



St. Therese September/October Ministry Schedule

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August 26, 2026

Dear Minister,

THANK YOU for your gift of time and your continued ministry. Your dedication to our church family is very much appreciated. We welcome back our Ministers who have been away for the summer months visiting family around the U.S. It is wonderful to have you with us at St. Therese Parish.

Please join me in welcoming our new Lector: **Cynthia Caden (4:00 PM; 10:00 AM)**. We thank Cynthia for answering God's call to serve Him at St. Therese Parish.

Attention All Ministers: For your safety, please **use the newly installed sanctuary handrails** when moving up or down the altar steps. Our diocesan safety policy requires this practice to **prevent slips and falls**, especially while carrying items. Thank you.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to **Verushka Bautista-Cedeno**, our Lector - Altar Server at the 8:00 AM Mass, for her generous gift of time and faithful ministry at St. Therese Church. Verushka has truly been a blessing, and we will miss her. Please keep her in your thoughts and prayers as she begins her college journey.

- In September, we commemorate the 25th anniversary of the events of 9/11. Let us offer our prayers for peace in the world. Let us pray for the gift of the Father's healing, for the hope for new life promised in his risen Son and let us give thanks for the renewing of the Holy Spirit whereby we are made agents of God's great gift of peace. May our ministry embody the prayer of Saint Francis, "Lord, make me an instrument of your peace."
- October is the month of the Holy Rosary. We honor Mary in prayers for the role she played in the history of salvation. Make a commitment to pray the Holy Rosary during this special month. At St. Therese Church, every morning we gather to recite the rosary at 8:00 AM.
- October is Respect Life Month. Each year Catholics are invited in a special way to pray, understand, value, and become engaged with supporting the dignity of the human person, and therefore the gift of every person's life.
- October 1st is the Feast of St. Thérèse of Lisieux (1873 – 1897). Thérèse was a Carmelite nun, who lived a cloistered life of obscurity in the convent of Lisieux, France. Thérèse said she came to the Carmel convent "to save souls and pray for priests." And shortly before she died, she wrote: "I want to spend my heaven doing good on earth." Thérèse was canonized in 1925. On October 19, 1997, St. Pope John Paul II proclaimed her a Doctor of the Church, the third woman to be so recognized considering her holiness and the influence of her teaching on spirituality in the Church.
- October 4th is the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi. A special blessing of animals will take place on Monday, October 5th, at 10:30 AM outside the Church.

From the pastoral team at St. Therese, we wish everyone a happy Labor Day filled with good health, peace, love, and happiness. May God's blessings be on you and your family.

Nelson Perez

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Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Altar Server	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Usher
Cooper Feipel <i>Saturday – 9/5/2026 4:00 PM Mass</i>	Cindy Caden	<i>Chris Mitchell B6 Deacon Joe B1 Nancy Dunn B3 Pat Madanski B4 Nancy Odom B2</i>	John VonDerVellen Patrick Bannon Jeanne Carufel Joe Landry Mark Lieb Doris Schwarzwald Steven Spizzirri
Mernalyn Uhl <i>Sunday – 9/6/2026 8:00 AM Mass</i>	Linda Rieck	<i>Bill Ahrens B6 Deacon Joe B1 Cassie Harris B3 Tom Payne B4 Patricia Roth B2</i>	Dale Glassburn Sandie Bongiorno Barry Hopper Jackie Jones Ruth Poster Caelie Skalniak Edward Skalniak Michael Spreigl Betty White
Averly Dudley Emily Potito <i>Sunday – 9/6/2026 10:00 AM Mass</i>	Tom Charboneau	<i>Gary Dube B6 Deacon Joe B1 Mary Donoghue B3 Marilyn Fleming B2 Mary Ann Jurek B4</i>	Tom Donoghue Tom Fleming Joe Landry John Linehan Peter Orlando Toni Orlando



