



Saint Theresia Parish

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

June 2nd, 2013

Parish Staff

Parish Director

Dr. Alexandra Guliano ext. 14
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Ministers

All the Members of the Parish

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(414) 771-2500 – listen for instructions



Then taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing over them, broke them, and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd. They all ate and were satisfied. And when the leftover fragments were picked up, they filled twelve wicker baskets. — Lk 9:16-17

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Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00PM
Sunday: 9:00AM
Tuesday: 8:00AM
Wednesday: 6:30PM

Summer Mass
and Liturgy
Schedule!

Liturgy of the Word with Communion:
Thursday: 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 – Thursday:
8:30AM – 4:00PM
closed 12:00PM – 12:30PM

Friday:
Closed

From the Desk of the Parish Director

- Thanks to the increased stewardship commitments and special donations for the Operating Budget 2013-2014, we have balanced the budget and have submitted it to the Archdiocese Office of Parish Finance. A combination of careful monitoring of spending, increased volunteer ministries, and parish members taking another “step in financial stewardship” has resulted in our meeting our first goal, which was a balanced 2013-2014 Operating Budget.

Our next goal is to fully fund our Christian Formation ministry. Currently, we have the following Christian Formation ministries: sacramental preparation for 1st Reconciliation and 1st Eucharist by a stipended Catechist/Coordinator, Christine Reinders; youth Confirmation preparation by a stipended Catechist/Coordinator, Rick Reinders; Children’s Liturgy of the Word by five volunteer catechists; Tween Program by two volunteer parents; Teen Meal Program and Activities, coordinated by stipended Coordinator Rick Reinders.

- Congratulations to our graduates! We pray God’s blessing on you and your future endeavors!
- We honor and thank Sister Ingrid Hamm, SSND and Sister Margit Loeffler, SSND this weekend at our 9:00AM mass, followed by hospitality in the Gathering Space. Sister Margit faithfully laundered and ironed our purificators and corporals and Sister Ingrid ministered as Lay Presider and Canticle Choir member for eleven years before they moved to the SSND Motherhouse in Elm Grove after the death of †Sister Sara Jean Donegan, SSND. We have the opportunity to thank them this weekend and to let them know that they will always be a part of us here at St. Therese.
- On this Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ, let us commit to living our faith as members of Christ’s Body.

Peace be with you,

Dr. Alexandra Guliano

Thank You

- To all who donated Memorials in memory of †Dr. Kayvon Safavi.

Congratulations

- To Pete Lovinus, who was one of the Korean War veterans honored at Miller Park on Memorial Day for his service to our country. Pete was accompanied by his grandson, West Point Cadet, Peter Zeidler, and granddaughter, Erin Lovinus. He threw out a fine first pitch!

Donations Needed

- Funeral Preparation Booklets—\$35 or (5 donations of \$7 each)
- If you wish to donate all or some of these, please contact Heather Goeden in the Parish Office.

Archdiocesan Synod Announced: June 7th-8th, 2014

Archbishop Listecki has announced that an Archdiocesan Synod will be held Pentecost weekend, June 7th-8th, 2014. A Synod, simply put, is an assembly where the faithful deliberate on the pastoral needs of the diocese. The Synod will gather people from the entire Catholic community including priests, parish directors, deacons, lay parish leadership, religious communities and parishioners.

The hope of the Synod will be to re-energize Catholics in their faith and inspire a new evangelization within the Church of southeastern Wisconsin. The Synod will provide the faith community the opportunity to develop a renewed vision of how we work together in implementing our pastoral priorities of Catholic Identity, Evangelization and Stewardship.

Archbishop Listecki’s recently released Pastoral Letter on the Church, *Who Do You Say That I Am?*, is the foundation from which the Synod planning will occur. Parishes are being asked to hold dialogue sessions in October and November for all parishioners. These sessions will be rooted in the Pastoral Letter and will give parishioners an opportunity to provide input on pastoral goals and future initiatives for the archdiocese.

The Synod and the sessions leading up to it should be a wonderful and exciting spirit-led process that will give the archdiocese a clearer direction of priorities for the next 10 years. For more information visit the Synod website at www.archmil.org/Synod2014.htm. You will be hearing about the fall parish sessions in the future.

