



St. Therese of Lisieux Parish
Where all are welcome to help us build the City of God!

Our Mission:

*We are a spiritual home for all who come here to worship.
 We are united in supporting one another in prayer and caring for the corporal needs of our brothers and sisters.
 We strive to imitate Therese, our patroness, by loving one another even in the simplest ways.*

Nuestra Misión:

*Somos un hogar espiritual para todos los que viene a aquí venerar.
 Somos unidos a apoyar el uno al otro en oración y en cuidar de las necesidades corporales de nuestros hermanos y hermanas.
 Nos esforzamos a imitar Therese, nuestra patrona por amando el uno al otro aún en las maneras más sencillas.*

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00pm; 8:00pm (Spanish)
Sunday: 8:30am & 10:30am
Weekdays: Mon -Thurs 8:30am
First Friday: 8:30 Mass followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Sacred Heart Novena
Rosary: Mon - Thurs after 8:30 Mass
Exposition, Benediction & Novena of St. Anthony: Tues after 8:30 Mass

www.sttheresemontauk.weconnect.com

St Therese Parish Center

67 So Essex Street
PO Box 5027, Montauk, NY 11954
 (631) 668-2200 Fax (631) 668-2384
 Apostolado Hispano: (631) 283-4379
 Office Hours: Mon – Fri 10am – 2pm
 Parish Outreach: (631) 668-1318
Religious Education: (631) 668-2460
 Hours: Mon, Wed, Thurs 9:00am-4:00pm

St. Therese Nursery School (631) 668-5353

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Parish Staff

Pastor: Rev. Thomas Murray
Apostolado Hispano: Vincentian Fathers
Director of Religious Ed: Louise Carman
Business Manager: Madeline Boddy
Music Director: Iryna Androskova
Trustees: Jerry McKeon & Tom Bogdan

Catholic Schools

St. Therese Nursery School

Phone: (631) 668-5353
Ellen Cooke Maureen Kingston

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

(Confession): Saturdays 4:00pm - 4:30pm

Please call the parish office for:

The Sacrament of Baptism
The Sacrament of Matrimony
The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick
Nighttime emergencies (631) 238-5965

E-mail addresses

Pastor sttheresepastor@optimum.net
Religious Ed. sttheresedre@optimum.net
Business office sttheresebusoff@optimum.net
Front desk sttheresedesk@optimum.net

Alcoholics Anonymous

AA meets in the basement of the parish center:

Tues: 1:00pm (OD) **Wed:** 8:00pm (OD)
Thurs: 8:00pm (Step) **Sat:** 8:00pm (OD)

Al-Anon

Montauk Community Church
Sunday: 5:30pm

Parish Outreach: 668-1318
Contact: Gert Murphy

Montauk Food Pantry: Food is graciously accepted at the parish center Mon-Fri.. Non perishable foods, tuna, soup, cereal, peanut butter, jelly, rice, canned beans, pasta, pasta sauce, juice and **Diapers** of all sizes.

Communion for the Sick: Please call the parish office for arrangements.

Pregnancy Support Resources:
(855)301-4247



Be a part of it!

No other organization on Long Island provides the breadth and depth of spiritual and social services to so many individuals and families then the Catholic Church.

DID YOU KNOW?

- More than 200,000 meals are delivered or served to seniors and families in need through Catholic Charities...
- More than 75,000 people are provided with food, clothing and support through Parish Outreach programs...
- More than 10,000 young people participate in Parish Youth Ministry programs across Long Island...
- More than 100,000 of our students in public schools participate in religious education programs taught by 10,000 dedicated catechists...

Your participation is so important for us to reach our goal and continue to serve. Thank You! Fr. Tom

I/We agree to make a gift of:

___ \$500 ___ \$250 ___ \$100 ___ \$50 ___ \$25
Other \$ _____

Pledge Total \$ _____ Initial Payment \$ _____
Balance \$ _____

Charge your credit card:

___ MasterCard ___ Visa ___ American Express ___ Discover
Account # _____
Exp. Date: ___ / ___ Total Amount: _____
Phone # _____

Signature: _____

If you wish to make monthly deductions via your credit card, please call 516-678-5800 ext. 296

**Kindly mail payment to:
Catholic Ministries Appeal
Diocese of Rockville Centre
PO Box 4000
Rockville Centre, NY 11571-4000**

Donor's Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Parish: **St. Therese of Lisieux, Montauk**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

100% of all money raised supports the essential programs and services of the Catholic Ministries Appeal.

