by the church, their family, or society in general?
How will they hear the readings

Fatima Sunday **June 14th**

Please join us for **Fatima Sunday at 3PM** for singing, praying of the Divine Mercy Chaplet, anointing blessing by the Blessed Sacrament in the Monstrance and Marian prayers.

All are welcome.



Eucharistic Adoration

We will have an all day Eucharistic Adoration , **June 5th from 9am to 6:30pm** in the Chapel.

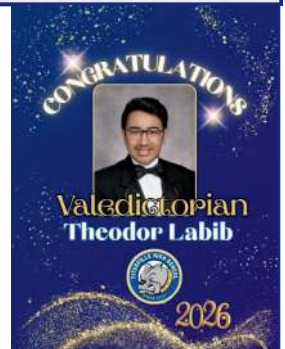
There will be the **Spanish Holy Hour and Exposition from 5:30-6:30pm.**

If anyone would like to sign up for an hour, please call Cheryl Kassack at: 321-383-1312 (H) 321-795-1456 (c)

SCHOOL NEWS



Congratulations to our alumni, **Theodor Labib**, on being named Valedictorian of the Class of 2026 at Titusville High School! Theo graduated from St. Teresa Catholic School in 2022, and we are incredibly proud to see all that he has accomplished. Your St. Teresa family celebrates this amazing achievement and wishes you continued success in all your future endeavors. Once a Knight, always a Knight!



Congratulations to the St. Teresa Catholic School Class of 2026! We are very proud of each and every one of you.



First Friday

The first Friday of the month will be this **Friday, June 5th** We will have exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Chapel all day. Please plan to spend some time in prayer with our Lord.

First Saturday

This Saturday is the first Saturday of the month, **June 6th**. Special prayers will be prayed after the 8:30 AM Mass. Please join us.



FAITH FORMATION

"O"ur Catholic Nugget

A Quote from Venerable Archbishop Fulton Sheen "It is part of the discipline of God to make His loved ones perfect through trial and suffering. Only by carrying the Cross can one reach the Resurrection."



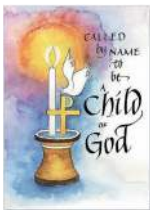
Adult Bible Study

Winter Bible study has completed. Watch the bulletin for our next classes.

If you have any questions contact the Faith Formation office at 321-349-5445 (voice or text) or by email at faithformation@stteresa-titusville.org.

Be a part of our Pilgrimage!

If you have a special intention that you would like to have our group include during our daily Masses in Italy please email the intention to the Faith Formation office. Please try and have the intention to us no later than May 31, 2026



Baptism

To schedule a Baptism or a Preparation Class contact the Faith Formation Office 321-349-5445 (voice or text) or by email at faithformation@stteresa-titusville.org. The Preparation class will be held on the date and time you schedule in the Faith Formation Room in Avila Hall.



VBS WISH LIST

Paper Plates (8.5 inch)	Clear Plastic 9 oz. Solo Cups (50 count)
Styrofoam Cups (8oz)	Napkins
Small Plates (dessert)	Fabric Markers
\$\$ Cash Donations for Misc. Supplies \$\$	Copy/Printer Paper (Letter, 8.5 x 11; Legal, 8.5 x 14; and Tabloid 11 x 17)
Graham Crackers	8 oz. Bottles of Water
Pre-Package Snacks (i.e. Pretzels, cookies, fruit snacks, granola bars)	Chocolate Chips (bags)
Snack size bags of Doritos or Fritos.	Orange /Apple / Grape Juices
Taco Seasoning	Mild Salsa
Chex Cereal	Bags of Popcorn (Plain)
Mini Pretzels	Plain M&Ms
Publix Bakery Angel Food Cakes	Sandwich Bags

Bereavement /Grief Support Group

A Grief, Prayer, Support Group has been organized for anyone that has lost a loved one or is interested in participating.

You do not need to be a member of the Parish to participate.

Meetings will be held on **Thursdays from 4:30-6:30PM.**

All are welcome. For additional information, please contact the Parish Office @321-268-3441



Blue Army Rosary

Blue Army Rosary and Chaplets

The St. Teresa Chapter of the Blue Army is hosting, in the Chapel, a **weekly:** Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy on **Monday** nights at **6pm**



Choir Rehearsal

Contemporary choir rehearses every **Tuesday at 7pm** in the church.