Diane May—Fundraising Committee Coordinator

Thanks to Diane May who has responded to the call to coordinate a Fundraising Committee for our parish! Diane is in the process of forming a committee which will review all fundraising proposals and ideas before sending these to the Finance/Administration Committee. If you are interested in ministering in this way, please contact Diane.

Summer Office Hours Begin Monday, June 3rd



- Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday
8:30AM to 4:00PM
(closed Noon to 12:30PM for lunch)
- Friday - Office Closed

Please Note: Change to June Office Hours

- Tuesday, June 18th – The Parish Office will open at 10:30AM.

Summer Mass Schedule

June through August

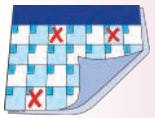
- 5:00PM Saturday
- 9:00AM Sunday



CHURCH SUPPORT

Envelopes & Offertory	\$ 4,890.41
Maintenance Donations	\$ 60.00

Please remember St. Therese in your will!



Parish Events for the Week

Sunday, June 2nd

9:00AM Children's Liturgy of the Word (CH)
10:00AM Sr. Ingrid & Sr. Margit Hospitality (CH)

Monday, June 3rd – Summer Office Hours Begin

6:00PM Saint Vincent dePaul Society (HH)
7:00PM Parish Council (MC)

Tuesday, June 4th

6:30PM Personnel Committee (STR)

Wednesday, June 5th

11:30AM SVdP Meal Program–Cook (KIT)
4:30PM SVdP Meal Program–Serve (OFFSITE)

Thursday, June 6th

7:00PM Group 100 AA (MC)

Friday, June 7th – Parish Office Closed

No Meetings Scheduled

Saturday, June 8th – Library Display

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Sunday, June 9th – Library Display

9:00AM Children's Liturgy of the Word (CH)

CH=Church, CHP=Chapel, GLP=God's Littlest 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

Thank You

Thank you to everyone who contributed prayer shawls. Over 40 exquisitely crafted shawls were blessed on May 19th! Artists include Sandi Skrobis, Kathy Fry, Darnelle Kaishian, Joyce Balliet (and St. Dennis Parish), Kathy Doyne, Kaitlyn Shields, Linda Okruhlica, and Mary Ellen Nenning. Your work has brought comfort to many recipients! Thanks to many others who have donated the yarn. Shawls are always appreciated! If you would like to make a shawl, please contact Christine Jensen at (262) 391-1851.

St. Therese 55+ Social Club

Please join the St. Therese 55+ club for a potluck luncheon and program on Thursday, June 13th. We will eat at 12:00PM, with the entertainment program beginning at 12:30PM, with Jessica Michna, portraying the life of Helen Keller. Please bring a dish with last names beginning: A-H salad, J-O main dish, P-Z dessert. This will be our last gathering until September.

The Parish Office Needs 8 ½" x 11"

White Scrap Paper

We could use white, 8 ½" x 11" scrap paper with one side clean. We welcome your donations, and please realize that we are unable to use any advertisements or anything that can be construed as confidential.

May 19, 2013

Pentecost Sunday ~ Year of Faith

My Dear Brother Priests, Deacons, Parish Directors, and other Leaders and Advisors,

It is with great excitement on this Feast of Pentecost, that I announce an Archdiocesan Synod will be held Pentecost weekend, June 7th-8th, 2014. The Synod will gather people from the entire Catholic community including priests, parish directors, deacons, lay parish leadership, religious communities and parishioners to deliberate on the pastoral needs of the diocese.

As the Holy Spirit came to the early Christians on Pentecost, "the birthday of the Church," I pray the Synod will re-energize Catholics in their faith and inspire a new evangelization within the Church of southeastern Wisconsin. The Synod will provide our faith community the opportunity to develop a renewed vision of how we work together in implementing our pastoral priorities of Catholic Identity, Evangelization and Stewardship.

My recently released Pastoral Letter on the Church, "Who Do You Say That I Am?", is the foundation from which the Synod planning will occur. As part of the process leading up to the Synod, I am asking parishes to hold parish or cluster sessions in October and November for all parishioners. These sessions will be rooted in the Pastoral Letter and will give parishioners an opportunity to provide input on pastoral goals and future initiatives for the archdiocese.

District gatherings will then be held in February and March 2014 to pray, dialogue and further discern these goals and initiatives. The plans and topics that come forth from these district sessions will be finalized at the Archdiocesan Synod in June 2014. Following the Synod, I will issue a "synodal declaration" which will identify goals, priorities and recommendations for implementing the vision of the Synod.

