



The Faith Community of

ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

CATHOLIC CHURCH



6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"Again you have heard that it was said to your ancestors,
Do not take a false oath, but make good to the Lord all
that you vow." - Mt 5:33

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OUR PARISH MISSION

*We are a welcoming
Christian family
committed to Catholic
values, responding
to the call of Christ
revealed in the diversity
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 con-
soling troubled souls with heav-
enly graces, in our unfailing inter-
cessions 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.*

Amen

February 16, 2020 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Lenten Mission: Fr. David Gunter, M.I.C., will preach a mission during Lent at St. Therese Church, from Sunday, March 15 through Wed. March 18 at 7pm. The theme of this year's mission is "The Triumph of Mary." Please plan to attend the mission with your family, and bring a friend!

As Muslim govt ignores slaughter of Christians, Nigerian bishops beg West for help

February 10, 2020 ([LifeSiteNews](#)) — The president of the Nigerian Catholic bishops' conference has called on Western nations to "make known the atrocities" inflicted upon Christians and other groups in Nigeria by Islamic terrorists.

Archbishop Augustine Obiora Akubeze, the bishop of Benin City, told Aid to the Church in Need that Boko Haram "have attacked both Muslims and Christians in the past. But presently, they are focusing mainly on the killing and kidnapping of Christians."

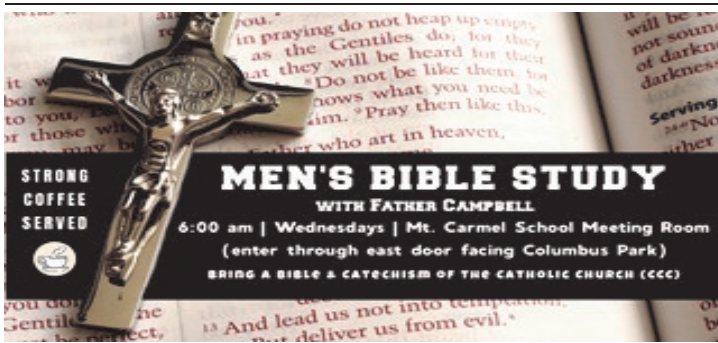
The Catholic bishops in Nigeria say the government is complicit in the murder of Christians in the country and that they do not do enough to help communities under attack. After explaining that "people are kidnapped for ransom basically in every part of Nigeria," Archbishop Akubeze said that for the government "to do nothing makes it difficult to convince more Nigerians that there is no connection between one-sided appointments of officials and the lack of prosecution of perpetrators of these crimes against humanity and the seemingly selective killing of Christians."

Last month, Bishop Matthew Hassan Kukah of Sokoto said the only difference between the Nigerian government and Boko Haram "is Boko Haram is holding a bomb." On Christmas Eve, 2019, Boko Haram reportedly killed seven people in an attack on a Christian village. On Boxing Day 2019, Islamic State West Africa Province (ISWAP) released a video of its members beheading 10 Christians and shooting one Muslim.

Bishop Kukah said that the Nigerian government is "using the levers of power to secure the supremacy of Islam." He said this "gives more weight to the idea that it can be achieved by violence. With the situation in Nigeria, it is hard to see the moral basis they have to defeat Boko Haram." "They have created the conditions to make it possible for Boko Haram to behave the way they are behaving," the bishop added.



Troops of St. George Pinewood Derby, St. Therese Church



PRAY for the SICK in our PARISH, and visit them if possible: Jan Petrin, Diana Sauter, Josephine Gombar, Germaine Brennan, Gerry Buhnerkempe, Sue Kratowicz, Rebecca Dugan, Maria Miller, Pat Ware, William Wasurick, Mary Jo Koski, Phyllis Giovannoni and Daniel Lenegar. If anyone knows of any other sick persons in our parish, please call the rectory 262-694-4695.

Attention parents of 11th grade St. Joe's students. If you have an 11th grader wishing to be Confirmed this spring and have not already done so, Please contact Heather Schweitzer as soon as possible. Heatherschweitzer04@gmail.com, (262) 914-2288.

Holy Name will be having a meeting on **Sunday, Feb. 23** after the 8:30 am Mass in the hall. All men of the parish are invited.

**WSFI 88.5 FM
CATHOLIC RADIO**

**Learn about the glories
and privileges of Mary**

THE MARIAN HOUR

with

**Fr. Dwight P. Campbell, S.T.D.
Pastor, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel
and St. Therese Parish
Kenosha, WI**

**2nd & 4th Wednesday
of each month
2:00 pm**



Parish Support

Weekend of February 9, 2020

\$3,490.50

Budgeted weekly need...	\$4,327.00
Weekly offertory	\$3,490.50
Over/Under budget	\$(836.50)
Plan YTD	\$129,808.00
Actual	\$141,729.00
Excess (7 months)	\$11,921.00

Four-Part Study to be led by Fr. Campbell on book *The Marian Option: God's Solution to a Civilization in Crisis*: Last class on Tuesday, Feb. 18, at St. Therese Church, Book is available for purchase at Holy Family Catholic Bookstore for \$20.