Traditional choir rehearses every **Wednesday at 7pm** in the church



Food Pantry Cor Jesu

The Food Pantry is in need of crackers, juice and tuna helper.



If you chose to send a check please make out to Cor Jesu. Grocery store gift cards are always welcome for perishables. They can be placed in the box outside the gift shop.

Thank you for your weekly generosity.

****School is out for the summer.** Many children receive free or reduced meals at school. Think about items that may assist hungry kids with breakfast or lunch items. Children should not have to go hungry. Your kindness is appreciated.



Moms of Tiny Saints

A Catholic ministry where moms can find community in the messiness and joy of raising tiny saints. Join us at one of our upcoming events.



Contact Kasey at (321) 289-6399 for any questions.

June 10	10AM	St. Teresa's School Gym	Gym Play-date
June 17	7PM	Text Kasey for address	Mom's Night
July 15	10AM	St. Teresa's School Gym	Gym Play-date

The Most Holy Trinity

The Apparitions of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Mexico

Mary appeared four times to Juan Diego in 1531 at Tepeyac hill near Mexico City. She proclaimed herself the spiritual mother of all mankind and left her miraculous image on Juan Diego's outer garment, his tilma. To this day Mexicans have a great devotion to Our Lady of Guadalupe.

The Apparitions at Rue du Bac, Paris, France

Mary appeared to Catherine Labouré, in the chapel of the Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul, at Rue du Bac in Paris, three times in 1830. She showed her the design of the medal of the Immaculate Conception, the "Miraculous Medal."

The Apparition at La Salette, France

Mary appeared to two children, Maximin Giraud, aged 11, and Mélanie Calvat, aged 14, in 1846, one afternoon while they were looking after the animals high up on the mountain. She appealed for penance and an end to Sabbath breaking and blasphemy in the region. This apparition is credited with a major revival of Catholicism in the area.

The Apparitions at Lourdes, France

Mary appeared to Bernadette Soubirous, aged 14, a total of eighteen times at Lourdes in southern France, at the Grotto of Massabielle. She asked for penance and prayer for the conversion of sinners, and described herself as the "the Immaculate Conception." Lourdes is most famous for the miraculous spring which has been responsible for many cures accepted by the Church.

The Apparition at Knock, Ireland

Mary appeared at Knock, a small village in County Mayo, Ireland in August 1879. A number of villagers of diverse ages saw a silent apparition, which lasted about three hours, outside the gable end of the local church. They saw three figures, Mary, Joseph, and St John the Apostle, as well as a lamb on an altar and angels.

The Nine Approved Apparitions of Mary

This year is the 100th Anniversary of Fatima. There are the nine major approved Marian apparitions of modern times, based on their acceptance by the Church and the importance they have assumed over time. The process is lengthy and must have valid documentation to make it through the process.



The Apparition at Pontmain, France

Mary appeared in the sky over the small town of Pontmain in north-western France to a group of young children for about three hours in January 1871, as the Franco-Prussian war was threatening the area. Her message appeared on a banner under her feet, and encouraged prayer while emphasizing Jesus' love and concern. The village was spared invasion.

The Apparitions at Fatima, Portugal

Three children, Lucia de Santos, aged 10, and her two cousins, Francisco Marto, aged 9, and Jacinta Marto, aged 7, saw Mary six times between May and October 1917. She described herself as "Our Lady of the Rosary," while urging prayer, and particularly the rosary, as well as penance for the conversion of sinners, and the consecration of Russia to her Immaculate Heart.

The Apparitions at Beauraing, Belgium

Mary appeared thirty-three times to a group of children in the winter of 1932-33 at Beauraing in Belgium, in a convent garden near a hawthorn tree. She described herself as "the Immaculate Virgin" and "Mother of God, Queen of Heaven," while calling for prayer for the conversion of sinners.

The Apparitions at Banneux, Belgium

Mary appeared eight times to Mariette Beco, aged 11, outside the family home at Banneux, a small village, in Belgium. She described herself as the "Virgin of the Poor," and promised to intercede for the poor, the sick and the suffering.



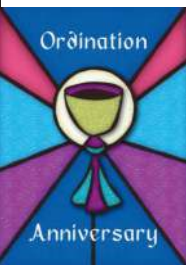
June the Month of Sacred Heart of Jesus

The month of June is dedicated to **The Sacred Heart of Jesus**. This month falls within the liturgical season of **Ordinary Time**, which is represented by the liturgical color green.

