

ST. Therese Catholic Church

701 S. Charles G. Seivers Blvd.
Clinton, Tennessee 37716

Mission Statement

St. Therese Parish joined together by the love of Christ, desiring to further the understanding of prayer and religious commitment, pledge ourselves to continue and improve our mission to Jesus, which is loving and serving the Lord and our neighbor

Most Reverend Bishop Richard Stika
Bishop of Knoxville

Parochial Administrator: Father Julius Abuh
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Parish website :

www.saintthereseclinton.org

Parish facebook: Sainttherese Clinton

Regular	Sun. Mass	Thurs. Mass
Weekly Mass	10:15 A.M.	9 A.M.
Schedule:	Tues. Mass	Adoration of the
Sat.	6:30 P.M	Blessed Sacra-
Confessions	Wed. Mass	ment after Mass
4:45 –5:15 P.M	9 A.M.	until 12 noon
Mass 5:30 P.M.		Fri. Mass 9A.M

Pastoral Council

Chairperson:
Becky Hatmaker
Vice Chairperson:
Cathy Owens
Council Secretary:
Peg Chase
Jerry Brown
Linda McCune
Henry Bentz
Fr. Julius Abuh
(ex-officio)
Sr. Yvette (ex-officio)

Finance Board

Chairperson:
Don McCarthy
Becky Hatmaker
Dave McCune
Monica Spurlock
Fr. Julius Abuh
(ex-officio)
Sr. Yvette Gillen
(ex-officio)
Karen Baird
(ex-officio)

Committee

Chair persons
Liturgy:
Sister Yvette
Parish/Family
Life: Thais Family
Parish Plant :
Fred Jackson
Religious Ed:
Sister Yvette
Social Action:
Connie Mikeal
Spiritual Life:
Peg Chase
Building:
Joyce Klee
Hospitality:
Becky Hatmaker

Office Hours
9 A.M.—1:30P.M.
Mon—Thurs
9A.M.-12 N Fri

From Sister's Desk

The basic message in today's reading is the CALL TO MINISTRY.

In the gospel Jesus sent the disciples two by two on a mission. He instructed them to travel light, take nothing but a walking stick, no food, no traveling bag, no money (Mark 6:7-8). They were told to trust God and they would have everything they needed. Jesus was their life. They had Jesus in their heart. Therefore they were able to use the gifts God gave them for others.

If Jesus is really at the heart of our personal life, then we will know how to use the gifts He has given us, not as an end themselves, but as ways of praising and glorifying God and helping others.

Today we live in a very materialistic world. We depend on technology and other things of the world to make us happy. Sometimes we misuse the words need and want. The more we have the more we desire. We acquire many things we don't really need.

Too many material possessions can become an obstacle to effective ministry. The more we seek material possessions, the more we lose sight of the love of Jesus. He will always be there for us and will fulfill all of our needs.

WE NEED TO PLACE OUR TRUST IN HIM

Sacraments

Reconciliation: Saturday 4:15–
4:45 P.M. or by appointment

Baptism: By appointment. Please call the church office at least 4 weeks prior to desired baptism date.

Matrimony: A four month preparation period in the Knoxville Diocese

St Therese Operating Budget Fiscal Year (July 2012-June 2013)

Weekly Operating Budget	Collections Received Last Week	Budget Excess/(Deficit)
	\$3305	\$
Yearly Operating Budget	Collections Received Year to Date	Budget Excess/(Deficit) Year to Date
	\$3,305	
Building Fund	Received Last Week	Year to Date
	\$968	\$968

*Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Kenny Kavanaugh (brother of Pat Gambrell) and Lorlene G. Woolley (mother of Charles Woolley) who died on Thursday July 12th.***

Bishop Stika will be here to celebrate Mass on Sunday August 12. Details later.

There will be choir practice on Wednesday July 25 at 6P.M. This practice is for anyone who would like to sing in the choir on August 12th when Bishop is here to celebrate Mass.

On Friday, August 17, we will have a light meal followed by an auction and a movie for the children. Details later. If you have any new or almost new items for the auction please contact Sister Yvette.

Father Julius is going home to Nigeria for vacation, so for the next few weeks we will have substitute priests and deacons filling in. One of the priests from Oak Ridge will celebrate the 5:30 P.M. Sat. Vigil Masses. Fr. Bill Gahagan will celebrate the Sunday, Wednesday and Friday morning Masses. On Tuesdays Sr. Yvette will have 6:30 P.M. Communion Services and One of the deacons will have Communion Services on Thursdays. We will not have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Thursdays while Father Julius is away.

Please remember St. Therese in your will.

Ministries Jul. 21&22

Lector

Sat. G. Krebs

Sun. G. Paynter

Servers

Sat. J. Ferguson, H. Bentz, F. Jackson, T. Gudina

Sun. A. Govelitz, M. Govelitz, A. Webb, V. Chiaro

Eucharist

Sat.

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Sun.

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Ushers

Sat.

Sun.

Cantor

Sat. T. Ferguson

Sun. C. Yurek

Music

Sat. J. Bentz

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Please sign up for Summer Ministries

If you are unable to minister on the assigned date please find your own replacement.

