



The Faith Community of

# ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

CATHOLIC CHURCH



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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 unflinching 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*

## 13<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



*"Whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because the little one is a disciple--amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward." - Mt 10:42*

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June 28, 2020 Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## U.S. Supreme Court writing transgenderism into law is the ‘Roe v. Wade of religious liberty’

June 16, 2020 ([LifeSiteNews](#)) – Staunch conservatives have slammed the **Supreme Court ruling in *Bostock v. Clayton County***, which **redefined the term “sex” in the 1964 Civil Rights Act to mean not simply “male” and “female” as biological facts, but also “sexual orientation” and “gender identity.”**

Josh Hammer of First Liberty Institute called the decision by six justices the “*Roe v. Wade* of religious liberty.” Following *Bostock v. Clayton*, he asked, “Can a Catholic school deny employment to a teacher whose sexual lifestyle blatantly flouts millennia of Catholic moral teaching [e.g., a man who dresses as a woman, or vice-versa]? Can an Orthodox Jewish day school refuse to hire a male teacher who self-identifies as a woman, contravening traditional teaching rooted in Genesis?”

Hammer insisted on “mak[ing] moral arguments in court, based on principles of justice, natural law (the rules embedded in our very nature as human beings), the common good and the religious and moral traditions underlying Anglo-American constitutional order.” Speaking of Gorsuch’s majority opinion, he said: “It’s ivory-tower liberalism. And it’s completely at odds with the Supreme Court’s longstanding dictum that Congress, in drafting statutes, won’t inscribe a hidden meaning in otherwise plain language: As Justice Samuel Alito sharply noted in dissent, ‘sex,’ in 1964, meant biological sex — man and woman — not orientation and certainly not subjective gender identity.”

Hans von Spakovsky and Ryan T. Anderson, who are both part of the Heritage Foundation, described the Supreme Court ruling as “an act of judicial activism,” with the majority having “simply legislated from the bench and amended the statute itself.” They pointed out, “Congress has not legislated such an outcome, and it was wrong for the court to usurp lawmakers’ authority by imposing such an extreme policy on our nation without the consent of the governed,” echoing the dissent written by Justice Samuel Alito.

Michael Farris, the founder of the Home School Legal Defense Association, spoke of “an enormous loss” for people with a biblical worldview. “People who legitimately believe that God created us male and female are going to face increased efforts to silence, marginalize, and penalize any dissent,” he predicted.

Popular Protestant preacher Franklin Graham, son of the late Billy Graham, said “this decision erodes religious freedoms across this country. People of sincere faith who stand on God’s Word as their foundation for life should never be forced by the government to compromise their religious beliefs.” He stressed that Christian organizations “should never be forced to hire people who do not align with their biblical beliefs and should not be prevented from terminating a person whose lifestyle and beliefs undermine the ministry’s purpose and goals.”

Similarly, Catholic Bishop Joseph Strickland of Tyler, Texas, tweeted, “Lord forgive our arrogance! The highest court of our land may be called Supreme but woe unto us if we ignore GOD’S SUPREME TRUTH.”

Catholic priest and canon lawyer Father Gerald Murray said: “**We have entered the nightmare world in which each person can not only define for himself the meaning of life, but also deny the reality of his own body, now counting on the federal government to force the rest to buy into that delusion or face the coercive power of the state.**” It appears Murray was referencing retired Justice Anthony Kennedy’s infamous treatise in *Planned Parenthood v. Casey*, which said in part: “At the heart of liberty is the right to define one’s own concept of existence, of meaning, of the universe, and of the mystery of human life.” Murray added, “This is what happens when metaphysical realism is abandoned and the will to power takes over as the guiding principle of judicial analysis.”

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. July 8 at 2:00pm.