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Please pray for the sick

Jessica Mavro, Gabrielle Balestri, Wyatt Berkhofer, Barbara Brunn, Jackie Dickinson, Sally Forbes, Chet Miedzwiecki, James Beatty, James Howard, Robert Briody, Helene Fugazzi, Rory Finazzo

Please pray for the Deceased

Jose Lenin-Sanchez, George Mullan, Mary Stewart, John Viscardi, Sarah Averett, John Pryor, Erik Haugedal, Anthony D'Agostino, Mark Hogg

Pray for Peace

Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me....
Please pray for those who work for peace and to protect our country by serving in our military...

Capt. Joseph Pugh (*U.S. Navy*)

Drew Forsberg (*U.S. Navy Seal*)

Jason Saglimbene (*Lt. US Navy*)

Andrea Saglimbene (*Lt. JAG US Army*)

Ronald Saglimbene (*Lt. USMC Afghanistan*)

Michael Saglimbene (*US Air National Guard*)

Matthew Graham (*Lt., USNA*)

Caitlin Chiamonte (*Capt. Jag US Army*)

Dylan Weidenmuller (*US Navy*)

Connor Weidenmuller (*US Navy*)

Paeg Weidenmuller (*US Navy*)

Morgen Seeley (*U.S. Army Afghanistan*)

Remembering a Loved

One

All Memorials

Bread

*Wine Altar Candles &
Sanctuary Lamp In Loving
Memory of Detective
Joseph F. Lisa, N.Y.P.D.
By The Lisa Family*

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, July 22, 2017-Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 Marie Reinbold (Family), Frank Murray (Hugh & Anne Herbert)

6:05 Bells for Marie Reinbold ("Ave Maria" by her Family)

Sunday, July 23, 2017-Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 John McByrne (McByrne Family)

10:30 Victoria Dean Carillo (Joan Hildreth), Sixta Vallejo de Garcia (Grace DeLeo), Grace McDermott (Kristine)

Monday, July 24, 2017-Weekday

8:30 Det. Joseph F. Lisa, N.Y.P.D. (Lisa Family)

8:25 Bells for Joseph F. Lisa ("Holy God We Praise Thy Name, by The Lisa Family)

Tuesday, July 25, 2017- St. James, Apostle

8:30 Our Parishioners

8:25 Bells for Deborah Anne Cirone ("Ave Maria" by Steven Cirone and Family)

Wednesday, July 26, 2017-Saints Joachim & Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 James Cleary (William & Nancy Kuhle)

Thursday, July 27, 2017-Weekday

8:30 Liz Harris (Jacqueline Pasheluk)

Friday, July 28, 2017-Weekday

8:30 No Mass

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary will occur on Tuesday, August 15th. Masses to celebrate this holy day of obligation will be Monday, August 14th at 5PM, and Tuesday, August 15th at 8:30AM. All are welcome!

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

THE MERCY, POWER, AND LOVE OF GOD

The first reading today, from the book of Wisdom, makes its point over and over, at least five times in five verses! God is mighty, but lenient to all. God's power is shown in kindness and clemency, not in harshness and condemnation, and those who govern God's people must govern in the same way, with kindness. This loving kindness and gentleness is not contrary to God's might, but is a direct result of God's primacy over all. Who are we, then, to judge what is in the hearts of our fellow Christians and all people, when God commands justice with love and clemency?

Likewise, the Holy Spirit makes up for our ignorance of what we need, speaking in a language we do not yet understand. But God knows our needs before we do, understands the intercessions of the Spirit, and helps us in our weakness. This is our hope: God's mercy, power, and love.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — You taught your people that those who are just must likewise be kind (Wisdom 12:13, 16-19).

Psalm — Lord, you are good and forgiving (Psalm 86).

Second Reading — The Spirit comes to aid us in our weakness (Romans 8:26-27).

