



SAINT THERESA CATHOLIC CHURCH *Alive in Christ*

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NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome to Saint Theresa's Parish. Please register at the Parish Office on the second floor.

BAPTISM: Contact Father Thien or Deacon Gagliani for catechesis and arrangement for celebration of the sacrament.

MARRIAGE: Marriage preparation takes about one year. Couples who wish to marry at Saint Theresa's should see Father Thien or Deacon Gagliani as soon as possible.

RECONCILIATION/PENANCE: Saturday at 3:00 to 3:40 p.m. in the confessional or by appointment.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Please call for a hospital visit or anointing of the sick.

HOLY HOUR: Friday evening after the 6:30 Mass.

ROSARY: After the weekday morning Mass.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Sundays, September to May. Kindergarten through Grade 10. Session begins at 8:15 a.m. and ends after Mass at 10:30 a.m.

FOOD PANTRY: The food pantry is located in the Thrift Shop. Open Mon., Tues., Wed., and Sat., 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. **Donations are always accepted.** "Got Food? Sunday" Collection is the last weekend of each month.

THRIFT SHOP: Open Mon., Tues., Wed., and Sat., 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Donations of clothing are accepted Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, 4 p.m. Vigil

Sunday, 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

Monday, NO Mass

Tuesday, 6:30 p.m.

Wed. & Thurs., 7:30 a.m.

Friday, 6:30 p.m. followed by

Benediction

Holiday Schedule

See Bulletin

CONFESSIONS

Saturday at 3 p.m.

ADORATION

Friday after 6:30 Mass

ROSARY

After weekday morning Mass

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22; Ps 145:2-9;

Mt 9:18-26; or, for Independence Day, any readings from the Mass "For Public

Needs," nos. 882-889, or "For Peace and Justice," nos. 887-891

Tuesday: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13; Ps 115:3-10; Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Ps 105:2-7; Mt 10:1-7

Thursday: Hos 11:1-4, 8c-9; Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16; Mt 10:7-15

Friday: Hos 14:2-10; Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-14, 17; Mt 10:16-23

Saturday: Is 6:1-8; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Mt 10:24-33

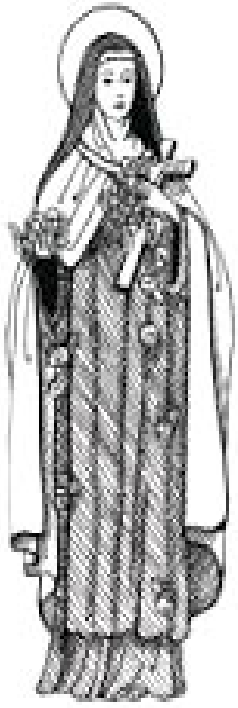
Sunday: Dt 30:10-14; Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36-37; or Ps 19:8-11; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37

14TH
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY
TIME
JULY 3, 2016



**Sunday, July 3, 2016 ✕ The 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mass Intentions**

Saturday	July 2	4:00 p.m.	Special Favor Received by Claire Laroche
Sunday	July 3	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Father Dennis Rocheford by his Parish Family
Monday	July 4		No Mass
Tuesday	July 5	6:30 p.m.	Gertrude Martinelli (3rd Anniversary) by Family
Wednesday	July 6	7:30 a.m.	Aline Arsenault by her husband
Thursday	July 7	7:30 a.m.	Dick Lauzon (Anniversary Remembrance) by Jean
Friday	July 8	6:30 p.m.	Gladys & Leo Luccier (Remembrance) by Sandra Castiglioni
Saturday	July 9	4:00 p.m.	Norma DiPietro by Joseph DiPietro
Sunday	July 10	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Anita Therrien by John and Charlotte



*** If possible, we would like members of the family who requested the Mass to bring up the gifts at the appropriate time.

July 9 & 10	Altar Servers	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Lectors
Saturday 4:00 p.m.		M.J. Gagliani C. Martinelli C. & R. Perreault	J. DiPietro
Sunday 10:00 a.m.		R. Costanzo A. Markle D. Plouffe D. Vose	R. Vose

*Hear me,
Lord Jesus
listen as I pray:
"Lead me from night
to never ending day.
Fill all the world
with love
and grace divine.
And glory, laud
and praise
be ever thine."*

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES				
DAILY	Mon-Sat	Noon	12 Golden Steps Meeting	Father Lamothe Center
Sunday	June 26	After Mass	Happy 4th of July	
Tuesday	June 28	9:30 a.m.	Prayer Shawl Group	Father Lamothe Center
Wednesday	June 29	7:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal	Church
Thursday	June 30	9:30 a.m.	Prayer Shawl Group	Father Lamothe Center
Friday	July 1	6:30 p.m.	Benediction after Mass	Chapel
Saturday	July 2	3:00 p.m.	Confession	Confessional

Sunday, June 27th Collection

Stewardship: \$ 2,244.50
Fuel: \$ 35.00
Peter's Pence: \$ 626.00

St. Michael's Vigil Lights burns in honor of all Military Members in Harms Way

Mary's Vigil Light burns in Memory of Frank Ramella

Thank you for your continued support Of St. Theresa's Parish!