The Synod and the sessions leading up to it should be a wonderful and exciting spirit-led process that will give the archdiocese a clearer direction of priorities for the next 10 years. I look forward to working with all of you as we prepare for the 2014 Synod in the Archdiocese of Milwaukee.

Asking God's blessing upon you and those you serve, and with assurance of prayers, I am,

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Jerome E. Listecki

Archbishop of Milwaukee

P.S. We have created a webpage for the upcoming Synod, which is available at www.archmil.org/Synod2014.htm. Visit often for Synod information and resources!

Be Vigilant

It is vitally important that we are constantly vigilant – that we always observe the behaviors of those who interact with children. And we must always communicate our concerns to the appropriate parties. Sometimes this means communicating our safety concerns to our children. And sometimes this means communicating our concerns about seemingly inappropriate behavior to those who are in a position to intervene. Parents must also listen carefully to their children and observe both their children's activities and the behavior of older children and adults who interact with them. When children exhibit dramatic behavioral changes, adults must find out what cause the changes. Being aware of what's happening with our children means talking to, listening to, and observing them – at every opportunity.

Source: www.virtusonline.org/virtus

Intentions & Readings for the Week



June Sanctuary Candle

†Frank, †Julia & †John Krolicki

Sunday, June 2nd

Gn 14:18-20/1 Cor 11:23-26/Lk 9:11b-17

Monday, June 3rd

Tb 1:3; 2:1b-8/Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday, June 4th

Tb 2:9-14/Mk 12:13-17

8:00AM †Eulalia Budka

Wednesday, June 5th

Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a/Mk 12:18-27

6:30PM †Alvin Hanna

Thursday, June 6th

Liturgy of the Word with Communion

8:00AM Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a/Mk 12:28-34

Friday, June 7th

Ez 34:11-16/Rom 5:5b-11/Lk 15:3-7

Saturday Mass, June 8th

Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20/Lk 2:41-51

5:00PM †Theodor Schmidt

Sunday Mass, June 9th

1 Kgs 17:17-24/Gal 1:11-19/Lk 7:11-17

9:00AM St. Therese Parish Community and
†Robert Clark



Mimi Albano, Lenore Black, Judith Bolton, Gene Brah, Alyce Breitweiser, Kathryn Brinn, Dolores Brunner, Marjorie Corak, Rachel Corak, Jean Dalnodar, Jeannie and Karl Deutscher, Loretta Dobert, Tim Dondlinger, Kaylin Dushek, Leonard Dushek, Maija Farenhorst, Barbara Fischer, Ethel Forster, Doris Griger, M. Rose and Michael Jules, Chuck Kestner, Joe Landry, Shirley Leinss, Travis Lerchen, Ann Leys, Pete Lovinus, Mary Jane Lucas, Neil Massey, Lori Mikula, Susan Monyette, Andy Nitka, Karen Nycz, Susan Ody, Rachel Ragatz, Judy Rahn, Barb Redzich, Barbara Schmitz, Terry Shinn, Carlene Siever, Joel Simpson, Marion Sinks, Susan Sinks, Marion Stabo, Mark Stabo, Gina Stone, Ruth Stueckroth, Salvatore Vallone, Pius Vetter, Don Wackholz, David White, Anita Yaeger

Born to Eternal Life:

†Brittany Barnstable, granddaughter of Jill and Mel Mickey, †Everett Brown, and †Jack Meier



Liturgical Ministers Scheduled for June 8th/9th

	5:00PM	9:00AM
Lectors	Stetter, G. Drozdownicz, D.	Tym, N. Coughlin, Sr. L.
Altar Servers	Hartay, A.	Safavi, P.
Eucharistic Ministers	Gill, Jane – 1 Molosky, T. – 2 Schmidt, D. – 3 Nee, A. – 4 Hartay, Mary – 5	Jensen, C. – 1 Okruhlica, L. – 2 Rickert, P. – 3 Krebs, J. – 4 Safavi, P. – 5
Greeters	Schmidt, D. Stabo, M. Graf, V.	Tym, L. Miller, G. Wright, A.
Ushers	Hartay, Matt Lemke, D. Gill, Jim	Sachse, G. Brunner, N. Kolesari, G. Moehr, D.

