



Saint Therese Parish

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

June 2nd, 2019

Parish Staff

Parish Administrator

Fr. Joe Koyickal, SAC ext. 1
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Assisting Priest

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Rev. Norm Oswald

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Christine Reinders – Coordinator of 1st
Reconciliation/1st Communion & Children's
Liturgy of the Word

Ministers – All the Members of the Parish

Parish Emergencies

(414) 771-2500 – Push 0

Mass Schedule

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

Tuesday: 8:30AM Wednesday: 6:30PM

See inside for Holy Day Schedules

Weekday Masses at Cluster Parishes

St. Jude the Apostle Parish

(734 Glenview Ave)

Monday–Friday
6:45AM and 8:15AM

St. Vincent Pallotti East

(5424 W. Bluemound Rd)

Monday–Friday: 6:25AM

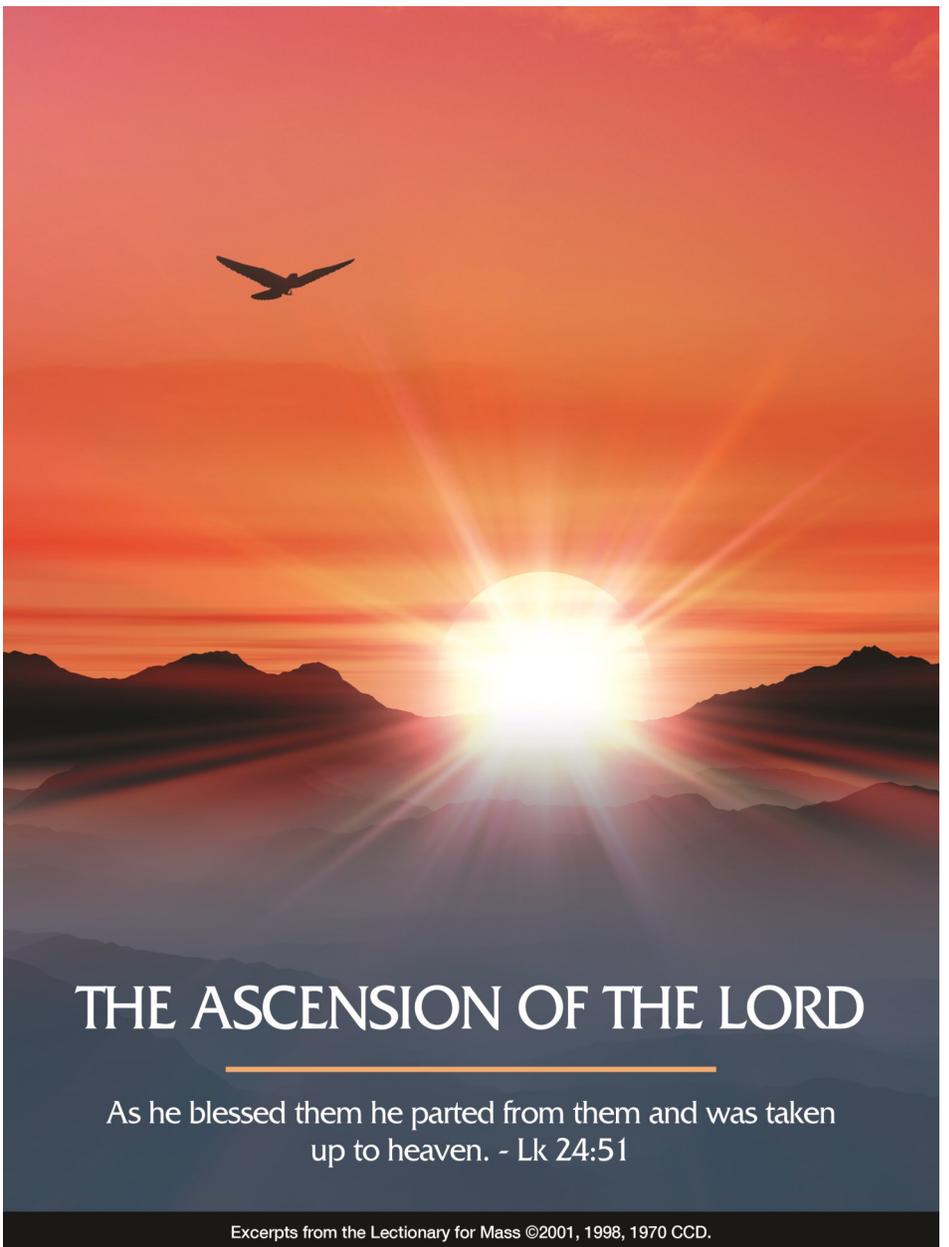
St. Vincent Pallotti West

(201 N. 76th St)