Mass Intentions

for this week

Sat. (7/14)

The Men and Women in the Military

Sun. (7/15)

People of St. Therese

Tues. (7/17)

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Wed. (7/18)

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Thurs. (7/19)

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Fri. (7/21)

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Sat. (7/22)

Paul Mikeal

Sun. (7/23)

People of St. Therese

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: *Kristin Schramm, Louise Kendra, Rocky May, Helen Beckner, Patrice Thompson, Katie York, Lydia Hatmaker, Louise Poly, La Donna Koenig, Heather Phillips, Sandy Boles, Miranda Lawrence, Barb Bielecki,*

Jessica Parker, Ron Spurlock, Travis and Tyler Ervin, David Trent, Lee Welty, Jesse Baker, Bradley Adkins, Andrew Adkins, Tyler Buss, and Adrian Agbanlog who are on military assignment, and for all the other men and women currently serving in the military.

This Week at St. Therese

Tues. 7/17 6:30 P.M.

Communion Service

7PM Knights Meeting

Wed. 7/18 9A.M. Mass

Thurs. 7/19 9A.M.

Communion Service

Fri. 7/20 9A.M. Mass

Sat. 7/21 5:30 P.M. Mass

Sun. 7/22 10:15 A.M. Mass

Remember our parishioners who are in the hospitals & nursing homes:

Louise Kendra is at Brakebill Nursing Home in Knoxville

Eleanor Lux & Mary Alice

Eisenhauer are at Morning Pointe

Louise Poly is in Mabel Rose Estates in Papillion, NE

Joan Nelson is at Five Star Residence of Hollywood in Hollywood, FL.

Call the church office for these addresses.

Food City and Kroger gift cards are available after Mass and in the church office. St. Therese receives 5% of every card purchased.

Celebrations this Week

Birthdays

Sandra Collins-7/17

Angela Yonce-7/18

Jean Job-7/20

Betty Stephens-7/20

Anniversaries

Mark & Sally Eisenhower-7/16

If you do not see your special date above you might need to update your parish registration.

Knights Of Columbus

Next Meeting:

Tues. July 17

St. Therese Women's Group

**Have a great
Summer !**

Meetings will resume in
September

SENIOR MOMENTS

next meeting will be
Friday July 20th @10 A.M.
at St. Joseph

*Anderson Co. Office on Aging
will present a program about
Ethra Transportation*

August 3rd Meeting will be at
St. Therese

High School

Activities & Classes

Local World Youth Day at
St. Albert the Great
August 18 & 19

Preschool -8th grade
Rel. Ed.

**Registration will take
place in August for
the 2012-2013
school year**

Bible Study

Next class:

TBA in August



Bishop Richard Stika



The Diocese of Knoxville News

July 15, 2012

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick - no food, no sack, no money in their belts.” (Mark 6:7-13)

Local World Youth Day at St.

Albert the Great, August 18&19 Mark your calendars

Scan the QRcode with your smart phone or vis-

it <https://www.facebook.com/LocalWorldYouthDay2012> . Check back often for forms and updates .



The “Not Your Average Joe” Catholic men’s conference, sponsored by the diocesan Office of Christian Formation, will be held at All Saints Church in Knoxville from 8a.m. to 3:15p.m. Saturday August 25. The conference will focus on St. Joseph’s example for men to become better husbands, workers, and fathers. Jeff Cavins, a Catholic author of several books, including The Great Adventure Bible Study, and Steve Wood, founder of St. Joseph’s Covenant Keepers, will be the keynote speakers. Bishop Richard F. Stika will be the principal celebrant and homilist at the conference’s Mass. The cost is \$40 per person before July 15th or \$50 thereafter. Register online at stjosephsociety.org/conference.

Catholic Charities Needs

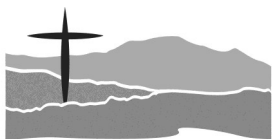
Columbus Home Boys Group Home - Needs various toiletries as well as items for recreation and behavior incentive rewards. Contact Andrew, 971-3560, drew@ccetn.org

Pregnancy Help Center - Bilingual Spanish speaking volunteers, new & slightly used maternity clothes (all sizes), onesies for newborns (boys & girls) and Summer clothes for toddlers 18-24 months. Contact Loretta Waller at 212-4942 or loretta@ccetn.org for volunteer and training information.

For a complete list of volunteer opportunities and client needs, go to <http://www.ccetn.org/> and click on "How to Help."

Meism is a spiritual and moral disease that most people have, but are unaware. The primary symptoms of Meism are the attitude that The one who dies with the most things wins! and the constant repetition of the word Mine! Jesus passed on to his disciples the responsibility to spread his message and continue his work without a walking stick - no food, no sack, no money in their belts. They went into the world armed only with the truth and beauty of the message, Love your God with your whole heart, soul, mind and strength; and love your neighbor as yourself. Jesus knew that is all that is needed to be his true disciple. Are we prepared and willing to be stewards of all that God has given to us to spread the message and continue the work of Jesus? A wise sage once noted that: Our success and greatness in life depend not so much on what he have, but on what we can do without. What are we prepared to do without to imitate Jesus?

Interested in discerning a possible vocation of service within the Church? Interested in supporting the work of vocation promotion in the Church? Check out the Diocese of Knoxville Office of Vocations Facebook and Twitter pages: Facebook - <http://www.facebook.com/DOKVocations>, Twitter - www.twitter.com/DofKVocations.



Catholic Charities
of East Tennessee, Inc.

Pregnancy & Adoption Services, including post-abortion 990-4673.