January 15, 2023 - 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Therese of Deephaven Catholic Parish fi

St. Therese Parish and School is a powerful Catholic witness, committed to vibrant growth by living out Jesus Christ's call to "Go and make disciples" (Matt 28:19) through our sacramental life, prayer, catechesis, fellowship, evangelization and financial stewardship.



5

50

5 0 7

g

Co

1

HE IS THE SON OF GOD.

-ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

18323 Minnetonka Blvd • Deephaven, Minnesota 55391 • www.st-therese.org

Parish: 952-473-4422 • School & Early Childhood 952-473-4355 • Deephaven Woods 952-288-2187

CLERGY

66

Fr. Leonard Andrie, Pastor Deacon John Allgaier

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Weekend:

- Saturday: 8:00 am, 5:00 pm
- Sunday: 8:00 am & 10:00 am

Weekdays:

- Tue, Thu, Fri: 7:00am
- Wednesday: 8:00 am & 5:15pm

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation:

Wednesday: 4:45 to 5:10 pm Saturday: 8:30 to 9:30 am 4:00 to 4:30 pm

Baptism:

Call Liz Lammers, 952-473-4422, to schedule Baptism preparation class.

Matrimony:

Call Geri Korman, 952-261-0560, at least six months in advance to schedule wedding preparations.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

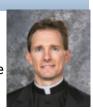
- Tuesday: 8:00 am to 6:00 pm
- Wednesday: 7:30 am to 8:00 pm
- Thursday: 8:00 am to 5:00 pm
- Friday: 8:00 am to 2:00 pm
- Saturday: 8:30 am to 10:00 am

PASTORAL CARE

For the sick, homebound, dying and bereaved, contact the Parish Office at 952-473-4422. Emergency answering service for Anointing or funerals when office is closed: 952-473-4422 (option 6)

A Message from Father Andrie: Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

Pope Francis celebrated the funeral of Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI last week. Here is an overview of this beautiful man's life. Joseph Ratzinger was born in 1927, the youngest of three children. His father was a policeman and his mother was a hotel cook. He had two older siblings: a brother Georg and a sister Maria with whom he remained close throughout his life. When he was six years old, the Nazis came to power in Germany (1933). His staunchly Catholic parents were hostile to the regime. Joseph entered the seminary at age 12. Unfortunately, he was forced to join the Hitler Youth two years later in 1941. He and his brother deserted the youth movement in April 1945 wherein he resumed his priestly formation.



After his ordination to the priesthood in 1951, Fr. Ratzinger engaged in pastoral work for a short time. Additionally, he earned a doctorate in theology at the University of Munich in 1957. His intellectual brilliance drew the attention of Cardinal Josef Frings of Cologne, who asked him to serve as his peritus (theological expert) at the Second Vatican Council. Fr. Ratzinger was just 35 years old! The young Bavarian priest played an outsized role at the Council in that he was influential in the development of Lumen Gentium (Dogmatic Constitution on the Church) and Dei Verbum (Dogmatic Constitution on Divine Revelation).

Oddly enough, Fr. Ratzinger was considered one of the progressive figures at the Council. He argued against those who were opposed to any changes from the pre-conciliar Church. Interestingly, as progressive theologians and priests evoked the "spirit" of the Second Vatican Council, demanding sweeping changes to Catholic doctrine and discipline following the Council, Joseph Ratzinger moved from being viewed as a progressive to a conservative as he clearly articulated the truth of the Council documents. In reality, the Bavarian theologian was neither progressive nor conservative, but rather a faithful disciple of Jesus Christ and son of the Church.

In 1977, Pope Paul VI named Father Ratzinger Archbishop of Munich and Freising. He adopted the motto Cooperatores Veritatis ("Co-Workers of the Truth") as his episcopal motto. He was elevated to cardinal later that year. Four years later, in 1981, Pope John Paul II appointed him prefect of the Congregation of the Doctrine of the Faith (CDF). He served as one of John Paul II's closest advisors until the Holy Father's death in 2005. Pope John Paul II and Cardinal Ratzinger, together, provided stability and a proper interpretation of the Second Vatican Council.

After the death of Pope John Paul II, Cardinal Ratzinger, the dean of the College of Cardinals, celebrated the late pontiff's funeral Mass before a global audience. He concluded his inspiring homily by saying, "We can be sure that our beloved Pope is standing today at the window of the Father's house, that he sees us and blesses us. Yes, bless us, Holy Father. We entrust your dear soul to the Mother of God, your Mother, who guided you each day and who will guide you now to the eternal glory of her Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen."

On the first day of the conclave, Cardinal Ratzinger gave what has become a famous homily that warned of the "dictatorship of relativism that does not recognize anything as definitive and whose ultimate goal consists solely of one's ego and desire." The powerful antidote to relativism, Cardinal Ratzinger argued, was friendship with Christ. The following day, he was elected pope at age 78. He took the name Benedict XVI after St. Benedict of Nursia, the founder of Western Monasticism, which helped to stabilize European civilization after the collapse of the Roman Empire. Ironically, Joseph Ratzinger's humility, charity, and clear and insightful writings provided needed stability for the Church over the tumultuous years following the Second Vatican Council.