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday
8:00AM

Thursday

12:00PM (Noon)



THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

As he blessed them he parted from them and was taken up to heaven. - Lk 24:51

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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

Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,
and Thursday:

8:30AM – 4:30PM

Friday, Saturday & Sunday:
Closed



THAT ALL MAY BE ONE

“So that they may be one, as we are one, I in them and you in me.” Does technology bring us together, or does it remind us of distance and differences and keep us apart? Most days, I’m not so sure. With the constant inundation of news from across the world, it can be easier to tune out the sufferings and the joys of people we’ll never meet, in places we’ll never visit. But is this the invitation of Jesus?

Over the centuries, our Church has become truly universal across the globe. There are Christians across nations and cultures, across lines of rich and poor. There are Christians who live behind white picket fences, and Christians dying in conflict zones. “That they may all be one,” Jesus prays. One in what? Love. “That the love with which you loved me may be in them.” This is easier said than done, of course. The world is far too vast for us to individually love every human being. I can hardly remember the names of half the regulars at my Sunday Mass! But that doesn’t mean we can’t try.

“I pray not only for them, but also for those who will believe in me through their word.” Jesus had this religious popular explosion in mind.

The mission and message of Christ was not meant to stop in the Apostle’s generation or stay cordoned off in the geographic confines of Israel. Jesus’ words at the Last Supper are a prayer, a plea to the Father for the spread and unity of the Church across time and space.

This week, look up organizations supporting the persecuted Church and make a donation. Next week, visit a struggling parish within your own diocese. When you meet someone new at hospitality Sunday, invite them over for dinner to get to know them better.

Whether far off or close to home, let’s allow Jesus’ prayer to live in us, to be drawn together in love.

Thank You!

Building Services would like to give a huge Shout Out to those who participated in the 2019 “All Parish Cleanup” and those who have volunteered to continue working on some of the larger outdoor projects beyond Saturday’s event.

Thank You to: Fred Hahn, Jon Van Eyck, Dave, Anna and Sarah Drozdowicz, Jim and Sheri Fangmann, Mary Rose and Rich Sanger, Fr. Hugh Birdsall, and Owen May.

Bless you all for the gift of your time and talent to our St. Therese community.

Summer Hours

The summer hours for the parish office will continue through Labor Day. They are as follows:

- Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday: 8:30AM to 4:30PM
- Friday, Saturday, and Sunday: Closed



Change to June Office Hours

- Tuesday, June 4th – Closed 10:30AM – 2:00PM
- Wednesday, June 19th – Closed 8:30AM – 12:30PM

Altered Bulletin Deadlines

- The deadline for the June 23rd Bulletin is Tuesday, June 11th at 8:30AM.

You’re invited to Fr. Phil Reifenberg’s 40th Anniversary of Ordination Celebration

Please join us at either celebration to celebrate Fr. Phil’s many years of service to God’s people.

- Saturday, June 8th at St. Thomas Aquinas (94 North Lincoln Street, Elkhart Lake) – 5:30PM Mass with Reception to follow.
- Or Sunday, June 9th at St. John the Baptist (115 Plymouth Street, Plymouth) – 9:30AM Mass with Reception to follow.

Join the Greeters!

We are looking for some friendly people to join us in the Greeters ministry. Our members stand at the entrances to the church, extending a warm welcome to visitors and parish members as they arrive for mass. It is a great way to meet people, and a great way for families with young children to minister together. Greeters are needed especially this summer for the 5:00PM mass, but also at the 9:00AM. We’d love to have you join this friendly bunch. Call Sue Kolesari at (262) 787-9097, or Heather in the Parish office.

Schedule a Mass Intention in Memory of a Loved One

Please consider donating a mass intention. There are weekday masses open for 2019. To donate, please contact Heather Goeden in the Parish Office.

