



St. Theresa Catholic Church

21371 St. Theresa Lane, Ashburn, Virginia 20147

December 12, 2021

Third Sunday of Advent

Masses for the Week

Mon, Dec 13	6:15— Nung Huynt+ 8:30— Susan Sullivan
Tues, Dec 14	6:15— Uyen Do 8:30— Brendan Baron
Wed, Dec 15	6:15— Gabriel Miles 8:30— LaVern Elizabeth Graham+ 12:15— Buck+ & Phyllis Pierson
Thurs, Dec 16	6:15— Lam Do+ 8:30— The Nelson Family
Fri, Dec 17	6:15— Jeff Vogue+ 8:30— Olimpia Mascarina+
Sat, Dec 18	8:30— Phil Dennis+ 5:30— Joseph W. Marx+
Sun, Dec 19	7:30— St. Theresa Parishioners 8:45— Stan Urynowicz+ 10:30— Joseph, Carlo & Laura Maresca+ 12:30— Phillip Shand+ 5:00— Frances-Maria Pilaro+

Parish Mass Schedule

Saturday:	8:30am, 5:30pm Vigil Mass
Sunday:	7:30, 8:45am & 10:30am 12:30 & 5:00pm
Weekdays:	6:15 and 8:30am, Monday through Friday Wednesdays: 12:15pm
Holy Days:	As announced
Holy Hour:	Wednesdays, 7pm
Confessions:	Saturdays, 4:00-4:45 pm; during Holy Hour; and by appointment

Clergy

Reverend James C. Hudgins, Pastor
 Reverend Paul Dudzinski, Parochial Vicar
 Reverend Nicholas R. Barnes, Parochial Vicar
 Deacon Paul C. Konold
 Deacon Anthony J. Renzette
 Deacon Matthew K. Noah

Prayers For The Sick: Ruth Carradini, Mark Naftzger, Ann Hannah, Thomas Poerstel, Daniel John Begley, Scott Spitnale, Danny Schmude, Jess Williamson, Matthew Albert Skubie, Barbara Orandello, Jeff Peters, Marcela Garcia, CJ Buechner, Nancye Pochick, Quinn Gorman, Michael Robertson, Nickalus Shalin, Celeste Hall, Donna Caulfield, Ethan Falciani, Mary Ann Lyons, Rosario Acot, Keith Waltower, Ben Thede, Eugene Prosack, Lynn Petrarra, John Spriggs, George Morelos, Carol Logue, MaryEllen Back, Apryl Binder, Carole Davidson, Cheryl Grieve, Rita Giunta, Maria Giunta, Danny Bessette.

Prayers For Our Military: Eric Frames, Bill Freschi, Paul Schierling, Marshall Kellner, Colin Freyne, Eric Ciliberti, John Kesterson, Matthew Kesterson, Alexa Katharine Koenig, Mark Short, Jonathan Bayly, Russell Escalante, Eric Reilly, John Conrad, Fr. James Hinkle, Andrew Gillespie, Stephen Gilliland, David Seliquini, Joseph Auler, Adam Parkinson, Jake Shelton, Patrick G. Fitzgerald, Sean Spurr, Jack Hayes, David and Katherine Bergeron, Christopher Martin, Thomas Gleason, Tony Mattice, Greg Lee, David Lakey, Jim Murray, Keith Bittle, Michael McCurdy, Steven Digangi, Michael J. Pruden.

Our Lady of Guadalupe

This year December 12, the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, falls on a Sunday. This gives me a great excuse to share the Guadalupe story with you. The story of this Advent feast is one of my favorites in all the year.

