



The Faith Community of

# ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

CATHOLIC CHURCH



## 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday

I N O R D I N A R Y T I M E

Jesus entered a village where a woman whose name was Martha welcomed him. She had a sister named Mary who sat beside the Lord at his feet listening to him speak. - Lk 10:38-39

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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 unending 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 17, 2022 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Cardinal Raymond Burke's Keynote Address on Pope St. John Paul II encyclical *The Gospel of Life* at the WSFI Catholic Radio Awards Banquet, April 30, 2022 (Part 3 of 3)**

**Principal Means of Proclaiming the Gospel of Life (cont'd)**

In advancing the respect for the inviolable dignity of innocent human life, proper attention must be given to the laws which govern the life of society. While the transformation of hearts is the most fundamental means of the new evangelization, Catholics and all persons of good will must be attentive to promote laws which safeguard the dignity of human life. At the same time, one cannot ignore the irreplaceable role which law plays in culture. Pope John Paul II observed:

Although laws are not the only means of protecting human life, nevertheless they do play a very important and sometimes decisive role in influencing patterns of thought and behavior. I repeat once more that ***a law which violates an innocent person's natural right to life is unjust and, as such, is not valid as a law***. For this reason I urgently appeal once more to all political leaders not to pass laws which, by disregarding the dignity of the person, undermine the very fabric of society (no. 90).

In this regard, involvement in political life is essential to the advancement of the cause of life. Already in his Apostolic Exhortation *Familiaris Consortio*, Pope John Paul II had declared:

The social role of families is called upon to find expression also in the form of *political intervention*: families should be the first to take steps to see that the laws and institutions of the State not only do not offend but support and positively defend the rights and duties of the family. Along these lines, families should grow in awareness of being "protagonists" of what is known as "family politics" and assume responsibility for transforming society; otherwise families will be the first victims of the evils that they have done no more than note with indifference (no. 44; cf. *Evangelium Vitae* no. 93).

I underline the importance of developing and supporting truly pro-life and pro-family media, and of organizing and sustaining public manifestations in support of the inviolable dignity of innocent human life and the integrity of the family. The culture of death advances, in large part, because of a lack of attention and information among the general public. What is more, the thoroughly galvanized anti-life and anti-family agenda of the pervasive mass media confuses and corrupts minds and hearts, and dulls consciences to the law written by God upon every human heart. Pope John Paul II declared:

What is urgently called for is a *general mobilization of consciences* and a *united ethical effort* to activate a *great campaign in support of life*. *All together, we must build a new culture of life*: new, because it will be able to confront and solve today's unprecedented problems affecting human life; new, because it will be adopted with deeper and more dynamic conviction by all Christians. While the urgent need for such a cultural transformation is linked to the present historical situation, it is also rooted in the Church's mission of evangelization. The purpose of the Gospel, in fact, is "to transform humanity from within and to make it new." Like the yeast which leavens the whole measure of dough (cf. *Mt* 13:33), the Gospel is meant to permeate all cultures and give them life from within, so that they may express the full truth about the human person and about human life (no. 95).

Pope John Paul II did not fail to note that such efforts must begin with "*the renewal of a culture of life within Christian communities themselves*" (no. 95). The Church herself must address the situation of so many of her members who, even though they may be active in the Church, "end up by separating their Christian faith from its ethical requirements regarding life, and thus fall into moral subjectivism and certain objectionable ways of acting" (no. 95). Certainly, Catholic radio is a most efficacious means of announcing the Gospel of Life both within the Church herself and in the whole of society.

**Conclusion:** It is my hope that these reflections will lead to a new reading of the Encyclical Letter *Evangelium Vitae*. The only effective response to the daunting challenges of Christian living, of advancing the cause of life, is the placing of hearts totally within the glorious pierced Heart of Christ. He will transform lives and, through the conversion of lives, He will transform the world. As He was dying on the Cross, Christ gave the Blessed Virgin Mary, His Mother, to us as our mother. She is constantly drawing hearts to her Immaculate Heart, so that, with her, faithful disciples may give their hearts totally and forever to Christ. Saint Joseph, Virginal Father of Christ and True Spouse of the Virgin Mary, daily intercedes for us before the Throne of God, showing us the way to cooperate with the divine grace which comes into our hearts from the Sacred Heart of Jesus. I invoke God's blessing upon WSFI Radio and all who support its most important mission.