Gospel — Jesus proposes parables to the crowds, teaching them of the reign of God (Matthew 13:24-43 [24-30]).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ex 14:5-18; Ex 15:1bc-6; Mt 12:38-42
Tuesday: 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-6; Mt 20:20-28
Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Ps 78:18-19, 23-28;
Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
Thursday: Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b; Dn 3:52-56;
Mt 13:10-17
Friday: Ex 20:1-17; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 13:18-23
Saturday: Ex 24:3-8; Ps 34:2-11; Jn 11:19-27 or
Lk 10:38-42
Sunday: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77,
127-130; Rom 8:28-30; Mt 13:44-52
[44-46]

Caring for our parish
Sunday Collection July 16, 2017
Collection: \$8929

Designated Maintenance Collection
Collection: \$1742

Faith Direct Collection for July
\$2220

**Thank you for all
you do for our Parish!**

Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima

100th Anniversary Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima-10 Day Pilgrimage to Portugal offered over three dates in October 2017. The cost will be \$2149 in twin accommodations with single accommodations also available. For further information please call Mr. James Adair at 1-855-564-1008 for more information.

Prayers Answered

A life led of giving to others less fortunate, she is now the one who needs our help. And she is receiving it from some of our fellow parishioners.

Contributions for medical expenses and medications, visits of encouragement and prayers for her recovery. All of this makes her hopeful about her recovery.

About two months ago, we heard about Baby Sully and his eye cancer/. We were asked to pray for him and contribute to defray medical expenses. At last report, his cancer is in remission and his parents say it was the prayers and concern from Montauk that caused the remission. May God bless him and his parents!

If you know about or have done your own good deed, please submit a brief summary of it with your name and telephone number to the parish office.

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ST. THERESE NURSERY
SCHOOL
CHERUB CHANCES

2017



50/50
Raffle

Dear Friends,

It is time once again for our annual **Cherub Chances Raffle** to support the wonderful work of our nursery school program! Keeping the tuition as affordable as possible enables more children to benefit from early childhood education.

Tickets are \$100.00 each.

ONLY 400 TICKETS WILL BE SOLD!!

1st prize - \$10,000

2nd prize - \$1,500

3rd prize - \$500

The winning ticket will be drawn at the Cocktail Party to be held on Sunday, October 1st at the Harvest Restaurant, from 2-4pm.

The cocktail party will include beer, wine and passed hors d'oeuvres. Please fill out the form below and return it along with a check or money order made payable to:

St. Therese Nursery School

P.O. Box 713

Montauk, New York 11954

Thank you for your continued support for our very worthwhile program!
The Children and Staff of St. Therese Nursery School

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ # of Tickets: _____

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Born Again Treasure Sale!

It is time again to start collecting for our Born Again Treasures Sale! For now, we are collecting your treasures that want to be born again.

**NO CLOTHES,
FURNITURE, TV'S OR
ELECTRONICS
PLEASE!**

Please call the Parish Center to arrange to drop things off!

668-2200



Adult Education

Are you interested in exploring our rich Catholic faith and heritage? Logon yo www.FORMED.ORG select REGISTER, enter Parish Code KTVJ3J, and your personal e-mail address. You will gain access to a wealth of high quality programs, retreats, studies, movies, books , and audios for children, teens and adults. Selections change periodically so there's always something new!

Join our Faith Formation class on Thursdays, 7:30PM in the Parish Center. We will be offering "Opening the Word" starting July 13th. Posters with more information will be a the entrances.

**OUR PRAYER LIFE CONTINUES
THROUGHOUT THE WEEK!**

Come and pray with us

MONDAY: 5:30 - 7:30 (Church)
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
(Beginning with the Chaplet of Divine Mercy & Ending with the Miraculous Medal Devotion)

TUESDAY: Exposition will be directly following 8:30 Mass with Holy Hour and Benediction at 10AM.

WEDNESDAY: 6:00 - 7:00
(Parish Center)
Parish Prayer Group

FRIDAY: 2:00 - 2:45 (Church)
Bouquet of Rosaries for Jesus & Mary & The Divine Mercy Chaplet

FRIDAY: 5:00 – 6:00
(Choir Loft – Church)
Interdenominational Prayer Group

FRIDAY: 8:00 – 10:00 (Church)
Spanish Prayer Group

Camp Good Grief

Camp Good Grief is a summer program for children who have experienced a loss.

