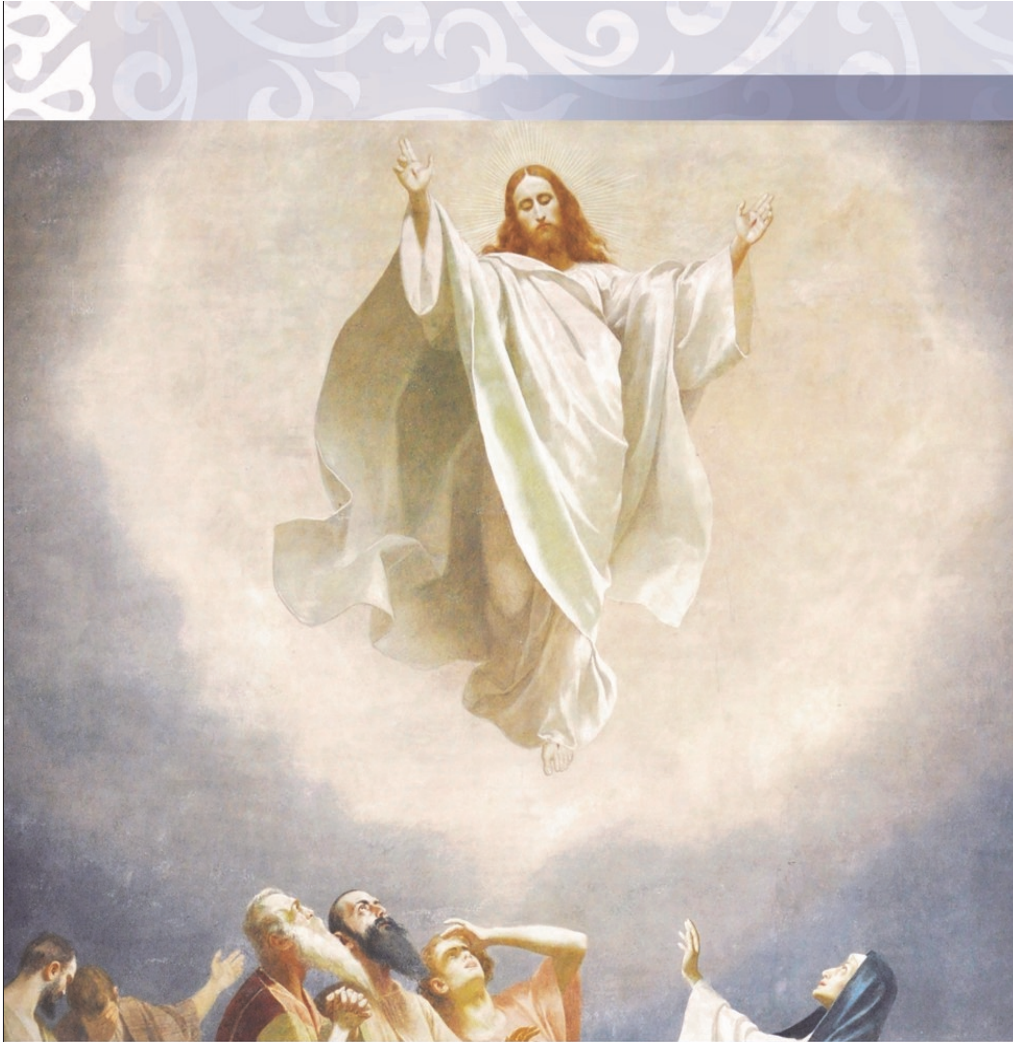




The Faith Community of

ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

CATHOLIC CHURCH



THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

As he blessed them he parted from them and was taken up to heaven. - Lk 24:51

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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 29, 2022 The Ascension of the Lord

Guide to the Catechism of the Catholic Church

"He Ascended Into Heaven and is Seated at the right hand of the Father"

Article 6

"So then the Lord Jesus, after he had spoken to them, was taken up into heaven, and sat down at the right hand of God." Christ's body was glorified at the moment of his Resurrection, as proved by the new and supernatural properties it subsequently and permanently enjoys. But during the forty days when he eats and drinks familiarly with his disciples and teaches them about the kingdom, his glory remains veiled under the appearance of ordinary humanity. Jesus' final apparition ends with the irreversible entry of his humanity into divine glory, symbolized by the cloud and by heaven, where he is seated from that time forward at God's right hand. Only in a wholly exceptional and unique way would Jesus show himself to Paul "as to one untimely born", in a last apparition that established him as an apostle.