The story starts in the year 1519. That's when the famous conquistador Hernan Cortez established the first Spanish colony in what is now Mexico. Upon his arrival in the great Aztec city of Tenochtitlan, today known as Mexico City, he was horrified to discover that the Aztec culture celebrated ritual human sacrifice and cannibalism. Cortez asked Franciscan missionaries from Spain to come to the New World to preach to the Aztec people, with the hope of converting them to Christianity. Unfortunately, despite their best efforts, the Franciscans had little to no success. The hearts of the native peoples were unmoved. What ultimately changed their hearts was not the preaching of the Franciscans, but the miraculous image of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

In 1531, a poor Aztec man named Juan Diego, was walking by Tepeyac Hill in the heart of Tenochtitlan, when suddenly, he heard the sound of beautiful singing. He followed the singing to the top of Tepeyac Hill, where he saw a vision of what he described as "a beautiful woman from heaven." "Go, tell the bishop that I want him to build a church on this spot," the woman told Juan Diego. Ever dutiful and obedient, Juan Diego went to the bishop. "Bishop!" Juan Diego exclaimed, "a beautiful woman from heaven appeared to me! She said that you must build a church on the top of Tepeyac Hill!" You can imagine for yourself how badly that conversation went. Juan Diego was quickly ushered out of the room.

A few days later, the woman from heaven appeared again to Juan Diego. "Go to the top of Tepeyac Hill," she told him, "and gather up what you find there. Bring it to the bishop, and it will be a sign to him that what you tell him is true." Juan Diego climbed Tepeyac Hill, and there to his astonishment, he discovered long stemmed, Castilian red roses—fresh and beautiful in the middle of December. He gathered up the roses in his cloak (known as a "tilma") and brought them to the bishop.

"Bishop!" Juan Diego exclaimed, "the woman from heaven told me you're supposed to build a church on Tepeyac Hill, and gave me this sign for you to believe!" Juan Diego opened his tilma, letting fall a cascade of roses. In his astonishment, the bishop fell to his knees. But not because of the roses. He fell to his knees because an image of a woman had miraculously imprinted itself on the tilma of Juan Diego. "What is the woman's name?" the bishop asked Juan Diego. Answering in his native Nahuatl language, Juan Diego replied, "her name is Coatlxopeuh," which sounds just like "Guadalupe," the name of a Shrine of the Blessed Virgin Mary in Spain. In truth, however, the name "Coatlxopeuh" means, "she who crushes the head of the serpent." "Ah! Guadalupe!" the bishop cried out. In the following months, the bishop did build the church at the top of Tepeyac Hill, but the real miracle happened when the Aztec people saw Juan Diego's tilma.

There were three major gods in the Aztec religion: Quetzalcoatl, the god of the stars; Huitzilopochtli, the god of the sun; and Metztli, the god of the moon. The image of Our Lady of Guadalupe (which hangs in our church, in the Blessed Mother niche) depicts a woman standing on the moon, eclipsing the sun, wearing the stars as a cloak. Around her waist are the black bands of pregnancy, and directly over her abdomen is a four-petaled flower, the Aztec image of divinity. Her head is bowed in adoration. Her hands are folded in prayer—not to Quetzalcoatl, but to the God yet to be born within her womb, Jesus Christ our Lord. It's been estimated that, when the native peoples saw the image of Guadalupe, somewhere between two and three million people were baptized. There were so many baptisms—it's been said—that at the end of the day the priests were unable to raise their arms.

Our Lady of Guadalupe shows us that when our need is great, God does not leave us bereft. There's a new kind of paganism in our own time, and when one considers the scourge of abortion, there's even a new kind of human sacrifice. Once again, the preaching of the church seems to have little effect to move human hearts. I would like to believe that, once again, God will come to the aid of his people to help them in their need, just like he helped the Aztec people with the intervention of the Virgin Mary of Guadalupe. God always sends us the grace of Jesus Christ, through Mary. Let's pray that once again, he will win our hearts to Christ, through her!

God bless you...and St. Theresa, pray for us!



Fr. Hudgins

Bulletin Deadline: Friday 2pm (9 days prior to publication)

Upcoming Early Bulletin Deadlines

December 26th bulletin submissions due by 12pm Monday December 13
January 2, 2022 bulletin submissions due by 12pm Monday December 20

Youth Education and News



Office Hours:
Mon-Thurs. 9am-4pm; Fri. 9am-noon

Adults Plan Ahead to Volunteer

Want to volunteer at the many St. Theresa's children based programs/ events? We encourage and welcome your involvement however it requires that all volunteers be compliant. For details contact Connie Gilligan, Parish Child Protection Coordinator, at connie@sainttheresaparish.com or call 703.729.3714.



ymoffice@sainttheresaparish.com

Upcoming Youth Group Events:

December:

Sunday, the 12th– Upper Room Squad
– High School Youth Group, 6-7:45pm

Sunday, the 19th– Upper Room Squad
– High School Youth Group, 6-7:45pm

Adult Volunteers Needed - Youth Ministry is looking for sincere, motivated, and willing adults who would like to help out with our Parish youth. Saint JPII instructed our youth, "young people, do not be afraid to be holy!". We would love for you to join us as we walk alongside the amazing young people of our Parish family. All volunteers need to be compliant - having a background clearance check and having completed a mandatory Child Protection Course (Virtus – Protecting God's Children). Contact Paul Dwyer, ymoffice@sainttheresaparish.com.

STCS
Christmas Pageant
Tuesday, Dec. 14, 1:50pm

Watch the livestream
on Facebook
[@SaintTheresaSchoolAshburn](https://www.facebook.com/SaintTheresaSchoolAshburn)

STCS Parents, see the **Thursday Thunder Newsletter** for information on important dates and events like these:



- Friday, December 17 –
Early dismissal, 11:30am
- December 20-December 31 –
Christmas Break

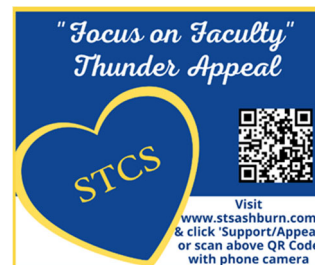
Learn more about our wonderful Parish school and how Catholic education can make a difference in your child's life! For information on the 2022-23 admissions process, visit our website, www.stsashburn.com (click "Admissions") or email Admissions Director Denise Rotell, rotelld@stsashburn.com.

Shop for Christmas and Support STCS! When you shop on Amazon, please use AmazonSmile – they'll give back a portion of your purchase to STCS. Go to www.AmazonSmile.com and choose "St Theresa Parish School" from the list of charities (NOTE: no period after 'St'). At Harris Teeter, link your VIC card to STCS with code #5887 at the customer service desk or online. *Thank you for your support!*

STCS is accepting applications for Substitute Teachers and Extended

Day Care staff. To apply, please send your resume, cover letter, and references to HR@sainttheresaparish.com.

The St. Theresa Catholic School (STCS) Thunder Appeal, "Focus on Faculty," is underway – can you help with an end-of-year gift? This year's Appeal will raise funds to support our wonderful faculty by updating their laptops & technology, providing additional professional development opportunities, and bridging the gap between the actual cost to educate each student and what we charge in tuition. Your gift of any size will impact our faculty and students every day, and is much appreciated! For details contact Advancement Director Regina Freschi, freschir@stsashburn.com. **Thank you for your support of STCS and Catholic education!**



Adult Education and Spiritual Enrichment

Women's Discipleship Group

Meets every Wednesday Morning from 9:30-10:30am for Lectio Divina and from 10:45-11:45am for spiritual book reading. Our focus is the Mass reading for the upcoming Sunday and a

spiritual book selected by our spiritual director Deacon Matthew Noah.

Parish women of all ages are cordially invited to explore a spiritual relationship with Jesus through Lectio Divina

and our current book of inspirational reflection.

For more information contact Dawn Garabito, 862.812.0039 or dmarie213@aol.com

News from our Parish

Young at Heart Club

Men and Women (55 and over)
Wed. Dec. 15th Christmas Party.
We meet in the Adm. Bldg. after attending the 12:15pm Mass. Our lunch will be subs, chips and beverages at a cost of \$5.00. Please bring 1/2 dz.(6) Christmas cookies to share for dessert. We will have a Christmas gift exchange, if you want to participate, please bring a wrapped gift valued at \$10.00. **Must RSVP by Sunday, Dec. 12th** by e-mail to Grace Breighner, gracejb18@aol.com, or call 703.729.7044. New people are ALWAYS welcome to join us!

Knights of Columbus Pancakes with Santa

St. Louis Martin Council 15256 of the Knights of Columbus invite ALL to attend **Pancakes with Santa** after the 7:30am, 8:45am and 10:30am Masses on Sunday, Dec. 19th, in the St. Theresa School cafeteria. SANTA will be there from 9am-Noon. Come and grab a picture and have a Merry Christmas!