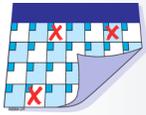


CHURCH SUPPORT

Totals will be in the next bulletin.

Please remember St. Therese in your will!





Parish Events for the Week

Sunday, June 2nd

Maintenance Collection/SCRIP Order

8:15AM Saint Therese Choir (CH)

Monday, June 3rd

6:00PM Saint Vincent de Paul Society (STR)

6:30PM Parish Pastoral Council (MC)

Tuesday, June 4th

No Meetings Scheduled

Wednesday, June 5th

11:30AM SVdP Meal Program–Cook (KIT)

4:30PM SVdP Meal Program–Serve (OFFSITE)

7:00PM St. Therese Choir & Music Ministry (CH/CHP)

Thursday, June 6th

7:00PM Group 100 AA (MC)

Friday, June 7th

No Meetings Scheduled

Saturday, June 8th

Christian Formation Hospitality/Sharing Weekend/SCRIP Pick-Up

No Meetings Scheduled

Sunday, June 9th – Pentecost

Christian Formation Hospitality/Sharing Weekend/SCRIP Pick-Up

8:15AM Saint Therese Choir (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

Charming Treasures

Help at the St. Camillus Gift Shop!

Charming Treasures is a new and innovative gift shop that features both affordable and upscale items that will appeal to both our campus residents as well as families and visitors from the community. All of the proceeds from Charming Treasures go to the St. Camillus Foundation. We are seeking volunteers to help customers and run the cash register at St. Camillus.

The gift shop shifts are 10:00AM-12:30PM (Morning Shift) and 12:30-3:00PM (Afternoon shift). We are willing to work with your schedule, but currently having openings on Monday afternoons, Tuesday Morning/Afternoon, Wednesday Mornings, and Friday afternoons.

Background checks and TB testing are required for volunteers and will be provided at no charge by St. Camillus. Must be 18 years or older

Please contact Colleen Wakefield, Volunteer Coordinator, at (414) 259-6310 or cwakefield@stcam.com for additional information.

Thank you!

Sharing Weekend is Next Weekend - June 8th/9th

The Sharing Recipient for June 8th/9th is Sojourner. We are the largest provider of domestic violence prevention and intervention services in Wisconsin, serving over 12,000 clients annually. Our mission is to transform lives impacted by domestic violence, and we offer a range of individualized services including a crisis shelter, support groups, safety planning, legal advocacy, case management, and more. In 2016 we opened the Family Peace Center, where survivors of violence can access services from Sojourner, Children's Hospital of Wisconsin, Milwaukee Police Department, Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office, Milwaukee Public Schools, Jewish Family Services, Aurora Healthcare, and others all under one roof. Our message to survivors is: It's not your fault, you are not alone, and there is help. For more information, visit www.familypeacecenter.org or call our 24-hour hotline at (414) 933-2722. Thank you again for your generous giving to our Sharing Recipients

"Safety Talk"

Now that mowing season is in full swing it is important to remember that lawn and garden equipment can be dangerous. Complacency is your biggest enemy. There are a lot of small and rapidly moving parts on lawn and garden equipment; but if used properly, along with personal protective gear, all are safe to use. The following tips are helpful to follow:

- Inspect all motorized equipment prior to use. Perform regular maintenance and keep a log of what you have done and when.
- Dress appropriately to protect yourself from hidden objects in the lawn or garden that can be turned into projectiles by the piece of equipment you are using. Personal protective gear is especially necessary when using a chain saw or hedge trimmer. Be sure you are wearing full length pants, sturdy shoes with covered toes, gloves, hearing protection and eye protection. (*Hearing and eye protection is available to our lawn crew. Items are located on the shelf in the pod.*)
- In high grass, near leaf piles, or dense vegetation, wear long socks with your pant leg tucked into them or use a band around your pant legs to protect yourself from ticks, ground bees, biting ants, etc.
- Before mowing, walk the area. Remove any large objects, branches, markers, toys, and pet chains prior to running your equipment. They can damage your mower and also become a projectile if hit.
- **Do Not** try to clean out a blockage with the motor running. Even after you shut off the motor, do not use your hands or feet to remove it. Residual torque can cause a blade to spin even with the equipment turned off and sever a finger or toe.
- Clean all equipment after use (before storing) to increase its life.

Thank You and have a great summer!