The program features Arts and Crafts, Games, Kayaking, Archery, Therapy Groups and lots of fun and surprises! The program will be held from August 21st-25th at Peconic Dunes in Southold, New York. There is no fee for the program. For registration and more information please call Angela Byrns, at 631-288-8400

Keeping Our Community Safe!

You may now give anonymous tips of suspected narcotics activity, underage drinking or other illegal activities you feel the police should know about, but may not feel comfortable reporting in person. The East Hampton Police Dept. has a new "Anonymous Tips" line at 631-537-7226. Leave a private message in English or Spanish.

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The cartoon below is a reprint of a very old Daily News comic strip. A priest friend of Msgr. Bob Ecker (Fran Ecker's brother in law) shortened his sermon one summer day back in the late 70's! He told the congregation to go buy the paper and pay attention to its message instead. For some, that "message" became life changing!



THIS IS WHAT OUR COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAM IS ALL ABOUT --- AND MORE!
We are a parish community of less than 400 parishioners here at Saint Therese, yet combined with the folks at the Community Church we have more than 180 volunteers who have said YES to ideas such as the above and below - translated into contemporary "beatitudes" for us today!

- 1 Could you be available to give someone a ride to church or do a local errand like shopping or picking up a prescription?
- 2 Could you be an occasional visitor to a shut-in, bring song or hymn (as some have done!) etc?
- 3 Could you on occasion drive someone to Southampton for tests or to visit a loved one?
- 4 Could you on occasion supply a bit of relief to a care giver?
- 5 Could you on occasion be an emergency baby sitter?
- 6 Would you like to work the Outreach Hotline? It only takes one day a month and can be done from the comfort of your home! Just pick up the phone!
- 7 Would you be able to assist in some small home repairs (lamps, stuck doors, leaking faucets, etc.)?
- 8 Would you be able to assist the elderly or the infirm with a garden chore?
- 9 Would you like to pitch in with the Food Pantry?
- 10 Do you have a special service you'd like to offer as a volunteer in tutoring, ESL, Maureen's Haven, or any other area of YOUR choice? Tell us! Make a suggestion!

Catholics for Freedom of Religion

Pro-life Doctors Denied Free-Speech & Freedom of Conscience:

Illinois: A pro-life doctor and two Christian pregnancy centers are challenging a 2016 Illinois law that requires **all** doctors, pharmacists, and pregnancy centers to assist women in obtaining abortions, regardless of whether the medical professionals are opposed to the procedure. The law mandates that doctors who are unwilling to provide the requested service "because the healthcare service is contrary to the conscience of the healthcare facility, physician, or healthcare personnel" **must** refer the patient to someone who will. However, pro-life doctors contend that forcing them, under threat of penalties, to refer patients to abortion providers, violates their consciences and constitutional free-speech rights.

Pro-life Dr. Robert Lawler said, "I'm an obstetrician, so by the very nature, I have two patients: the mother and a baby. ... I cannot and will not comply with this law that is a complete affront to my conscience beliefs - my firmly held religious beliefs - that life is sacred. I became a physician to help people, not to harm them."

The law also impacts how medical professionals are to treat patients with gender dysphoria since it requires them to counsel on the "benefits" of sex reassignment. It also requires doctors to counsel terminally ill patients on assisted suicide, despite their moral opposition to it.

Notre Dame law professor Rick Garnet said, "It is well established that the First Amendment protects not only the right to speak, but also the right not to be forced to be a mouthpiece for a message you reject."

(newamerican.com, 6/28/17; lawnewz.com, 7/5/17; lifesitenews.com, 6/27/17)

"a wind is picking up that is hostile to those with traditional moral beliefs."

