



The Faith Community of

# ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

CATHOLIC CHURCH



## 4<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

All were amazed and asked one another, "What is this? A new teaching with authority. He commands even the unclean spirits and they obey him." - Mk 1:27

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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*

January 31, 2021 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## The E.U. Is Coming for Catholics

By Marek Jan Chodakiewicz ([www.crisismagazine.com](http://www.crisismagazine.com), Dec. 9, 2020)

**Poland and Hungary are in trouble** with the European Union again. Ostensibly, this time it is a budgetary dispute that neither Warsaw nor Budapest is willing to sign off on. But, in essence, it is a clash of postmodernism on the one hand and traditionalism on the other. Brussels endeavors brutally to impose its social-engineering schemes on the Poles and the Hungarians, who view such ham-fisted behavior as a violation of their national sovereignties.

At the moment, we are witnessing a fight over two fundamental issues: immigration and sexuality. Brussels huffs and puffs about freedom of movement and human rights. Poland and Hungary simply must accept whatever quota of Third World migrants (mostly Muslims) the E.U. has set for the member states. Further, they must agree to all rules and regulations favoring LGBT causes, abortion, and so on—long overdue in the region. Or so Brussels says.

To force compliance, the Eurocrats call the reprobates in Central and Eastern Europe racists, homophobes, and misogynists. Brussels resents the Magyars and the Poles for controlling their own borders. The E.U. is livid that the constitutions of Poland and Hungary both define marriage as a union between a man and a woman. The commissars of the European commission hate the fact that the Hungarian Parliament defunded “critical theories,” “gender studies,” and other such programs in the nation’s universities. Lastly, the lords of the European superstate fume at Poland’s legal protection of life, in particular the outlawing of abortion on demand.

But the Polish and the Hungarians are neither racist nor any kind of sex-phobic. They merely practice defense against the nefarious consequences of those fashionable ideologies embraced by the E.U.—ideologies that have done so much to ruin Western Europe. Thus, the Poles and the Hungarians see such strictures as disingenuous. For them, it is about maintaining sovereignty, including the cultural essence of their nations.

They themselves decide who may or may not come to settle within their borders. And they have been quite welcoming and accommodating of the alien needy. For instance, Poland is not only host to about a million Ukrainian war refugees and economic migrants, but it has agreed to welcome Syrian Christians on the Vistula.

Further, as far as Syrian war refugees, both the Hungarians and the Poles (via their governments and religious charitable institutions) have been doing yeoman’s work at the source, where it really matters: in the Middle East refugee camps. This way, the needs of the destitute are taken care of *in situ*. The unfortunates remain close to home, ready to return when the conflict is resolved.

That is the most efficient way to manage this kind of human tragedy, the point lost on Brussels and, particularly, Berlin. The masters of the E.U. would rather see waves of refugees resettled on the Continent and pay homage to the gods of multiculturalism... and, in due time, to bolster their tax intake, salvage labor shortages, and reverse their demographic collapse.

They also order the Hungarians and the Poles to fall in line as far as LGBT issues are concerned. Poland and Hungary must become as forward-thinking as the rest of the E.U., in particular its Western part. That means changing laws protecting traditional family and embracing everything from gay marriage through gay adoption to mandatory school indoctrination sessions about gender fluidity, transgenderism, and other achievements of so-called “sexual citizenship” that has become standard in the West.

Once such “norms” are rammed down the Hungarian and Polish throats, the road to other joys of what Saint John Paul II called “the culture of death” will be wide open. Euthanasia beckons. Who knows? Pedophilia may be in the cards as more and more progressives insist that we lower the age of consent. That is what Warsaw and Budapest fear and expect.

Then, as now, there will be no room for diversity under the diktat of Brussels and Berlin. Everyone must fall in line.

N.B.: I predict there will be “no room for diversity” in thought (in schools, in big news media outlets) or in action under the godless Leviathan state with its vast bureaucratic powers that is on the horizon (in fact, it’s already with us: in New York City you can be fined \$250,000 for refusing to address a co-worker by his/her preferred pronoun; e.g., a man who “identifies” as a woman), and that is determined to impose its demonic social/political agenda (abortion, conformity to LGBTQ, etc.) that Poland and Hungary are now valiantly opposing. Let us pray that we will have the fortitude to stand strong and, with Christ as our Light, the Virgin Mary as our Protectress, and St. Joseph as our Guardian, oppose these promoters of the culture of death. *Fr. C.*

Fr. Campbell's **Wednesday 6am Men's Bible Study** will meet using ZOOM. Bring a Bible & *Catechism of the Catholic Church*.

The **MARIAN HOUR** with Fr. Campbell **WSFI 88.5 FM Wed. February 10 at 2:00pm.**

**PRAY for the SICK in our PARISH**, and visit them if possible: Germaine Brennan, Gerry Buhnerkempe, Maria Miller, Pat Ware, William Wasurick, Mary Jo Koski, Phyllis Giovannoni, Florence Klappa, Daniel Lenegar, Jennifer Johnson, Laurie Smith, Billie Lou Knutsen. Please call the rectory for other sick persons 694-4695.

