Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time November 19, 2017

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Mass Schedule 彌撒時間

English Mass 英語彌撒

Daily Mass 平日弥撒:

Monday - Saturday at 8:00am 每 日 上午八時

Sunday Mass 主日弥撒:

Saturday: 5:00pm 星期六 下午五時正 Sunday: 8:00am & 10:30am (Except 1st Sunday of the Month) 主日上午8:00 & 10:30 (首主日除外)

Cantonese 粵 語:

1st Sunday of each month at 10:30am 每月第一主日 上午十時三十分

Indonesian 印尼 語:

2nd Sunday of each month at 12:00 noon 每月第二主日 中午十二時

Mandarin 國語:

4th Sunday of each month at 12:00noon 每月第四 主日 中午十二時

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Sacraments

Baptisms: Parents and Godparents must attend a baptismal preparation session before a baptism will be scheduled.

Weddings: Church arrangements must be made at least six months in advance, before booking a reception hall.

Confessions: Saturdays, 4:30-5:00 pm or by appointment.

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick and Communion Calls are available to those who are homebound or hospitalized.

Please contact the church office for additional information.

Mass Intentions

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November 19,	2017 Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 A.M. + + + 10:30 A.M +	Mary Ann Roti, Birthday Remembrance by Marion Peter Pivac by Theresa, Jane & Jack Deceased Members of the Pacelli & Conte Families by Joe Conte Alice Moy by Darlene Chan-Lowe Special Intention for Michele Young by Michele
12:00 P.M.	St. Rocco Memorial Mass
MON. Nov. 20th	Weekday
8:00 A.M. + +	Anthony Barbara by Family Victor Lee by Rose Lee & Family
TUE. Nov. 21st 8:00 A.M.	The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
WED. Nov. 22nd	Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr
	Fred Barbara III by Family Deceased Family Members of Dominic Barbaro
THU. Nov. 23rd	Saint Clement, Pope and Martyr; Saint Columban, Abbot, Saint Agustin Pro, Priest and Martyr
8:00 A.M. + + + +	All Deceased Family Members of Marion Roti David Jarzyna by wife Cookie Deceased Friends & Relatives of Dominic Barbaro by Dominic Vito & Rose Parrilli (96th Anniversary) & Families by Family
10:00 A.M. + + + + + + + + + +	Barry Yong by Mom June Moy Michael Albanese by daughter Dorothy Jenping J. Chan & Diane Marie Chan by Family Bruno Andriacchi by Nick & Ellen Andriacchi Louis Sonny Spalla by Nick & Ellen Andriacchi Michael Ng by June Moy Young D. Chin by June Moy
FRI. Nov. 24th	Saint Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest, Companion, Martyrs
8:00 A.M. +	Barry Chiu by Linda & Michele
SAT. Nov. 25th	Saint Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr
8:00 A.M. + + + 5:00 P.M. + + + +	Forgotten and Unknown Souls in Purgatory by Dominic Barbaro Deceased Friends & Relatives of Dominic Barbaro Boon Man Lee by Rose Lee & Family Jimmy Annoreno by Family Howie Thome by Joe & Rena Zito Barry Yong by Linda & Michele Johnny Bowers by Karen Zewe



From the Desk of Fr. Francis

Greetings of Christ's Peace and Joy! Hope you all had a blessed week.

Thanks and Congratulations

Thanks to all teens who participated in their last month's activity, and to **Ellen and Nick Andriacchi** and other adults who led and accompanied them. Their next gathering is on Saturday Dec. 2nd beginning with the 5pm Mass and followed by sharing and activities in the Community Room.

Thanks to **Sheila Lin and members of the Garden Club** for taking care of the garden for the winter. They cleaned the leaves, loosed the soil and prepared the garden for next Spring.

Thanks to **Joe Delfin** for spending hours to replace and fix our ambo microphone.

Thanks to **Elizabeth Mansancay** and her husband **Delfin** for decorating the Altar of the Dead this year and for donating some flowers.

