

The Faith Community of

ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

CATHOLIC CHURCH



20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Then Jesus said to her in reply, "O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish." And the woman's daughter was healed from that hour. - Mt 15:28

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We are a welcoming
Christian family
committed to Catholic
values, responding
to the call of Christ
revealed in the dversity
of human need. We
practice a conscious,
living, active faith
in a community whose
source of strength is
the Eucharist.

Miraculous Prayer to the Little Flower

O Little flower of Jesus, ever consoling troubled souls with heavenly graces, in our unfailing intercessions I place my confident trust. From the heart of our Divine Savior, petition the blessings of which I stand in greatest need......Shower upon me your promised roses of virtue and grace, Dear St. Therese, so that swiftly advancing in sanctity and perfect love of neighbor, I may someday receive the crown of life eternal.

August 20, 2023 Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Renowned climate scientist blasts 'anticapitalist' climate agenda, 'manufactured' consensus

Climatologist Judith Curry warned of a 'a climate change industry set up to reward alarmism' and crush oil companies

Andreas Wailzer (LifeSiteNews, Aug. 11, 2023) — A renowned climatologist has said that the alleged scientific consensus on "climate change" is a "manufactured consensus" perpetuated by the United Nations (U.N.). In an interview with libertarian journalist and pundit John Stossel, climatologist Judith Curry said that the "manufactured consensus" existed because a scientist would achieve "fame and fortune" for exaggerating the risks associated with "climate change."

'I don't believe there is a climate crisis' Curry, who formerly served as the chair of the School of Earth & Atmospheric Sciences at the Georgia Institute of Technology, admitted that she used to spread alarmism about "climate change" herself. "We found that the percent of Category 4 and 5 hurricanes had doubled," says Curry. "And so, this was picked up by the media. Alarmists said, 'Oh, here's the way to do it: Tie extreme weather events to global warming!"

Curry said that she became a darling of the mainstream media due to her study tying the alleged increase in intense hurricanes to global warming. She was "flown all over the place to meet with politicians, and give these talks and [received] lots of media attention." "I was adopted by the environmental advocacy groups and the alarmists, and I was treated like a rockstar," Curry recalled.

When researchers pointed out incongruities in her research, namely years with fewer hurricanes, Curry investigated these claims and realized that her critics had a point. "Part of it was bad data. Part of it is natural climate variability," she told Stossel. The journalist seemed pleasantly surprised about Curry's integrity and willingness to be corrected. "So you are the unusual researcher who looks at the criticism of your paper and actually concluded they had a point."

Curry said that the 2009 "Climategate" scandal, in which internal emails from research facilities showed that scientists were trying to hide controversial data, showed "a lot of really ugly things," like "avoiding Freedom of Information Act requests" and "trying to get journal editors fired from their job" if they disagreed with the mainstream "climate change" paradigm. Stossel said the Climategate scandal made Curry realize that there is "a climate-change industry set up to reward alarmism."

"The origins go back to the U.N. environmental program," she recalled. Curry said that U.N. officials were motivated by "anti-capitalism. They hated the oil companies and seized on the climate change issue to move their policies along."

According to the climatologist, that was the reason that the U.N. created the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC). "The IPCC wasn't supposed to focus on any benefits of warming," instead "the IPCC's mandate was to look for dangerous human-caused climate change," she said. "Then the national funding agencies directed all the funding...assuming there are dangerous impacts."

Curry explained that to receive public funding, scientists must follow the climate alarmism narrative. "The announcements of opportunity for funding are really tied to assuming that there are dangerous impacts [of climate change]," Curry stated. "So the researchers aren't stupid; they know what they need to say to get funding?" Stossel asked. "Exactly," Curry replied.

The former faculty head recalled that "about ten years ago," the editor of the prestigious academic journal *Science*, Dr. Marcia McNutt, "wrote this political rant about 'we need to stop emissions now," in which she stated that "The time for debate has ended." McNutt now serves as the President of the National Academy of Science. "What kind of message does that give?" Curry asked. "'Promote the alarming papers! Don't even send the other ones out for review.' If you wanted to advance in your career, like be at a prestigious university and get a big salary, have big laboratory space, get lots of grant funding, be director of an institute, there was clearly one path to go." "That's what we've got now: a massive government-funded climate alarmism complex," Stossel said.

