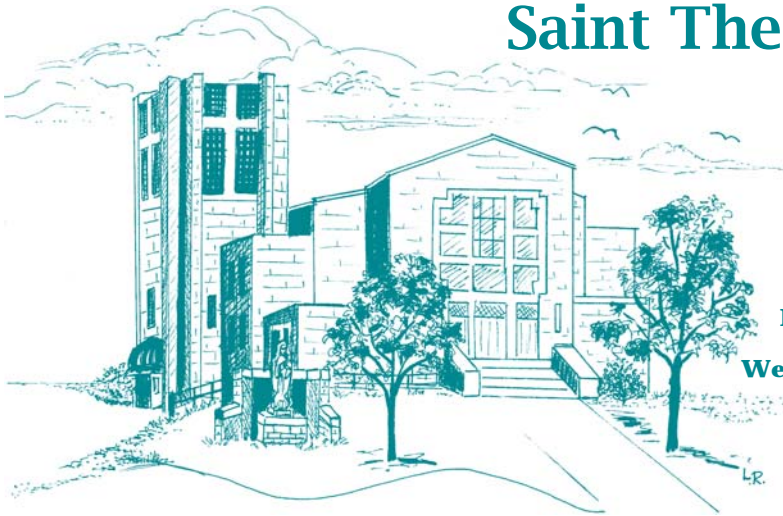


# Saint Therese Parish Community



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## Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday 8:30am to 4:00pm  
(Closed during the lunch hour, noon until 12:30)  
Wednesday noon to 7:30pm, closed from 4:00 to 4:30 pm  
Friday 8:30 to noon

## Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00PM Sunday: 8:00am & 10:00am  
Tuesday: 8:00am and Friday: 7:30am  
Liturgy of the Word with Communion:  
Wednesday & Thursday: 8:00am  
There is no Morning Service on Monday  
Holy Day Schedules printed inside bulletin

## Reconciliation/Confessions

1st Saturday of the Month 4:15 to 4:45pm

## Parish Staff

**Parish Director**  
Dr. Alexandra Guliano 771-2500  
gulianoa@archmil.org ext. 14

**Assisting Priest**  
Rev. Hugh Birdsall, SDS

**Help-out Priest**  
Rev. Norm Oswald

**Administrative Assistant**  
Courtney Falk 771-2500  
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**Pastoral Associate for Catechesis**  
Marian Lamoureux 771-2500  
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**Bookkeeper**  
Toni Hirschfeldt 771-2500  
hirschfeldt@archmil.org ext. 17

**Christcare Minister**  
Barbara Heinz 771-2500  
ext. 13

**Pastoral Musician**  
Elterine Biggers 771-2500  
jankowe@archmil.org ext. 15  
Sterling Biggers, Accompanist

**Maintenance Team**  
Toni Timm 771-2500  
Mike Davis ext. 16  
Dan Hubrich

**Ministers**  
All the Members of the Parish

Health & Wholeness Ministry will offer blood pressure screening after the Saturday 5:00pm and between the Sunday 8:00am and 10:00am Masses the second weekend of each month. If you are interested, go to the last pew near the Bluemound entrance.

*We are Saint Therese Catholic Church, a community of believers who walk together by faith in Christ Jesus and strive hand-in-hand to live as God's people.*

### Parish Membership

We warmly welcome those who wish to become parish members. The Parish Office hours are listed above.

### Weddings

Planning and preparation for the celebration of Marriage may take six months or more. Please call the Parish Office before making any other commitments for a specific wedding date.

### Anointing of the Sick

Offered after any weekend Mass and celebrated after all weekend Masses the second weekend of the month in the Chapel. Also by request; please call the Parish Office.

### Baptisms

Baptisms are celebrated within Mass on a designated Sunday. Baptismal preparation required. One or both members of the couple must be a registered parishioner for at least six months. Please call the Parish Office for more details. **Please call the Parish Office to let us know whenever a new member of your family arrives.**

**Federal Privacy Regulation — HIPAA (Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act)** — prohibits all 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 remembrance in prayer or a pastoral visit, please call the Parish Office.

### Parish Council Members

The Parish Council meets the first Tuesday of the Month at 7:00pm.