Overall, Pope Benedict XVI's eight-year pontificate continued the work of Pope John Paul II. He wrote three encyclicals: Deus Caritas Est (God Is Love) in 2005; Spe Salvi (Saved by Hope) in 2007; and Caritas in Veritate (Charity in Truth) in 2009. He also published important apostolic exhortations on the Eucharist in 2007 and Verbum Domini (The Word of the Lord) on Holy Scripture in 2010. In his "spare time" as pope, he wrote three volumes of his book Jesus of Nazareth, which best exemplify his profound insight, friendship, and love for Jesus Christ.

On February 11, 2013, Benedict shocked the world and the College of Cardinals by announcing that he would resign at the end of that month, citing his age and health problems. He had personally experienced the serious challenges of Pope John Paul II's declining health and difficulty in managing a demanding schedule. Pope Benedict XVI was the first pope since Gregory XII in 1415 to resign. He spent the next 10 years "hidden from the world" and dedicated to prayer." He only left the convent once to visit his dying brother in 2020. His sister, Maria, died in 1991.

It is nearly impossible to overstate the lasting impact Joseph Ratzinger has had on the Church. He is one of the great theological, intellectual, and cultural giants of the last 100 years. His contribution to the Second Vatican Council and

proper interpretation of the Council's documents following the Council were a gift from our Lord. His writings, steeped in Sacred Scripture and the writings of the Church Fathers, reveal a man marked by a deep friendship with and love for Jesus Christ.

Pope Benedict XVI's comments as he approached death exemplify his character and profound faith: "In light of the hour of judgment, the grace of being a Christian becomes all the more clear to me. It grants me knowledge, and indeed friendship, with the judge of my life, and thus allows me to pass confidently through the dark door of death." His last four words summarize his life well: "Lord, I love you." May the Lord reward him for all of the labors in his vineyard. *Requiescat in pace*, Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI.



Goldy offering his prayers for Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

Eucharistic Liturgy calendar and Intentions: <u>streamed on our website</u>

1/16		Chapel closed at this time
1/17 at DW	*7:00am 3:30pm	+John Varga Tim Carlson
	8:00am 5:15pm	Terry Yates +Jim Arness
1/19	*7:00am	Connie Bertrand
1/20	*7:00am	Mili Johnson
1/21	8:00am 5:00pm	Sister Tresa Jose +Helmut Maier
1/22 t noon	8:00am 10:00am	Steve & Laura Johnson For the people
	1/17 at DW 1/18 ed) 1/19 1/20 1/21	1/17 *7:00am at DW 3:30pm 1/18 8:00am 5:15pm 1/19 *7:00am 1/20 *7:00am 1/21 8:00am 5:00pm 1/22 8:00am

Readings for the Week

	5
Readings for t	the Week of January 15, 2023
Sunday:	Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34
Monday:	Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday:	Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 NS 10c/Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday:	Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 3:1-6
Thursday:	Heb 7:25–8:6/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17/Mk 3:7-12
Friday:	Heb 8:6-13/Ps 85:8 and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mk 3:13-19
Saturday:	Heb 9:2-3, 11-14/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 3:20-21
Next Sunday:	ls 8:23–9:3/Ps 27:1,4, 13-14 (1a)/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/
	Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

Remember in Your Prayers

+Christopher Stamboldjiev, Linda Loger, William Schneider, Tony Martino, Ron Watson, +Bill Rissmann, Sidney Mott, Kailey Giancola, Erik Soderlund, Dillon DuPonte, Treffle Daniels, Louise Burton, Christopher Daniels, Ruth Colnar, Michael Scott, Bill Ashenbach, Richard Morton. To be included in requests, you or a family member should call the parish office, 952-473-4422. Names are shown at least 30 days or as space allows.

Deacon John's Note

The Trinity Revealed

Christ's baptism reveals two truths to Christians. The obvious truth is that at Christ's baptism, He is revealed as the promised Savior, the Messiah. However, the truth revealed at Christ's baptism that we think less often about is that of the Blessed Trinity. The Blessed Trinity is on full display at the baptism of Jesus. The Son is Jesus, the Holy Spirit descends upon Jesus from heaven in the form of a dove, and the Father claims that "This is my beloved Son". As we profess in the Creed, God is one divine nature, and three persons.

Most likely the reason we don't think too much about the Blessed Trinity is because it is a mystery, meaning we can't fully understand it with the limited capacity of our human minds. However, God reveals all three persons of the Trinity to us at the baptism of Christ for a reason. It is hard to imagine where we would be with our faith without all three persons of God. God as our Father, Christ as our Saviour and the Holy Spirit to guide us and grow our faith.

The Blessed Trinity is a mystery that we will only fully understand when we are in the glorified presence of God. We don't have to fully understand the mystery of the Blessed Trinity to appreciate its presence and importance to our salvation. Most of us will take all the help we can get to know God better and to grow our faith.

