

St. Therese Catholic Church

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Deadline for bulletin submissions:

Wednesday afternoons by 1:30 p.m.

St. Therese Weekly Mass Schedule:

Saturday: Confessions 4:00-4:45 p.m.

Mass 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 11:00 a.m.

Tuesday/Thursday: 9:00 a.m. at St. Joseph, Norris

Wednesday/Friday: 8:30 a.m. at St. Therese, Clinton

Parish Pastoral Council:

John Meersman, Chair

Anthony Papa, Vice Chair

Jean Chiaro, Secretary

Maureen McMyler

Christopher Hart

Cathy Hundley

Fr. Richard Armstrong (ex-officio)

Finance Board:

Don McCarthy, Chair

Dave McCune

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Committee Chairpersons:

Communications: Olivia Kuhens

Hospitality: Fran Pisano, Maria Gee

Music Director: Mary Tuskan 865-254-8346

Parish/Family Life: Dena Helus, Deidra Hall

Parish Plant: Dave McCune

RCIA: Dave McCune 865-457-5015

Religious Ed: Cathy Hundley

Social Action: Connie Mikeal

Spiritual Life/Liturgy: Chantal Milne

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.

St. Therese Parish Lenten Schedule



WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6

ST. THERESE (Fr. Richard):

8:30 am & 7:00pm

ST. JOSEPH (Msgr. Bill):

7:00 pm

LENTEN PENANCE SERVICES

Cumberland Deanery:

St. Therese /St. Joseph

Thurs., Mar. 21 7:00 pm

St. Teresa of Kolkata-

Tues., Mar 26 7:00 pm

St. John Neuman-Thurs., Mar 28 6pm

St. Alphonsus-Thurs., April 2 7:00pm

St. Francis of Assisi-Thurs., Apr 4

7:00pm

KCHS-Thur., Apr 4 10:40 -11:45am



L E N T E N F I S H F R I E S

5:00-6:30 pm

Join us for our weekly fish fries each Friday throughout Lent. Extra hands for setup and cleanup are always appreciated. Please consider pitching in to help the generous crew who feed the parish for six weeks. Signup is in the Parish Hall.

MINISTERS FOR ASH WEDNESDAY

8:30 a.m. Mass

Lector : Dena Helus

Lector : Bob Lauer

EMHC: Annette Brown

EMHC: Cathy Hundley

7:00 p.m. Mass

Lector : Pete Chiaro

Lector : Trish Papa

EMHC: Jean Chiaro

EMHC: Olivia Kuhens

EMHC: Don McCarthy

STATIONS OF THE CROSS



Each Friday at 6:30 p.m., a parish group leads our Stations of the Cross. Journey with us as we walk Jesus' last steps together, from condemnation to death.

St. Therese Parish Fri., Mar 8

CCW Fri., Mar 15

Spiritual Life Fri., Mar 22

Music/Choir Fri., Mar 29

Parish Council Fri., Apr 5

Religious Ed Fri., Apr 12

Sacraments

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

Reconciliation: Saturdays from 4:15-4:45 p.m.

Matrimony: A six-month preparation period in the Knoxville Diocese

In the Parish



St. Therese Catholic Church warmly welcomes you with joyful hearts to our church. Celebrate the gift of faith with us, whether newly arrived or longtime registered parishioners. If you are not registered and would like to belong to this happy family of worshipers, please fill out the registration form and bring to the office, or call us at 865-457-4073.

FEASTS OF THE WEEK

- Mon., Mar 4:** St. Francis of Assisi
Tues., Mar 5: St. John of the Cross
Wed., Mar 6: Sts. Perpetua & Felicity
Thur., Mar 7: St. Thomas Aquinas
Fri, Mar 8: St. John of God
Sat., Mar 9: St. Dominic of Savio

MINISTRIES SCHEDULE

March 9 & 10

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

- Saturday: P. Chase
 D. McCarthy
 Sunday: B. Bonham
 B. Stephens
 O. Kuhens

Lectors:

- Saturday: C. Hundley
 A. Von Buelow
 Sunday: J. Pubillones
 J. Watkins

Altar Servers:

- Saturday: TBD
 Sunday: B. Milne
 C. Milne
 W. Brown
 Saturday: M. Haka
 J. Mantione
 Sunday: A. Yonce
 A. Yonce

Cantor:

- Saturday: D. Stepp
 Sunday: B. Job

Music:

- Saturday: J. Bentz
 Sunday: M. Tuskan

MASS INTENTIONS:

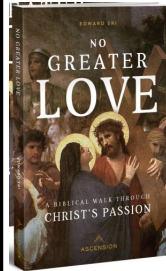
- Sat. Mar. 2:** † Don Zenner by Sue Haese and Cathy Hundley
Sun. Mar 3: Laura Ruggers by Sue Haese
Wed., Mar. 6: † Andrew Rindos by the Landmesser family
Fri., Mar 8: † Martin Grabowski by Sue Haese
Sat. Mar. 9: † Thelma Czarnecki by Stan & Becky Hatmaker
Sun. Mar 10: † Flo Schramm by Stan & Becky Hatmaker

Please contact the parish office if you would like a Mass intention in honor of or in memory of or for a special occasion.