<b>Trustee</b>			
Dennis Ferger	(414) 778-2028	Brittaney Check	(414) 476-9166
<b>Trustee</b>		Suzanne Goodacre	(414) 475-5062
Mari Pavleje	(414) 545-2733	Alice Kennedy	(414) 771-8147
<b>Chairperson</b>		Nancy Radomski	(414) 453-3788
Kathy Hubrich	(414) 259-1961	Christine Reinders	(414) 607-8847
<b>Vice Chairperson</b>		Danielle Siclovan	(262) 252-3120
Jack Carini	(414) 456-1762	June Verette	(414) 453-8756
<b>Secretary</b>			
Jan Eno	(414) 258-3477		

**Greater Tosa Interfaith 453-5750**  
**Saint Vincent de Paul 771-2500**

~ Please remember Saint Therese Parish in your will ! ~

FROM THE DESK OF THE PARISH DIRECTOR:

As we reflect on our commitment to stewardship, I share this prayer from an unknown author. There are copies of this prayer on prayer cards on the tables at the entrances of the church.

"MY CHURCH IS COMPOSED" STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

My church is composed of people like me. I help make it what it is. It will be friendly, if I am. It's pews will be filled, if I help fill them. If will do great work, if I work. It was make generous gifts to many causes, if I am a generous giver. If will bring other people into its worship and fellowship, if I invite and bring them. It will be a church of loyalty and love, or fearlessness and faith, and a church of noble spirit, if I, who make it what it is, am filled with these same things. Therefore, with the help of God, I shall dedicate myself to the task of BEING all the things that I want my church to be.

God be with you! Dr. Alexandra Guliano



When we carry enough faith in our hearts each day, we'll feel God's saving power, His gentle guiding ways. When we seek him daily in our thoughts and prayers, we'll share His love with others upon life's thoroughfare. By kindly thoughts and deeds, His will is being done, for the Father loves us all, each and every one.

Our hope for you is firm, for we know that as you share in the sufferings, you also share in the encouragement. 2 Corinthians 1:7

Please remember the following in your prayers:

- Margaret Anderson \* Lenore Black \* Andy Islo Sr. Mary Cosimi \* Frank & Gertrude Eskra \* David Dane Ann Farell \* Lynn Gordon \* Karl Henn \* Mary Stoke Sue Gritzmacher \* Angie Hillyer \* Ginny Kopischke Bill & Carol Hoppenjan \* Garnet Jankowski Ken Knollenberg \* Ann Lackovic \* Millie Metz Carmella Milazzo \* Andy Moehr \* Pat Nicholas Bernice Padol \* Amy Pluta \* Judy Rahn \* Eva Stabl Barbara Schmitz \* Carlene Siever \* Susan Sinks Marion Stabo \* Andy Stiles \* Art Bonk \* Joanne Weiss

55+ Social Club

The bus for Holy Hill on Wednesday, October 25th will leave the St. Therese parking lot at 9:30am. Our next meeting is on Wednesday, November 29th at Alioto's on Hwy 100 and Burleigh at 11:30am for our annual Christmas luncheon. The cost per person is \$14

and you have a choice of sliced roast pork, baked chicken parmesan or breaded Sicilian cod. Reservations and money are due on November 6th. Call Barb Heinz at the Parish Office to make a reservation — all are welcome!



--To Mary Wamser for the special donation to the parish. Mary is moving to California and sent a note to our parish community wishing us God's blessings.

Parish Council Meeting

All Parish members are welcome to attend the next meeting of the Parish Council, November 7th, at 7pm in the All Purpose Room. Agenda items include reports from those who attended the Leadership Convocation on October 21st, the Parish Festival, Stewardship Reports and calls, review of the Living as God's People October program, and committee reports.

2006 ARCHDIOCESE OF MILWAUKEE ACCOUNTABILITY REPORT

Each fall, dating back to 2002, the Archdiocese of Milwaukee has published an Accountability Report, a comprehensive overview that details how the archdiocese addresses the issue of clergy sexual abuse. This year's report is complete and available the News & Events page of St. Therese's website. For more information, visit the archdiocesan website at www.archmil.org/2006accountability.

Donations Needed!

We would like to purchase a AED defibrillator unit for Heck Hall. The cost is \$1,000. If you would like to contribute to the purchase of this life-saving device, please call the Parish Office. Please consider donating in memory of a loved one or in special dedication.