Thanks to all who participated in Catholicism 101 on Liturgy last Sunday and to all liturgical ministers for staying for their annual gathering. Thanks to **Chris Lowe** and **Jing Zhang** for taking care of the luncheon. Please pray for our lay ministers so that they can become the leaders that God calls them to be and their ministries can continue to be life-giving at St. Therese.

Congratulations to **Tom Howard**, who was officially commissioned as the Director of the Religious Education by Bishop Francis Kane on Sunday Nov. 5th. Tom passed the certification process of the Archdiocese. He is on fire to share the Good News and to witness Christ here at St. Therese & beyond.







Thanksgiving

As we get ready to celebrate Thanksgiving, we have another wonderful opportunity to reflect and re-examine our lives to see to whom and for what and why we are grateful. We live in a world that is troubled by violence, secularism, and relativism. The recent shootings in Las Vegas and Texas, and the robberies in Chinatown and the surrounding neighborhood remind us the vulnerability of life and the constant fears that people live with. We also live in a world of abundance. Our material wealth can be a great blessing for us and for others or a stumbling block for our relationships and well-being.

This is a time for people to be grateful for what they have, and it can also be a time for people to be troubled for what they don't have. If they spend too much time thinking on what they don't have, then they will surely be troubled. Oprah Winfrey once wisely said, "Be thankful for what you have; you'll end up having more. If you concentrate on what you don't have, you will never, ever have enough."

So what are you thankful for on this Thanksgiving season?

Peace ~ Fr. Francis

St. Therese Chinese Catholic Church and Sr. Caritas Present

Sunday School for Preschoolers Ages 4 and 5 Yrs



Classes will be held from 9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

in the St. Lucy Room on the following dates:

November 19, 2017

December 3 and 17

January 21 and 28

February 18 and 25

March 18 and 25

April 15 and 29

May 20, 2018

Cost is free! Registration forms are located at the entrance of the church.

For more information, contact the rectory.

Hospitality Schedule for November 26, 2017:

GREETERS: Kim Casey, Agnes Lee, Florence Yu

RECEPTION: Eva, Jean Ng

<u>Today's Liturgy – November 19, 2017</u> Family Mass

Readings: GATHER 1188–33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time/Year A

Gather Hymnal

PROCESSIONAL: #606 – Glory and Praise to Our God

OFFERTORY: #784 – We Have Been Told COMMUNION: #945– I Am the Bread of

COMMUNION: #945— I Am the Bread of Life *Meditation Song:* (STS students) – Give Thanks

RECESSIONAL: #835 – They'll Know We Are Christians

Second Collection TODAY- Catholic Campaign for Human Development



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Together, we can make a difference in families and communities across the United States. Please donate prayerfully and generously. Thank you and God bless!

PANCAKE BREAKFAST TODAY, after the 10:30am Mass to bene-

fit the ongoing efforts to complete the re-building of Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception Church in China. This wonderful *Mission* effort is hosted by Girl Scouts GCNWI Troops 25527 and

25656.

As Catholics committed to building a better world for all God's people, *please support* their efforts and join us in the community room for a delicious breakfast!

*** If you would like to make a donation to help support our *Mission efforts*, please contact the church office at 312-842-6777.

Please pray for the following Mercy Hospital patients:

Benito, Tiffany, Vernicia, Gloria, Salvador, Jerome, Deloris, Champ, Bernard, Silvia, Julia, Pearline, Bena-

be, Linda, Debra, Linda, Denise, Thurmond, Doris, Wilbert, Waltermae, Benito

SAVE THE DATE: SATURDAY, DEC. 3, 2017

PARISH ADVENT RETREAT, from 10am-3pm Please mark your calendars. All are welcome

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS celebrated on Thursday, Nov. 23rd, at 8am and 10am.

FIRST FRIDAY HOLY HOUR

Our monthly First Friday devotion will take place on **December 1st at 7pm** in Church. All are welcome!

PRAYER INTENTION

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Anthony 'Skippy' Parrilli, who was buried through St. Therese on Nov. 14th. May he rest in peace.

