

# Fifth Sunday of Easter May 14, 2017

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## Mass Schedule 彌撒時間

**English Mass 英語彌撒**

**Daily Mass 平日彌撒:**

Monday - Saturday at 8:00am 每日 上午八時

**Sunday Mass 主日彌撒:**

**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

## 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

## *May 14, 2017 Fifth Sunday of Easter*

**8:00 A.M.+** Nancy Caruso by Caruso Family  
+ Lena Roti by Cookie & Marion  
+ Lia Kawazoye by Marilyn Leung  
+ Annie Lee Yong by Ming & Oy

**10:30 A.M.** For Healing Comfort for Roberta Cheong by St. Therese Choir  
Blessings for Gertrude Chan & Annie Lowe by Chris & Darlene  
+ Anne Moe by Darlene Chan-Lowe  
+ Marie Piegari by Darlene Chan-Lowe  
+ Rita Lee by George Lee & Family  
+ Mee Fung Young by Family  
+ Mosa Yun by Lushia & Tim Tie

**12:00 P.M. Indonesian Mass**

*MON. May 15th*

*Saint Isidore*

**8:00 A.M. +** Bruno Andriacchi, Birthday Remembrance by Nick & Ellen Andriacchi  
+ Deceased Mothers & Grandmothers by Briglio Family

*TUE. May 16th*

*Easter Weekday*

**8:00 A.M.**

*WED. May 17th*

*Easter Weekday*

**8:00 A.M. +** Joe D'Amico, Father's Day by Joe & Rena Zito  
+ Vince Briglio by Wife & Family  
+ Poor and Forgotten Souls in Purgatory by Dominic Barbaro

*THU. May 18th*

*Saint John I, Pope and Martyr*

**8:00 A.M. +** Pearl L. Ko, Birthday Remembrance by Darlene Chan-Lowe

*FRI. May 19th*

*Easter Weekday*

**8:00 A.M. +** Sister Gilmery Lemberg by Sr. Caritas

*SAT. May 20th*

*Saint Bernardine of Siena, Priest*

**8:00 A.M. +** Deceased Family Members of Dominic Barbaro

**5:00 P.M.**

For Family & Friends of St. Therese Parish  
+ Josie Kawazoye by Woodie & Gerri Moy & Family  
+ David Jarzyna by Wife Cookie



## *From the Desk of Fr. Francis*

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

### Congratulations and Thanks

Congratulations to our 1<sup>st</sup> Communicants. It was such a joyful celebration. I hope they will forever remember that special day when they received the Body of Christ for the first time. May they continue to deepen their love for Jesus Christ. Thanks to all adults who prepared them.

Thanks to our 8<sup>th</sup> graders and students of our Religious Education program for leading our parish in the May Crowning ceremony. It was well done.

The SMI celebrated their 55<sup>th</sup> year of May Crowning by honoring all the past queens. I was happy to see so many of them gathered in this special place to honor Mary and to celebrate and remember their past.

Thanks to members of our Prayer Garden Club. They cleaned our Garden and planted some Cannas Bulbs donated by **Dorothy Albanese**. Thanks, Dorothy!

Thanks to **Tony Lin** for replacing the dead light bulbs in the church.



### Honoring Mary and All Mothers

May is the Month of Mary and a month in which we celebrate the lives of all mothers. Through her yes, Mary became the mother of all mothers. Pope Francis wrote:

In view of this motherhood, Mary was preserved from original sin, from that fracture in communion with God, with others and with creation, which deeply wounds every human being. But this fracture was healed in advance in the Mother of the One who came to free us from the slavery of sin. The Immaculata was written in God's design; she is the fruit of God's love that saves the world.

And Our Lady never distanced herself from that love: throughout her life her whole being is a "yes" to that love, it is the "yes" to God. But that didn't make life easy for her! When the angel calls her "full of grace" (Lk 1:28), she is "greatly troubled" for in her humility she feels she is nothing before God.

Mary embodies God's unconditional love for each one of us. Her life was not problem-free, but nothing could stop her from loving God and her neighbors. Similarly, the mothers of our lives, like the mother of Jesus, who mirrors God's love to humanity, mirror God's love for each of us in very concrete ways. Any good mother, like Mary, is willing to endure sacrifice for the love of her children. We thank God for all mothers. We pray that God will continue to shower them with abundant grace, mercy and love.

***God's choicest blessings to all mothers! Happy Mother's Day!***

***Peace ~ Fr. Francis***

## Sharing the *GOOD NEWS*...



Congratulations to **Deacon Christian Shiu**, ordained on Saturday, May 13th at Holy Name Cathedral by Cardinal Blase Cupich!

*Please join us today after the 10:30am Mass for a luncheon in celebration of Christian's Deaconate ordination.*



**Deacon Daniel Kim** will be ordained to the Priesthood on Saturday, May 20th at the Maryknoll Center House in Ossining, New York. Afterwards, Fr. Daniel will be back in Chicago for a few weeks in June and will celebrate his formal *Thanksgiving Mass* for the St. Therese community at the 10:30am Mass on *Sunday, June 18th*. There will be a reception following the liturgy – all are welcome to attend!

