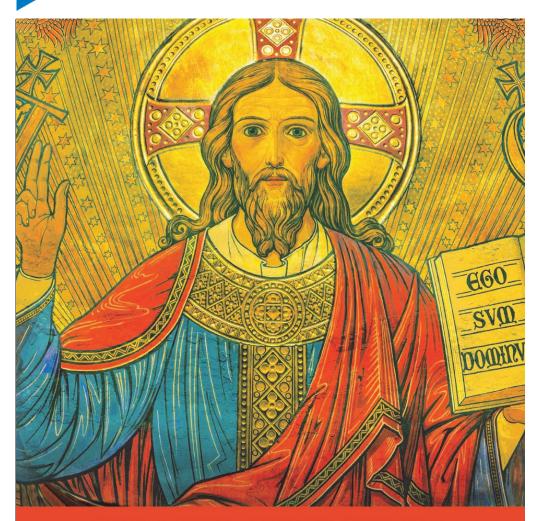


The Faith Community of

ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

CATHOLIC CHURCH



OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

610

He said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." He replied to him, "Amen, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise." - Lk 23:42-43

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD

©LPi

2020 91st STREET KENOSHA, WI 53143 (262) 694-4695

VISIT US AT OUR PARISH WEBSITE:

www.st-therese-kenosha.org https://www.facebook.com/ st.therese.kenosha/

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.

November 20, 2022 Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Guide to the Catechism of the Catholic Church The Last Judgment

Alfred McBride, O.Praem. *Article #35*

"The resurrection of the dead, of the just and sinners, will precede the Last Judgment. The Last Judgment will introduce the glorious return of Christ," Catechism, 1038, 1040.

Michelangelo's mighty fresco of the Last Judgment covers the wall behind the altar in the Sistine Chapel. A legend claims that a cardinal disliked the artist's use of nudity and harassed him about it. Irritated, Michelangelo put him in the fresco, writhing in hell. Outraged, the cardinal said to the Pope, "Make him take me out of there." Amused, the Pope replied, "Eminence, you know very well I can only help people get out of purgatory. "Scripture states clearly that God will judge our behavior. Jesus said, "The Son of Man will come with his angels in his Father's glory, and then he will repay everyone according to his conduct" (Mt. 16:27). In the parable of the Last Judgment, the supreme judge divides the "sheep" from the "goats" according to their deeds of love. "As long as you did it to one of these, the least of my brethren, you did it to me" (Mt 25-40). The New Testament vividly describes Christ's second coming (Mt 24; Mk 13; and all of the book of Revelation). We should view the Second Coming of Jesus and the Last Judgment as signs of hope that God will finally establish the rule of love, justice, mercy, and salvation, which overcomes all evil and death. Those who have already experienced the Particular Judgment will not have a "second trial" at the General Judgment. They will however, be reunited to their resurrected and transfigured bodies, which will share in their eternal destinies.

A New Heaven and a New Earth

At the Second Coming, the world as we know it, distorted by sin and evil, will cease to be. Scripture speaks of a "new heaven and a new earth" (cf. 2 Pt 3:10-13; Rv 21:1) that will be created. Vatican II teaches, "We know nothing of when the earth and the human race will come to an end, nor of how the universe will be transformed. The form of this world, distorted by sin, is passing away, but we are taught that God is preparing a new dwelling place, a new earth in which justice abides, whose blessedness will satisfy and quench all man's thirst for peace" (Modern World, 39). George Frideric Handel concludes his stirring oratorio, "The Messiah," with the "Amen Chorus." Similarly, the Catechism finishes its explanation of the Creed with an "Amen!" In Hebrew, "Amen" comes from the same root as the word "to believe." The term connotes solidity, reliability, and fidelity. "Amen" speaks both of God's faithfulness to us and of our confidence in Him. We started with, "I believe." We end with "Amen!"

Reflection

1. What will happen at the Last Judgment?

At the end of time, the Kingdom of God will arrive in its fullness. The just will reign with Christ forever, glorified in body and soul, and the material universe will be transformed. God will be "all in all" (1 Cor 15:28) in eternal life (Catechism, 1060).

- 2. What should we be doing before the Second Coming?
 - "The expectancy of a new earth should spur us on.... But we should distinguish earthly progress from advancing the Kingdom of Christ. Progress is of vital concern to the Kingdom of God insofar as it can contribute better to the ordering of human society" (Modern World, 39; Catechism, 1049).
- 3. Why is "Amen!" a fitting ending for the Creed?
 - "Amen" in Hebrew comes from the same root as the word "to believe." The final "Amen!" of the Creed reprises and confirms the first two words, "I believe" (Catechism, 1062, 1064).

Prayer

Thank you, Lord, for the gift of faith. Help then my unbelief and make my faith abound that I may seek where you are found.

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. November 23, at 2pm.

PRAY for the SICK in our PARISH, and visit them if possible: Pat Ware, William Wasurick, Mary Jo Koski, 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. Call 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. **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!

The Giving Tree Garland will be on display beginning Nov. 19/20. Please choose gifts from the requests on each tag, with the suggested price of \$25.00. The <u>UN</u>wrapped gifts *must be returned by Dec. 4th*. We greatly appreciate your caring generosity.



