

## Words from Pope Francis

Pope Francis in a talk given to those who support the good works of people through their financial gifts said:

*“Your work, helps to bring the love, hope, and mercy that the Gospel proclaims to all who benefit from your generosity and commitment.”*

28 April 2022

Because of your generosity, we are able to help our Youth and Young Adults to participate in our ministry programs. This also helps them to attend retreats as well as to be able to purchase those items necessary to help us spread the Gospel of Love.



### The rest of the story....

- The first drawing is Monday, January 6, 2025
- Drawings take place each week on Mondays with the last drawing on October 13, 2025
- Year end celebration in connection with St. Teresa’s Feast day will take place in October.
- 2 tickets will be provided to all those fully paid members for the club year-end social.
- Quarterly there will be a \$100 cash drawing.
- Anyone 18+, anywhere is welcome to join the club.
- Promote the club by inviting your family and friends and when they win, you win... 10%

*“2025 Universal Jubilee Year of HOPE”*

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**2025**  
**St. Teresa’s**  
**Catholic Church**

**40 WEEK CLUB**

**Supporting our**  
**Parish Youth and**  
**Young Adult**  
**Programs**  
**in the**  
**“Jubilee Year**  
**of Hope!”**

*Our youth and young adults thank you for  
your continued financial support.*

# Thanks for joining!

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## Why should we care?

**Because youth and young adults matter. Not only are they the future, Pope Francis is very clear that young people “are the now of God.”**

**They are influencing and impacting the Church and the world today, and any person of faith should be walking alongside them: as peers, as guides as mentors and as fellow travelers on the road toward Jesus Christ and the Kingdom of God.**  
(USCCB Website)



## How can you help?

Thank you for joining our 40 Week club. We are excited about this fundraiser which helps our parish youth and young adult ministry as well as our Religious Education Programs. Because of your generosity we are able to help our young people attend retreats and enjoy youth and religious education ministry events. Part of the funds raised also go to purchase food, materials and equipment for our youth and young adults as well as to maintain areas of the facilities where they gather.

## What’s this all about?

Investment in our Youth for only \$200 a year.

Each week, there are two drawings for those who are up to date on their payments for cash prizes of \$30/\$60. Quarterly, one person will win \$100 in the drawing.

Each weekly drawing includes all up-to-date members.

At the end of the fundraiser, in connection with the Feast of St. Teresa of Avila held in October, we schedule a social where top cash prizes are drawn. Everyone paid up to date is eligible for the \$1,000.00 top prize.

Become a seller by inviting people to join the club. Every time one of your invitees wins, 10% of their winnings goes to you. Sellers receive one check for all their efforts at the end of the club.

Would you consider inviting just one person to join the 40 Week Club?



## Join Today!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you over the age of 18? \_\_\_\_\_

Payments for the club can be made through:

[www.osvhub.com/  
stteresaschurch/giving/funds](http://www.osvhub.com/stteresaschurch/giving/funds)



\_\_\_\_\_ One time (\$200)

\_\_\_\_\_ Monthly (\$20 per month @ 10 months)

\_\_\_\_\_ Quarterly (4x a year @ \$50)

\_\_\_\_\_ I will be paying online and will return this form to the office. (*Parishioners of St. Teresa’s may return this form in the collection basket at Mass.*)

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Sellers Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank you for your generous gift to our youth!**

*Please return this section with payment to your seller or the church and check with your accountant on claiming this as a donation.*