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### *Hospitality Schedule for May 21, 2017:*

**GREETERS:** Marian Torrez & STS Students

**RECEPTION:** Adrienne, Daron & Nicole

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### Today's Liturgy – May 14, 2017

**Readings: GATHER 1073 - Fifth Sunday of Easter/ Year A**  
**Gather Hymnal**

**PROCESSIONAL:** # 519 – Sing to the Mountains

**OFFERTORY:** #951 – This is the Body of Christ

**COMMUNION:** #889 – Hail Mary: Gentle Woman

*Meditation Song:* Ave Maria (Flute Soloist: Judy Wu)

**RECESSIONAL:** #641 – Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

## News and Events

### Mother's Day Catholic Charities Collection today

in the impoverished and violent neighborhoods that need us most, Catholic Charities is often the only place where people can go for help. Our doors are open to all Families in crisis find new strength and the courage to build a better future. You Mother's Day gift will feed, comfort, shelter, and care for the poor and vulnerable. Catholic Charities has provided hope for 100 years.

[www.catholiccharities.net](http://www.catholiccharities.net).

Please be generous!



### Wedding Banns:

**Joseph Lowe** and **Naomi Chan** will be married on May 20th, and **HongYun Cecilia Qi** and **Glen Victory** will get married on Sat. May 27th. Please keep them in your prayers.

### Cantonese Mass

May Cantonese Mass will be next Sunday at the 10:30am Mass.

June Cantonese Mass is on June 11th at the 10:30am Mass due to Confirmation on June 4th.



### Please pray for the following Mercy Hospital Patients:

Yestina , Robert, Terrance, Nancy, Kenneth, James, Hope, Erzebet, Nefinacy, Darry, Leatrice, Hope, Tina, James, Mingyon, Samantha, Victor, Mary, Sherry, Curtis, Cody, Susan, Emanuel, Maria , Helena, Elvira, Selena, Christian

### Catholic Charities

44th Annual Senior Unity Mass on June 1st at 10am, at Holy Family Church, 1080 W. Roosevelt Road. Social gathering, information fair & free hot lunch after the Mass. Call 312-655-7245 to RSVP!



## Save the Date!

### Chinatown Summer Fair

### Sunday, July 16, 2017

Volunteers (Jr. High & up) appreciated! Please see the sign-up sheet at the back of the church or see Chris Lowe ([chris@chrislowe.us](mailto:chris@chrislowe.us)) for more information.





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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

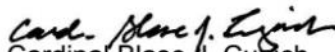
This is a special year for the Archdiocese of Chicago as we celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Catholic Charities. Catholic Charities' centennial year is truly a celebration for all of us because its great tradition of charitable care has included the support of volunteers and donors from every parish in the archdiocese. For 100 years, through every era of war, peace, poverty and prosperity, Catholic Charities has worked together with the faithful to fulfill the Gospel mission to feed the hungry, shelter the homeless, welcome the stranger, comfort the afflicted, and bring hope to the hopeless.

Each year on Mother's Day, we have an opportunity to make a financial contribution to the Catholic Charities Mother's Day Collection. This year, as we face increasing violence in our communities, it is a critical time for us to come together to support Catholic Charities. With more than 150 locations throughout Cook and Lake Counties, Catholic Charities' services are intentionally located in the most troubled areas.

Through food and nutrition programs, early childhood education, alternatives for at-risk youth, trauma and grief counseling, job training, domestic violence programs, and substance abuse treatment, Catholic Charities' services are a powerful antidote the culture of drugs, gangs and violence that takes root in desperate areas.

Your donation to Catholic Charities will help the Church's efforts to promote peace, restore human dignity, and bring hope to those living with brutal violence and poverty. Please contribute as generously as you are able during Catholic Charities collection on Mother's Day. Or, make your donations directly to Catholic Charities at 721 N. LaSalle St., Chicago, IL 60654, [www.catholiccharities.net/donate](http://www.catholiccharities.net/donate). May God bless you and your families.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

  
Cardinal Blase J. Cupich  
Archbishop of Chicago

**WE WELCOME YOU WITH OPEN ARMS, LITTLE ONES!**



I was ecstatic when I found out that I was going to have you. I looked forward to the nine months I would carry you. At first, I was feeling queasy all the time but after 3 months all that passed. Then I felt a fluttering and I knew it was you trying out your newfound ability to move your tiny limbs that were forming. My stomach started to show until it was protruding. With that came your kicks that sometimes would awaken me when I slept. I knew in a few short months I would see you--God's gifts to me and your father. And finally, after nine months, I held both of you in my arms. Your father also held you. We knew that God, in his infinite love, gave you to us. Welcome to the world, little ones!

