



The Faith Community of

ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

CATHOLIC CHURCH



17th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure buried in a field, which a person finds and hides again, and out of joy goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.” - Mt 13:44

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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*

July 26, 2020 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MISSION APPEAL for KITUI, KENYA DIOCESE Aug. 1-2

On the weekend of Aug. 1-2, we will be taking a second collection for the Kitui, Kenya Diocese. If you will recall, in past years we have had priests from the Kitui Diocese here to preach Masses for the weekend when making an appeal. Last year Fr. Richard N'guta preached the appeal, and he was scheduled to come back again this year. However, in February he returned to Kenya for a visit, intending to return here to the U.S., but then the Wuhan virus spread and he has been unable to return.

I (Fr. Campbell) have been in communication with Fr. Richard, and informed him that we would still take up a collection for the many needs of his diocese, which is extremely poor and relies on the goodwill donations of parishes like ours.

The Diocese of Kitui is located in the eastern part of Kenya. It is a rural diocese, very poor, and frequent droughts continue to keep the population there in dire poverty; 70% of the population lives in poverty and 52% suffer from malnutrition.

Pressing needs of the diocese include: obtaining water (wells and dams); construction of churches and parish buildings; education for seminarians/future priests; education and support for needy students; and medical and social support for orphaned children due to HIV/AIDS.

A second collection will be taken on the weekend of Aug. 1 & 2 to provide monetary support for the Church in the Diocese of Kitui, Kenya.

Checks should be made out to St. Therese. Please be generous in sharing with the Catholics of the Kitui Diocese the blessings of wealth God has granted to us!

THE PROFILE OF CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF KITUI

The Catholic Diocese of Kitui, Kenya, was established in 1964 and has grown from 4 parishes to over 26 parishes. Kitui is a mission diocese which covers slightly over 30,000 sq. kilometers (18,750 square miles) and has a population of about 1,100,000 as per the 2009 government of Kenya census.

The area covered by the diocese transcends both arid and semi-arid areas with a 33% reliability of rainfall. Poverty levels stand at 70% with malnutrition being reported at 52%. The main source of livelihoods for the people living within this region is marginal agriculture tending to crop and livestock—subsistence farming. With a vicious cycle of famine, most of the people find it difficult to absorb the devastation of these droughts making it an area that is perpetually on food relief.

In addition to the challenges mentioned above, the Kitui Diocese suffers from the Covid-19 pandemic. Since the first reported case in Kenya in March, there are currently over 10,000 cases across the country, and the Kenyan government has ordered lockdowns and closures of schools and churches, which has caused, among other things, severe economic hardship.

Joseph Mwangela, Bishop-elect of Kitui Diocese, has written to us requesting our assistance for diocesan programs which support orphans and vulnerable children, family life ministry, HIV/AIDS victims, and most importantly formation of seminarians and ongoing formation of priests.

Fr. Campbell's **Wednesday 6am Men's Bible Study** continues to meet via ZOOM. Have a bible & Catechism of the Catholic Church. Contact Fr. C for link.

The **MARIAN HOUR** with Fr. Campbell **WSFI 88.5 FM Wed. August 12 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.

Community Outreach collection for the month of July is for Capt. James A. Lovell Federal Health Care Center VA. Providing for the welfare and comfort of veteran patients. All monies fully support the services & programs i.e. monthly outings & birthday parties. **Needs:** Paperback books & magazines (less than 3 mos. old), toiletries (w/out alcohol) T-Shirts/Underwear for Men & Women (esp. larger sizes). Used clothing for Men & Women (clean & in good condition). Monetary donations are also welcome and may be placed in the Community Outreach box.

Pope's Prayer Intention for July. Universal: Our Families. We pray that today's families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.

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 July 12, 2020

\$3,986.00

Budgeted weekly need...	\$4,327.00
Weekly offertory	\$3,986.00
Over/Under budget	\$(341.00)
Plan YTD	\$207,692.00
Actual	\$214,230.00
Excess (11 months)	\$6,538.00

LITTLE FLOWER DREAM RAFFLE

We held the drawing Sunday evening at 6pm. The **\$10,000 first prize** went to **St. Therese Parish!** A generous woman from Illinois (name unknown) purchased the winning ticket a few months ago in gratitude for us having Mass here. This means we made **\$25,000** on our raffle! **2nd prize (\$3000): Barb Ziccarelli; 3rd prize (\$2000): Michael Kirsch.** Thanks to all who participated, and esp. **Adam Kavalauskas** who ran the raffle with **Kristin Kelly.**



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).

ALL-NIGHT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION 1ST FRIDAY AUGUST 7—SAT. AUGUST 8

Adoration begins Friday after 8am Mass, continues all day and throughout the night, 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 at church entrance. Jesus invites us: **"Can you stay awake with me one hour?"**

Knights of Columbus will celebrate **"Our Lady of Guadalupe Silver Rose"** program at St. Therese **Sat. Aug. 15th**, which honors Our Lady of Guadalupe and reaffirms the sanctity of life, begins with 8:30am Mass, then a prayer service at St. Therese pavilion. Bring chairs & set up around the pavilion b/4 the 8:30 Mass.

OUR SANCTUARY LAMP

will burn this week for Bill Haddican requested by Theresa and in grateful recognition of Our Lord's Sacramental Presence in our tabernacle.



MASS INTENTIONS for the Week

Monday, July 27

8:00 AM No Mass

Tuesday, July 28

8:00 AM † Jerry Wienkers (Family)

Wednesday, July 29

5:45 PM † John Ruggiero (Theresa Ruggiero)

Thursday, July 30

8:00 AM † No Mass

Friday, July 31

8:00 AM † Joseph & Regina Pumpera (Theresa Ruggiero)

Saturday, August 1

4:00 PM † Pat Roach (Jim Roach)

† Mary Marasa (Chic Marasa)

Sunday, August 2

8:30 AM † For Members of the Parish

10:30 AM † Jerry Wienkers (Family)

**Saints & Readings:
Week of July 26, 2020**

Sunday: 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time, 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130 [97a]/Rom 8:28-30/Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46

Monday: Jer 13:1-11/Dt 32:18-19, 20, 21 [cf. 18a]/Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday: Jer 14:17-22/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [9]/Mt 13:36-43

Wednesday: St. Martha, Jer 15:10, 16-21/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 10-11 [2]/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Thursday: St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church, Jer 18:1-6/Ps 146:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab [5a]/Mt 13:47-53

Friday: St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest, Jer 26:1-9/Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14 [14c]/Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church, Jer 26:11-16, 24/Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34 [14c]/Mt 14:1-12

Next Sunday: 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Is 55:1-3/Ps 145:8-9, 15-16, 17-18 [cf. 16]/Rom 8:35, 37-39/Mt 14:13-21

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
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Parish Staff

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Liturgical Musician.....Jan Sleyster
Parish Secretary & Bulletin Editor.....Mary E. Vestal

Parish Pastoral Council

Robert Beales, Trustee Treasurer Kristen Kelly
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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.