

The Faith Community of

ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

CATHOLIC CHURCH



THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

"But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth." - Jn 16:13a

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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.

June 12, 2022 The Most Holy Trinity

TRINITY SUNDAY

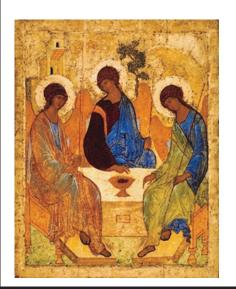
The dogma of faith which forms the object of the feast is this: There is one God and in this one God there are three Divine Persons; the Father is God, the Son is God, the Holy Spirit is God. Yet there are not three Gods, but one, eternal, incomprehensible God! The Father is not more God than the Son, neither is the Son more God than the Holy Spirit. The Father is the first Divine Person; the Son is the second Divine Person, begotten from the nature of the Father from eternity; the Holy Spirit is the third Divine Person, proceeding from the Father and the Son. No mortal can fully fathom this sublime truth. But I submit humbly and say: *Lord, I believe, help my weak faith*.



The Doctrine of the Trinity

Why is this feast celebrated at this particular time? It may be interpreted as a finale to all the preceding feasts. All three Persons contributed to and shared in the work of redemption. The Father sent His Son to earth, for "God so loved the world as to give His only-begotten Son." The Father called us to the faith. The Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, became man and died for us. He redeemed us and made us children of God. He ever remains the liturgist *par excellence* to whom we are united in all sacred functions. After Christ's ascension the Holy Spirit, however, became our Teacher, our Leader, our Guide, our Consoler. On solemn occasions a thanksgiving *Te Deum* rises spontaneously from Christian hearts.

The feast of the Most Holy Trinity may well be regarded as the Church's *Te Deum* of gratitude over all the blessings of the Christmas and Easter seasons; for this mystery is a synthesis of Christmas, Epiphany, Easter, Ascension and Pentecost. This feast, which falls on the first Sunday after Pentecost, should make us mindful that actually every Sunday is devoted to the honor of the Most Holy Trinity, that every Sunday is sanctified and consecrated to the triune God. Sunday after Sunday we should recall in a spirit of gratitude the gifts which the Blessed Trinity is bestowing upon us. The Father created and predestined us; on the first day of the week He began the work of creation. The Son redeemed us; Sunday is the "Day of the Lord," the day of His resurrection. The Holy Spirit sanctified us, made us His temple; on Sunday the Holy Spirit descended upon the infant Church. Sunday, therefore, is *the* day of the Most Holy Trinity. (From *The Church's Year of Grace*, Pius Parsch)



Andrei Rublev's icon of the Trinity (15th c.) is regarded as one of the great works of Christian art. Rublev was Russian Orthodox.

The three Divine Persons are depicted as angels (who visited Abraham; cf. Gen. 18:1-16). God the Father is seated at the left; both the Son and the Holy Spirit look lovingly at Him. God the Son sits in the middle, with two fingers extended on His right hand. God the Holy Spirit sits at the right. All three Divine Persons sit around an altar in the shape of a chalice, with the Eucharist resting in the middle.

For a fuller explanation of Rublev's icon, see Garrett Johnson's comments at https://catholic-link.org/andrei-rublevs-icon-of-the-holy-trinity-explained/.

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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 <u>88.5 FM</u> & and now <u>also</u> on <u>750AM</u> every 2nd & 4th Wednesday. Next program: Wed. June 22 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!

Community Outreach collection for the month of <u>JUNE</u> is for St. Vincent DePaul Food Pantry. Needs: At this time we can only accept Cash Donations or Gift cards (with activation receipt) are always welcome: for clothing, restaurants, groceries or gas. Please deposit your offering in our Donation box in the Lobby.

Pope's Prayer Intention for June. For families. We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.

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 unavailable at time of publication.

Right to Life Outdoor Eucharistic Procession Sunday, June 19, 1pm, Mt. Carmel Church

All are invited to participate in an outdoor Eucharistic procession on the Solemnity of *Corpus Christi* at Mt. Carmel Church at 1pm, following the noon Latin Mass. Please join us in giving public adoration to the Body and Blood of Jesus in the Eucharist. The Eucharistic procession will have a Pro-Life theme in anticipation of the upcoming U.S. Supreme Court decision which will hopefully overturn *Roe v. Wade* which legalized abortion on demand. Our theme will be: "Jesus in the Eucharist, Source of our Life: All Life is Sacred from Conception until Death."

President Joe Biden says Overturning *Roe v. Wade*Would Result in "Brutality" to Women

Steven Ertelt (www.thewandererpress.com, 5/19/22) During a fundraising speech to top Democratic donors on May 11, Joe Biden slammed the "brutality" of the Supreme Court's draft rulng overturning Roe v. Wade but ignored the brutality of how babies are dismembered.

Biden spoke at a Democratic National Committee Fundraiser that Wednesday night at the Marriott Marquis Chicago, where he devoted several minutes to blasting Supreme Court Justice Samuel Alito's draft of a ruling to reverse Roe, which allowed abortion on demand throughout pregnancy.

Biden bragged about how he led the fight to stop conservative Supreme Court nominee Robert Bork, who could have been an earlier vote to overturn Roe years ago and protect millions of babies from abortions. And then he went on to discuss the "brutality" of the draft opinion. . . .

"Mark my words: If that decision holds, it's not only we're going to be fighting for a woman's right to control her own body and the brutality that goes along with having to give birth in a circumstance that is something beyond what — that can be tolerated, but what else is going to happen?"

Leftist Chicago Mayor Announces \$500K Abortion Fund (LifeSiteNews) Chicago announced recently that it has set aside \$500,000 to help women abort their babies. "We are solodiers prepared to fight," leftist lesbian Mayor Lori Lightfoot said on Monday, May 9 at a press conference to announce the "reproductive health investments." The funds for abortion will ensure the city "enhances and facilitates everyone's ability to thrive and fulfill their God-given potential." - everyone except preborn children, who are brutally murdered in abortion!

Mass & Dedication of *Monument to Unborn* Sat June 18, 4pm 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.

MASS INTENTIONS for the Week

Monday, June 13

8:00 AM † John Campbell

Tuesday, June 14

8:00 AM † Roger Klappa (Florence Klappa)

Wednesday, June 15

5:45 PM † James McDermott

Thursday, June 16 8:00 AM † No Mass

Friday, June 17

8:00 AM John Campbell

Saturday, June 18

4:00 PM † Richard Sleyster (Jan); Tom West & Fam.

Sunday, June 19

8:30 AM † Joseph F. Stankato Family; Richard &

Yolanda Leys (Beth)

10:30 AM † For Members of the Parish

Saints & Readings: Week of June 12, 2022

Sunday: The Most Holy Trinity, Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7,

8-9 [2a]/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15

Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16/Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7/Mt

5:38-42

Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16/

Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14/Ps 31:20, 21, 24/Mt 6:1-6,

16-18

Thursday: Sir 48:1-14/Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7/Mt 6:7-15 Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20/Ps 132:11, 12, 13-14, 17

-18/Mt 6:19-23

Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25/Ps 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-

34/Mt 6:24-34

Next Sunday: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ; St. Romuald, Abbot; Father's Day, Gn 14:18-20/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/1 Cor 11:23-26/Lk 9:11b-17

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)

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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.