



The Faith Community of

ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

CATHOLIC CHURCH



PENTECOST SUNDAY

Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." - Jn 20:21

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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 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.
Amen*

May 31, 2020 Pentecost Sunday

Saint Cyril of Alexandria on the Holy Spirit

After Christ had completed his mission on earth, it still remained necessary for us to become sharers in the divine nature of the Word. We had to give up our own life and be so transformed that we would begin to live an entirely new kind of life that would be pleasing to God. This was something we could do only by sharing in the Holy Spirit.

It was most fitting that the sending of the Spirit and his descent upon us should take place after the departure of Christ our Savior. As long as Christ was with them in the flesh, it must have seemed to believers that they possessed every blessing in him; but when the time came for him to ascend to his heavenly Father, it was necessary for him to be united through his Spirit to those who worshiped him, and to dwell in our hearts through faith. Only by his own presence within us in the way could he give us confidence to cry out, *Abba, Father*, make it easy for us to grow in holiness and, through our possession of the all-powerful Spirit, fortify us invincibly against the wiles of the devil and the assaults of men.

It can easily be shown from examples both in the Old Testament and the New that the Spirit changes those to whom he comes to dwell; he so transforms them that they begin to live a completely new kind of life. Saul was told by the prophet Samuel: *The Spirit of the Lord will take possession of you, and you shall be changed into another man*. Saint Paul writes: *As we behold the glory of the Lord with unveiled faces, that glory, which comes from the Lord who is the Spirit, transforms us all into his own likeness, from one degree of glory to another*.

Does this not show that the Spirit changes those in whom he comes to dwell and alters the whole pattern of their lives? With the Spirit within them it is quite natural for people who had been absorbed by the things of this world to become entirely other-worldly in outlook, and for cowards to become men of great courage. There can be no doubt that this is what happened to the disciples. The strength they received from the Spirit enabled them to hold firm to the love of Christ, facing the violence of their persecutors unafraid. Very true, then, was our Savior's saying that it was to their advantage for him to return to heaven: his return was the time appointed for the descent of the Holy Spirit.

Désiré Cardinal Mercier's Daily Spiritual Exercise

“I am going to reveal to you the secret of sanctity and happiness. Every day for five minutes control your imagination and close your eyes to the things of sense and your ears to all the noises of the world, in order to enter yourself. Then, in the sanctity of your baptized soul (which is the temple of the Holy Spirit), speak to that Divine Spirit, saying to Him: ‘O Holy Spirit, beloved of my soul, I adore you. Enlighten me, guide me, strengthen me, console me. Tell me what I should do. Give me your orders. I promise to submit myself to all that you desire of me and accept all that you permit to happen to me. Let me only know your Will.

“If you do this, your life will flow along happily, serenely, and full of consolation, even in the midst of trials. Grace will be proportioned to the trial, giving you strength to carry it, and you will arrive at the Gate of Paradise laden with merit. This submission to the Holy Spirit is the secret of sanctity.”

Fr. Campbell's Wednesday 6am **Men's Bible Study** will continue to meet. Bring a bible & Catechism of the Catholic Church. Strong coffee served.

The Marian Hour with Fr. Campbell **WSFI 88.5 FM** Wed. June 10 at 2:00pm.

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, Josephine Gallassini, Daniel Lenegar, Arlene Bilotti. Please call the rectory for any other sick persons 694-4695.

**ALL-NIGHT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
1ST FRIDAY JUNE 5—SAT. JUNE 6**

Adoration begins on Friday at 9am, and continues all day and throughout the night, and ends Saturday morning at 6am. We encourage people to come and spend an hour in silent, prayerful adoration before Our Lord in the Eucharist, where we can speak with Jesus, heart to heart. If you've never spent time in Eucharistic Adoration, please consider doing so this coming First Friday-Saturday. Signup sheets are on the table to the left as you enter the church. Jesus invites us: "**Can you stay awake with me one hour?**"

Please Note: During the time of this virus we will have all day Eucharistic Adoration 9am to 5pm every Friday other than First Friday. There will be sign up sheets on the table as you enter the church.

Community Outreach collection for the month of June is for Women & Children's Horizons. Free, confidential services for those affected by domestic and sexual abuse-24 hour crisis line, 24 hour response to law enforcement, medical centers and emergency shelters. **Needs:** Boxed or canned foods, Paper products, Cleaning supplies, Personal care items, Baby wipes & diapers-Large sizes. Monetary donations are also welcome and may be placed in the Community Outreach box.

Pope's Prayer Intention for June. Evangelization: The Way of the Heart. We pray that all those who suffer may find their way in life, allowing themselves to be touched by the Heart of Jesus.

Parish Support not available at time of publication.
Weekend of May 24, 2020

	\$
Budgeted weekly need...	\$4,327.00
Weekly offertory	\$
Over/Under budget	\$
Plan YTD	\$186,058.00
Actual	\$201,909.00
Excess (10 months)	\$15,847.00

WEEKEND MASSES (with people) begin this Saturday/Sunday, the Solemnity of Pentecost, May 30/31. Weekend Mass times will remain the same (4pm Sat.; 8:30 & 10:30am Sun). Seating for all weekend Masses: Families may sit together; others must be spaced 6 ft. apart; every other pew will remain empty. You may wear facemasks & may bring wipes to wipe tops of pews in front of where you are sitting (where your hands will touch). Those who fear infection are dispensed from attending Mass. Note: There are still no weekday Masses.

CONFESSION TIMES: at both parishes on **Saturdays 3-4pm**. Please keep the numbers no more than 10 at one time inside the churches.

Emergency Assistance Fund: On Good Shepherd Sunday I established an "Emergency Assistance Fund" to provide financial assistance to any active parish members (i.e., who attend Mass every week) who are in need of money for bills, food, etc. Please do not hesitate to contact Fr. Campbell if you need financial assistance (652-7660). And thank you for all who have most generously contributed to this fund.

Sign up for FORMED: A program which gives our Parishioners free access to many Catholic Programs and 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!

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. And please pass this info on to others!

MASS INTENTIONS for the Week

With all public Masses being suspended all mass intentions will be rescheduled.

Monday, June 1

8:00 AM No Mass

Tuesday, June 2

8:00 AM † No Mass

Wednesday, June 3

5:45 PM † No Mass

Thursday, June 4

8:00 AM † No Mass

Friday, June 5

8:00 AM † No Mass

Saturday, June 6

4:00 PM † Pat Roach & Steve Smith

Sunday, June 7

8:30 AM † Thomas & Anita Peltier (Wanta Family)

10:30 AM † For Members of the Parish

Saints & Readings:

Week of May 31, 2020

Sunday: Pentecost Sunday, *Vigil:* Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39.

Monday: The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church, Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7/Jn 19:25-34

Tuesday: Sts. Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs, 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18/Ps 90:2, 3-4, 10, 14 and 16 [1]/Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday: St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs, 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12/Ps 123:1b-2ab, 2cdef [1b]/Mk 12:18-27

Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15/Ps 4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14 [4]/Mk 12:28-34

Friday: St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr, 2 Tm 3:10-17/Ps 119:157, 160, 161, 165, 166, 168 [165a]/Mk 12:35-37

Saturday: St. Norbert, Bishop, 2 Tm 4:1-8/Ps 71:8-9, 14-15ab, 16-17, 22 [cf. 15ab]/Mk 12:38-44

Next Sunday: The Most Holy Trinity, Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56 [52b]/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18

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	No Mass	
Sunday Morning	10:30AM	Live streamed only
Weekday Masses	No Week Day Masses	
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)	
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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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.