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St. Therese Church is partnering with the

Franciscan Outreach Association for the month of
November for a clothing and toiletries drive, hosted
by the Young Adult Ministry. Franciscan Outreach
reaches out to people in poverty, offering
hospitality and services at their homeless shelter.
They provide meals, shelter, shower facilities and
laundry services to hundreds of men, women and
children in the model of respect and dignity of

St. Francis of Assisi. In addition to providing
emergency assistance, they also have professional
case managers who help their guests with long-term
services such as housing and job opportunities.

Collection boxes will be at the church entrance until **Monday, November 27, 2017**. Please drop off all gift cards and CTA cards in the Parish office for safekeeping. See Naomi Lowe or Jen Sin if you have any questions.



CLOTHING & TOILETRIES DRIVE

PLEASE HELP BY DONATING THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

- 1. Gift cards (\$5-\$10 increments for places like Dunkin Donuts, Jewel, & McDonalds)
- 2. CTA cards (single ride or multiple rides)
- 3. Winter clothing for adults (gloves, hats, scarves, jackets, thermals, boots)
- 4. Socks and underwear (new only)
- 5. Blankets
- 6. Bath Towels
- 7. Toiletries (toothbrushes; combs; deodorant; razors; and travel size items like toothpaste, shampoo, body wash/bar soap, and lotion)



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YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

This Year's Catholic Campaign on Human Development at St. Therese will benefit the JASC

Jane Addams Senior Caucus (JASC) is Illinois' oldest community action organization led by seniors, representing over 680 senior members across Metropolitan Chicago. Throughout JASC's 41-year history, JASC members have worked on dozens of local, state and national issue campaigns. From holding affordable housing owners accountable, to organizing to raise the minimum wage, to standing up for nursing home resident's rights, JASC members have joined neighbors and families to work for the kind of world in which we want to live.

Jane Addams Senior Caucus is committed to developing a retirement and long term care system that allows seniors to age at home with dignity and independence and that fairly compensates the work done by home care workers. This year, Jane Addams Senior Caucus and our allies at Fair Economy Illinois organized a 15 day 200 mile March to Springfield for a budget that put the people of Illinois first. Hundreds of JASC members launched the march in Chicago, dozens of seniors attended the "listening sessions" lead in communities along the march route and over a hundred of JASC members traveled by bus to Springfield to welcome marchers. JASC members also joined with others to protect the Community Care Program. Seniors in Illinois deserve a retirement and long term care system that gives seniors the option to be able to age with dignity, with their loved ones and in their homes, JASC will continue to fight to make sure that this issue receives the attention it deserves.

The current administration is planning massive cuts in federal housing programs. This creates a potential crisis but also presents an opportunity to organize and win a new era of federal support for low-income housing consumers. Illinois could lose \$400 million for affordable housing if these cuts are enacted. This would be devastating for seniors and for the communities that benefit from their stabilizing influence. JASC believes that the seniors affected by these deep budget cuts are best equipped to come together to resist these cuts while putting forward a proactive agenda to end housing inequality. JASC will continue to recruit, educate and organize seniors to develop and implement strategies to preserve and increase affordable housing. JASC housing justice platform links local and national housing policy reforms and provides our members with opportunities to take action together and with others impacted by this issue from Chicago, other cities and states.

Recently, our country witnessed events fueled by racism, hatred and bigotry in the streets of Charlottesville, Virginia. White Supremacists and Neo-Nazis, waving flags and torches, marched through the streets chanting racist and anti-Semitic slogans. Now more than ever, we must confront the effects of voter suppression and systemic racism on Illinois' communities of color and our nation as a whole. Jane Addams Senior Caucus Racial Justice Leadership Team is examining the way race intersects with our campaigns to produce deep structural and systemic barriers to the safety, health, and economic security of seniors of color in Illinois and across our country. JASC members will continue to fight and resist racism in all its forms, including our own complicity in it. JASC is in solidarity with all seniors and their families and our aim to end white supremacy in the struggle for Black and Brown liberation.

