

Saturday/Sabado – February 27 / 27 de Febrero

Saint Teresa

5:00 PM John & Sophie Quinn (dec)
by Tessie & Barbara De Rosa

Sunday/Domingo – February 28 / 28 de Febrero

Saint Teresa

8:00 AM Special Intentions – Saint Jude
9:00 AM Mui Yuk Cheung (dec) by Winnie & Andy Moy
10:15 AM Alfred Benecke (dec) by Family
11:30 AM Carmen Cruz Sanjurjo (dif) por Jenny Mendoza

Nativity

10:15 AM Ramon Danilo y Ana Madera
12:00 PM Carmen M. Pagan
7:30 PM People of Nativity

Monday/Lunes – March 1 / 1 de Marzo

Saint Teresa

8:30 AM Luis Antomarchi (dif) por Carmen Martinez

Nativity

5:30 PM Jose y Maria Crespo

Tuesday / Martes – March 2 / 2 de Marzo

Saint Teresa

8:30 AM Gil Rodriguez (dif) por Carmen Martinez

Nativity

5:30 PM

Wednesday/Miercoles – March 3 / 3 de Marzo

Saint Teresa /

8:30 AM Accion de Gracias – cumpleaños
Melinda Jones
por La Familia

Nativity

5:30 PM Rita Perez

Thursday / Jueves – March 4 / 4 de Marzo

Saint Teresa

8:30 AM Special Intentions

Nativity

5:30 PM

Friday / Viernes – March 5 / 5 de Marzo

Saint Teresa

7:30 PM Accion de Gracias por La Familia Arias

Nativity

5:30 PM Sacred Heart

Saturday/Sabado – March 6 / 6 de Marzo

Saint Teresa

12:00 PM Ana Victoria Castillo (dif) por Gertrudis Taveras
5:00 PM Purgatorial Society



Get Well Soon!

Sick List for Saint Teresa Church

Home: Fernando Vega, Ramona Tirado, Carmen Diaz, Angelina Burgos, Felita Cabrera, Luz Camacho, Maria Liranzo, Gladys Rivera, Amelio Estevez, Rafael Toledo, Teresa Rodriguez, Ramonita Saez, Clara Howard, Gregoria Muñoz, Henry Diaz, Harry Gonzalez, Maria Guzman, Domitilia Soltren, Patrick Scott, Isis Nicole Brown, Alma Varner, Quisqueya Torres, Ralph Carrero, Anibal Rosa, Carlos Alvarado, Ana Melendez, Antonia Torres, Inocencia Diaz, Maria Acosta, Josefina Irizarry, Elba Arocho, Carlos Torres, Ana Josefa Cerda, Gloria Tirado, Nellie Escobar, Jalissa Peralta, Pedro Fontantez, David Clark, Melania Montero, Ana Acosta, Miriam Rivera, Adalberto Soto, Chris Dowd, Gregory Travis, Auria Cruz, Yolanda Larraz Lydia Lopez, Porfiria Rivera, Tessie De Rosa, Santo Cuccia, Monserrate Rodriguez, Claudio Rodriguez, Maria Marine, Luis Nazario, Rito Lopez, Edwin Camacho, Luis Macario, Mary Barone

Communion will be brought to the sick of Nativity / Llevarán comunión a los enfermos de Nativity

Justina Cintron, Dominga Sanchez, Sara Olivar, Geroge Morales, Miguelina Acevedo.



This week the Sanctuary Lamp burns at Saint Teresa for/ Esta semana La Lampara Santuario será encendida en Santa Teresa por.....

Amanda Sanchez Peña



This week the Bread & Wine at Saint Teresa are offered for

Las ofrendas de Pan y Vino en Santa Teresa fueron donadas por

Thanksgiving – Birthday – Joel Rebollo

Coffee Hour at **Nativity:** We thank “The Altagracia Society.” for serving coffee this Sunday. Next Sunday’s coffee will be served by “The Marian Group”

Café los Domingos en **Nativity:** Les damos las gracias a “La Sociedad Altagraciana” por servir el café hoy. El proximo Domingo les toca a “El Grupo Mariano”

First Friday at Nativity: This Friday, March 5th is the First Friday of the month, there will be “Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament” from 4th30 pm – 5:30 pm.