Recently, a letter was sent out to all parish families and members

2006 - 2007 Parish Stewardship Commitment

regarding 2006-2007 Stewardship Commitment for the support of St. Therese Parish. Please pray about your financial and volunteer ministry commitment to the parish, fill out the card, and return it to the parish as soon as you can and by October 30, 2006. The Finance/Administration Committee and Parish Council members will follow-up by contacting by phone those who do not return their cards by that time.

Lector and Eucharistic Minister Meetings

Pease mark your calendars for the Lector Ministry meeting on Monday, October 30 at 7pm in the Church. All Lectors are asked to attend this important ministry meeting.

Please mark your calendars for the Eucharistic Ministry meeting on Monday, October 23 at 7pm in the Church. All Eucharistic Ministers are asked to attend this important ministry meeting.

October 22nd — October 29th

**Weekly Events**

**Sunday, October 22nd**

9:10 am Praise Band & Choirs (Church)

**Monday, October 23rd**

7:00 pm JustFaith (STR)

7:00 pm Eucharistic Ministry Meeting (Church)

8:00 pm SVdP Meeting (2nd Floor)

**Tuesday, October 24th**

8:30 am Bible Study Group (Library)

6:45 pm Prayer & Worship (Library)

**Wednesday, October 25th**

9:30 am 55+ Holy Hill Trip

6:15 pm Kids Choir (Chapel)

7:30 pm Praise Band (Church)

7:30 pm Choir (Chapel)

**Thursday, October 26th**

7:00 pm Presentation by Dr. Keith Egan (HH)

*Thérèse Martin: A Bold Young Woman*

**Friday, October 27th**

No Meetings Scheduled

**Saturday, October 28th—SVdP Bundle Sunday**

After 5pm Mass Festival Volunteer Appreciation Dinner (HH)

**Sunday, October 29th—SVdP Bundle Sunday**

9:10 am Praise Band & Choirs (Church)

**MILWAUKEE MONTESSORI SCHOOL PARKING LOT RENTAL**

This year Milwaukee Montessori School is not only renting our gym three days a week, but also the use of our parking lot during the repair and reconstruction of their parking lot. During the month of October, the MMS parking lot will be completely dug up and resurfaced. Drop off and pick up of children before and after school will take place on our parking lot until theirs is repaired. Our continued rental to MMS has helped us balance our 2006-2007 Budget. Thanks for your cooperation and understanding during "construction time."

**FESTIVAL VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DINNER**

For all who volunteered at the 2006 Festival  
**Saturday, October 28, 2006, After the 5:00 Mass**

Call the Parish Office or turn in this slip

BY **MONDAY, OCTOBER**



**Festival Dinner Reply Card**

Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Adults \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Children \_\_\_\_\_

Please return by Oct. 23rd

On Thursday, November 2nd, at 7pm we will have a prayer service to honor those parishioners who have died in the past year.

*An Evening to Remember*

Since the beginning of October, we have been entering the names of our deceased relatives and friends in *The Book of the Names of the Dead*, and now you have an added opportunity to pray for them at this special service. Join us as we pray for those whose lives have changed but not ended as they live on in God's kingdom.

**CHRISTCARE NEEDS YOU!**

ChristCare is currently looking for two parishioners to represent St. Therese Parish as board members for Greater Tosa Interfaith. This is an opportunity to work with representatives from 23 other churches who comprise the Greater Tosa Interfaith Chapter. Through its volunteers, Interfaith provides help to the older adults in our area. If you are interested, please contact Barb Heinz in the Parish Office.

Congratulations to the lucky winner of the festival quilt,

**David Schmitt**, who can contact the parish office and make arrangements to pick up his quilt.

*Little Flower Quilters*

Great job and many thanks to all that participated in the parish festival quilt project. Whether you donated fabric or money, sewed a square, helped sell raffle tickets, or bought a ticket, your support contributed to the success of the quilt project with over 1200 tickets sold.

A meeting will be scheduled for early November to plan our potluck and next project. Any questions, please contact Kathy Palmer at (414) 453-4098.



*Dr. Pat Safavi and Dr. Alexandra Guliano with two of our young Sharing Partners from the Next Door Foundation. October 4, 2006.*

**Are you irritable or easily angered?** Are you feeling sad, empty or hopeless? Are changes in your life leaving you feeling overwhelmed? Are you tired and having trouble concentrating or making decisions? These are common signs of depression. Most individuals are unaware of this illness because of the silence depression creates. **Catholic Charities** can help. Call us today at (800) 771-1114 to make an appointment with a therapist in your area.