Ushers Needed

Would you like to serve the Church as an usher? St. Theresa's Usher Ministry is looking for volunteers. Join this ministry, where you can share in the gifts of hospitality and in serving this faith filled community of fellowship and family. We are excited and grateful to welcome you, both men and women, especially during this Advent season! Contact StTheresaUshers@gmail.com if you are interested.

Interested in learning about the Legion of Mary?

Three Legion of Mary groups meet at different times. Check the website for information, or be our guest at any Legion meeting held on Wednesday, 7:15pm; Friday 10am, or Saturday 9:15am.

Simbang Gabi

Everyone is invited to the Filipino tradition of Simbang Gabi or night Mass to be held at St. Theresa's on Thursday, **December 16**, 7pm with Fr. Mel Portula as the main celebrant. For the full list of the 9-day Mass schedule, please visit <https://www.arlingtondiocese.org/simbanggabi2021/>.

We're Hiring

St. Theresa Catholic School is accepting applications for Substitute Teachers and Extended Day Care staff. To apply, please send your resume, cover letter, and references to HR@saintthereseparish.com.

STCS Nativity Play Livestream

Join us on Facebook on Tuesday, December 14, at 1:50pm for the St. Theresa Catholic School Christmas Pageant Nativity Play, performed by our Student Council. We will livestream on the School Facebook page, [@SaintTheresaSchoolAshburn](https://www.facebook.com/SaintTheresaSchoolAshburn); if you don't have a Facebook account the direct link is: <https://www.facebook.com/SaintTheresaSchoolAshburn>.

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Text to Give—Faith Direct

During Advent we prepare our minds and hearts for the real meaning of Christmas, the birth of our Savior and Lord, Jesus Christ. It is likely that we will be busy with family gatherings, perhaps even a trip out of town where you will miss Mass at St. Theresa's. That's where eGiving with Faith Direct can help simplify your life. By supporting St. Theresa, both you and our parish can save some time and peace of mind this holiday season. Signing up is easy! Visit faith.direct/VA14 or text the word **ENROLL to 703.991.2964** or a dollar amount for a Christmas gift or end of year contribution. May God bless your generosity!



Knights of Columbus

Pancake Breakfast: Our next pancake breakfast will be our annual Breakfast with Santa on December 19. Come by and enjoy a breakfast of pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausage and hashbrowns and/or tater tots! Proceeds will go to the Loudoun Abused Women's Shelter (LAWS).

Sweats for Vets program 2021:

Please consider purchasing and donating a set (or two, or more) of sweat suits that will be donated to veterans at the Martinsburg VA hospital in West Virginia. On Monday December 26 will be the "Wrap and Pack" event at the VFW Post to wrap/box up the sweats for distribution to the veterans. On Saturday, January 22 we will transport the boxed sets of sweats to the VAMC in Martinsburg WV 25405.

Monetary donations are also welcomed. The donations we bring forth can make a world of difference for these fine men and women. If you have any questions about this program, please contact Joe Potak, PGK (ajpotak@yahoo.com).

Are you a parishioner in need of a home repair?

If you need help in completing a small home repair that you cannot complete yourself or that may cause you financial hardship, we are here to help! Projects can involve carpentry plumbing, electrical, painting, and/or the installation of a new appliance. Please submit your request at: <https://www.st-louismartin-kofc.org/handy-man-services>.

Call for Handyman Crew Volunteers:

Are you available to volunteer as a handyman for those in need? The vol-

unteers of the St. Louis Martin Council of the Knights of Columbus are available to complete small home repairs for the benefit of those in need who are physically incapable of performing the work, or for whom the hiring of a professional is cost prohibitive. Typical projects include Plumbing, Electrical, Carpentry, and Painting. As a volunteer, you will have the opportunity to work alongside brother knights in support of a worthy cause. What do you get in return? A smile and a thank you from the people you helped. Learn more here: <https://www.st-louismartin-kofc.org/handy-man-services>.

Interested in learning more about the Knights of Columbus? Find our Frequently Asked Questions: <https://www.st-louismartin-kofc.org/faqs>.