The veiled character of the glory of the Risen One during this time is intimated in his mysterious words to Mary Magdalene: "I have not yet ascended to the Father; but go to my brethren and say to them, I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God." This indicates a difference in manifestation between the glory of the risen Christ and that of the Christ exalted to the Father's right hand, a transition marked by the historical and transcendent event of the Ascension.

This final stage stays closely linked to the first, that is, to his descent from heaven in the Incarnation. Only the one who "came from the Father" can return to the Father: Christ Jesus. "No one has ascended into heaven but he who descended from heaven, the Son of man." Left to its own natural powers humanity does not have access to the "Father's house", to God's life and happiness. Only Christ can open to man such access that we, his members, might have confidence that we too shall go where he, our Head and our Source, has preceded us.

"And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all men to myself." The lifting up of Jesus on the cross signifies and announces his lifting up by his Ascension into heaven, and indeed begins it. Jesus Christ, the one priest of the new and eternal Covenant, "entered, not into a sanctuary made by human hands. . . but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf." There Christ permanently exercises his priesthood, for he "always lives to make intercession" for "those who draw near to God through him". As "high priest of the good things to come" he is the center and the principal actor of the liturgy that honors the Father in heaven.

Henceforth Christ is *seated at the right hand of the Father*: "By 'the Father's right hand' we understand the glory and honor of divinity, where he who exists as Son of God before all ages, indeed as God, of one being with the Father, is seated bodily after he became incarnate and his flesh was glorified."

Being seated at the Father's right hand signifies the inauguration of the Messiah's kingdom, the fulfillment of the prophet Daniel's vision concerning the Son of man: "To him was given dominion and glory and kingdom, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him; his dominion is an everlasting dominion, which shall not pass away, and his kingdom one that shall not be destroyed." After this event the apostles became witnesses of the "kingdom [that] will have no end".

IN BRIEF

Christ's Ascension marks the definitive entrance of Jesus' humanity into God's heavenly domain, whence he will come again (cf. *Acts 1:11*); this humanity in the meantime hides him from the eyes of men (cf. *Col 3:3*).

Jesus Christ, the head of the Church, precedes us into the Father's glorious kingdom so that we, the members of his Body, may live in the hope of one day being with him forever.

Jesus Christ, having entered the sanctuary of heaven once and for all, intercedes constantly for us as the mediator who assures us of the permanent outpouring of the Holy Spirit.

Fr. Campbell's **Wednesday 6am Men's Bible Study** will meet using ZOOM. Contact Fr. Campbell for the link at frcampbell@olmckenosha.org.



The **MARIAN HOUR** with Fr. Campbell **WSFI 88.5 FM & and now also on 750AM** every 2nd & 4th Wednesday. Next program: **Wed. June 8 at 2pm.**

PRAY for the SICK in our PARISH, and visit them if possible: Pat Ware, William Wasurick, Mary Jo Koski, Phyllis Giovannoni, Florence Klappa, Daniel Lenegar, Jennifer Johnson, Laurie Smith, Jean Ammendola, Maria Koble, Aileen Hafferkamp, Billie Knutsen, Richard & Kathleen Bertola, Lawrence W. Klein Sr., Diana Sauter, Donald Glade, Michelle Jenewein. 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 family friendly 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!**

CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S CIRCLE: Next meeting is Mon., 6/13 at 9 am. Join us to meet new friends & learn about opportunities to support St. Therese Parish, and one another. Childcare available: Kindly let Jean Marie (764-1864) know how many kids to expect.

Join the Church Cleaning Crew
All members of the parish are welcome. We need your help Thurs., June 16th at 6 p.m. If daytime works better for you, please call Jan at 331-4734 to setup a time.

Friday Eucharistic Adoration: Friday adoration will begin after the 8:00am Mass and close with Benediction at 5pm.



Parish Support
Weekend of May 15, 2022

	\$3,679.00
Budgeted weekly need...	\$5,010.00
Weekly offertory	\$3,679.00
Over/Under budget	(\$1,331.00)
Plan YTD	\$215,413.00
Actual	\$245,760.00
Excess (10 months)	\$30,347.00

Be sure to have your photo taken for our NEW PARISH DIRECTORY!

