



# Saint Theresese Parish

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We are St. Theresese Catholic Church, a community of believers, who walk together by faith in Christ Jesus, and minister in the Little Way of St. Theresese, as we strive hand-in-hand to live as God's people.

August 22nd, 2010

## Parish Staff

### Parish Director

Dr. Alexandra Guliano ext. 14  
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### Assisting Priest

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Rev. Norm Oswald

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Sterling Biggers, Parish Musician

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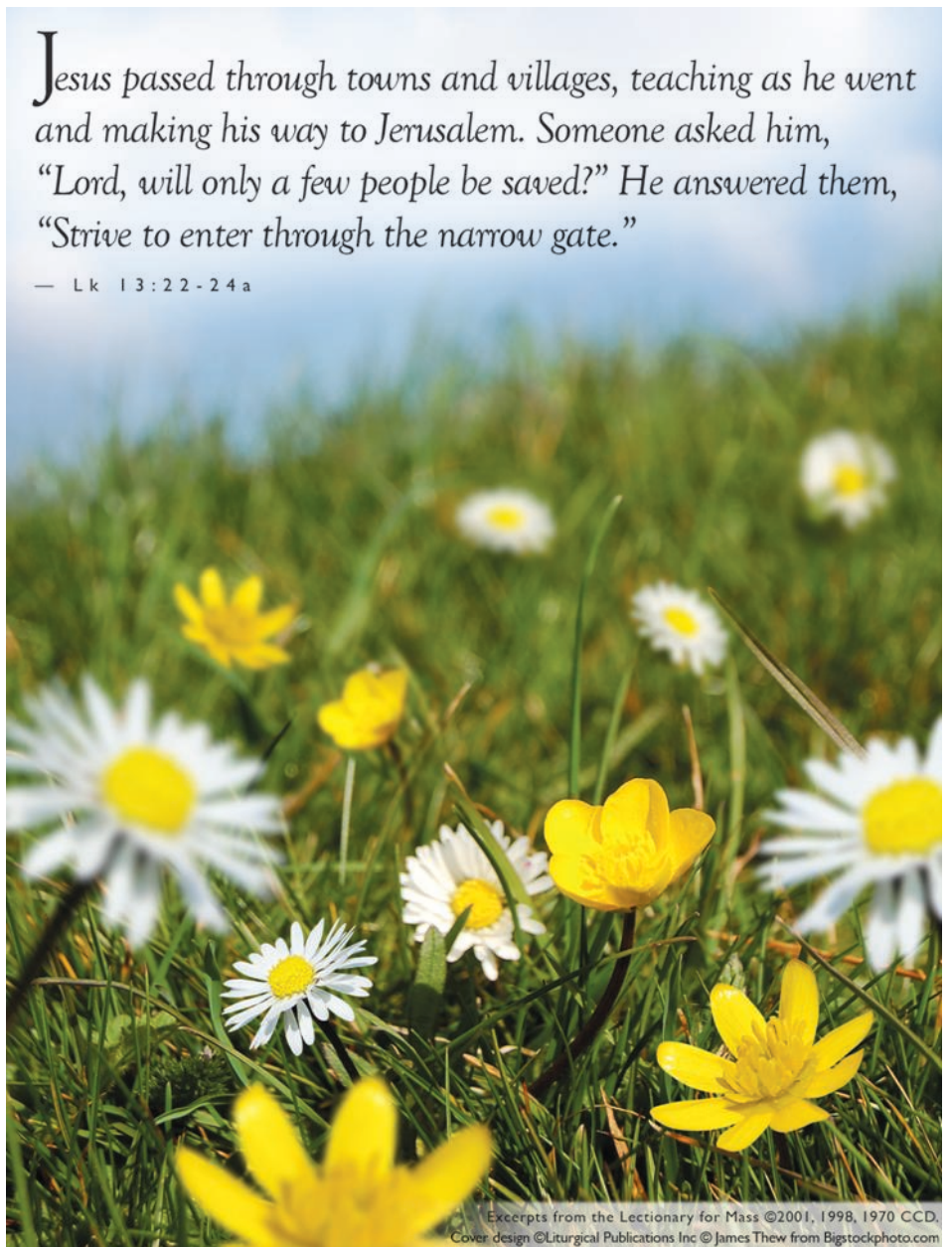
All the Members of the Parish

### Parish Emergencies

(414) 771-2500 — listen for instructions

Jesus passed through towns and villages, teaching as he went and making his way to Jerusalem. Someone asked him, "Lord, will only a few people be saved?" He answered them, "Strive to enter through the narrow gate."