THE FIRST 2020 FISH FRY is Fri. Feb. 28th, 4:30-7:00 pm. Supporting our parish requires everyone to do their part. You Can: Donate items to the Raffle Baskets, Bake for the dessert table, Give of your Time in preparations, in serving dinners, in cleaning up. Come to enjoy Food & Fellowship in the friendly atmosphere of your St. Therese Parish. We are a Family - many hands make for light work with great rewards! Sign up or speak with us, the Fish Fry Committee: Jim Lauzon, Patti Soens, Beth Sturino, Jan Sleyster, Bob & Sharon Beales.

Ash Wednesday February 26th:

St. Therese Parish

Mass at 8:00am & 7:00pm

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish

Mass at 8:00am, 12:00pm (Latin Mass) & 5:30pm

Lenten Stations of the Cross

St. Therese Parish

Wednesdays after the 5:45pm Mass

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish

Fridays at 5:30pm

PARISH-WIDE SURVEY coming: St. Therese Parish will be participating in a parish-wide survey about discipleship conducted by the Catholic Leadership Institute. **Please help us by participating in this 10-15 minute survey.** The survey will be available **beginning Feb. 23 through March 23**, and can be accessed **online**

at www.disciplemakerindex.com; one must select the Archdiocese Milwaukee and our parish to take the survey.

The survey will ask you to reflect on your own spiritual growth and enable you to provide feedback on our parish's efforts to help you deepen your relationship with Christ. All responses will be confidential and the parish will only receive information and publish results about the community as whole. We are trying to get the highest response rate possible. This information will help Fr. Campbell and Fr. McDermott and our parish pastoral council as we plan for the future and try to help everyone in our parish to be authentic disciples of Christ.

If you don't use the computer or have online access you can complete the survey with a **paper (hard) copy**. Beginning Feb. 23, paper copies will be available at the entrances of the church after weekend and daily Masses, or you can obtain a paper copy at the parish office. Completed surveys on paper should be turned in at the parish office. **We will receive the results** of the survey this spring/summer at which time we will share what we have learned with the entire parish. Thank you for helping with this important project!

MASS INTENTIONS for the Week**Monday, February 17**

8:00 AM † Priest Intention

Tuesday, February 18

8:00 AM † Thomas & Anita Peltier (Wanta Family)

Wednesday, February 19

5:45 PM † Priest Intention

Thursday, February 20

8:00 AM † No Mass

Friday, February 21

8:00 AM † Priest Intention

Saturday, February 22

4:00 PM † Joseph & Nanette Schmitt (Wanta Family)

† Joseph & Carmella Sturino (Family)

Sunday, February 23

8:30 AM † For Members of the Parish

10:30 AM † Priest Intention

**Readings for the Week of
February 16, 2020**Sunday: Sir 15:15-20/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34
[1b]/1 Cor 2:6-10/Mt 5:17-37 or 5:20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37Monday: Jas 1:1-11/Ps 119:67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 76
[77a]/Mk 8:11-13Tuesday: Jas 1:12-18/Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19 [12a]/
Mk 8:14-21Wednesday: Jas 1:19-27/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5 [1b]/
Mk 8:22-26

Thursday: Jas 2:1-9/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [7a]/Mk 8:27-33

Friday: Jas 2:14-24, 26/Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 1b]/Mk
8:34—9:1

Saturday: 1 Pt 5:1-4/Ps 23:1-3a, 4, 5, 6 [1]/Mt 16:13-19

Next Sunday: Lv 19:1-2, 17-18/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10,
12-13 [8a]/1 Cor 3:16-23/Mt 5:38-48**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, medi-
cal institutions will not call unless you ask them to no-
tify 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 3:45 PM
	Sunday	8:00 to 8:15, 10:00 to 10:15 AM
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)		
Parish Telephones	Parish Office	262-694-4695
	Fax	262-694-7284
	Rel. Ed. Coord.	262-705-9097
Liturgical Musician	Jan Sleyster	262-331-4734
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All Saints Catholic School	262-925-4000	
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Parish Staff

Pastor.....Rev. Fr. Dwight P. Campbell, S.T.D.
Shared Associate Pastor.....Rev. Fr. Robert T. McDermott
Rel. Ed. Coord.....Beth Sturino
Liturgical Musician.....Jan Sleyster
Parish Secretary & Bulletin Editor.....Mary E. Vestal

Parish Pastoral Council

Robert Beales, Trustee Treasurer Kristen Kelly
Jim Lauzon, Trustee Secretary Ray Irving
Paul Gillespie, Chairman Patricia Soens
Claudia Volpentesta, Vice-Chairman Jerome Pudelek
Rita Van Guyse, Secretary

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Adults or children
interested in baptism, reception into the Catholic Church, Confir-
mation 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 sick-
ness/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.