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Sacraments

Baptism—Either Saturday or Sunday during Mass or other times by request.

Marriage—Please make arrangements at least SIX MONTHS in advance.

Confessions—Anytime by request. Anointing/Prayers/Visits

If you are sick, having surgery or health issues and would like Fr. Lourdu to anoint, pray or visit, please call the parish office at 715-339-2222 or Fr. Lourdu at 715-560-3452.

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:30 pm St. Therese Sunday 8:00 am St. Therese Sunday 9:30 am St. John Sunday 11:00 am St. Paul

Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday 4 pm St. Therese Wednesday 8:30 am St. Paul Thursday 8:30 am St. John Friday 8:30 am St. Therese

Holy Day Mass Schedule

7:00 pm Anticipated Mass at St. John's; 5:30 pm at St. Therese; 7:00 pm at St. Paul's

New Parishioners are welcome to register in our parish communities. Stop by or call the cluster office.

Office Hours:

St. Therese-Monday through Thursday 8:30 am to 3:30 pm St. Paul-Monday and Friday 9 am to noon

The Parish Cluster of

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Celebrations

February 11, 2022—Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes February 12, 2022—Fr. Lourdu's Birthday— Birthday Celebration at St. Therese with a potluck after Mass (Birthday Cake and Chicken will be provided)

February 13 Birthday Celebration at St. Paul with a potluck after Mass

February 14, 2022—Fr. Lourdu's Ordination Anniversary Please keep Fr. Lourdu in your prayers.



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Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

I hope and pray that you and your loved ones have enjoyed blessings in this new year. May our loving God continue to shower us with many blessings throughout the year. One blessing we need to continue to pray for is the end of COVID-19.

As we enter this new year, we find ourselves still trying to navigate our way through new variants, risin numbers of new cases and changing guidelines. I want to thank our Priests, Parish Director, Purish Life Coordinators, and other parish leaders who so diligently continue to follow our Diocesan COVID Protocols. Through your efforts we are working together to keep those who attend Mass and other

With the rising number of cases of the Omicron variant, I want to once again, enco your part to help prevent the spread of COVID.

In particular I strongly recommend:

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 1. the wearing of face masks, especially if you are singing or serving as a Deacon,
 Extraordinary minister of the Eucharist, usher, or greeter. As they become available
 N-95 or KN-95 rated masks should be procured.
 2. the practice of social distancing as space allows;
 3. hand sanitizer readily available.

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70 my knowledge there has been no outbreak of COVID -19 due to Mass attendance. I pray that through the exercise of our communal and personal responsibility we can continue to keep each other healthy and safe. With that in mind I want to remind anyone who feels sick, or has high risk health factors, or who is taking care of someone who falls in one of the above groups to stay home. As explained in the past, these would be issues and circumstances that would allow you a personal dispensation to not attend Mass without incurring serious sin. Although we know it is not the same as gathering in person to celebrate the gift of the Holy Mass and receive the Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of our Lord in the Eucharist, those unable to attend Mass in person can receive the blessing of a Spiritual Communion by participating in the celebration of the Mass virtually via Facebook, television or some other means.

In closing I ask that you continue to pray daily for an end to COVID-19. Let us also pray for those who have or are struggling with COVID and for all the medical personnel who so selflessly put their lives on the line to minister to the sick. Know that you are in my thoughts and prayers daily.

May God Bless and Protect you,

Most Res from P. Rosen Most Rev. James P. Powers Bishop of the Diocese of Superior

January 23, 2022 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions for the Week

January 22 through January 30, 2022 Sat 4:30 pm St. Therese †Donna Kaliska [Trzecinski Family]

Sun 8:00 am St. Therese †Jean Bodenburg [Paul Bodenburg]
Sun 9:30 am St. John †Karen Meyer [Ken & Karen Chizek Family]

Sun 11:00 am St. Paul People of the Parishes

Tues 4:00 pm St. Therese †Raoul DuMonte [Therese Trojak]

Wed 8:30 am St. Paul †Steve Warga [Ted & Cheryl Eisner]

Thurs 8:30 am St. John †John Esterholm [Mike & Margie Novak]

Fri 8:30 am St. Therese †Helen Person [Marianne Kerner]