— Lk 13:22-24a



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## Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00PM  
Sunday: 8:00AM & 10:00AM  
Tuesday: 8:00AM

**Liturgy of the Word with Communion:**  
Thursday, Friday: 8:00AM

*See inside for Holy Day Schedules*

**Reconciliation: 4:15PM — 4:45PM**  
1st Saturday of the Month

**Anointing of the Sick:**  
2nd Full Weekend of the Month  
Following Each Mass

**All Other Sacraments:**  
Please call the Parish Office  
*Preparation can take six months or more*

## Summer Office Hours

**Monday, Wednesday:**  
8:30AM — 12:00PM

**Tuesday, Thursday:**  
12:30PM — 4:00PM

**Friday: Closed**

## From the Desk of the Parish Director

◆ Thank you to Jeff Roemer, who has agreed to chair the parish committee that will deal with all the issues regarding the proposed Zoo Interchange Project. Jeff has contacted the Department of Transportation and has spoken with the coordinator of the project. What Jeff learned, and then communicated to me, is that the DOT is about a year away from deciding the actual design of the project and its impact on our property. The DOT is still in the phase of hearing the public reaction to the drafts it has already proposed. **Nothing is definite at this time.** For more information, access the following website: [www.dot.wisconsin.gov/projects/sefreeways/zooindex.htm](http://www.dot.wisconsin.gov/projects/sefreeways/zooindex.htm) or call the DOT hotline at (262) 548-6421. When the final draft is agreed upon, Jeff will convene the parish committee and be our parish contact for all communications and negotiations.

Our parish is fortunate to have Jeff, whose expertise and experience in civil engineering is substantial. He will be addressing our congregation in the next few months to give us an update on the project. Stay tuned.

◆ The newly reorganized Prayer and Worship Committee met on Sunday, August 8th. Thanks to the staff members present as ex-officio (Denise Dostalek, Whitney Strohmeier, Elterine Jankowski-Biggers, Sterling Biggers, Fr Hugh Birdsall, and me) and the at-large members (Pat Hall, Dan Goeden, Terri Wissing,

and Jim Balliet). The group decided to move forward and agreed on temporary officers—Pat Hall, Chairperson; Dan Goeden, Vice-Chairperson; Terri Wissing (assisted by Sterling Biggers), Secretary. Between now and the next scheduled meeting—Sunday, September 26th after the 10:30AM mass—each member is asked to recruit another. Our hope is that this standing committee of the Parish Council becomes the most vibrant committee of the parish!

◆ For many of our students, this week marks the last week of summer vacation. (It sure seemed to go fast!) Let us remember our students and families as they prepare for going back to school.

◆ Looking ahead, next weekend, our parish will host Sister Betty Leiwe, CSJ, Director of the St. Joseph Workers. We have been praying for her and the young women who volunteer for St. Joseph Workers, post-college program of service, spirituality, and ministry for social change. Besides her work with the St. Joseph Workers, Sister Betty is an accomplished musician. She will cantor at our 10:00AM mass!

Let us continue to follow Christ and minister in the Little Way of St. Therese.

God be with you!

*Dr. Alexandra Guliano*

## Thank You

- ◆ To the family of Anna Daewel for donating the new security system for the parish.
- ◆ To John Aschenbrener, who has answered the call to ministry as Coordinator of Eucharistic Ministry to the Sick and Homebound for our parish. If you are interested in participating in this ministry, please contact John.
- ◆ To Alice Kennedy, Leona McGraw, Terri Wissing, Dianne Dagen, Pat Safavi, Kathy Andrews, and Marge Dunn for all the help they provided in clearing and grooming the gardens around the church and parking lot. Their hard work is greatly appreciated.



## Donate Sanctuary Candle for a Month

The sanctuary candle in the chapel signals and indicates the presence of Christ in the tabernacle. The cost of the candles per month is \$10. Please consider donating for the cost of the sanctuary light in memory of a loved one or for a special intention. The only months still available are May and July 2011. Requests will be honored in the order received. Thank you for your understanding.

## Donations Needed

- ◆ New sink for the small kitchen adjacent to the current Wedding Room. We are in the process of making that area a service kitchen for our hospitality in the church. Cost is \$99.

