



The Faith Community of

ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

CATHOLIC CHURCH



6th SUNDAY OF EASTER

“If you keep my commandments, you will remain in my love,
just as I have kept my Father’s commandments and
remain in his love.” - Jn 15:10

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OUR PARISH MISSION

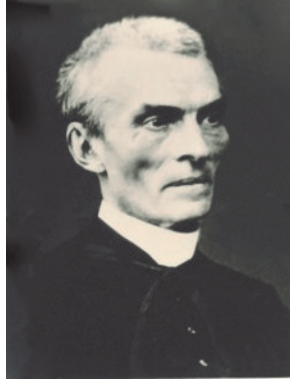
*We are a welcoming
Christian family
committed to Catholic
values, responding
to the call of Christ
revealed in the diversity
of human need. We
practice a conscious,
living, active faith
in a community whose
source of strength is
the Eucharist.*

Miraculous Prayer to the Little Flower

*O Little flower of Jesus, ever con-
soling troubled souls with heavenly
graces, in our unfailing interces-
sions 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 9, 2021 Sixth Sunday of Easter

More Words of Wisdom from St. Peter Julian Eymard



In last week's Gospel, Jesus told us that he is the vine and we are the branches. In other words, He is the source of our true life, the supernatural life of grace. And the Eucharist IS Jesus Christ, in His complete humanity (Body, Blood and Soul) and His Divinity.

In a conference to his priests entitled, "The Sacrament of Life," St. Peter Julian Eymard spoke these words:

Jesus Christ said: *"Unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you shall not have life in you. He that eats my flesh and drinks my blood has everlasting life."* But does not Baptism, which makes us children of God, give us this divine life? Does not the sacrament of Penance restore it to us when we have had the misfortune to lose it by sin? What, then, is the meaning of these words which our Lord so solemnly emphasizes? Is there a contradiction here in Catholic doctrine? Certainly not. The Eucharist is the Sacrament of life because It gives us life in its full development, in its perfection. . . . Baptism and Penance, which give us life, are not sufficient to maintain it; . . . Life and the food that sustains it are inseparable. . . . Certainly we can win merits, and labor for heaven from the moment we enter into the state of grace; in order, however, to keep up our efforts for long, we must take this food of the strong. By no other means can we obtain sufficient strength to endure hard to daily struggle.

However good and necessary prayer is, it will weary you, and you will end by neglecting it unless supported in it by Communion. In order to live the life of penance, in order to progress in this narrow and painful path of self-mortification, we need a divine impulsion, no other than the oft-renewed presence of Jesus in our heart.

I advance this as a principle, that the more one desires to live a pure and holy life, the greater is one's need and the more urgent the obligation to receive Communion frequently. . . . You must receive Communion, not because you are holy, because you wish to become so. That is the rule. Go to Communion because you are weak and overburdened by the labors of Christian life. See how Jesus Christ calls you to Communion: *"Come to me, all you that labor and are burdened, and I will refresh you."*

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. May 12 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, Jean Amendola, Maria Koble, Aileen Hafferkamp. Please call the rectory for other sick persons 694-4695.

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

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!

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!

St. Therese Church will again be selling Roses on **Mother's Day, Sunday, May 9th** for \$2.00 each in support of the Wisconsin Right to Life program.

Community Outreach collection for the month of May is for Salvation Army. Needs: At this time we can only accept Cash Donations. Please deposit your offering in our Donation box in the Lobby.

Pope's Prayer Intention for May. Universal: The world of finance. Let us pray that those in charge of finance will work with governments to regulate the financial sphere and protect citizens from its dangers.

Parish Support

Weekend of April 25, 2021

\$4,540.00

Budgeted weekly need...	\$4,865.00
Weekly offertory	\$4,540.00
Over/Under budget	(\$325.00)
Plan YTD	\$209,212.00
Actual	\$237,431.00
Excess (10 months)	\$28,219.00

**Sunday May 9 – 10:30am Mass
May Crowning Procession**

All Religious Education students and all children are invited to participate in the May Crowning Procession. Each child should bring their own flower from home, florist or may purchase a Wisconsin Right to Life Mother's Day Rose to carry and give to our Blessed Mother Mary.

Children should gather in the vestibule at **10:20am** with Mrs. Beth Sturino. After the procession children will sit with their families for Mass.

Let us participate and show our love to Our Blessed Mother Mary in this special procession! Thank You!
Mrs. Beth Sturino, Religious Education Coordinator

Now Enrolling!

Our families say it best... "We made the decision to switch our boys to All Saints after attending open house in January. We were extremely impressed with not only the academic standards, but the honor code the students are held to as well. The teacher dedication and positive energy they brought to their classes was amazing.

If you are looking for a successful, in-person learning environment with a dedicated staff and a Catholic education based on Faith, Values, and Rigor, then ASCS is the school for your child! We offer 3 year-old Preschool- 8th grade on one campus. Enrollment for the 2021-22 school year is under way.

Allsaintskenosha.org (262)925-4024 4400 22nd Ave.



**The Most Important Person
on Earth: A Mother**

The most important person on earth is a mother. She cannot claim the honor of having built Notre Dame Cathedral. She need not. She has built something more magnificent than any cathedral - a dwelling for an immortal soul, the tiny perfection of her baby's body. The angels have not been blessed with such a grace. They cannot share in God's creative miracle to bring new saints to Heaven. Only a human mother can. Mothers are closer to God the Creator than any other creature; God joins forces with mothers in performing this act of creation. What on God's good earth is more glorious than this: to be a mother?

Joseph Cardinal Mindszenty

MASS INTENTIONS for the Week**Monday, May 10**

8:00 AM † William Freeman

Tuesday, May 11

8:00 AM † Paul Hesprich (Wanta Family)

Wednesday, May 12

5:45 PM † Bill & Carmen Schoor

Thursday, May 13

8:00 AM † No Mass

Friday, May 14

8:00 AM † Paul Hesprich (Wanta Family)

Saturday, May 15

4:00 PM † Louis Valetti † Gerald Dosemagen (Joan Zicarelli) † Lucille Thomsen (Doris Bruff)

Sunday, May 16

8:30 AM † Wayne Daun † Joseph & JoEllyn Sturino (Family)

10:30 AM † For Members of the Parish

Saints & Readings:**Week of May 9, 2021**

Sunday: 6th Sunday of Easter; Mother's Day, Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 [cf. 2b]/1 Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17

Monday: St. Damien de Veuster, Priest, Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [cf. 4a]/Jn 15:26—16:4a

Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8 [7c]/Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday: Sts. Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs; St. Pancras, Martyr, Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Jn 16:12-15

Thursday: The Ascension of the Lord, Our Lady of Fatima, Acts 18:1-8/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [cf. 2b]/Jn 16:16-20 *Ascension*: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13/Mk 16:15-20

Friday: St. Matthias, Apostle, Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 [8]/Jn 15:9-17

Saturday: St. Isidore; Armed Forces Day, Acts 18:23-28/Ps 47:2-3, 8-10, 10 [8a]/Jn 16:23b-28

Next Sunday: The Ascension of the Lord; 7th Sunday of Easter;

World Communications Day, *Ascension*: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13/Mk 16:15-20*Seventh Sunday of Easter*: Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20 [19a]/1 Jn 4:11-16/Jn 17:11b-19**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
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Liturgical Musician	Jan Sleyster	262-331-4734
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 Liturgical Musician.....Jan Sleyster
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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.