**Readings for the Week of October 22nd, 2006**

**Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Sunday: Is 53:10-11; Heb 4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45  
 Monday: Eph 2:1-10; Lk 12:13-21  
 Tuesday: Eph 2:12-22; Lk 12:35-38  
 Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12; Lk 12:39-48  
 Thursday: Eph 3:14-21; Lk 12:49-53  
 Friday: Eph 4:1-6; Lk 12:54-59  
 Saturday: Eph 2:19-22; Lk 6:12-16

**Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Next Sunday: Jer 31:7-9; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF October 24th**

**Tuesday, October 24th**

7:45 am Mother of Perpetual Help Prayers  
 8:00 am †Marion Birdsall

**Wednesday, October 25th**

7:45 am Rosary before Liturgy  
 8:00 am Liturgy of the Word with Communion

**Thursday, October 26th**

7:45 am Rosary before Liturgy  
 8:00 am Liturgy of the Word with Communion

**Friday, October 27th**

7:30 am †Edward & Alice McSchane

**Saturday, October 28th**

5:00 pm †Patricia Hellmann

**Sunday, October 29th**

8:00 am People of St. Therese Parish  
 Community and †Martha B. Pendleton  
 10:00am †Anna Becker



**Convocation for Women**

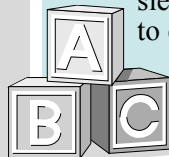
**October 28th  
 8 am - 2:30 pm**

at Cardinal Stritch University, *"Celebrating the Gifts Among Us: Gathering Women of Faith"*. Come for Prayer, Keynote speaker (Dr. Rev. Trinetta McCray), Café Conversation (a process of mutual sharing), and time for networking on topics of interest such as women's book groups, rural ministry, women's retreats, traveling dinner groups and more. **Cost: \$15.00.** Registration information can be found at the website – [www.archmil.org](http://www.archmil.org). Click on the "Four Women" logo at the bottom of the home page. For additional information contact Margaret Fohr at 414-769-3539 or 800-769-9373, ext 539 or email [womensday@archmil.org](mailto:womensday@archmil.org).



**BABY SHOWER**

Human Concerns is sponsoring the traditional baby shower during the month of October. Please bring new or gently used articles, such as diapers, baby bottles and formula, blankets, sleepers, shirts, undershirts, pants, cribs, or baby outfits, to church and place in the labeled boxes found at the church entrances. The donated items will be delivered to the Pregnancy Help Center. Please call Cathy Healey at (414) 476-8201 for more information.



*"So let us confidently approach the throne of grace to receive mercy and to find grace for timely help."*

The Second Reading encourages us to receive mercy and be refreshed in our marriage/holy orders. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are Nov 10-12 in Madison, Feb 16-18 in Rockford, March 23-25 in Milwaukee area and May 4-6 in Rockford. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: [www.alifetimeoflove.org](http://www.alifetimeoflove.org) or call (888) 574-5653.

**Worldwide  
 Marriage  
 Encounter**

**Thank  
 You!**

**CHURCH SUPPORT**  
 (Includes Envelopes & Offertory)  
 October 14th/15th: **\$6605.86**

**2006 FAITHFUL CITIZENSHIP**

The Office of Social Action of our archdiocese has produced a series of seven two-page articles on various topics that face us in the upcoming November election. Copies of the entire series are available on the tables at the entrances of the church.

**Greater Tosa  
 Interfaith**

Older adults in our neighborhoods are looking for a little help. They may need a ride,

help in shopping for groceries, or help in raking leaves and yard clean-up. Or, you could make a phone call now and then to help ease the loneliness of a person who is homebound.

Reaching out to help someone is a meaningful way to improve the quality of life for the older adults in our neighborhoods. Call Greater Tosa Interfaith at (414) 453-5750 and find out how you can help. You may be just another person to the world, but to an older adult who needs help, you may be the world.



**CLEMENT MANOR HOLIDAY BAZAAR**

November 11th 8:30am — 3:30pm  
 November 12th 10:00am — 3:00pm

Featuring Beautiful handmade crafts, talented community crafters, outstanding raffle items, wonderful bake sale, a visit from Santa, and refreshments. Come and start your holiday shopping with beautiful handmade gifts!