Supreme Court Justice Samuel Alito

Pentecost Sunday-The Feast of The Most Holy Trinity-The Beatitudes

The above have been big in the news these past weeks, the church news, that is-"old" news, "our" new news, and certainly not "fake news"! All days of the liturgical year spell out for us the steps by which we all can connect better with our Creator and our neighbor. Here in Montauk, our parish Outreach Program has over 180 people from St. Therese and the Community Church who have volunteered to participate in some form of service to other folks in need. They have said YES to some of the ideas spelled out below the cartoon on the opposite page. We are in the process of updating that list of volunteers. Would you like to be included or would you like to drop out? Please let us know by a call to the OUTREACH NUMBER 631-668-1318 or by filling in the form below. Please tear it off and drop it off at the school office or drop it in the collection basket or simply call us at our number, 631-668-1318. Choose what you can do and tell us when you are free to do it. Use the form below You may never be called on (as some people have complained) but your good will will earn you blessings!

NAME

PHONE

I CAN VOLUNTEER FOR (list the #'s

DAYS/TIME "FREE" TO DO THIS:

**PS-ADD ANOTHER IDEA OR
SUGGESTION IF YOU WISH ON THE
LINES BELOW**

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DOMINGO XVI DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Tu Hijo, Nuestro Señor Jesús, es el sembrador de la Palabra y por eso te pedimos que nos conviertas en tierra muy fértil para tu Voluntad y cumpla tu voluntad en nosotros.

Nuevo servicio legal para la Comunidad Inmigrante. East End For Opportunity Project ALFA (Affordable Law For All) empezará a prestar sus servicios desde este Martes, Junio 6 ofreciendo asistencia legal, local y profesional a la comunidad. Contamos con una red de abogados con los que se ha negociado precios para poder ofrecer a las personas las tarifas más bajas posibles.

Nuestra información es la siguiente: Teléfono: 631-707-5375 e-mail: help@eefo.org

En los primeros meses estaremos atendiendo los días Martes de 7pm a 9pm en la Iglesia Bautista del Calvario y los Miércoles de 7pm a 9pm en el edificio escolar de La Santísima Trinidad, 44 Meadow Way (en la oficina de Doreen). Otros días disponibles con previa cita. Contamos con personal bilingüe y Erika Padilla estará encargada de contestar el teléfono.

A partir de Septiembre nuestra Diócesis de Rockville Centre pone en marcha la ESCUELA DE DISCIPULOS MISIONEROS, en la Parroquia de Bridge Hampton. Es un proyecto de formación en la fe para adultos. Las personas interesadas favor de ponerse en contacto con Eric Vega o Lourdes Sandoval, llamando a los tños 631 332 1127 / 631 379 5403

Rincón de Información

El Asesor de Inmigración de Caridades Católicas

En el Apostolado Hispano en Southampton el jueves, 27 de Julio y 24 de Agosto de las 2:00 a las 5:00 PM.

¿Desean bautizar a sus hijos? Los papas y los padrinos deben asistir al curso Pre-bautismal sin previo aviso.

Curso Pre-Bautismal

El curso se da el último domingo de cada mes a la 1:30 pm en el Apostolado Hispano en Southampton o también a las 5:00 PM en la iglesia en East Hampton. Es preciso llevar la copia del Acta de Nacimiento del niño. No es preciso hacer cita previa. Basta presentarse.

Los lugares y fechas del Bautismo:

En Montauk, los primeros domingos de cada mes.
Primer Domingo en Southampton a la 1:30pm
Tercer sábado de mes en East Hampton a las 1pm
Cuarto sábado de mes en Bridge Hampton a las 1pm

Requisitos para el Bautismo de un niño

Curso: Para bautizar a su hijo, es necesario que los padres y padrinos asistan al curso pre-bautismal.

Padrinos: Debe escoger a los padrinos conscientes de los requisitos. Los padrinos tienen que ser católicos bautizados, confirmados y que han hecho su Primera Comunión y deben poder comulgar. El padrino (madrina) debe ser soltero(a) o casado(a) por la iglesia.

Permisos: Si viven afuera de la zona servida por el Apostolado Hispano, necesitan una carta de su párroco.

Preparación Pre Matrimonial – Para casarse por la iglesia, haga una cita para una entrevista con P. Cesar, o P. Jesús. El curso pre-matrimonial se da por seis domingos, de las 9am al mediodía comenzando el primer domingo de octubre o de febrero.

Horas del Apostolado: los martes a viernes de 3-5pm. Se recomienda hacer cita previa llamando al Padre.

Padre Cesar Lara: Cel. 631-332-5300

Padre Jesus Arellano: Cel. 929-257-3467