St Therese will be putting together a new parish directory and we would like all of our parishioners - those who have been here many years as well as new members - to be photographed for our new directory. Universal Church Directories is the company we're working with. Photographs will be taken at St. Therese Church.

DATES for members to be PHOTOGRAPHED:

Thursday June 9, Friday June 10 & Saturday June 11

The sooner you register, the better your chance to reserve the spot that works best for you.

HOW to SIGN UP to be PHOTOGRAPHED (no charge)

- You may go online to www.ucdir.com to make your reservation. Click on the box to schedule appointment, enter church code wi195 & enter password photos.
- You can also **sign up for a photo session after Masses** on weekends in upcoming weeks.
- Each family that has their photos taken will receive a **church directory** and a **free 8" x 10" portrait**. You will also have the opportunity to purchase additional photos. If you have family members or friends who are not parish members who would like their own free family portrait please invite them to register. They will not be included in our parish directory but will get their own free 8" x 10" portrait. Don't be surprised to see cameras around the church or group photos being taken. Make sure that you are always wearing your biggest smile around St Therese!

Knights of Columbus Council 973 is hosting a Golf Outing on Saturday, June 25th at Petrifying Springs Golf Course. 9-Hole and 18-Hole Scrambles. Cookout afterwards 12pm. For ticket info see forms in the back of church or contact Dr. David Kreutz at 847-456-7330 or bdkreutz@yahoo.com. Registr deadline 5/31.

Mass & Dedication of Monument to the Unborn: Last year parishes of Kenosha raised \$26,000 for a monument to the unborn babies buried at All Saints Cemetery. Please join us **Sat. June 18** for the dedication at All Saints Cemetery, 3300 Springbrook Rd. Bishop James Schuerman will celebrate 4pm Mass followed by dedication. BYO lawn chair. We'll have a large tent! RSVP by June 11: Dr. David Kreutz at bdkreutz@yahoo.com (847)-456-7330 or Terry Glidden, taglidden@gmail.com (262) 951-6689.



The Parish Office will be closed on Memorial Day, Mon., May 30th and Tues., May 31st.

NOW OPEN 2022-2023: Religious Education Registration for Jr. High & High School Please register online:

<https://olmckenosha.org/children-and-teens>

6th-11th grade classes meet 2 Wednesdays a month from 4:30pm-6:30pm Confirmation is a 3 year program To receive the Sacrament of Confirmation students must be enrolled Freshman, Sophomore & Junior years. Students who attend Catholic HS who are in 11th grade, to be confirmed, contact: **Heather 262-925-**

3187 religiouseducation@olmckenosha.com

MASS INTENTIONS for the Week

Monday, May 30

8:00 AM † James Reising

Tuesday, May 31

8:00 AM † Deceased members of Ruffalo/DeCesaro Families

Wednesday, June 1

5:45 PM † Lucille Thomsen

Thursday, June 2

8:00 AM † No Mass

Friday, June 3

8:00 AM Elizabeth Stancato

Saturday, June 4

4:00 PM † John Campbell (St. Therese Choir) † Pat Roach

Sunday, June 5

8:30 AM † Chad Aiello † Poor souls in Purgatory

10:30 AM † For Members of the Parish

**Saints & Readings:
Week of May 29, 2022**

Sunday: 7th Sunday of Easter; The Ascension of the Lord; St. Paul VI, Pope; World Communications Day, *Ascension*: Acts 1:1-11/ Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/Lk 24:46-53 *Seventh Sunday of Easter*: Acts 7:55-60/Ps 97:1-2, 6-7, 9 [1a, 9a]/Rv 22:12-14, 16-17, 20/Jn 17:20-26

Monday: Memorial Day, Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab/Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/Lk 1:39-56

Wednesday: St. Justin, Martyr, Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab/Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Sts. Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs, Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Jn 17:20-26

Friday: St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs, Acts 25:13b-21/ Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab/Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: *Morning*: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 and 7/Jn 21:20-25

Next Sunday: Pentecost Sunday; St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr, *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/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 *Extended Vigil*: Gn 11:1-9/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Ez 37:1-14/Jl 3:1-5/ Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 *Day*: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

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		
All Saints Catholic School		262-925-4000
St. Joseph Catholic Academy		262-654-8651

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K-6 Rel. Ed. Coord.	beth.sturino@wi.rr.com	
7-12 Rel. Ed. Coord.	religionseducation@olmckenosha.org	
Heather Schweitzer	262-914-2288	

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
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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.