## Ushers Needed for 5:00PM and 10:30AM Masses

Ushers are needed for the 10:30AM mass for every week of the new liturgical ministry schedule for September through December and for most of the 5:00PM masses. Ushers are asked to please fill in the open spots on the schedule. More Ushers are needed for the 5:00PM and 10:30AM masses so that we can continue to offer mass at these times. If you are interested in being trained as an Usher, please contact the Usher Coordinator, Dan Goeden, at (414) 430-7322. Training sessions will be held in September/October.



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## Friendly Reminder to All Liturgical Ministers

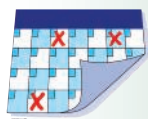
If you are unable to minister at an assigned liturgy time, please arrange for a substitute. Crossing your name off the list for ministry on a particular day indicates that you have checked in and are in church for ministry. Please refrain from simply placing a note "need a sub" or "open" on the schedule. Thank you for taking the time to assure that we have a full complement of liturgical minister at each celebration of the Eucharist.



### CHURCH SUPPORT

Envelopes & Offertory \$4364.99

Please remember St. Therese in your will!



## Parish Events for the Week

**Sunday, August 22nd**

No Meetings Scheduled

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No Meetings Scheduled

**Tuesday, August 24th**

No Meetings Scheduled

**Wednesday, August 25th**

No Meetings Scheduled

**Thursday, August 26th**

No Meetings Scheduled

**Friday, August 27th**

No Meetings Scheduled

**Saturday, August 28th—Sharing Weekend**

No Meetings Scheduled

**Sunday, August 29th—Sharing Weekend**

No Meetings Scheduled

CH=Church, CHP=Chapel, GLP=God's Little Place, GN=Good News Gathering Place, HH=Heck Hall, KIT=Heck Hall Kitchen, LIB=Library, MC=Miriam's Corner, RR=Raphael Room, STR=St. Therese Room

### Rides to Church Ministry

We would like to help those in our parish who need a ride to church. Those needing a ride to church once or twice a month would be paired with parish members who live in the area willing to take the person to church. If you are interested in either of these ministries, please contact Kathy Doyne at (414) 771-7555.

### Grandmothers Beyond Borders

Whether you are a grandmother or have a grandmother you cherish, we know that the wisdom and support grandmothers give us is priceless. Grandmothers Beyond Borders invites you to join us on Grandparent's Day to learn about the grandmothers in Africa, specifically Uganda, who are so courageously burying their own children due to HIV/AIDS and raising their grandchildren in absolute poverty. We will have Ugandan treats, grandmother handmade crafts, and a brief presentation. This event will take place on September 12th from 1:00–3:00PM. Please RSVP to Alice Kennedy at: (414) 771-8147 or [lal\\_kennedy@sbcglobal.net](mailto:lal_kennedy@sbcglobal.net)

### Question of the Week:

What is meant by "choosing the narrow gate?"

### Sharing Sunday Recipient—St. Joseph Workers

The St. Joseph Worker Program, sponsored by the Sisters of St. Joseph, provides young women the opportunity to give a year of their lives in service to their community. These young women work full-time jobs with disadvantaged populations and receive in return room and board and a small monthly stipend. The workers live in community, have opportunities to grow spiritually, and become leaders for social change. Please support their desire to give of themselves to change their community and be changed by their choice.



### Green Team Lawn Party

Join the Green Team for a Lawn Party on Saturday August 28th from 9:00–12:00PM, and help transform our parish's landscaping into reflections of God's creation! Bring any plants or fall bulbs you may have thinned from your garden or bargains you found at the store! Bring your gardening tools. Refreshments will be provided!

### Last Call for Sunset Playhouse with 55+ Club

The deadline for reservations is Monday, August 23rd. Our 55+ Club is going to the Sunset Playhouse "You Can't Get There From Here" on Thursday, October 21st at 8:00PM. The cost per ticket is \$15. If you would like to enjoy the show with the group, please submit your cash or check made out to St. Therese Parish, in an envelope addressed to 55+ to the Parish Office.

### A Call To Music Ministry

It's that time again — the time of year to look ahead and plan for fall and winter, even though the outside temperatures are still heated up. Our music ministry programs are gearing up for the fall season. All of the music ministries are accepting new members.

**Canticle Choir** provides sung prayer leadership at funerals. It rehearses the second Tuesday each month from September through May and provides sung leadership two weekends per month.

**Cantor Ministry** provides sung leadership at the 5:00PM and 8:00AM weekend liturgies and the 10:30AM liturgy once a month. The schedule is flexible and rehearsals are planned at your convenience.

If either of these ministries sounds intriguing, contact Elterine (Dusty) in the Parish Office. Stay tuned for more opportunities in music ministry!