**Free  
 Admission!**

**FLU SHOT CLINIC**

It's that time of year again to seek out your flu shot! This is especially important for the elderly and their primary caregivers. So, reserve your shot spot now!

When: Thursday, October 26th, 2:30 to 5:00 p.m.  
 Where: Catholic Charities Adult Day Services Center  
 1919 N. 60th Street/Milwaukee (60th & Lloyd)  
 Cost: \$25.00 or Medicare Card accepted in lieu of payment  
 Pneumonia shots will also be available for \$40.00  
 Registration: Please call (414) 771-2881 to pre-register.

## Living as God's People

For our first month of LGP, we had about 120 people attend "All Saints: The Ordinary and the Extraordinary." Our heartfelt thank-you goes out to all those willing to try intergenerational learning, and to the many volunteers that made it possible, great things can happen when we all work together. Please stop by the LGP table in the church for a look at some of the activities.



Looking ahead, our next session will be focusing on Advent. This year, the fourth Sunday of Advent is also Christmas Eve—even more reason to prepare in earnest for the Messiah! Please make your plans now attend for either Thursday, November 9<sup>th</sup> or Sunday, November 12<sup>th</sup>. We have learned a lot from our first session, and plans are in place to make this one even better. Ms. Eva Diaz, parish consultant and an instructor of Hispanic Studies and the Associate Director of Pastoral Formation at Sacred Heart School of Theology will lead our adult formation session. Mark you calendar now!

### Dr. Keith Egan: Thèrése Martin

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

#### Regarding the Presentation on October 26th:

- Yes, I'd be happy to help on that evening.
- Please reserve me a copy of Story of a Soul.
  - My check for \$8 is enclosed.
  - I will bring payment to the presentation.

### Thèrése Martin: A Bold Young Woman

Please remember to keep the evening of October 26<sup>th</sup> free on your calendar. Dr. Keith Egan, a Theresean expert and former parishioner, will be here to give this multimedia presentation. We are also advertising this opportunity to the entire Archdiocese of Milwaukee. If you are able to help us out that evening with greeting and hospitality, please call Marian or drop off this form. If you'd like to reserve a copy of "Story of a Soul" please do so as well.

**From Father Hugh**— I teach a course at Sacred Heart School of Theology (SHST) which includes a section on marriage counseling. I give my students an assignment of conducting a video-taped counseling session during which they counsel a married couple. I need some married couples who would volunteer to play the roles of husband and wife. You would NOT talk about your own marriage, but play the roles of husband and wife of a case which will be provided to you. If you would be interested and willing to volunteer, please inform me after Mass or call me at (414) 525-1935. The taped session would take place at SHST. Thank you.

### Health & Wholeness Needs Your Help!

We are looking for professionally-trained blood-pressure screeners and clerical help to record individuals who are getting their blood pressure taken. Blood pressures are taken the second weekend of each month. Volunteer for whichever mass you are available. Call the Parish Office to volunteer!



**St. Vincent dePaul** Fall is approaching and so is St. Vincent dePaul BUNDLE SUNDAY. As you organize your household and clothing for the next season remember Bundle Sunday will be here on NEXT WEEKEND for those items you do not want anymore. Someone will benefit greatly.

## Volunteer Ministry Opportunity Greeter Coordinator Needed!

We are proud of our parish and often comment that we are welcoming and open to all. Let's keep it that way. We are in need of a volunteer coordinator of greeters. This volunteer ministry consists of scheduling the greeters three times per year and helping expand our ministry. We are in need of more greeters, too! Please consider doing this ministry for our parish for the next stewardship year. Please call the Parish Office to volunteer. Thanks to Gladys Sachse, our out-going scheduler.

### PARISH OFFICE IN/OUT BOXES

If you need to leave something for the Parish Office or Staff when you are at church over the weekend, please note that there are "in and out" boxes in the sacristy for this purpose. When you leave off an item, please make sure it is labeled appropriately. Also, please note that the Parish Council and every parish committee/group has a mailbox in the sacristy. Let's keep working on effective communications.

**Relocated!**

**Hear Ye! Hear Ye!** It's time to mark your calendars for an **Usher Pancake Breakfast** on November 5th after the 8:00 and 10:00 Masses.



### Welcome to Saint Therese Parish Community!

If you are not currently registered and wish to join the Parish, please complete this form and place it in the collection or send it to the Parish Office, 9525 West Bluemound Road, Milwaukee, WI 53226.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_