Fr. Campbell's **Wednesday 6am Men's Bible Study** will meet using ZOOM. Contact Fr. Campbell for the link at [frcampbell@olmckenosha.org](mailto: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. July 27 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!**

**RELIGIOUS ED REGISTRATION CLOSES AUGUST 1st 2022–2023 Middle & High School CCD** For more info & to register your child, go online to Mt. Carmel's Website: <https://olmckenosha.org/children-and-teens> \*Confirmation is a 3-year program \*Middle & HS CCD will be held twice a month on Wed. evenings 5pm-6:30pm \*Mandatory Parent Meeting: Wed Aug 24, 6:30pm

**Ushers/others: Recommendations in dealing with protesters or anyone disturbing the Mass:**

1. Try not to engage with the protestors or anyone disturbing the Mass.
2. Ushers should ask anyone disturbing the Mass to leave.
3. If possible, video anyone disturbing the Mass.
4. Immediately call the police. Police are the only ones with legal authority to deal with these protestors.
5. Everyone should kneel down and pray the Rosary until the police remove those disturbing the Mass.
6. If media shows up, make no comment; direct the media to speak with the priest.

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



## St Therese Annual Festival

Please join us at the St Therese Festival on **Saturday, July 16 from 5pm until 11pm and Sunday, July 17 from 1pm until 9pm.** Come and enjoy great music, food and our 32nd Annual Car Show! **Our raffle grand prize is 5,000!** Please call the St Therese church office at 262.694.4695 with any questions. We hope to see you there!

**COVID Controversy: Dangerous Side Effects:** The effect of COVID vaccines on women's menstrual cycles and reproductive organs has been a hot topic for the past two years. Now, the first peer-reviewed research study on this topic is out and shedding light on the dangerous effects of these drug treatments. "We are finding that lots of women suffered miscarriages and stillbirths after being subjected to experimental gene therapy," says PRI President Steven Mosher. "No women (or girls) who one day want to have children should go anywhere near the mRNA "vaccines." (*Population Research Institute INSIDER*, Vol. 2, Issue 21, June 10, 2022, [pri@pop.org](mailto:pri@pop.org)).

## MORE on the CULTURE WAR

Marvel Comics introduces homosexual Spider-Man character named 'Web-Weaver' (Disney, which owns Marvel Comics, is behind this despicable move to brainwash children to accept the gay lifestyle/sodomy as something normal and noble): (*LifeSiteNews*, July 5, 2022) Marvel Comics announced that a September issue of its *Spiderman* comic book series will include a homosexual spider-man. "Something I realized immediately when conceiving Web-Weaver is that he can't — and shouldn't — represent ALL gay men. No single character can," writer Steve Foxe tweeted on June 27. "His fearlessly femme identity is central to who he is, but it's not the STORY — which you can experience for yourself in September!" Foxe wrote according to *Blaze Media*.

Disney owns Marvel, including the popular Marvel Cinematic Universe movie series. **Disney officials at a town hall boasted about their plans to inject LGBT characters into content.** The company hosted the town hall in response to [criticism](#) from employees that it had not done enough to stop Florida's anti-grooming law prohibiting sex education until students are in the fourth grade. "Nobody stopped us, and it felt great," said Karey Burke, a Disney executive who previously worked at Freeform, a channel owned by the company. Freeform used to be called ABC Family; in recent years it has embraced the LGBT agenda. "In part, I think nobody stopped us because we were targeting Gen Z and millennials," Burke said. "We were targeting a younger, I think, more open-minded — and now we know, as my son texted me this morning, 'Gen Z is 30-40% queerer than the other generations, Mom, so Disney better get with it.'"

**St. Sharbel Festival: Saturday, July 30, 11am to 10pm,** at St. Sebastian's Catholic Church lot, 3126 95th St., Sturtevant, WI. Come and enjoy Mediterranean food & drinks, games, and live music.

**Parish Support unavailable at time of publication.**

**MASS INTENTIONS for the Week**

**Monday, July 18**

8:00 AM † John Campbell (Scott & Linda Lantz)

**Tuesday, July 19**

8:00 AM † Walter Rog

**Wednesday, July 20**

5:45 PM † James Rossman

**Thursday, July 21**

8:00 AM † No Mass

**Friday, July 22**

8:00 AM † John Campbell (Scott & Linda Lantz)

**Saturday, July 23**

4:00 PM † James Rossman

**Sunday, July 24**

8:30 AM † Louis Cenni

10:30 AM † For Members of the Parish

**Saints & Readings:  
Week of July 17, 2022**

Sunday: 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, Gn 18:1-10a/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 [1a]/Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42

Monday: St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest, Mi 6:1-4, 6-8/Ps 50:5-6, 8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 85:2-4, 5-6, 7-8/Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday: St. Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr, Jer 1:1, 4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15 and 17/Mt 13:1-9

Thursday: St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest and Doctor of the Church, Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13/Ps 36:6-7ab, 8-9, 10-11/Mt 13:10-17

Friday: St. Mary Magdalene, Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Saturday: St. Bridget, Religious, Jer 7:1-11/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11/Mt 13:24-30

Next Sunday: 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time; St. Sharbel Makhluf, Priest, Gn 18:20-32/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8 [3a]/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13

**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
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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.