**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. **Please pass this info on to others!**

**Rosary in the Park:** Sat. Feb. 11am, Civic Center Park (across from courthouse). Intention: preserving religious freedom & all our freedoms. Join us praying the Rosary 1st Sat. every month.

**MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP** **When:** Sat. Feb. 6<sup>th</sup>, 6pm-8pm **Where:** OLMC (enter double doors east parking lot) **What:** outside & indoor games: cornhole, horse-shoes, 3 legged races. **Rsvp:** [religiouseducation@olmckenosha.org](mailto:religiouseducation@olmckenosha.org)

**Pope's Prayer Intention for January. Evangelization: Human fraternity.** May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellowship with our brothers and sisters of other religions, praying for one another, open to all.

**Parish Support**

Weekend of January 17, 2021

**\$5,057.25**

Budgeted weekly need...	\$4,865.00
Weekly offertory	\$5,057.25
<b>Over/Under budget</b>	<b>\$192.25</b>
Plan YTD	\$126,500.00
Actual	\$129,161.00
<b>Excess (6 months)</b>	<b>\$2,661.00</b>

**Course on Critique of Evolution: "FOUNDATIONS RESTORED: A Catholic Perspective on Origins": Next class Tues. Feb. 2, 7pm, St. Therese Church.** "Foundations Restored" is series of presentations on DVD defending the traditional Catholic doctrine of creation of the universe and of human life, as well as a refutation of Darwin's theory of evolution which has ushered in the world-wide culture of death.

Come and pray the Holy Rosary at St. Therese Church Sunday Evening's at 6:00pm.

**St Therese Italian Beef Dinner Fundraiser on Super Bowl Sunday February 7, 2021.** This is the famous beef served at our Parish Festival. Dinner includes 1 lb of beef, 4 bomber buns, salad, dressing, chips and cookies. Cost is \$25. Additional beef can be purchased for \$10/lb.

**Preorders are necessary** and taken at [st-theresekenosha.org](http://st-theresekenosha.org) or call 262-697-0834. Pick up on Feb. 7th 11:30 am until 2:00 pm. Cash or credit. Enjoy the Big Game with a taste of our summer festival!

\*In order to reduce costs and maximize our profits any and all donations toward purchase of supplies would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Joe Stancato 262-697- 0834 by January 24, 2021.

The **Holy Name Society** will have a meeting on **Sunday, February 7** in the hall after the 8:30 am Mass. All men of the parish are invited.

**Emergency Assistance Fund:** Contact Fr. Campbell if you need financial assistance (652-7660).

**ALL-NIGHT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION 1ST FRIDAY FEBRUARY 5—SAT. FEBRUARY 6** 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?**"

**CANDLEMAS DAY & BLESSING of CANDLES: Tues. Feb. 2,** Feast of Presentation of Our Lord (40 days after the Birth of Jesus), called Candlemas Day. At Mass candles are lit & carried in procession. The light of the candle represents Christ, the True Light of the world, who was brought into the Jewish Temple for the first time and presented to God His Father. Traditionally, candles are blessed at this Mass for use in the home (during storms, threatening weather, plagues, etc.). You may bring your own candles to be blessed; also, candles will be available at both Mt. Carmel and St. Therese Churches (a donation is requested).

**MASS INTENTIONS for the Week**

**Monday, February 1**

8:00 AM † Dan & Sharon Tack (Lucille Thomsen)

**Tuesday, February 2**

8:00 AM † Warren Harris (Lucille Thomsen)

**Wednesday, February 3**

5:45 PM † Ruth Kmacbert (Jody Tremear)

**Thursday, February 4**

8:00 AM † No Mass

**Friday, February 5**

8:00 AM Lucille Thomsen (Pat Corbett)

**Saturday, February 6**

4:00 PM † Pat Roach (Jim Roach) & Mildred Renick  
(Gene & Jennie Rühle)

**Sunday, February 7**

8:30 AM † Vincent Molinaro

10:30 AM † For Members of the Parish

*Saints & Readings:  
Week of January 31, 2021*

Sunday: 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catholic Schools Week, Dt 18:15-20/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9 [8]/1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28

Monday: Heb 11:32-40/Ps 31:20, 21, 22, 23, 24 [25]/Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday: The Presentation of the Lord; World Day for Consecrated Life, Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10 [8]/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

Wednesday: St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr; St. Ansgar, Bishop, Heb 12:4-7, 11-15/Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a [cf. 17]/Mk 6:1-6

Thursday: Heb 12:18-19, 21-24/Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 9, 10-11 [cf. 10]/Mk 6:7-13

Friday: St. Agatha, Virgin and Martyr, Heb 13:1-8/Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9abc [1a]/Mk 6:14-29

Saturday: St. Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs, Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Mk 6:30-34

Next Sunday: 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 3a]/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39

**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)		
Parish Telephones	Parish Office	262-694-4695
	Fax	262-694-7284
	Rel. Ed. Coord.	262-705-9097
Liturgical Musician	Jan Sleyster	262-331-4734
Sacristan	Jim Lauzon	262-945-1855

All Saints Catholic School 262-925-4000  
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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.