This symbol of hope is the color of the sprouting seed and arouses in the faithful the hope of reaping the eternal harvest of heaven, especially the hope of a glorious resurrection.

Father Mark's 31st Anniversary of his Ordination

Fr. Mark is celebrating his **31st** anniversary of Priesthood.



Pictures show Father Mark after his Ordination



Hurricane Season 2026

The season will officially begin on **June 1, 2026**, and end on **November 30, 2026**



God, our Father, Eternal and Omnipotent, Creator and Lord of the Universe, you have set the earth on its foundation and all elements of nature obey your command. You give food to all flesh, cover the heavens with clouds, and provide rain to the earth –

We humbly beseech you Lord, Most High, to keep us safe from all dangers and to calm all the storms of life that threaten us: especially the attack of whirlwinds and tornadoes, the calamity and destruction of hurricanes, the din and damage of hail storms, the striking of thunderbolts and lightning, and the devastation of floods and tidal waves.

May we be secure in your loving protection, seek your Will in all our experiences, and serve you always with grateful hearts. We ask this through our Lord, Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Thanks to Peggy Hannon for this special prayer

THE HOLY TRINITY



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Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9

The Image of God

Your image of God may change throughout your life. You may for a time think of God as an authority figure to be feared, as gentle Jesus loving you, as an infant who bestows blessing, or as a mother who gathers her children to herself.

God is mysterious. God is all these images and yet unable to be completely imagined or named.

Some people become angry with God when tragedy strikes their lives. They cannot reconcile their image of God with the reality of the world around them. For some it is easier to become angry than to enter the mystery of salvation more deeply.

The friendship between God and Moses is legendary. When Moses asked for the divine name, God obliged. That name is so sacred, that we usually say “the Lord” instead of God’s own name.

God’s self-description, given to Moses, includes phrases like merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and rich in kindness and fidelity.

The full revelation of God came through the sending of the Son and the Spirit. Together these three persons unite for creation, redemption, and sanctification. As a holy trinity, God’s image is made known.

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The Feast of the Holy Trinity

In the Catholic Church it is officially known as the *Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity*. Prior to the reforms of the Second Vatican Council, it marked the end of a three-week period when church weddings were forbidden. The period began on Rogation Sunday, the fifth Sunday after Easter. Trinity Sunday was established as a Double of the Second Class by Pope John XXII to celebrate the Trinity. It was raised to the dignity of a Double of the First Class by Pope Pius X on 24 July 1911. During the Middle Ages, especially during the Carolingian period, devotion to the Blessed Trinity was a highly important feature of private devotion and inspired several liturgical expressions. The currently prescribed liturgical color is white.

The greatest dogma of the Christian faith is the mystery of the Holy Trinity. (Mystery, in this connection, means a supernatural fact revealed by God which in itself transcends the natural power of human reasoning.) During the first thousand years of Christianity there was no special feast celebrated in honor of this mystery, but, as Pope Alexander II (1073) declared, every day of the liturgical year was devoted to the honor and adoration of the Sacred Trinity.

However, to counteract the Arian heresy, which denied the fullness of divinity to the Son, a special Mass text in honor of the Holy Trinity was introduced and incorporated in the Roman liturgical books.² This Mass was not assigned for a definite day but could be used on certain Sundays according to the private devotion of each priest.

The custom of observing a special feast in honor of the Trinity became increasingly popular in the northern countries of Europe. Several synods prescribed it for their respective territories in France, Germany, England, and The Netherlands. In the thirteenth century the orders of the Benedictines and Cistercians adopted the annual celebration of the feast. It was kept on different Sundays in different places, until in 1334 Pope John XXII accepted the festival into the official calendar of the Western Church and ordered that henceforth it should be held everywhere on the Sunday after Pentecost.

SIGN OF THE CROSS

The making of the sign of the cross, which professes faith both in the redemption of Christ and in the Trinity, was practiced from the earliest centuries. Saint Augustine (431) mentioned and described it many times in his sermons and letters.⁶ In those days Christians made the sign of the cross (Redemption) with three fingers (Trinity) on their foreheads. The words ("In the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Ghost") were added later. Almost two hundred years before Augustine, in the third century, Tertullian had already reported this touching and beautiful early Christian practice.



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