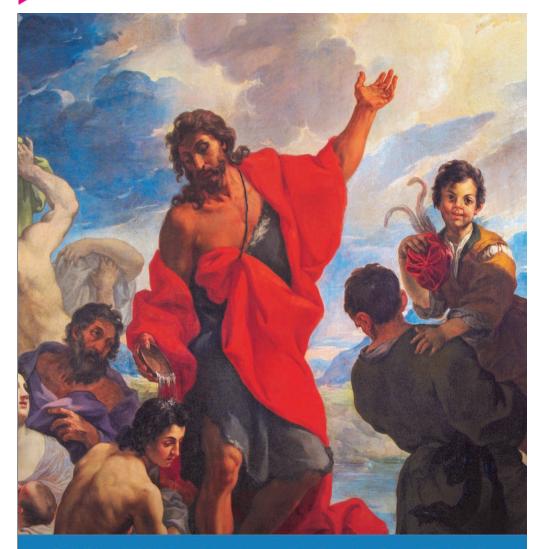
The Faith Community of ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX CATHOLIC CHURCH



3RD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

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"This is the one about whom it is written: Behold, I am sending my messenger ahead of you; he will prepare your way before you." - Mt 11:10 2020 91st STREET KENOSHA, WI 53143 (262) 694-4695

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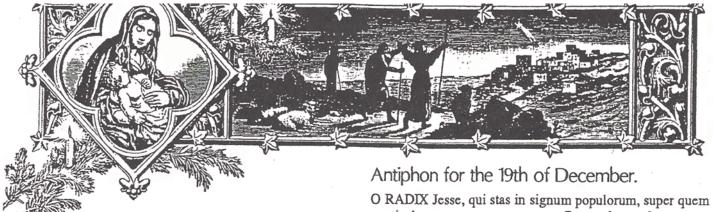
We are a welcoming Christian family committed to Catholic values, responding to the call of Christ revealed in the diversity of human need. We practice a conscious, living, active faith in a community whose source of strength is the Eucharist.

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

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The Great O Antiphons

The public prayers of the Church consist not only of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass but also of the Divine Office, the prayers of the priests' Breviary. The Office was at one time chanted daily by the faithful, and is still chanted by some religious Orders. Certain parishes are reviving the custom of having Solemn Vespers on the eve or afternoon of major feasts. The Magnificat or Canticle of the Blessed Virgin Mary is chanted near the end of Vespers. Starting on December 17 a series of Antiphons are added to Vespers before and after the Magnificat. Just to read these "O Antiphons" each day would be a wonderful part of any Catholic's preparation for Christmas!

"The following great Antiphons are said entire before and after the Magnificat, from the 17th to the 23rd of December, inclusive. If the Vespers are of a first or second class double, the great Antiphon is said after the prayer of the feast, for the commemoration of Advent."

Antiphon for the 17th of December.

O SAPIENTIA, quae ex ore Altissimi prodiisti, attingens a fine usque ad finem, fortiter suaviterque disponens omnia: veni ad docendum nos viam prudentiae.

O WISDOM that comest out of the mouth of the Most High, that reachest from one end to another, and dost mightily and sweetly order all things: come to teach us the way of prudence!

Antiphon for the 18th of December.

O ADONAI, et Dux domus Israel, qui Moysi in igne flammae rubi apparuisti, et ei in Sina legem dedisti: veni ad redimendum nos in brachio extento.

O ADONAI, and Ruler of the house of Israel, who didst appear unto Moses in the burning bush, and gavest him the law in Sinai: come to redeem us O RADIX Jesse, qui stas in signum populorum, super quem continebunt reges os suum, quem Gentes deprecabuntur: veni ad liberandum nos, jam noli tardare.

O ROOT of Jesse, which standest for an ensign of the people, at whom the kings shall shut their mouths, whom the Gentiles shall seek: come to deliver us, make no tarrying.

Antiphon for the 20th of December.

O CLAVIS David, et sceptrum domus Israel; qui aperis, et nemo claudit; claudis, et nemo aperit; veni, et educ vinctum de domo carceris, sedentem in tenebris, et umbra mortis.

O KEY of David, and Sceptre of the house of Israel; that openest and no man shutteth; and shuttest and no man openeth: come to bring out the prisoner from the prison, and them that sit in darkness, and in the shadow of death.

Antiphon for the 21st of December.

O ORIENS, splendor lucis aeternae, et sol justitiae: veni, et illumina sedentes is tenebris, et umbra mortis.

O DAYSPRING, Brightness of the everlasting light, Sun of Justice, come to give light to them that sit in darkness and in the shadow of death!

Antiphon for the 22d of December.

O REX Gentium, et desideratus earum, lapisque angularis, qui facis utraque unum: veni, et salva hominem, quem de limo formasti.

O KING of the Gentiles, yea, and desire thereof; O Corner-stone, that makest of two one: come to save man, whom Thou hast made of the dust of the earth!

Antiphon for the 23d of December.

O EMMANUEL, Rex et legifer noster, exspectatio Gentium, et Salvator earum: veni ad salvandum nos, Domine, Deus noster.

O EMMANUEL, our King and our Lawgiver, Longing of the Gentiles; yea, and salvation thereof: come to save us. O Lord our God! 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. December 14, at 2pm.