**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!

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

**LITTLE FLOWER DREAM RAFFLE**

P.S. Although our St. Therese festival has been cancelled, we are still holding a raffle – not our normal raffle (when everyone receives a packet of tickets), but a **\$30,000 raffle**: the cost is **\$100 per ticket** (which means you have a **1 in 300 chance of winning!**), with a **grand prize of \$10,000, second prize \$3,000 and third prize \$2,000.**

The **parish will profit \$15,000 from this raffle.** So we urge everyone to purchase at least one ticket. **Tickets may be purchased** at church after Saturday/Sunday Masses, or on our website (<https://st-therese-kenosha.org/>), or at the parish office.

**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!**

**Parish Support**

Weekend of June 14, 2020

**\$5,007.00**

Budgeted weekly need...	\$4,327.00
Weekly offertory	\$5,007.00
<b>Over/Under budget</b>	\$680.00
Plan YTD	\$207,692.00
Actual	\$214,230.00
<b>Excess (11 months)</b>	\$6,538.00

**WEEKEND MASSES: 4pm Sat.; 8:30 & 10:30am Sun.** Seating: Families may sit together; others 6 ft. apart. **Per Archbishop Listecki: Holy Communion may be received on the tongue or in hand. Also, the elderly & those who are compromised in health and fear infection are dispensed from attending Mass until Sunday Aug 2.**

**Daily Mass Schedule:**

**St. Therese Church,** Wed. 5:45pm, Fri. 8am

**Mt. Carmel Church,** Mon. 7:15am, Tues. 5:45pm

**St. Elizabeth Church,** Thurs. 12:00pm, Sat. 12:00pm

**CONFESSION TIMES: Saturday 3-4pm.**

**Emergency Assistance Fund** provides financial assistance to any active parish members (i.e., who attends weekly Mass) in need of money for bills, food, etc. Contact Fr. Campbell (652-7660).

**ALL-NIGHT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION 1ST FRIDAY JULY 3—SAT. JULY 4**

Adoration begins on Friday after 8am Mass, and continues all day and throughout the night, and ends Saturday morning at 6am. We invite 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 right as you enter the church. Jesus invites us: **"Can you stay awake with me one hour?"**

The **"Word Among Us"** book is available for pickup in the Parish Office, (\$2.00 donation requested).

**Catholic Schools to Re-open This Fall:** Per the Archdiocese: "We are currently working with our schools to plan for the fall. With safety as our first concern and in compliance with appropriate guidelines, we want you to know we **are planning for our schools to re-open in a traditional manner at the end of the summer break.**"

**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.

**MASS INTENTIONS for the Week**

*Mass intentions are being rescheduled.*

**Monday, June 29**

8:00 AM No Mass

**Tuesday, June 30**

8:00 AM † No Mass

**Wednesday, July 1**

5:45 PM † Marv Norstrom (John & Sharon Kirsch)

**Thursday, July 2**

8:00 AM † No Mass

**Friday, July 3**

8:00 AM † Mary Mancuso (Vincent & Lucille Mancuso)

**Saturday, July 4**

4:00 PM † Pat Roach (Jim Roach)

† Deceased McGovern Family (Family)

**Sunday, July 5**

8:30 AM † Joseph Sturino (Family)

10:30 AM † For Members of the Parish

*Saints & Readings:*

*Week of June 28, 2020*

Sunday: 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a/Ps 89:2-3, 16-17, 18-19 [2a]/Rom 6:3-4, 8-11/Mt 10:37-42

Monday: Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles, Acts 12:1-11/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [5b]/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19

Tuesday: The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church, Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12/Ps 5:4b-6a, 6b-7, 8 [9a]/Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday: St. Junípero Serra, Priest, Am 5:14-15, 21-24/Ps 50:7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, 16bc-17 [23b]/Mt 8:28-34

Thursday: Am 7:10-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [10cd]/Mt 9:1-8

Friday: St. Thomas, Apostle, Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Jn 20:24-29

Saturday: Independence Day, Am 9:11-15/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 9b]/Mt 9:14-17

Next Sunday: 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time; Independence Day, Zec 9:9-10/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14 [cf. 1]/Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30

**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	Wednesday	5:45 PM
	Friday	8:00 AM
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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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, 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.