Sat 4:30 pm St. Therese †Sheryl Slaby [Mary Gago]

Sun 8:00 am St. Therese People of the Parishes

Sun 9:30 am St. John †John Esterholm [Lester & Mary Jean Peterson]

Sun 11:00 am St. Paul †Tom Klimowski [Lorie Purser]

Cluster Calendar of Events Saturday, January 22, 2022 4:30 pm Mass at St. Therese Sunday, January 23 8:00 am Mass at St. Therese 9:30 am Mass at St. John 11:00 am Mass at St. Paul Tuesday, January 25 Noon Adoration at St. Therese 4:00 pm Mass at St. Therese Wednesday, January 26 8:30 am Mass at St. Paul 4:00 pm Finance Meeting at St. Paul Thursday, January 27 8:30 am Mass at St. John 6:00 pm Finance Meeting at St. John Friday, January 28 8:30 am Mass at St. Therese Saturday, January 29 4:30 pm Mass at St. Therese Sunday, January 30 8:00 am Mass at St. Therese 9:30 am Mass at St. John 11:00 am Mass at St. Paul

Reflection on Sunday Scripture—Wednesday at 10:30 in a classroom at St. Therese.

Parish Directory—The Parish Directories will be arriving in March. We will contact you when they arrive.

Single Catholic Women 20-35 "Called to Pray The Liturgy of the Hours". Franciscan Sisters of Christian Charity offer you a free Zoom Event on February 26. More Info and Register at https://calledtobe.org. Or Call or text Sr. Julie Ann 920-323-9632

Offering Envelopes are on the table in the gathering area at all the churches in the cluster. If you did not get envelopes, and would like to receive them, please call Sue at the parish office at 715-339-2222.

End of Year Parish Contributions Statements

If you would like a statement for tax purposes, please call (715-339-2222) or e-mail the parish office (oln@pctcnet.net) or put a note in the collection basket.

Pray for the Sick

Polly Anderson, Helen Bach, Joyce Bacholl, Pete Bartelt, Cindy Baumann, Dean Boris, Charlee Rose Guidry, James Bacher, Louie Bubenic, Theresa Collins, Dolly Curran, Michaela Eisner, Dorothy Eskola, Walter Felten, Nick Gillund, Charles Hardy, Katrina Haugsby, Mary Heinz, Kevin Holoubek, Stanley Holoubek, Madisen Johnson, Mildred Kempen, Connie Koci, Nancy Kokstis, Mike Kurth, Jr., Elaine Laatsch, Sue Leider, Lois Lemcke, Larry Makovsky, Gloria Marko, Nancy Marshall, Carol Moore, Jean Newbury, Karen Olson, Joe & Bernice Polacek, Jean Ravet, Chuck Regner, Don Ringersma, Tim Salisbury, Kristin (Wanish) Salisbury, Joseph Saunter, Olivia Schmidt, Kathy Smugala, Rosey Smugala, Clifton Surprenant, Diego Surman, Clifford Timmers, Kate Tollefson, Millie Trzecinski, Rita Warren, Miriam Weber, Steve Wirtas. Please call the parish office at 715-339-2222 to add a name to this prayer list published in the bulletin.

Pray for the Military Personnel

Our Weekly Giving				
St. Therese	Э			
Envelopes		\$2,474.00		
Loose		\$146.00		
Total:		\$2,620.00		
St. John				
Envelopes:		\$492.00		
Loose:		\$10.00		
Total:		\$502.00		
St. Paul				
Envelopes		\$390.00		
Loose		\$110.00		
Total:		\$500.00		
Initial Offering		\$30.00		
(Totals include only the basic collection)				
2021-22 Catholic Services Appeal				
As of January 12, 2022				
	St. Therese	St. John	St. Paul	
Goal: S	\$31,954	\$8,938	\$9,977	
Paid:	\$21,699.99	\$3,410	\$7,954	
To Raise:	\$10,254.01	\$3,778	\$2,023	



The CSA is the annual fundraising campaign to support the ministries and services of the Diocese that are so very vital to our parishes. Please pick up a Catholic Services Appeal envelope off the back table and take

time this week to pray over your commitment and the success of this program.