Power In My Hands Movie Returns to Milwaukee!

The movie, *Power In My Hands* – a story of hope and the power of prayer, will be shown on Friday, July 26th at 7:00pm at Alverno College in the Sister Joel Read Center (3400 South 43rd St in Milwaukee). Free parking available. Tickets are \$10 per person and \$5 for children and students. Priests and religious are free but need to register. For tickets visit the film website www.powerinmyhandsthemovie.com

Catechesis Corner

- Registration for our 2019-2020 Catechesis Classes is open. If you know of a family who could enroll in our program, kindly call or have the family contact the parish office and we will follow-up with an invitation and registration. The program registration fee increases after June 9th. Please register as soon as you can.



Intentions & Readings for the Week



June Sanctuary Candle

†Herb & †Doris Skrobis

Sunday, June 2nd

Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/Eph 1:17-23/Lk 24:46-53

Monday, June 3rd

Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab [33a]/Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday, June 4th

Acts 20:17-27/Ps 68:10-11, 20-21 [33a]/Jn 17:1-11a
8:30AM †Mary Jane Guliano

Wednesday, June 5th

Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab [33a]/Jn 17:11b-19
6:30PM St. Therese Parish

Thursday, June 6th

Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Jn 17:20-26

Friday, June 7th

Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab [19a]/Jn 21:15-19

Saturday Mass, June 8th

28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 and 7 [cf. 7b]/Jn 21:20-25
5:00PM St. Therese Parish Community

Sunday Mass, June 9th

Acts 2:11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 [cf. 30]/Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/Jn 20:19-23
9:00AM †Teri Wissing



Betty Baron, Alyce Breitweiser, Diane Bowen, Don Castelaz, Michael Czarnecki, Patti Lee Dasow, Gayle Falk, Ethel Forster, Lillian Hoaglan, Pete Lovinus, Mary Jane Lucas, Kathy Manthe, Tom Manthe, Kim McGee, Frank Mooney, Andy Nitka, Alice Roemer, Karen Shodis, Peter Sipek, Edward Smith, Joanne Windham, Duwayne Wing, Jeff & LaVerne Wojcik, Kathie Zastrow

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

In today's Gospel, Jesus says "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you." Bring peace into your marriage by attending the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend on June 28th-30th in Rockford, IL; July 19th-21st in Madison, WI or September 6th-8th in Geneva, IL. Visit our website at: alifetimeoflove.org or call (888) 574-5653.

God Has a Plan for Your Life

In your Baptism and Confirmation, you received gifts that our world needs. Do you know yours? The Catherine of Sienna Institute's Called & Gifted Workshop is a regular offering of the John Paul II Center's Missionary Discipleship Institute. Registration fee for Called & Gifted is \$40, which covers materials, continental breakfast, and lunch. Visit www.johnpaul2center.org/called-and-gifted for more info.

Please Help Us Keep the Church Clean

Please help us be good stewards of our church funds by bringing a coloring book/notebook for your child to color on or stop in the family room and grab a activity book for them before mass rather than using the donation envelopes and hymnals we provide in the pews. We appreciate your help.

Invitation to Deacon Virginus' Ordination

With Praise and Thanksgiving to Almighty God, the Society of the Divine Savior joyfully announces and requests the honor of your presence for the Ordination of Virginus Osuagwu, SDS to the sacred Priesthood of Jesus Christ through the invocation of the Holy Spirit and imposition of hands by the Most Reverend Jeffrey Robert Haines, Auxiliary Bishop of Milwaukee on **Sunday, June 23rd at Noon at Mother of Good Council Parish** (6924 W Lisbon Ave, Milwaukee). All are welcome.

Know and Protect Your End of Life Decisions

In an effort to assist people through the ever changing healthcare environment, Sacred Heart Parish (917 N 49th St., Milwaukee) is sponsoring a presentation on end of life decisions. The presentation will be on Tuesday, June 4th at 6:30PM. The same talk will be repeated on Wednesday, June 5th at 9:00AM. Come and get the most up to date information on healthcare and end of life from the Catholic perspective. If you have questions, contact the Parish Office at (414) 774-9418 or sh.croatian@yahoo.com.

Administrative Assistant- Vicar for Clergy Office

Provide administrative assistance to the Vicar for Clergy and the work of the office, serve as a resource for Clergy staff and related offices, manage programs associated with the Office, manage financial activities, and provide assistance to the Council of Priests.