Primer Viernes en Nativity: Este Viernes, 5 de Marzo, es el Primer Viernes del mes, tendremos la “Exposicion del Santisimo” de 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm.

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

Meeting for **English Eucharistic Ministers** will be on Wednesday March 3, 2010 at 7:30 PM in the Parish Hall of Saint Teresa.

Stations of the Cross: at Nativity on Fridays, we will have the 5:30 p.m. Mass in the Church, followed by the Stations of the Cross.

Via Crucis: en Nativity - Tendremos el "Via Crucis" todos los Viernes de Cuaresma a las 7:00 p.m. en la Iglesia.

We Are A Tithing Parish

Saint Teresa Church

February 22, 2009

\$2,244.00

February 21, 2010

\$2,815.00

Ash Wednesday

\$712.00

Nativity Church

February 22, 2009

\$964.00

February 21, 2010

\$891.00

Ash Wednesday

\$269.00

CLASSES TODAY AT SAINT TERESA

February 28, 2010

GRADES K,1,2,3,4,5,6,RCIC –

AFTER THE 10:15 AM MASS

WEDNESDAY

GRADES 7 & 8 - 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM

CLASES HOY EN SANTA TERESA

el 28 de Febrero

Grados K,1,2,3,4,5,6,RCIC

despues de la Misa 10:15 AM

MIERCOLES

GRADOS 7 & 8 – 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM

Alcoholics Anonymous

Meetings are held on Tuesday at 7:00 PM

In the rectory of Saint Teresa

141 Henry Street

All are welcomed.

Lenten Regulations 2010

Good Friday is a day of fast and abstinence.

Fridays in Lent are days of abstinence.

Lenten Fast and Abstinence – During the Season of Lent, the Church urges all the faithful to reflect a spirit in penance in their day life through performing acts of fast and abstinence.

"Fasting" requires that only one full meal be taken per day. Two other smaller meals may be taken during the day to maintain physical strength, but these two meals together should not equal a full meal in quantity. Fasting obliges all those who have reached the age of 18 and continues to oblige until age 59. Those not specifically obliged to fast are encouraged to join in the discipline of fasting to the extent that they are able.

"Abstinence" prohibits individuals from eating, meat on a particular day. Abstinence obliges all those who have reached the age of 14 and continues to oblige throughout their entire life. Those not specifically obliged to abstain from eating meat are encouraged to join in this discipline to the extent that they are able.

Viernes Santo esto es un día de ayuno y abstinencia de carne para todos del edad 18 – 59 años.

Días de Abstinencia – Todos los Viernes durante la Cuaresma son días de abstinencia de Carne. **Hay una obligación seria de observar estas practicas penitenciales de una forma substancial.** La Abstinencia oblige desde los 14 años en adelante. El ayuno es obligatorio desde los 18 años hasta 59 años de edad. El ayuno pide que solamente se tenga una comida completa durante el día. Se podrán tener dos comidas ligeras para mantener la fuerza, pero tomadas juntas no deberán igualar a otra comida completa. La conciencia individual deberá decidir si alguna causa para ser excusado es apropiada

Exposition of the Eucharist at St. Teresa this Friday will be from 12:00 Noon until 7:30 PM. We need people to be in the Church during this time. Can you please sign up in the back of the Church to offer some time in prayer

Exposicion de La Eucaristía en Santa Teresa cada Viernes de mediodía hasta 7:30 PM. Nosotros necesitamos personas que se pueden estar en La Iglesia durante este tiempo. Por favor firma para quedarse una hora