**A baby's life is born of love given by God to a man and a woman!**  
**"Thus, children are in and of themselves a treasure for humanity and also for the Church, for they constantly evoke that necessary condition for entering the Kingdom of God: that of not considering ourselves self-sufficient, but in need of help, of love, of forgiveness."**  
~Pope Francis (General Audience at St. Peter's on March 18, 2015)

### **Thanks to All Who Donated!**

Raymond Lin \$100

**Easter 2017 Donation as of 05/12/2017 Total: \$25,218**

### **Weekly Offering:**

Collection for May 7, 2017

Sunday Envelopes	\$2,138		
GiveCentral	290	July 1-To-Present (Actual):	\$89,081.02
Sunday Loose	\$ 709	July 1-To -Present (Budget):	\$88,000
<hr/> Total Collection	<hr/> \$3,137		

Weekly Budget: \$2,000 % of Budget Attained: 101%

Please consider giving one hour of **your weekly salary as your contribution.**  
**May God bless your generosity! Thank YOU!**

**Collection at SMI May Crowning on 5/7/17: \$1,042 Thank YOU!**

# St. Therese 15-Day China Pilgrimage and Tour Led by Fr. Francis Li

**Early August, 2017**

See Fr. Li's home town of Hong Dong in Shan Xi province, the largest Catholic province in China, Hebei province, Taiyuan, Shijiazhuang, Beijing, Xian, and Shanghai.

Visit Cathedrals, Churches and Holy sites and tour The Great Wall, Tiananmen Square, and see the Terra-Cotta Warriors.



Land cost: \$1800

Airfare: \$900 to \$1300 expected

Four star hotels, double occupancy, three meals per day plus all tour fees, transportation within China, English speaking tour guides.

Maximum of 20 People

Registration and Deposit required by May 24, 2017.



Contact George Lee at 312-719-0233 for more information

Feeling a little rusty on your catechesis? Brush up on what it means to be a Catholic in an hour on a handful of Sundays with St. Therese Church's **Faith Formation Series!**



March 19	Liturgy - Why do we have to go to Mass?
April 30	Sacraments - Why do we need them?
<b>May 21</b>	<b>The Bible - Everything in the Bible is true...and some of it actually happened!</b> Shared by Mr. Nicholas Filipiak St. Therese Church at 11:45 a.m.
June 11	Moral Life - How do I love God?
September 17	Social Justice - How do I love my neighbor?
October 15	Creed - What do we truly believe?
November 19	The Liturgical Year - Why did we change colors and what page are we on in the new book??





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

Amelia Lorraine Schroeder  
Karl Schroeder  
Phil Maraldi  
Jerry Ecklund  
Vincent Thome  
Barbara McElroy  
Ramona Zavala  
Michael Howley  
Baby Jessa Piotrowski  
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Luke Williamson  
Richard Shew  
Brian Cook  
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Angelo Iasillo  
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Ceil Scuito  
Woodie Lee

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Cita Orendain  
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Joyce Eng  
Lan Ying Yee  
Ching Shiu Yau  
Henry F. Wong  
Matthew Mantia  
Phyllis Centofanti  
Susan Zibricky  
Barbara Metzinger  
James Rak  
Benjamin N. Lucas  
Shane O'Connell

If you wish to add a name or remove your name from this list, please call the parish office.

### "MOTHER AND THE WAY"

When we are children, especially very young children, our Mothers are very busy teaching us the way we should do things or the way we should act. They teach us how to dress ourselves. They show us how to eat the correct way instead of using our fingers. They are always teaching us how to be polite. Later they help us learn how to do our homework, how to play well with others and how to be helpful at home. Even as young adults or young married couples, Mothers have things to share with us. They have wisdom to teach us. We do not always want to hear it but Mothers still try to show us a good way to live. Loving, protecting and teaching are somehow at the very heart of being a Mother.

Jesus tells us today that He is "the Way." We are often searching for meaning in our lives and we are looking for the best way to obtain happiness. We have developed maps on computers and GPS for our car, to help us get to the place we want to go in the fastest way. Sometimes we want to follow the most glamorous or the wealthiest person. Yet we have a pattern for happy living in Jesus. If we follow the things He teaches us, we will find happiness and peace. "Love on another", He tells us. "Keep my commandments", He says. "Turn the other cheek", when someone hits you. "If someone asks for your coat give them your shirt as well." If you study the scriptures, you will find many directives of Jesus. It is Jesus, like our Mothers, giving us the sure way to eternal happiness and peace on this earth. Mothers and Fathers are often the first ones to teach us the Way of Jesus. We love our Mothers and we honor them today. They show us Jesus, The Way, by instruction and example.

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**FREEWILL DONATION**



In December, Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Nangong, Hebei, China, was destroyed by a fire; since then, St. Therese has been assisting in their efforts to rebuild. Proceeds from this concert will further support this endeavor towards **life** in the Church, **liberty** to worship, and **love** of Christ. Light refreshments to follow the concert.

**Le Cantanti** is a premier women's choir committed to using their voices to promote peace, hope, and wholeness in the world. Its members include St. Therese parishioners Gretta Chamberlain and Wendy Sin; St. Therese School alumnae Jenny Hsu and Olivia Pon; and former STS music teacher Dhillanthi Fernando (director).



### **Sacred Sound**

assists the St. Therese congregation in prayer each Sunday at the 10:30am mass.

### **23/7s**

rhythm and percussion musicians will return from their hiatus to lend support to this very meaningful event.