**LENTEN BIBLE STUDY:
 “No Greater Love”**

**Wednesdays of Lent,
 6:30 p.m.—8:00 p.m.**

For those adults that would like to participate, beginning March 13th at 6:30-8:00 p.m., Pete Chiaro has graciously agreed to lead a Lenten Study Program for anyone that would like to attend beginning Wednesday, March 13. The program is titled “No Greater Love: A Biblical Walk Through Christ’s Passion” for Lent by Dr. Edward Sri. All are invited and encouraged to attend. The book & workbook fees are covered by the parish, but please contact Cathy Hundley 865-209-2335 if you are interested, by Mar.5th, so we can order the book for you. We will be meeting in the Rectory every Wednesday of Lent except March 20.



LENTEN MISSION

“Come to me and I will give you rest”

Sin, Grace, Prayer, Penance
 Preparing for Easter

Saturday, March 9 at
St. Therese Parish

9:00 am—3:00 pm
 Lunch Provided

The Mission will be led by Carlos Taja, Associate Director/Secretariat for Evangelization and Catechesis at the USCCB. He has led various workshops and presentations on theology, evangelization and catechesis for laity and clergy. Carlos also led a Mission here at St. Therese 3 years ago that was well attended and highly acclaimed. All are welcome and encouraged to attend!



WE THANK EVERYONE WHO GIVES SO GENEROUSLY

Offertory Collection Last Week 02/24/2019	Offertory Collection Last Year 02/25/2018	Offertory Collection for Feb 2019	Offertory Collection for Feb 2018	Monthly Budget Fiscal Year 2018-2019
\$5,155.00	\$2,615.00	\$14,911.00	\$14,911.00	\$12,418.00

BUILDING FUND/LOAN/Last Week \$ 300.00

Jan 2019	Budget	+/- Month	Loan Dec 2018	Loan Dec 2017
\$1,393.00	\$1,707.00	\$ (314.00)	\$108,731.43	\$124,333.25

Announcements and Information

MEETINGS THIS WEEK:

Sun., 5:30—7:30 p.m.: Youth Group
Mon. 10:30 a.m.: Renew meeting
Tues., 9:30 a.m.: Bible Study
Wed., 6:15 p.m.—8:00 p.m.: CCD Challenge & Conquest Team Leaders
Wed., 6:30 p.m.: RCIA Meeting
Thur., 7:00 p.m.: Scripture Study

SENIOR MOMENTS *will be meeting on Thursday Mar. 7 at 10:00 am at Shoney's*



Support OPERATION RICE BOWL this Lent. *Combining practice of fasting and almsgiving, the monies collected assist CRS programs around the world. "What I give up I give to other" we are encouraged to widen the door of faith through our care for the poor.*



SECOND COLLECTIONS— ASH WEDNESDAY, MAR. 6: Collection for Aid to the Church in Central & Eastern Europe (CCEE) *This collection provides aid to the Church in Central and Eastern Europe and the ex-Soviet Union to meet the needs of rebuilding the Church.*

MARCH 10: Black & Indian Missions *This collection assists our diocesan missionary and pro-life evangelization efforts within the African American community. It provides educational grants, seminary scholarships and grants to assist in evangelization.*



ROSARY RECITATION

Please join us in praying the Rosary before Mass next Sunday, March 3 at 10:30 a.m.

The rosary will be recited every Sunday throughout Lent, and before Sat Masses on Mar 9 & Apr 13

PARISH COUNCIL

OPENINGS PPC will have two vacancies starting this summer. Each parish council member serves three years, attends monthly meetings with other council members and our pastor, and is involved in parish activities. If you are interested in serving in this important role, please write a letter of your intention to Fr. Richard by May 6. After nominations are received, we will have an election by parishioners. To serve in this role, you must be a registered member of St. Therese parish. Please feel free to discuss any questions with current or past parish council members.

CALLING ALL VOICES: If you feel called to participate musically in church (cantor, instrument, etc.) please contact Mary Tuskan at the number listed on the inside front page of the bulletin. The choir is always looking for new members!