"Why don't other scientists who recognize the nonsense push back?" the journalist asked Curry. "If they work at a university, it's going to be very uncomfortable for them," she responded. Curry said that she could no longer get a job at a university after her stint at the Georgia Institute of Technology because she was labeled a "climate denier." That is why the climatologist started her own weather and climate forecasting company called Climate Forecast Applications Network. Curry also publishes articles on her blog and has written multiple books, including her latest work, "Climate Uncertainty and Risk: Rethinking Our Response."

[*N.B.: Climate change agenda is being promoted as a means of social control over us by big government.]

August 20, 2023

Fr. Campbell's **Wednesday 6am Men's Bible Study** will meet using ZOOM. Contact Fr. Campbell for the link at frcampbell@olmckenosha.org.



The MARIAN HOUR with Fr. Campbell WSFI 88.5 FM & and also on 750AM every 2nd & 4th Wednesday. Next program: Wed. August 23, 2pm.



PRAY for the SICK in our PARISH, and visit them if possible: William Wasurick, Mary Jo Koski, Florence Klappa, Daniel



Lenegar, Jennifer Johnson, Laurie Smith, Jean Ammendola, Maria Koble, Aileen Hafferkamp, Billie Knutsen, Richard & Kathleen Bertola, Lawrence W. Klein Sr., Diana Sauter, Michelle Jenewein, Bruce Kennedy, Randy Bonn, Theresa Valetti. Call rectory for sick persons 694-4695.

Friday Eucharistic Adoration: Friday adoration begins after 8am Mass, closes w/Benediction at 5pm. **First Friday** adoration continues to Saturday 6am.



Please join us Sunday nights 6pm at St. Therese to pray the Rosary & litany for our world & personal intentions before Jesus in the Tabernacle.



Sign up for FLOCKNOTE which enables you to receive important news and info. about the parish through texts & emails. To sign up: Send the word LOOP (typed in all caps) as a text message to this address: 84576. Then you'll be part of the "flock" & receive notes. Please pass this info on to others!

Sign up for FORMED: A program which gives our Parishioners free access to many Catholic Programs and family friendly movies. **Want to create a new FORMED account? Follow these steps:** 1. Visit FORMED.org; 2. Click Sign Up; 3. Select "I Belong to a Parish or Organization"; 4. Find your parish by name or zip; 5. Enter your email, you're in!

Special Collection Offerings <u>Community Outreach for</u> <u>August:</u> Please place cash offerings in our donation box to purchase school supplies & underwear for the children supported by the Frank & Brass Elementary Schools.

Shalom Center: Please put non-perishable food in the bas-

Parish Support

Weekend of August 6, 2023 \$4,108.00
Budgeted weekly need... \$5,567.00
Weekly offertory \$4,108.00
Over/Under budget \$289,500.00
Actual \$292,409.00
Excess (12 months) \$2,909.00

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Love One Another Campaign Update

7/7/23: Parish Goal: \$355,144; Total Pledged: \$460,193 Percent Goal Pledged: 130%; Number of

Pledges: 92; Average Pledge: \$5,002

*For anyone who has not made a pledge, please consider doing so. We now keep 80% of all funds raised. Envelopes are at church entrance.

Religious Education Enrollment Info for grades K – 5th St. Therese K-5th Registration Sign-Up on August 20th and 27th 9:30am – 10:30am in vestibule area. Religious Education Registration Forms are available at the kiosk in the vestibule and on the Parish Website. Classes begin September 10th, Sunday 9:25am – 10:25am. If you have any questions contact RE Coordinator Mrs. Beth Sturino 262-705-9097 or beth.sturino@wi.rr.com.

Religious Education (RE) classes are one dimension of faith formation and religious education for Catholic students. The program teaches Catholic history and doctrine, fosters community, and prepares students for Christian service. This program is available to all who do not receive religious education classes on a regular basis at a Catholic School. **Note:** First Holy Communion is a 2 year program and Confirmation is a 3 year program.

TROOPS of ST. GEORGE INFORMATIONAL MEETING:

The mission of the **Troops of St. George** is forming strong, virtuous Catholic boys, young men and fathers. To accomplish this, fathers and sons spend quality time together with activities such as archery, rock climbing, camping, canoeing, fishing, attending Mass and praying the Rosary. **TSG** cadets are the priests, deacons, husbands, and fathers of tomorrow, and we need your help to build the next generation of great Catholic men. If you are interested in checking out the Troops, we are having an **informational meeting/cookout on Saturday Aug. 26 from 12-3 pm** at the St. Therese Festival Grounds, 2020 91st St., Kenosha. Any questions, contact Rob George at 262-237-7540 or rgeorge@amfam.com.