**You are always welcomed at
Saint Teresa and Nativity**

**Estas siempre bienvenidos a
Las Iglesias Santa Teresa y Nativity.**

SOMOS CIUDADANOS DEL CIELO

Escuchamos en la 2da lectura de hoy que, *“somos ciudadanos del cielo, de donde esperamos que venga nuestro salvador, Jesucristo.”* (Fil 3, 17-4,1) Nuestro verdadero hogar es el Cielo. En el día de nuestro Bautismo, Sus puertas se nos abrieron, mientras nuestro Padre Celestial nos adoptó como hijos Suyos. Por el momento, vivimos en la tierra con el llamado de glorificar a Dios y hacer Su Santa Voluntad. Sin embargo, hay veces en que este mundo puede presentarnos con tantos desafíos y tantas dificultades que, debido a nuestra debilidad humana, fácilmente podemos olvidarnos o dudar que el Creador nos hizo para conocerle, amarle, servirle, y seguirle. Tenemos el llamado de hacer esto con tanta fuerza, que cuando partimos de este mundo temporario, podamos estar felizmente con Él por toda la eternidad. Durante la cuaresma recordamos los sufrimientos de Cristo y, a través de ello, los nuestros. Pero, así como los sufrimientos de Cristo lo llevó a Su gloria eterna, de la misma manera sucederá con nosotros, si sufrimos con Él. *“Él transformará nuestro cuerpo miserable en un cuerpo glorioso, semejante al suyo, en virtud del poder que tiene para someter a su dominio todas las cosas...Manténganse fieles al Señor.”* (2da lectura) Esta esperanza de San Pablo y de todos los seguidores de Cristo es inspirada por la Transfiguración del Señor (Evangelio: Lc 9, 28-36) Seis días antes de ocurrir esto, Jesús anuncio que sería matado pero resucitará de entre los muertos al tercer día. (Mt 16:21) La gloria que esperamos es mayor que nuestros sufrimientos temporarios.

OUR CITIZENSHIP IS IN HEAVEN

We hear in today's 2nd reading that, *“our citizenship is in Heaven, and from it we also await a savior, the Lord Jesus Christ.”* (Phil 3:17-4:1) Heaven is our true home. On the day of our Baptism, its doors were opened to us, as our Heavenly Father adopted us as His children. For the moment, we live here on earth called to glorify God and do His Holy Will. However, this world can sometimes present us with so many challenges and difficulties that, due to our human weakness, we can easily forget or doubt that the Creator made us to know Him, love Him, serve Him, and follow Him. We are called to do this with so much strength that when we depart from this temporary world, we can joyfully be with Him for all eternity. During Lent we recall Christ's suffering, and through them we recall our own. But, just as Christ's suffering led to His eternal glory, so too, ours, if we suffer with Him. *“He will change our lowly body to conform with His glorified body by the power that enables Him also to bring all things into subjection to Himself. Therefore...stand firm in the Lord.”* (2nd reading) This hope of St. Paul and of all followers of Christ is inspired by the Transfiguration of our Lord (Gospel: Lk 9: 28b-36) Six days before this occurrence, Jesus had announced that He will be killed but will rise from the dead on the third day. (Mt. 16:21) The glory that awaits those who live in Christ is greater than our temporary sufferings.
- Alvin N. Peña (reply.apena@lanuevaalianza.org)



Then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my chosen Son; listen to him." After the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. They fell silent and did not at that time tell anyone what they had seen. - Lk 9:35-36

De la nube salió una voz que decía: Este es mi Hijo, me escogido; escúchenlo". Cuando cesó la voz, se quedó Jesús solo. Los discípulos guardaron silencio y por entonces no dijeron a nadie nada de lo que habían visto. - Lc 9, 35-36

Readings for the Week of February 28, 2010

Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/
Phil 3:17---4:1 or 3:20---4:1/Lk 9:28b-36
Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20/Mt 23:1-12
Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Mt 20:17-28
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Lk 16:19-31
Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/
Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
Next Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/
Lk 13:1-9

Lecturas para la semana del 28 de febrero de 2010

Domingo: Gn 15, 5-12. 17-18/
Flp 3, 17---4, 1 o 3, 20---4, 1/Lc 9, 28-36
Lunes: Dn 9, 4-10/Lc 6, 36-38
Martes: Is 1, 10. 16-20/Mt 23, 1-12
Miércoles: Jr 18, 18-20/Mt 20, 17-28
Jueves: Jr 17, 5-10/Lc 16, 19-31
Viernes: Gn 37, 3-4. 12-13. 17-28/
Mt 21, 33-43. 45-46
Sábado: Miq 7, 14-15. 18-20/Lc 15, 1-3. 11-32
Domingo siguiente: Ex 3, 1-8. 13-15/1
Cor 10, 1-6. 10-12/Lc 13, 1-9