### All New Art & Environment Committee

A&E is now a committee under Building Services. Denise and Whitney would like to invite you to join a **new A&E Committee**.



This committee will be involved in the liturgical environment changes for each season. Bring your helping hands, artistic eyes and idea-filled minds and join us for a little work mixed with a lot of fun. The new A&E committee will have a monthly meeting (except June & July) to *discuss* and *organize* the details of any upcoming liturgical environmental changes. Members will have a clear idea in advance of what will be expected of them so these changes can be done quickly and efficiently. We would like to have a working, well-staffed committee, formed by late September (the more people the better). All interested parishioners (men, women, and young adults) please contact Denise or Whitney (by phone or email) in the Parish Office. We look forward to working with the great volunteers in our St. Therese Community.

## Intentions & Readings for the Week



### August Sanctuary Candle

Intentions of Judy Dietz

### Monday

2 Th 1:1-5, 11-12/Mt 23:13-22

### Tuesday Mass

Rv 21:9b-14/Jn 1:45-51

8:00AM †Louis & †Rosie Wild

### Wednesday

2 Th 3:6-10, 16-18/Mt 23:27-32

### Thursday Liturgy of the Word with Communion

8:00AM 1 Cor 1:1-9/Mt 24:42-51

### Friday Liturgy of the Word with Communion

8:00AM 1 Cor 1:17-25/Mt 25:1-13

### Saturday Mass

1 Cor 1:26-31/Mt 25:14-30

5:00PM †Clement Zipperer

### Sunday Masses

Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/Lk 14:1, 7-14

8:00AM †Tony Sincere

10:00AM St. Therese Parish Community and  
†Anita, †Mike, and †Chris Costello

## Entertainment Book Sales

They're almost here! The first weekend we will be selling them is September 4th/5th. Milwaukee editions are \$35, and you can take them home with you and begin using them that weekend. They don't expire until November 2011. You could also order an out-of-town edition for possibly even less. Send one to grandparents in Florida, or keep one in your winter home in Arizona! This was a great fundraiser for us last year, and we're hoping to do even better this year. Please ask your friends and family to purchase one (or two!) or get one for everyone on your hard-to-buy-for Christmas list. Thank you for your support!

## Separated/Divorced Weekend of Healing

Friday-Sunday, October 15th-17th at Holy Hill in Hubertus, WI. This healing weekend is designed to help each participant embark upon a new phase of life. It is an opportunity for divorced persons to pause and examine their lives – their strong points and weaknesses, their hurts, disappointments, joys and frustrations. It is a weekend of involvement. The cost of \$150.00 includes five meals and lodging for the entire weekend. Registration deadline is Friday, October 8th. For more information or a registration form, please contact Annette in The Nazareth Project office at (414) 758-2201 or visit the following website: <http://www.johnpaul2center.org/NazarethProject/SeparatedandDivorced.htm>

## 76 Trombones...

...are needed along with flutes, clarinets and violins! Please help the Pius XI-sponsored Performing Arts Academy bring music education and performance opportunities to our Archdiocesan grade schools by donating your old band or string instruments. Your old instrument will be re-conditioned and used by a young musician in grades 4-8 who cannot afford to purchase or rent one. The value of your instrument may be recorded as a tax deductible donation, while offering a student in need the chance to experience music is *priceless!* To donate your instrument, contact Joelle Karth, Instrumental Music Faculty - Pius XI High School, at [jkarth@piusxi.org](mailto:jkarth@piusxi.org) or (414) 290-8186 for more information.

## Looking for a Bible Study?

### Join Metro Bible Study

For a Study of The Acts of the Apostles  
Times and Places:

- ♦ Tuesdays, 7:00–9:00PM, beginning September 14th  
St. Dominic, Brookfield
- ♦ Wednesdays, 7:00–9:00PM, beginning September 15th  
Holy Apostles, New Berlin
- ♦ Thursdays, 9:30–11:30AM, beginning September 16th  
St. John Vianney, Brookfield

Cost: \$50 single or \$75/couple

Registration: Now until September 3rd, or until space is filled.

Questions: Contact Miles Vilski (262) 251-8897; Lucy Clancy (262) 641-9193; or Jo Ann Hagner (262) 785-9164

## Giving in Small Ways

Stewardship is not about large giving but gifts in small ways. A child's gift, although small, gives glory to the Lord in many ways. Stewardship does not have to be in monetary ways. A gift of time to an elderly shut-in serves the Lord, too. A gift of a loaf of bread to a homeless family could mean the difference between going to bed hungry or going to bed satisfied.