Combined Collections: The Church in the United States

All registered households in the Archdiocese of Milwaukee will be receiving a mailing and appeal to support the Combined Collections: The Church in the United States. The five ministries supported by this appeal include:

Black and Indian Missions reach out to those who seek Christ in what is often a hostile environment. Approximately half of the funds collected are returned to our archdiocese to assist local projects and initiatives.

Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCSD) confronts the causes of poverty, rather than merely treating its symptoms. With the archbishop's approval, CCJD makes both national and local grants each year to create jobs, improve education, and strengthen neighborhoods.

Catholic University of America is the national university of the Catholic Church. This collection underwrites scholarships to assist financially deserving students in completing their education.

Catholic Communications Campaign develops media programming and resources that promote Gospel values. Within the Archdiocese of Milwaukee, thousands of homebound Catholics have access to the Sunday radio and television masses, and many more enjoy hearing spiritual messages from the archbishop on local radio and TV.

Retirement Fund for Religious distributes grants to religious institutes for the retirement needs of senior religious priests, brothers, and sisters.

Thank you for your generosity!

Fortnight for Freedom

In the Archdiocese of Milwaukee, parishes are asked to observe this Fortnight for Freedom, and to invite their parishioners to end the Fortnight for Freedom on July 4th at 9:00AM as Archbishop Jerome Listdecki presides at the closing mass at St. Charles Borromeo Parish in Hartland. For more information please go to www.Fortnight4Freedom.org.

Career TOOLS Conference

Are you 19 or older and unemployed? Transform and empower your job search at the Career TOOLS Conference on Tuesday, June 25th at the Cousins Center (3501 South Lake Drive, Milwaukee). This all day, free educational event is open to the public and features industry experts to provide the most current job search strategies, tools, and hands-on practice designed to empower unemployed job seekers. Pre-registration required due to limited seating. Admission tickets available at: <http://tinyurl.com/2013careertoolsticket>

We Congratulate Our Graduates!

Daniel M. Bingham-Pankratz
Masters Degree in International Relations
Johns Hopkins University
School of Advanced International Studies,
Washington, D.C.

Eric Dushek
Graduating 8th Grade
Milwaukee School of Languages

Jacob Nowak
Completion Certificate
Morse-Marshall High School

Maral Safavi
Bachelors Degree in Psychology
UW-Milwaukee

Parish Council

1st Monday of Month at 7:00PM
council@sainttheresemilwaukee.org

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Vice-Chairperson

John Gritzmacher (414) 453-5265

Secretary

Pat Touchett (414) 257-0221

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Mary Rose Sanger (414) 425-2028

Greater Tosa

Interfaith

(414) 453-5750

Saint Vincent

de Paul

(414) 462-7837

Craft Fair 2013 is Underway!

Even though summer is just starting, we've already got eyes on November when we will have our annual Craft Fair. We will need plenty of volunteers to continue this event and be successful, so please mark your calendars for November 2nd and 3rd. If you would like to exhibit your crafts, please visit the website for all the information and application. Otherwise, keep your eyes on the bulletin for more specific needs later this summer. Thanks in advance for another great fair!

Please Join Us For Some Fun!

Martin Luther Church, Milwaukee Mennonite and St. Therese are sponsoring a picnic on Sunday June 9th from 11:00AM – 3:00PM at Cannon Park. This is a Pot Luck along with free will offering that will go towards the purchase of the grilling meats and all the fixings. There will be games for the children and lots of fellowship for the adults. Please bring a lawn chair. We hope to see many of you at this fun filled event. Please fill out the attached form and place in the collection basket. If you have any questions, please contact Kathy Hubrich at (414) 259-1961. See you at the picnic!!!!

Interfaith Picnic RSVP

Name _____ Phone () _____

Email _____ Adults _____ Children _____

Please drop this form in the collection basket.

130 Pew Hymnal Donations Needed

Please see the donation form below, and thanks for considering donating another book!

Order Form for the GATHER Hymnals – Please Print

Pew Hymnals: \$15.50 Quantity _____ Total amount: \$ _____

A Gift from: _____

In Memory of: _____

AND/OR

A Gift form: _____

In Honor of: _____

If you are ordering more than one hymnal please use a separate form for each.

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 Heather Goeden 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 or call Heather in the Parish Office.

Need Prayer?

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

Bulletin deadline:

Monday, 8:30AM

Announcement deadline:

Thursday, 1:00PM

All submissions must be in writing; email preferred.