Weekly Offering: Collection for November 12, 2017					
Sunday Envelopes GiveCentral Sunday Loose	\$1,349 175 348	July 1-To-Present (Actual): \$40,319 July 1-To -Present (Budget): \$44,000			
Total Collection Weekly Budget:	\$1,872 \$2,200	% of Budget Attained: 91%			

Please consider giving one hour of your weekly salary as your contribution.

May God bless your generosity! Thank YOU!

Collection at Indonesian Mass on 11/12/2017: \$75 Thank YOU!

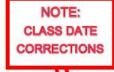
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Both Classes are in the STCCS Basement 5:45 pm-7:00 pm

Cost: \$20 per participant

Make payment payable to: St. Therese School

- · Must return this Signup Form with payment
- Must return a signed waiver (see separate attached form).
- Wear comfortable clothes

	Self-Defense Class Signup Form (one participant only per sheet)	
Nov 29 th (Gr. 3-8)		
Class Date	Name of Student Participant*	Grade
Dec 6 th (14+ yrs old)		○ Yes ○ No
Class Date	Name of Minor (14-17 years old)* or Adult (18+ years old) Participant	14 - 17 years old?
*Parental Per	rmission Needed for Any Participant Under 18	Years Old

Parent Signature		Date			
Emergency Contact Information for ALL Participants					
Name of Emergency Contact Person	Emergency Phone N	lumber			



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Please remember in your prayers those who are ill, hospitalized, and homebound...

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"GIVE YOUR TALENTS and GIFTS" ~Sister Caritas

There are people both you and I know who have many talents and gifts. It seems they can do anything. We sometimes compare ourselves to these people and say we have no talent. Other times we see people who can do one thing well. We may say, "I am better than him or her..." Most of these statements are probably not true.

Each person has a talent or talents. The gospel tells us about people with varying talents. What did they do with them? When they used them the talent grew to double what they had in the beginning. The person who buried the talent lost everything. The important thing is to use what we have. When we are asked to do something in the Church, we do not need to stand by and say, "Oh I can't do that. I don't know how. I never did it before." " I'm not good enough." "What will other people think if I make a mistake?"

Why do you use your talent in the Church? Do you use it to "be seen?" Is it something you do to feel important? Do you do things so you will be praised or can "run the group?" The reasons we use our gifts and talents is to help the Church grow, to give glory to God and to grow closer to God by giving of ourselves to Him. Some of the above things do happen for example we are seen and we are sometimes praised. The important thing is what do you do with your talent or talents and why do you use your gifts.

The wife in the First Reading met all the qualifications of being the best wife, a fine woman. She did not bury her gifts but developed them. Two of the servants in the gospel used their talents for the Master and they were rewarded. Each of us has a chance to use our gifts and you will find other talents as you do that or the ones you have will grow and multiply. It's your choice. We in the Church need all of the talents God has blest this Church with by its members. Don't go and bury your talent. Rather, use your gifts to give glory and praise to God and help others.



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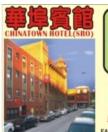
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Thanksgiving Celebration



Masses: 8am and 10am

In keeping with tradition, St. Therese Parish will have a **Thanksgiving Day Luncheon after the 10:00am Mass** on **Thursday, November 23, 2017** in the Community Room. The following food items are needed to prepare the meal:

TURKEYS * HAMS *VEGETABLES & POTATOES * SWEET POTATOES * CRANBERRY SAUCE * TURKEY STUFFING DESSERTS (CAKE, PIE, FRUIT) * DRINKS

If you can donate any of these items, please bring them to the church rectory. If you plan to attend, please sign up at the church entrance table or call the parish office. THANK YOU!

Also, volunteers are needed to help prepare the meal. See George Lee for more information.

*If you know of anyone, or an elderly who may be alone for Thanksgiving, please invite them to St. Therese to celebrate the Eucharist and/or share a Thanksgiving meal with us!