

**Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time | October 29, 2023**

# **Saint Theresa of the Child Jesus Catholic Church**

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**Office Hours:** Monday: 9:00am – 12:00pm, Tuesday-Friday: 8:00am – 12:00pm

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## **MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE UPCOMING WEEK**

**October 31st** 12:00pm – Erin Reardon (RIP)

**November 1st** 12:00pm – Pat Standifer (RIP)

**November 2nd** 12:00pm – Joe Shipley (RIP)

**November 3rd** 12:00pm – Souls that have been in purgatory the longest (RIP)

**November 4th** 12:00pm – Forgotten souls in purgatory (RIP) | 4:00pm – Wayne Goss (RIP)

**November 5th** 8:00am – Mugs Giasomo (RIP) | 10:30am – James Coates (RIP)

**HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS:** Tuesday-Friday: 12:00pm | Saturday: 12:00pm and 4:00pm  
Sunday: 8:00am, 10:30am, 2:00pm (Spanish)

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:** Tuesday-Saturday 11:15am | Sunday 9:00am

**ADORATION HOUR:** Wednesday evening from 7:00pm to 8:00pm

**HOLY ROSARY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY:** Weekdays: Tuesday-Saturday 11:20am  
Weekends: 4:00pm Saturday and Sunday, 30 minutes prior to Mass | 20 Decade Rosary: Wednesday 10:30am

**FAITH FORMATION FOR CHILDREN & ADULTS:** Sundays at 9:00am in the Parish Life Center!

**LEGION OF MARY:** Tuesday at 10:00am in the Parish Life Center Library

**FATHER BEAN'S BOOK CLUB:** Thursday at 10:00am in the Martin Hall

**FLAME OF LOVE PRAYER CENACLE:** Tuesday at 10:00am in the church.

**MARY, MOTHER GUARDIAN OF THE FAITH PRAYER CENACLE:** Thursday at 5:45pm

**DEAD THEOLOGIAN'S SOCIETY:** Will resume soon!

Holy Land Gifts will be visiting our Parish on the weekend of Nov. 11/12 to sell their olive wood gifts to help relieve the dire Christian situation in the Holy Land. These beautiful olive wood carvings are made in home workshops by Catholic families in the Holy Land who rely on their sales to pilgrims and tourists as their main source of income.

Recent hostilities have curtailed tourism to the Holy Land, resulting in 70% unemployment in these traditional olive wood workshops.

The Catholics of the Holy Land ask for the support of your prayers and the purchase of these handcrafted artworks. Proceeds from sales generate much-needed employment opportunities and monetary funds for 600 Catholic families in Bethlehem. Please consider these Gifts for your family, friends, and yourself and be as generous as God is to you.



In just under one year, Catholics from all over the U.S. will gather in Indianapolis, IN for the National Eucharistic Congress. It promises to be a defining moment for the Church in America.

If you are interested in attending or learning more about this event, please visit the link listed below.

<https://bhmdiocese.org/revivalpilgrimage>

**You are Cordially Invited!**  
**Her Choice Birmingham Women's Center**  
**Fundraising Banquet**

**Thursday, November 9, 2023 7:00 PM,**  
**The Club · 1 Robert S. Smith Drive,**  
**Birmingham, AL 35209**

**Keynote, Attorney Jor-EI Godsey**  
**President of Heartbeat International**  
**We are *Extending the Footprint of Life* to**  
**embrace every human life.**

Please, make your reservation now, consider hosting a table of eight, or make a life-saving donation. There is no cover charge to attend but an appeal will be made to help support this work of mercy and hope. Her Choice Birmingham Women's Center, the only Pregnancy Help Center in Birmingham proper, exists to help women facing a crisis pregnancy to choose life, and to help support them with that decision. Her Choice also offers post-abortion recovery services.

**To register or donate:** 205.447.8796 ·  
hcbanquet@herchoicebirmingham.org  
www.herchoicebirmingham.org · 2120 7<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
South, Birmingham, AL 35233

**LEGION OF MARY**

The Legion of Mary is seeking new members. If you are looking for a way to honor Mary through prayer and service, please contact Doreen Aiello at 205-702-6426 or Mary Shirley at 205-703-3992. The Legion meets on Tuesday morning at 10:00am in the Parish Hall Library.

**Mass Schedule for Wednesday, November 1,**  
**All Saints Day, will be 12PM and 7PM.**