Cluster News

Because of historical developments, we easily associate a date with some important event, without needing to mention the year. Nine-eleven is deeply ingrained in our memory as the date of the terrorist attack on the twin towers of New York City, when more than 3,000 people were killed. December 7th reminds our nation of the attack on Pearl Harbor, when almost 2,500 people were killed. August 6th is for the Japanese nation a very painful reminder of the destruction of Hiroshima by the first atomic bomb that killed more than 160,00 people. Today, January 22nd, marks another event, the legalization of abortion, that has resulted in many more deaths of unborn children than the above-mentioned dates combined. That decision has resulted also in the deepest polarization in the country, a polarization that has left almost no room for civic dialog. That decision confronts what is seen as the right of a human being with the right of another human being already conceived, even if not yet born. Within society, however, individual rights do not exist in isolation as absolutes regardless of their effect on others. Obviously, from an unbeliever's angle such a conflict would not exist, since the unbeliever would not consider an unborn child a human life, just "pregnancy tissue". But we are believers and it is our faith that motivates us to focus our prayer at the celebration of the Eucharist. As long as that is the law of the country, it is not in our power to change it, at least not now. That is why our Church has instituted this Day of Prayer for the legal Protection of Unborn Children, even as we wait for conditions

to change.



St. Vincent De Paul News

Thrift Store hours are Tuesday through Friday 9:30am to 5pm and Saturday 9am-4pm. Donation drop-off hours are 10am to 2pm Tuesday through Saturday. All hours of operation are subject to change; please confirm by phone at 715-339-6979 to avoid inconvenience. Thank you for your generosity and understanding! Outreach help line remains active for telephone-only visits. Monetary donations to St. Vincent de Paul are gratefully accepted by mail to 134 S. Avon Ave. Phillips, WI 54555.

Food Pantry Hours:

Phillips: Tuesdays, 9am to 11am

Catawba: Third Saturday of the month, 9am to 11am. Food will be boxed and can be picked up outside the pantry. Forms will be proxy signed for visitors.

St. John's News

CCW Meeting—There will be no CCW Meeting at St. John in February.

Religious Education—Classes run from 3 pm—4:30 pm on Wednesday January 23—Children's Mass/Doughnuts February 2—Class

St. Therese's News

Our current grand piano is unusable as it does not keep a tune and cannot be fixed. The Liturgy Committee received approval to begin a fund raiser to purchase a grand piano without asking the Parish for funds. Donations may be given in memory of a loved one, if desired. Donors may be kept anonymous or



may choose to have name (s) added to a plaque. Please contact Sue Klimowski at the office for further information. Please note the existing electronic keyboard will remain at the church. We had hoped to consider a lower priced piano; however, for our sized sanctuary a larger piano is recommended. If we do not reach our \$30,000 goal, we will look at other options. Thank you. The Phillips Liturgy Committee.

Parish Garage Sale—The date has been set for Saturday, May 28, 2022. Please call Sue at the parish office at 715-339-2222 to drop items off.

Religious Education Classes

January 26—Class K-10

January 30—Youth Mass All Students AT 8 AM

Faith Formation K-10 families 9 to 10 am

February 9-Class K-10

Confirmation Class for February

February 6—Confirmation Class at St. Therese 6:30 to 8:30 pm

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION SUNDAY

Sunday January 30, 2022 8:00 AM - Youth Mass Followed by Coffee & Donuts

1:00 PM Winter Fun (sledding, skiing, skating, sitting in the lodge drinking hot cocoa by the fire...) at Camp Forest Springs Everyone is Invited to join in on the Fun!!!

St. Paul's News

Religious Education

January 23—Class

February 6-Class

Confirmation Class for February

February 6-Confirmation Class at St. Therese 6:30 to 8:30 pm

Please join us to pray the rosary every Monday morning at 10:00 am

The CCW January meeting will be held on January 29 at 10:00 am in conjunction with a brunch for all the ladies of St. Paul the Apostle. Come and share your ideas with us as we plan our events for the year 2022. Please RSVP to Gloria (715-474-3427) if you plan to attend the brunch.

Retirement Party

Potluck Sunday, January 30 for Gloria's retirement as CRE.

Cluster Parish Bazaar

If you are interested in being on the planning committee, please call Tim or AnnaMarie Novak at 715-715-474-6771.

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