Catholic priest calls on Arizona Gov. Katie Hobbs to 'immediately repent' of promoting abortion PHOENIX, Arizona (LifeSiteNews, July 25, 2023) - Fr. Craig Friedley, the pastor of Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish in Queen Creek, Arizona, penned a letter to pro-abortion Arizona Gov. Katie Hobbs "for advancing a method to abort a child that disregards the safety of women beyond what she has done in the past." Fr. Friedley wrote in response to an announcement of a measure expanding access to over-the-counter contraceptives -many of which are abortifacients —without a doctor's prescription. Friedley took the Democrat to task for her long-standing promotion of abortion up until birth under the guise of advocating for "women's health," saying her latest move "is not only immoral, but it means that you are placing your eternal soul in danger of damnation by your public, proud, and scandalous actions in supporting the murder of children in the womb." Friedley reminded Hobbs, who is Catholic, "You should immediately repent and go to confession for advocating for abortion in the public square. The murder of a child in the womb is not health care. Stop spreading this lie and causing a scandal in the Catholic Church. If you are still attending any Catholic Mass, you should refrain from presenting yourself for communion until you repent of spreading lies and advocating for the murder of children in the womb."

MASS INTENTIONS for the Week

Monday, August 21

8:00 AM † Roger Klappa

Tuesday, August 22

8:00 AM † Kay Lucas (John & Sharon Kirsch)

Wednesday, August 23

5:45 PM † Felicia Arnold

Thursday, August 24

8:00 AM † No Mass

Friday, August 25

8:00 AM † Marvin Norstrom (John & Sharon Kirsch)

Saturday, August 26

4:00 PM † Vic Misurelli SR † Rosemary Supernaw

Sunday, August 27

8:30 AM † Richard Sleyster (Scott & Linda Lantz)

10:30 AM † For Members of the Parish

Saints & Readings: Week of August 20, 2023

Sunday: 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Is 56:1, 6-7/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 (4)/Rom 11:13-15, 29-32/Mt 15:21-28 **Monday: St. Pius X, Pope**, Jgs 2:11-19/Ps 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab and 44/Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday: The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Jgs

6:11-24a/Ps 85:9, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday: St. Rose of Lima, Virgin, Jgs 9:6-15/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 20:1-16

Thursday: St. Bartholomew, Apostle, Rv 21:9b-14/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18/Jn 1:45-51

Friday: St. Louis; St. Joseph Calasanz, Priest, Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22/Ps 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10/Mt 22:34-40 Saturday: Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17/Ps 128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Mt 23:1 12

Next Sunday: 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time, Is 22:19-23/ Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6, 8 (8bc)/Rom 11:33-36/Mt 16:13-20

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday through Thursday 7:30 am to 2:45 pm Closed Friday

Please submit bulletin announcements in writing to the Parish Office or e-mail to valang@tds.net by 9:00 AM Thursday of the week before publication.

PRIVACY LAWS: Please notify the Parish Office if you or a family member is in the hospital, nursing home, hospice, etc. With the new privacy laws, medical institutions will not call unless you ask them to notify the Parish. If you would like a home visit, please call the Parish Office or Homebound Ministry.

Parish Directory

Weekend Masses Saturday Evening 4:00 PM

Sunday Morning 8:30 & 10:30 AM

Weekday Masses Monday, Tuesday & Friday 8:00 AM Wednesday 5:45 PM

No 8:00 AM Mass on Thursday or Saturday

Holy Day Masses Please consult Sunday bulletin.
Confessions Saturday 3:00 to 4:00 PM

Sunday

First Fridays Eucharistic Adoration: 8:30 AM Friday to

6:00 AM Saturday

Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions (Follow the Wednesday 5:45 PM Mass)

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Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Adults or children interested in baptism, reception into the Catholic Church, Confirmation and/or First Communion, please contact the Parish Office.

Baptism Please call the Parish Office to arrange for Baptism. Those who wish to have a child baptized must be attending Sunday Mass regularly for at least four months.

Marriage Please call the Pastor at least six months in advance to make arrangements. Couples who are sharing the same abode will be asked to live separately prior to their marriage.

Home Visitation Anyone unable to attend Mass because of sickness/old age, contact the Parish Office.

Estate Planning Please keep St. Therese in mind when planning your estate. This is a wonderful gift that will last many years.