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Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Altar Server	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Usher
Cooper Feipel <i>Saturday – 9/12/2026 4:00 PM Mass</i>	Marcia Madison	<i>Deacon Joe B1</i> Jerry Allen B6 Sharon Allen B4 Bev Groft B2 Dotti Kleman B3	John VonDerVellen Patrick Bannon Jeanne Carufel Joe Landry Mark Lieb Doris Schwarzwaldner Steven Spizzirri
Bill Ahrens <i>Sunday – 9/13/2026 8:00 AM Mass</i>	Pamela Monroe	<i>Bill Ahrens B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Robert Carity B4 Barbara Schmit B2 Mernalyn Uhl B3	Dale Glassburn Sandie Bongiorno Barry Hopper Jackie Jones Caelie Skalniak Edward Skalniak Michael Spreigl Betty White
Averly Dudley Emily Potito <i>Sunday – 9/13/2026 10:00 AM Mass</i>	Mary Ann Jurek	<i>Nancy Petrosinelli B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Mary Donoghue B2 Sondae Holmes B3 Christine Lamothe B4	Tom Donoghue Tom Fleming Joe Landry John Linehan Peter Orlando Toni Orlando



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Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Altar Server	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Usher
Cooper Feipel <i>Saturday – 9/19/2026 4:00 PM Mass</i>	Patti Wisniewski	<i>Bill Ahrens B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Nancy Dunn B2 Pat Madanski B4 Nancy Odom B3	John VonDerVellen Patrick Bannon Jeanne Carufel Joe Landry Mark Lieb Doris Schwarzwald Steven Spizzirri
Mernalyn Uhl <i>Sunday – 9/20/2026 8:00 AM Mass</i>	Peggy Lindquist	<i>Bill Ahrens B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Debbie Baker B2 George Baker B3 Tom Welsh B4	Dale Glassburn Sandie Bongiorno Barry Hopper Jackie Jones Caelie Skalniak Edward Skalniak Michael Spreigl Betty White
Averly Dudley Emily Potito <i>Sunday – 9/20/2026 10:00 AM Mass</i>	Marjorie Dudley	<i>Gary Dube B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Mary Donoghue B4 Marilyn Fleming B3 Christine Lamothe B2	Tom Donoghue Tom Fleming Joe Landry John Linehan Peter Orlando Toni Orlando



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Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Altar Server	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Usher
Cooper Feipel <i>Saturday – 9/26/2026 4:00 PM Mass</i>	Jerry Allan	<i>Bill Ahrens B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Sharon Allen B3 Bev Groft B4 Dotti Kleman B2	John VonDerVellen Patrick Bannon Jeanne Carufel Joe Landry Mark Lieb Doris Schwarzwald Steven Spizzirri
Mernalyn Uhl <i>Sunday – 9/27/2026 8:00 AM Mass</i>	Laurie Heflin	<i>Bill Ahrens B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Cassie Harris B4 Tom Payne B2 Patricia Roth B3	Dale Glassburn Sandie Bongiorno Barry Hopper Jackie Jones Ruth Poster Caelie Skalniak Edward Skalniak Michael Spreigl Betty White
Averly Dudley Emily Potito <i>Sunday – 9/27/2026 10:00 AM Mass</i>	Joline Lambert	<i>Nancy Petrosinelli B6</i> Deacon Joe B4 Deacon Rick B1 Mary Donoghue B2 Sondae Holmes B3	Tom Donoghue Tom Fleming Joe Landry John Linehan Peter Orlando Toni Orlando



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Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Altar Server	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Usher
Joe Landry <i>Saturday – 10/3/2026 4:00 PM Mass</i>	Cindy Caden	<i>Chris Mitchell B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Bev Groft B3 Pat Madanski B4 Mary McCaffrey B2	John VonDerVellen Patrick Bannon Jeanne Carufel Mark Lieb Doris Schwarzwaldner Steven Spizzirri
Bill Ahrens <i>Sunday – 10/4/2026 8:00 AM Mass</i>	Linda Rieck	<i>Bill Ahrens B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Robert Carity B2 Mernalyn Uhl B4 Tom Welsh B3	Dale Glassburn Sandie Bongiorno Barry Hopper Jackie Jones Ruth Poster Caelie Skalniak Edward Skalniak Michael Spreigl Betty White
Averly Dudley Emily Potito <i>Sunday – 10/4/2026 10:00 AM Mass</i>	Tom Charboneau	<i>Gary Dube B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Marilyn Fleming B4 Christine Lamothe B3 Nancy Petrosinelli B2	Tom Donoghue Tom Fleming Joe Landry John Linehan Peter Orlando Toni Orlando Karen Proulx Paul Proulx