Qualifications: Minimum of five years of appropriate and progressive administrative experience required. Experience with working with confidential information and records required. Knowledge of Roman Catholic Church, archdiocesan structures, policies and practices required. Strong technology skills including database management. Excellent interpersonal skills a must.

If interested and qualified please send cover letter and resume to Sue Gorski, via gorskis@archmil.org.

Do You Have a Passion for Helping Those in Your Community?

Through our Pregnancy Support and Supported Parenting programs, our staff prepares, strengthens, and supports parents, expectant parents, and those with children at risk. For a dedicated, caring individual, a career with Catholic Charities provides an opportunity to work with women, children and families to reach their goals and create healthy outcomes.

Our In-Home Support Program provides supportive home care services to support the independent living of elderly and disabled individuals. By following individualized care plans, we strive to help our clients to meet their goals and live safely and happily in their homes.

We offer flexible hours, either Part or Full-Time, Monday through Friday 8:30AM to 5:00PM. If you are interested in a career in either of these programs, apply online at: www.ccmke.org/careers

St Therese follows a no weapons policy inside the facility at all times. If you are a conceal carry permit holder please secure your weapons in your vehicle, using proper law enforcement guidelines, prior to attending mass and or other events in the facility.

Join Us in Celebrating Pentecost

Pentecost is next weekend, June 8th and 9th, the close of the Easter season. Wear red and celebrate the growth of our faith through the many ministries at St. Therese. The Christian Formation committee is providing hospitality after the masses to celebrate the “Birthday of the Church.”



Fiscal Year to Date Update: 7/1/2018–4/30/19

	Actual	Budget
Income		
Envelopes	\$250,727.92	\$277,795.83
Offertory	15,795.42	15,000.00
Total Collection Income	\$266,523.34	\$292,795.83
Investment Income	\$3,230.91	\$333.33
Maintenance	15,249.42	15,000.00
Rental Income	45,250.00	37,500.00
Donations/Memorials/Bequests	16,093.41	20,104.16
Fundraisers (Net)	9,424.79	8,333.33
Misc Other Income	13,151.63	15,833.34
Total Other Income	102,400.16	97,104.16
Total Income	\$368,923.50	\$389,899.99
Expenses		
Prayer and Worship	\$8,985.96	\$8,166.67
Christian Formation	2,862.93	2,666.67
Human Concerns	9,862.14	13,770.83
Finance/Admin	35,295.85	37,833.33
Salaries/Benefits	250,484.96	233,887.49
Building/Grounds	135,822.09	88,625.01
Parish House	2,414.20	4,125.02
Total Expenses	\$445,728.13	\$389,075.02
Net Profit	(\$76,804.63)	\$824.97

Capital Expenses

Capital expenses were paid for from parish checking, maintenance fund, and reserves.

These are Exit Doors (Kitchen & West \$5,445) + Sound System \$8,168 +Roof \$23,950+Organ Power \$3,882+Parking Lot signs/Stalls \$2,863+Duct Work \$600 +Boiler Pumps/Bearings \$3,063+Lawnmower \$950+Defibrillator \$1,811 +Exit Signs \$585+Phones \$1,045+Duct Work \$600+Boiler Panel \$1,945+Dishwasher Air Gap \$900+Sign Dn Pay \$17,066+Landscape Dn Pay \$2,224+ Bluemound Door/Closures \$998.

Total Capital Expenses \$76,094.00

Parish Pastoral Council

1st Monday of Month at 6:30PM

To contact a Parish Pastoral Council Member, send an email to council@sttheresemke.org or leave a message for them in the parish office.

Chairperson

Linda Warpechowski

Vice Chairperson

Kathy Chudy

Secretary

Tim Schwaller

Trustees

Tom Molosky (414) 254-1161
Kathy Hubrich (414) 839-2669

Members-At-Large

John Egan Richard Hopefl
Shirley Erwin Kevin Stannis
Michael Falk Jean Marie Weber

Saint Vincent de Paul
(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 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.

Need Holy Communion?

Call Heather in the Parish Office at (414) 771-2500.

Bulletin deadline:

Monday, 8:30AM

Announcement deadline:

Thursday, 1:00PM

All submissions must be in writing; email preferred.