A Special Thank you to all who volunteered and charitably helped with the Church Picnic this past Sunday. We would also like to thank Stop N' Shop and the Lil General on Pulaski Blvd. for there generous donations. To the people who donated from chips to water and from the soda to the bouncy house for the children. Thank you again volunteers for the hard work and contribution that are put into these events. There will be more events to enjoy starting again sometime in September. Thank you and God Bless.
 Sandra Castiglioni and the Social Committee.

From the Office: Anyone who has reserved a Mass Intention on Sunday's for a loved one, has the choice to keep the Intention during the 10:00 a.m. Mass or change it to the 8:00 a.m. Mass. If you would like to change it, please call me at the office. Thank you.—Jill

PEACE

The greeting of peace at Mass adds substance to a message of today's readings: peace is relational. When we greet in peace the person near us at Mass, we share the touch of a handshake or embrace, sincere eye contact, and friendly words.

The scriptures speak of a similar peace. The first reading from Isaiah describes the peace of the holy city, Jerusalem, a place of prosperity and comfort where the "LORD's power shall be known to his servants" (Isaiah 66:14c).

The Christian understanding of peace changes slightly. Paul writes of the "peace and mercy" on all who are created anew. Jesus describes a feeling of peace that will rest on those who accept his disciples and their message.

Peace is both an absence of strife and a personal blessing. May we always and sincerely bring peace to our own lives as we share it with others. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

Food Pantry: The food pantry is open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. **For the month of May the food pantry served 60 families.** Donating to the food pantry can be easy and affordable by shopping the weekly special. **Any (non-perishable) items will be greatly appreciated.** Thank you to all who donate food during the month.

Partners in Charity: To date we have received **72** gifts totaling **\$16,706**. We still have a ways to go before reaching the goal of **\$29,500**. Thank you to all who have responded to the Appeal. If you have not made your gift yet, please prayerfully consider making one as soon as possible. Envelopes are in the pews and may be put into any collection basket. Thank you.

FREEDOM

*Those who deny freedom to others
deserve it not for themselves.* —Abraham Lincoln



POPE FRANCIS TWEET OF THE WEEK!

"Let us learn to live with kindness, to love everyone, even when they do not love us."

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Registration is open for children entering K- 6. VBS will take place August 1st—5th, 8:30 a.m. –2:00 p.m. Come along with us as we sing fun songs, do crazy crafts, eat yummy snacks, play awesome games, and more. Plus, you'll learn all about Jesus our Savior and how He gathers us together! Can't wait to see you there!

Registration forms can be found near the entrances of the Church. The cost is \$20 per student before July 1st and \$30 after July 1st. You can make checks payable to St. Theresa's Parish.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Some say tomato—and some say tomahto—you know the old song. What do you say when you arrive at church and see a font prepared, a baby in the wings, the paschal candle burning? Well, maybe you will say that "we're having a baptism today," or maybe you say "we are having a christening." The proper term is baptism, since that is the name of the sacrament. But the persistent use of "christening" in our culture, probably from due to the influence of the Episcopal Church, is interesting.

Baptism, an ancient word, is from the Greek meaning to dip or to dunk. Christening is an Old English word that describes perfectly well that more than getting splashed with water, the person being baptized is being "Christ-ed." No matter what you call it, there's always water involved, and then an anointing with chrism—fragrant olive oil consecrated as a sign of Christ's presence—poured upon the brow as we say, "As Christ was anointed Priest, Prophet, and King, so may you live always as a member of his body, sharing everlasting life."

So, in being Christ-ed, you are conformed to his image, your life is expected to be a retelling of his life in miniature and you—even though you may be squirming or sleeping—are commissioned to be a priest, a prophet, a king. This means that you are called to be one who worships, you are called to speak the truth, you are called to shape the world and exercise right judgment. That is the deepest treasure of our tradition, and every time you gather to celebrate a baptism, you renew your vows precisely so that you can be more "Christ-ed." No matter what vocabulary you assign to the liturgy, the key is transformation of the human person in the community of the Body of Christ. —Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



The St. Andre Bessette Knights of Columbus Council will be holding a New York System Wiener dinner on Saturday July 23rd. We will be serving food from 4:30 to 6:30 PM. This event will be held in the Saint Paul's lower Hall. The cost of \$10 includes 3 wieners, French fries, drink and desert. Our council helps many local organizations, the more you can help us, the more we can do for our community. David Buteau AOGK