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Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Altar Server	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Usher
Cooper Feipel <i>Saturday – 10/10/2026 4:00 PM Mass</i>	Patti Wisniewski	<i>Chris Mitchell B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Nancy Dunn B4 Nancy Odom B2 Arlene O'Donnell B3	John VonDerVellen Patrick Bannon Jeanne Carufel Joe Landry Mark Lieb Doris Schwarzwald Steven Spizzirri
Mernalyn Uhl <i>Sunday – 10/11/2026 8:00 AM Mass</i>	Pamela Monroe	<i>Bill Ahrens B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Debbie Baker B4 George Baker B3 Ellen Haug B2	Dale Glassburn Sandie Bongiorno Barry Hopper Jackie Jones Ruth Poster Caelie Skalniak Edward Skalniak Michael Spreigl Betty White
Averly Dudley Emily Potito <i>Sunday – 10/11/2026 10:00 AM Mass</i>	Marjorie Dudley	<i>Nancy Petrosinelli B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Mary Donoghue B3 Sondae Holmes B4 Christine Lamothe B2	Tom Donoghue Tom Fleming Joe Landry John Linehan Peter Orlando Toni Orlando Karen Proulx Paul Proulx



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Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Altar Server	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Usher
Joe Landry <i>Saturday – 10/17/2026</i> <i>4:00 PM Mass</i>	Jerry Allen	<i>Gerry Beverley B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Sharon Allen B3 Bev Groft B2 Dotti Kleman B4	John VonDerVellen Patrick Bannon Jeanne Carufel Mark Lieb Doris Schwarzwaldner Steven Spizzirri
Mernalyn Uhl <i>Sunday – 10/18/2026</i> <i>8:00 AM Mass</i>	Peggy Lindquist	<i>Bill Ahrens B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Cassie Harris B2 Barbara Schmit B3 Fran Schroeder B4	Dale Glassburn Barry Hopper Jackie Jones Ruth Poster Caelie Skalniak Edward Skalniak Michael Spreigl Betty White
Averly Dudley Emily Potito <i>Sunday – 10/18/2026</i> <i>10:00 AM Mass</i>	Mary Ann Jurek	<i>Gary Dube B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Marilyn Fleming B2 Christine Lamothe B3 MaryLou Pierozzi B4	Tom Donoghue Tom Fleming Joe Landry John Linehan Peter Orlando Toni Orlando Karen Proulx Paul Proulx



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Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Altar Server	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Usher
Joe Landry <i>Saturday – 10/24/2026 4:00 PM Mass</i>	Marcia Madison	<i>Gerry Beverley B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Michael Hester B4 Mary McCaffrey B3 Arlene O'Donnell B2	John VonDerVellen Patrick Bannon Jeanne Carufel Mark Lieb Doris Schwarzwaldner Steven Spizzirri
Bill Ahrens <i>Sunday – 10/25/2026 8:00 AM Mass</i>	Laurie Heflin	<i>Bill Ahrens B6</i> Deacon Joe B1 Robert Carity B3 Ellen Haug B4 Mernalyn Uhl B2	Dale Glassburn Sandie Bongiorno Barry Hopper Jackie Jones Ruth Poster Caelie Skalniak Edward Skalniak Michael Spreigl Betty White
Averly Dudley Emily Potito <i>Sunday – 10/25/2026 10:00 AM Mass</i>	Joline Lambert	<i>Nancy Petrosinelli B6</i> Deacon Joe B4 Deacon Rick B1 Mary Ann Jurek B2 MaryLou Pierozzi B3	Tom Donoghue Tom Fleming Joe Landry John Linehan Peter Orlando Toni Orlando Karen Proulx Paul Proulx