Friday Eucharistic Adoration:

Friday adoration begins after 8am Mass, closes w/Benediction at 5pm. **First Friday** adoration continues to Saturday 6am.



November Special Collections

For Paladins of Carmel youth group:

Baby wipes for our donation baskets.

For Community Outreach:

Cash offerings in our donation box to purchase clothing, hats & mittens for the Chavez Learning Station.

Parish Support: Unavailable at time of Publication

Thanksgiving Day Mass

Thursday ~ November 24, 9:00 A.M.

Start the day by giving thanks to Almighty God.

(Mass at Mt. Carmel at 8:00 A.M.)

Heavenly Father, on Thanksgiving Day, we bow our hearts to You and pray. We give You thanks for all You've done, especially for the gift of Jesus, Your Son. Let us always be aware that all gifts come from You, and may we serve Your heavenly will in everything we do. Amen.



PRAYER to OUR LADY to HELP the SOULS in PURGATORY

O Most Blessed Virgin Mary, my Mother, I turn to you in supplication and by that sword which pierced your sorrowful heart at beholding your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, suffer on the cross, I pray and ask thee to help the holy souls in Purgatory and particularly those for whom I now pray N.N. O Mother of Sorrows,



Queen of Martyrs, for the love of your Divine Son whose Precious Blood was shed for us, help us who are in danger not only of falling into Purgatory, but of losing our souls for ever in hell, with your powerful intercession. O Mary our Mother, Mother of Grace, Mother of Mercy, pray for us now and at the hour of our death. O Eternal Father through the most Precious Blood of Jesus and through the Sorrows of Mary have pity upon the holy souls in purgatory. Amen

Peace in the Womb Christmas Caroling on Saturday, December 10th, 2022

In the Christmas story, hope enters the world through the birth of a child, even in the midst of difficult circumstances. Join us as we sing carols and share this Christmas hope where it's needed most: the abortion facilities right here in our community.

Event: Peace in the Womb Christmas Caroling

Location 1: Kenosha Planned Parenthood, 3801 Roosevelt Road. Kenosha

When: Saturday, December 10th at 10:00 am

Location 2: Waukegan Planned Parenthood, 1601 N.

Lewis Ave., Waukegan

When: Saturday, December 10th at 11:30 am

More Info: Contact Leslie at (847)951-1064 or email at

hazfam6@comcast.net

MASS INTENTIONS for the Week

Monday, November 21

8:00 AM † Thomas & Anita Peltier (Wanta Family)

Tuesday, November 22

8:00 AM Annette & Greg Scarlato

Wednesday, November 23

5:45 PM † Doug & Sheila Hultner

Thursday, November 24 Thanksgiving Day

9:00 AM Joseph-Nanette Schmitt

Friday, November 25

8:00 AM † Fr. Russell Becker † Fr. Vincent Schneider (Wanta Family)

Saturday, November 26

4:00 PM † Ralph Nudi Sr.

Sunday, November 27

8:30 AM † John Ruggiero † Joseph & Regina Pumpera † Mary Marasa

10:30 AM † For Members of the Parish

Thanksgiving Day Masses: Thurs. Nov. 24

St. Therese Church, 9:00am

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church: 8:00am

Saints & Readings: Week of November 20, 2022

Sunday: Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, 2 Sm 5:1-3/ Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5/Col 1:12-20/Lk 23:35-43

Monday: The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: St. Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr, Rv 14:14-19/Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13/Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: St. Clement I, Pope and Martyr; St. Columban, Abbot; Bl. Miguel Agustin Pro, Priest and Martyr, Rv 15:1-4/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 7-8, 9/Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: St. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest, and Companions,

Martyrs; Thanksgiving Day, Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Lk 21:20-28

Friday: St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr, Rv 20:1-4, 11—21:2/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a/Lk 21:29-33

Saturday: Rv 22:1-7/Ps 95:1-2, 3-5, 6-7ab/Lk 21:34-36

Next Sunday: 1st Sunday of Advent, Is 2:1-5/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5, 6-

7, 8-9/Rom 13:11-14/Mt 24:37-44

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

Please consult Sunday bulletin. Holy Day Masses Confessions 3:00 to 4:00 PM Saturday

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 262-694-7284 Fax Rel. Ed. Coor 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

Parish Mailing Address 2020 91st Street • Kenosha, WI 53143 Fr. Campbell FrCampbell@olmckenosha.org Fr. McDermott mcdermottrt@aol.com E-mail & Bulletin E-mail valang@tds.net Parish Web Site www.st-therese-kenosha.org K-6 Rel. Ed. Coor beth.sturino@wi.rr.com 7-12 Rel. Ed. Coor religiouseducation@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. Coor...... Beth Sturino Liturgical Musician......Jan Sleyster Parish Secretary & Bulletin EditorMary E. Vestal

Parish Pastoral Council

Robert Beales, Trustee Treasurer Joyce Hui Ray Irving Jim Lauzon, Trustee Secretary Paul Gillespie, Chairman Patricia Soens Claudia Volpentesta, Vice-Chairman Jerome Pudelek

Rita Van Guyse, Secretary

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.