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

"Tell Me about the poor whom you want to help, the sick whom you have seen suffer, the sinner whom you would convert, the persons who are alienated from you, and whose affections you wish to win back. For all recite a fervent prayer. Remind Me that I have promised to grant every prayer that comes from [your] heart"
—**Blessed Sacrament Pamphlet**

Saint Therese Catholic Church offers Eucharistic adoration and benediction after the 8:30 am Mass on Fridays. All are welcome.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Fridays of Lent: *Stations of the Cross, 6:30 p.m.*
Mar. 8: *First Lenten Fish Fry, 5:00 p.m.– 6:30 p.m.*
Mar. 9: *Lenten Mission "Come to me and I will give you rest" 9am-3pm*
Mar. 30: *Game Night hosted by Family/Parish Life, 6:00 pm-8:00 pm*

REMEMBER IN PRAYER:

Ralph Collins, George Elliott, Barbara Gregory, Cathy Long, Vicky McCarthy, Ellen Saganich, Carol Stanley, Alyssa Stimmler, Evelyn Collopy, Edna LaMotte, Joelle Duncan, Ron Schramm, Tom & Kathy Baker, Josie Mantione, William Hobbs, Joanne Carey, Diane Zwicker, John Thais, George Krebs, Bobbie S., Wolfe family, Doris Bucklaew, Jennifer Korell, Russell Haese, Lydia Hatmaker, Jakob Rosetti

DEATH IN THE FAMILY:

If you would like St. Therese to share in your grief in the event of a family member's death, please officially notify Father or the parish office. A Mass will be offered for the deceased at a date convenient to the family.

REMEMBER OUR MILITARY:

Matthew Carroll, Brandon Parker, and Lee Welty who are on military assignment.

***Names are added and taken off both **In Your Prayers** and **Remember Our Military** lists on a monthly basis. If you would like a name re-added, please call the office to resubmit the name for another month.*

Thank you.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

*Victoria McCarthy Mar 03
Sherrie Zaring Mar 04
Joanne Anderson Mar 06
Evelyn Collopy Mar 06
Rory Brewer Mar 07
Lorene Daniels Mar 08
Reagan Hunt Mar 08
Pat Nageotte Mar 09
Ruth Zenner Mar 09*

If you would like your birthday in the bulletin, please contact the parish office.



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2019 KDCCW CONVENTION

APRIL 4-5, 2019

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, OAK RIDGE, TN

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: KELLY WAHLQUIST

ONLINE REGISTRATION AVAILABLE AT

KDCCW.ORG, THE CONVENTIONS TAB.



Discover Pope Saint John Paul II's

Theology of the Body

through a day of prayer and reflection.

Diocese of Knoxville
Annual
Women's Retreat

March 16, 2019
9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
All Saints Church
Knoxville, TN

God's Plan for You and Your Marriage

Supporting you in the cross of infertility, with prayer and resources.

The Diocesan Office of Marriage Preparation and the St. John Neumann Parish Family Life Office invite those bearing the cross of infertility to join us for Mass, brunch, presentations, marriage enrichment and panel discussion.

Saturday, March 9, 2019

9:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

No charge to attend.

Please make reservations by Friday, March 1

Marian Christiana (423) 892- 2310 or mchristia-



Call to Love *Llamados al amor*

Call to Love Marriage Conference

Concludes with bilingual Mass at 5:00 p.m.

Presentation in English by Dr. Tom Neal, Academic Dean and Professor of Spiritual Theology at Notre Dame Seminary in New Orleans, Louisiana. First talk: *Hearth of Love: Marriage and Family in the mission of the Church*. Second talk: *I Pray, You Pray, We All Pray: Fostering Couple Prayer*

In addition, *Garden of Love: Christian Family and Vocation* will be presented by Fr. Michael Cummins, currently serving as the pastor of St. Dominic Church in Kingsport, TN. Ordained in 1995, he holds a Licentiate in Sacred Theology with a focus on Christian Anthropology. Presentation in English begins at noon and is \$25.00 per couple. Lunch included. Registration/payment due by Friday, March 15, 2019

Registration/payment online op-
tion <https://tinyurl.com/DoK-Call-to-Love>



The Diocese
of Knoxville
Office of Marriage
Preparation & Enrichment

POST-ABORTION HEALING OPPORTUNITIES

If you are experiencing emotional or spiritual difficulties from a past abortion or abortions, you are not alone. Catholic Charities is here to assist you with Rachel's Vineyard healing and recovery retreat April 26th – 28th, 2019 at the Christ Prince of Peace Retreat Center in Benton, TN. Complete confidentiality is honored at all times. If you are unable to attend a weekend retreat, one-on-one counseling is available with a counselor who has been trained in this area. For more information, please contact Sandi Davidson (865) 776-4510 sandi@cctn.org.