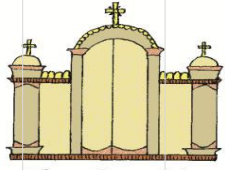
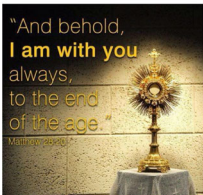
Current Vacant Adoration Slots

Critical Need

No Adorer	Saturday	2:30am
Scheduled	Monday	12:30pm

Urgent Need

No Adorer for	Tuesday	2:30am
First Half Hour	Friday	5:00am

	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
One Adorer already for these time slots but need one more Adorer.	12:00am 1:00am 2:00am 3:00am	12:00am 1:00am 2:00am 3:00am	12:00am 1:00am 2:00am 3:00am	1:00am 2:00am 3:30am 5:00am	12:30am 1:30am 2:30am 3:30am	12:30am 1:30am 2:30am 3:30am	12:30am 1:30am 2:30am 3:30am
If you can sign up for one of these available slots, it would be greatly appreciated.	4:00am 7:00am 8:00am 9:30am 10:30am 11:30am 12:30pm 1:30pm 2:30pm 5:00pm 6:00pm 7:00pm 8:00pm 9:00pm 10:00pm	4:00am 5:00am 6:00am 7:30am 8:30am 9:30am 11:00am 1:00pm 2:00pm 3:00pm 5:00pm 6:00pm 11:00pm	4:00am 5:30am 7:00am 12:00pm 1:00pm 5:00pm 10:30pm	6:00am 7:00am 8:30am 9:30am 11:30am 4:00pm 7:00pm	4:30am 7:30am 1:00pm 6:30pm 10:00pm 11:30pm	7:30am 1:00pm 3:30pm 6:00pm 7:00pm 11:30pm	5:00am 8:00am 2:30pm 3:30pm 5:00pm 6:00pm 7:30pm 8:30pm 10:00pm 11:00pm
To sign up, go to: http://sainttheresa.letusadore.com	 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament						
							

News from the Diocese

EnCourage: Help for the parents of children experiencing sexual identity confusion

The Diocese of Arlington is starting a support group for the parents of children aged 22 and younger who are reporting gender dysphoria or have embraced a "trans" or "non-binary" identity. The group is part of the EnCourage apostolate. Facilitated by psychologist Dr. Frank Moncher and Fr. Stephen Schultz, the group will meet in person monthly. Please email encourage@arlingtondiocese.org or call 571.732.1011 to speak with Fr. Schultz and get information about the meetings.

2021 Novena with Bishop Burbidge for Couples Struggling with Infertility, Miscarriage and Infant Loss

You are invited to join Bishop Burbidge in a Novena to Our Lady of Guadalupe offered for the intentions of couples struggling with infertility, miscarriage or early infant loss.

The novena begins on **December 4th**

and concludes on December 12, Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Bishop Burbidge will also be offering a Mass for this intention in his private chapel. To submit your intentions and to find the novena prayers, visit OurFruitfulLove.com

Days of Recollection for Men and Women Discerners

Could Christ be calling you to the priesthood or religious life? Take a step to find out and enjoy some quiet prayer time this Advent. Both are Sunday December 19: the Men's Day of Recollection is with diocesan seminarians and Franciscan Friars; the Women's Day of Recollection is with the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy. These events are for those 18-35 years old interested in deepening their prayer life and exploring their vocation. For more information and to register contact the Office of Vocations, 703.841.2514 or vocations@arlingtondiocese.org. Deadline to register is Monday, **December 13.**

Classes Start Soon!

Register for English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL), Computer Literacy, GED, ESOL for Childcare, ComTIA or Citizenship preparation. Different class levels are available. Classes are available online with some offerings available in person in Manassas, Sterling and Alexandria. The classes are 12 weeks and include the class materials. Space is limited and are low cost. Financial assistance may be available. Please contact us at 571.208.1572 or ewd@ccda.net for more details.

¡Clases de Inglés Empiezan Pronto!

Inscríbese para las clases de inglés, GED, Computación básica, CompTIA o ciudadanía. Se ofrece varios niveles de inglés. Las clases están disponibles en línea o presenciales en Manassas, Sterling y Alexandria. Las clases son de 12 semanas y con bajo costo. Asistencia financiera puede ser disponible. Para mas información, contáctenos al 571.208.1572 o ewd@ccda.net.