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Born to Eternal Life: †Anna Daevel

## Food for the Hungry Needs You

Food for the Hungry, Inc. delivers bakery to over 700 meal programs and food pantries in Southeastern Wisconsin. We serve over 100,000 people in need each week. We are in desperate need for volunteers to help deliver or load vehicles in Milwaukee and Waukesha County a day or two for a few hours each week. Check out our website [foodforthehungryinc.org](http://foodforthehungryinc.org) for more information about our ministry. If you can help, please call Mike Czarnecki at (414) 771-0715.

### Liturgical Ministry Schedules

Liturgical ministry schedules for lectors, servers, Eucharistic ministers, greeters, and ushers for September through December are now available in the sacristy. Please pick up a copy as soon as possible. If you are interested in joining one of the ministries, please contact the appropriate coordinator below.

- Altar Servers: Jim Balliet (414) 257-0339
- EMs: Lisa Stringer (262) 442-3856
- Greeters: Audrey Wright (414) 771-2140
- Lectors: Lisa Hollander (414) 443-9656
- Scheduler: Mari Pavleje (414) 545-2733
- Ushers: Dan Goeden (414) 430-7322

### Donations of Food Items Needed

Our harvest Craft Fair will be here before you know it! We need your help to make it as profitable as possible. Last year, we raised almost \$5000 from this 2-day event. The biggest help for us was the donations of food items. We're counting on you, our generous parishioners, to help again this year. At this time, we are asking for the following items:

- ♦ Single serving bags of chips
- ♦ 3 large bottles of mustard
- ♦ Large bags of nacho chips
- ♦ Bottled water (any brand approximately 18 oz each)
- ♦ Cans of soda (in these flavors only please!): diet and regular Pepsi, diet and regular Coke, Mountain Dew, 7-Up
- ♦ Baked goods: We obviously don't want these until just a few days before the event, but if you would like to commit to baking something, please call or email Courtney in the Parish Office.



To donate any of these items, please bring them to the Parish Office any time during business hours. Please do not leave these items in church. If you have questions, or would like to know how else you could help, please call Courtney in the Parish Office. Thank you for anything you can do!

### Prayer List for Mass—How to Add/Remove a Name

**Need to remove or add a name to the Prayer List?** Please kindly send an email or call Courtney Falk, Administrative Assistant in the Parish Office. You can always leave a message after office hours, too. Also, you can add a name to the Prayer List online through our website: [sainttheresemilwaukee.org/prayerlist](http://sainttheresemilwaukee.org/prayerlist) **Please kindly follow this process so that we can ensure that your requests are honored and prayer is offered.**

### Announcing the Third Annual Ministry Fair

October 9th/10th has been designated as the appropriate time to address the needs of our committees, groups, and ministries. Following each mass you are invited down to Heck Hall to learn more about all the great things going on at St. Therese. You will be welcomed by friendly folks and homemade goodies, and have the opportunity to talk with active members of the Parish and learn where you will best fit in.

Committee, group, and ministry leaders: please sign up for table space and let us know if there is anything particular that you might need. The deadline to register is October 3rd. Questions can be addressed to Alice Kennedy at (414) 771-8147 or [lal\\_kennedy@sbcglobal.net](mailto:lal_kennedy@sbcglobal.net)

### Ministry Fair Reservation Form

Group Name \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_ Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

We need:  1/2 Table  Full Table  # of chairs \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this slip to Human Concerns by OCTOBER 3RD.

### Parish Council

1st Monday of Month at 7:00PM  
[council@sainttheresemilwaukee.org](mailto:council@sainttheresemilwaukee.org)

#### Chairperson

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(414) 462-7837

### Hospital Visits

The Federal Privacy Regulation (HIPAA—Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act) prohibits hospitals from informing churches of a patient's presence unless the patient gives permission for the hospital to do so. If you are admitted to a hospital and would like a pastoral visit, please contact Dr. Guliano in the Parish Office.

### Prayer List for Mass

It is our privilege to pray at our weekend masses for those in need. If you would like to add a name to the list, please complete the form at [sainttheresemilwaukee.org/prayerlist](http://sainttheresemilwaukee.org/prayerlist) or call Courtney in the Parish Office.

### Need Prayer?

Call the Prayer Network at  
(414) 607-0681.

**Bulletin deadline:**  
Monday, 8:30AM

**Announcement deadline:**  
Thursday, 12:00 NOON

*All submissions must be in writing; email preferred.*