BAKERS NEEDED – Your help would be greatly appreciated! Kindly drop off any type of cookies and/or bread at church by Thur., 12/15 for our Christmas Bake Sale that weekend.

Christmas Cookies and Bread Bake Sale! Delicious treats, homemade by our talented bakers will be for sale before and after Masses the weekend of Dec. 17 - 18.

CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S CIRCLE: Next mtg Mon., 12/12 at 9 a.m. Join us to meet new friends & learn opportunities to support St. Therese Parish & one another. Childcare available: Kindly let Jean Marie know how many kids to expect (764-1864).

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, 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 Holy Name society will be having a free pancake and porky breakfast on Sunday, December 11 from 9 to 11 am in the hall. Donations will be accepted.

Friday Eucharistic Adoration:

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



Parish Support Weekend of Nov. 27, 2022 \$4,981.27 Budgeted weekly need... \$5,567.00 Weekly offertory \$4,981.27 **Over/Under budget** (\$585.73) Plan YTD \$122,474.00 Actual \$113,271.00 Shortfall (5 months) (\$9,203.00)

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

St. Therese: Christmas Eve Saturday Dec. 24: 4pm & 10pm (Caroling Concert 9:30pm before 10pm Mass on Sat. Dec. 24) Christmas Day Sun. Dec. 25: 8:30am & 10:30am Mt. Carmel: Christmas Eve Saturday Dec. 24: 4pm

Midnight Mass (Latin): 12am Christmas Day Sun. Dec. 25: 10am (Christmas hymns sung before Masses)

Additional Confession Times in Advent

St. Therese: Wednesday Dec. 21: 4:30-5:30pm; 6:30-7:30pm

Mt. Carmel: Tuesday Dec. 20: 4:30-5:30pm Saturday Dec. 24: 11am-12pm

The Incarnation

by St. John of the Cross (translator: Roy Campbell)



Then He summoned an archangel, St. Gabriel: and when he came. Sent him forth to find a maiden, Mary was her name.

Only through her consenting love Could the mystery be preferred That the Trinity in human

Flesh might clothe the Word.

Though the three Persons worked the wonder It only happened in the One. So was the Word made incarnation In Mary's womb, a son.

So He who only had a Father Now had a Mother undefiled, Though not as ordinary maids Had she conceived the Child.

By Mary, and with her own flesh He was clothed in His own frame: Both Son of God and Son of Man Together had one name.

CDC Statistics: Abortion Kills more Black Babies According to ABC News: Black women had an abortion rate nearly four times higher than that of white women at 24 abortions per 1,000 Black women compared to 6.2 abortions per 1,000 white women. Q: Why no outcry from Black organizations ("Black Live Matter") and Black leaders (V-P Kamala Harris)? A: They are pro-abortion. If they really believed Black lives matter, they would express outrage over this tragic statistic! The abortion rate by Hispanic women was 1.8 times higher than that of white women, at 11.4 abortions per 1,000.

Third Sunday of Advent

MASS INTENTIONS for the Week

Monday, December 12 8:00 AM † John Stancato Sr. **Tuesday, December 13** 8:00 AM † Cyndee Boutan (David Lee) Wednesday, December 14 5:45 PM † Russ Sesto **Thursday, December 15** 8:00 AM † No Mass Friday, December 16 8:00 AM † Luigi & Rosemary DeCesaro Saturday, December 17 4:00 PM † Louis Valetti † Nino Sustache Sunday, December 18 8:30 AM [†] John Ruggiero [†] Joseph & Regina Pumpera † Mary Marasa 10:30 AM [†] For Members of the Parish

Saints & Readings: Week of December 11, 2022

Sunday: 3rd Sunday of Advent; St. Damasus I, Pope, Is 35:1-6a, 10/Ps 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10/Jas 5:7-10/Mt 11:2-11 **Monday**: Our Lady of Guadalupe, Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Jdt 13:18bcde, 19/Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47

Tuesday: St. Lucy, Virgin and Martyr, Zep 3:1-2, 9-13/Ps 34:2-3, 6-7, 17-18, 19 and 23/Mt 21:28-32

Wednesday: St. John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor of the Church, Is 45:6c-8, 18, 21c-25/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Lk 7:18b-23

Thursday: Is 54:1-10/Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b/Lk 7:24-30

Friday: Is 56:1-3a, 6-8/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8/Jn 5:33-36 Saturday: Gn 49:2, 8-10/Ps 72:1-2, 3-4ab, 7-8, 17/Mt 1:1-17 Next Sunday: 4th Sunday of Advent, Is 7:10-14/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [7c, 10b]/Rom 1:1-7/Mt 1:18-24

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.

December 11, 2022

Parish Directory

| Weekend Masses | Saturday Evening | 4:00 PM | | |
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| | Sunday Morning | 8:30 & 10:30 AM | | |
| Weekday Masses | Monday, Tuesday & Friday | | | |
| | Wednesday | 5:45 PM | | |
| | No 8:00 AM Mass on Thursday or Saturday | | | |
| Holy Day Masses | Please consult Sunday bulletin. | | | |
| Confessions | · · | | | |
| | Sunday | | | |
| First Fridays Eucharistic Adoration: 8:30 AM Friday | | 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.