Wanting to hear Fr. Hudgins' homilies?

You can find all of Fr. Hudgins homilies recorded on Fatherhudgins.com

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All offices located at 21370 St. Theresa Lane, Ashburn, VA

Sacraments

Sponsor Certificates

Please contact the Parish Office to obtain a sponsor certificate prior to a Baptism or Confirmation.

Baptisms

Parents desiring Baptism for their child must attend a class, preferably before the child's birth. The classes are held the first Thursday of each month at 7:30pm in the Louis Martin Conference Room in the Administration Bldg. After you attend the class, you may schedule your child for the Sacrament of Baptism (Sundays 1:30pm). Date is confirmed once all paperwork is received in the office. Forms can be found on the Parish website under Faith, Sacraments, Baptism.

Matrimony

The priest must be contacted at least six (6) months prior to the wedding date.

Visit the Parish Website under Faith, Sacraments, Marriage and fill out the Marriage Preparation Questionnaire prior to contacting the Parish Office. A priest will contact you.

RCIA

Adults desiring instruction in the Catholic Faith should visit the website to register for RCIA classes.

Hospitalized/Homebound

Please contact the Parish Office to ask for Holy Communion or the Anointing of the Sick.



Learn more, visit
www.sainttheresaparish.com

Festival of Trees—Thank you to all who donated beautiful trees, wreaths, baskets and a lantern and to who participated by purchasing tickets. Over \$16,000 was raised for Divine Mercy Outreach to assist families in need. Many thanks to Mary & Jim Sinnott and the FOT committee. Many thanks to Waltonwood, All American Steakhouse, Giant, Harris Teeter, Radiance and Robeks for their donations to our event. God bless you all!

Friends in Need

Provides meals on a short term basis for those families or individuals in the parish who are unable to cook for themselves due to illness or a medical situation in the immediate family, arrival of a new baby...Contact Emily Wilsey at emwilsey@aol.com or 703.585.5435 to volunteer to make meals or if you or a loved one are in need of help with meals.

The Visitation Ministry—

Homebound or want to volunteer to visit the homebound? We have won-

derful parishioners who would love to call and visit you by phone if you are not comfortable with a home visit at this time! If you need help with an errand or would like someone to pray with you, let us know. We are also looking to add to our list of volunteers to make visits. Please contact Claudia Lewis at 703.431.8670 or email her at clewis825@gmail.com.

Furniture Ministry—accepting kitchen tables & chairs, smaller dressers and metal bed frames. Please contact our furniture coordinator, Una Giachinta at 571.217.7551 or furniture@sainttheresaparish.com if you want to help or if you have these items to donate.

Monetary Donations

Your donations make a difference in the lives of struggling families! There are struggling individuals and families due to domestic violence, disabilities, layoffs, medical issues and unforeseen circumstances that need help in moving forward.

Donations accepted online, or by mail or drop off to the parish office. Please indicate DMO in the memo of the check or on the envelope. To donate online go to the parish website <http://www.sainttheresaparish.com>

and click on "Donate" tab to make a monetary donation online! Thank you for helping us to bring Christ's love to others by helping them in their time of need.

Volunteers for the Bed Ministry—volunteers with trucks or Large SUVs needed especially! It's rewarding to assist families in need. Consider taking a short time out of your day to bring some light into another's life. We need extra helpers to bring new beds to families moving out of the shelters and other families and children in need. Interested in helping contact Bea Craig at 571.439.0364 or beds@sainttheresaparish.com

Looking for ways help? Consider signing up to receive our Outreach email to get up to date information on needs and volunteer opportunities. You will learn about what we do and how you can become more involved in touching the lives of families who are struggling. Contact Marianne Guidos 703.729.2334 or dmoutreach@sainttheresaparish.com

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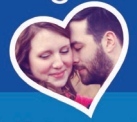
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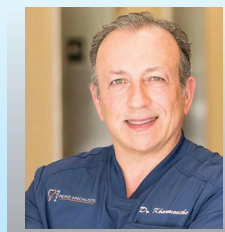
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