Thanks be to God for revealing all three persons of the Blessed Trinity at the baptism of Christ!

Upcoming Events

	Jan. 16	ELC/School Closed - Staff Dev
	Jan. 19	First Reconciliation Night
	Jan. 21/	22 ICA Collection Weekend
		Diaper Drive Weekend
	Jan. 27	Women's Retreat
	Jan. 28	Women's Retreat
	Jan. 29	Catholic Schools Week Begins
	Feb. 2	St. Elizabeth Book Club
		Nothing More Dangerous
		by Allen Eskins
	Feb. 3	Friday Night Bash
	Feb. 9	1st Eucharist Parent Meeting
	Feb. 13	Sharing & Caring Hands
_	Feb. 13	1st Eucharist Parent Meeting

Go to www.st-therese.org for parish updates on Confession and Adoration. Livestreaming of Mass and Rosary videos available on our website.

ARTICLES/INSERTS/ ANNOUNCEMENTS

To have something printed in the body of the bulletin, please submit the article 10 days prior to publication. Inserts are forms or flyers with information that will not fit in the body of the bulletin. Please submit inserts 5 days prior to publication. For pulpit announcements made during weekend liturgies, please submit it by noon on the Thursday prior to announcing. Email submissions to Mary at mdobson@st-therese.org.



St. Therese Catholic School



Partnership with Holy Family High School

On the day before Christmas Break, 5 of our middle school students went over to Holy Family High School for their first semester math final. We currently have students taking both Honors Algebra II and Geometry with students at Holy Family. Following the final, we teamed up with Holy Family to host a breakfast gathering for our St. Therese Alumni. Here are some of the alumni who were able to join us!

Early Learning Center



Elephants

Happy New Year! The Elephant class had a wonderful time singing Jingle Bells at the Christmas Concert. We continue to work on developing our fine motor skills and work on sharing with our friends. We hope you had a wonderful holiday!







The Early Childhood Program at St. Therese is a fun and enriching place to be! Want to join the fun? Contact: Jo Ellen Begalke at 952-261-0587 or on-line at jbegalke@st-therese.org or Emily Rohla at erohla@st-therese.org

Faith Formation

Join thousands of Catholics Nationwide throughout January in prayer and advocacy for human life!

PRAY: 9 Days for Life **JANUARY 19-27**

9 Days for Life is a novena for the protection of human life. Each day's intention is accompanied by a short reflection and suggested actions to help build a culture of life.

Join today at www.9daysforlife.com!



Noon with Archbishop Bernard Hebda

Cathedral of Saint Paul 239 Selby Ave., St. Paul

See bulletin insert and parish website for bus info.



January Diaper Drive Donate diapers for moms in need! Drop off throughout January at St. Therese!



Where is Your Love Needed? 7th Annual Women's Retreat - 2023 CHURCH OF ST. THERESE OF DEEPHAVEN

Come Be Inspired... By Our Special 2023 Retreat Leader

Friday Evening: January 27 5:30 PM Check-in & Dessert, 6-9 PM Program Saturday: January 28 7:30 AM - 3:00 PM Program (Lunch Provided)

Guided by Holy Scripture and moving accounts of two modernday women, we will gather together to explore the question: where is your love needed?

Register online at www.st-therese.org OR return form (from kiosk or parish office) with payment to the parish office. More information and complete retreat program is available on the St. Therese parish website.

Spiritual Adoption is coming to St. Therese!

You're invited to "spiritually adopt" a child who is newly conceived this month and hold that child in praver throughout the coming 9 months. Not all babies make it to birth. Many parents tragically experience the loss of a child to miscarriage or premature birth. Others sadly lose their lives to abortion. These are the babies you are being asked to "adopt" simply by praying for him or her each day. You may "adopt" a child individually or as a family by signing up at the table in the gathering space, starting the weekend of January 14. Watch the bulletin for monthly reports describing "your baby's" development. And, join us in October for a special prayer service celebrating the birth of these babies!

PARENT NIGHT --TIME TOGETHER

Parents, You've all heard the saying, "It takes a village." Do you ever find yourselves...

- Needing a little inspiration?
- Some support in raising your family in a faith-filled home?

Join Father Andrie this semester for helpful ways to achieve this. There will be open discussion time to share ideas. Parent Nights are a required part of your family's Faith Formation for all K-8 families.

Mark your calendars for: Wednesdays, 4:30-5:40 pm & 6:30-7:40 pm Jan. 18, and Apr. 19. Bring your child/youth for Faith Formation and join us in the School Media Center. Refreshments will be served.

Save the Date - VBS



- June 19-23, 2023
- 9am-12N

 St. Therese Scoccer Field Open to youth Kindergarten -4th Grade (completed 2023) Registration opening soon. Watch bulletin for details.

Dec 2022 COLLECTIONS	Dec 2022	Dec 2021	Year over Year	Fiscal Year to Date	Prior Year thru Dec	Year over Year
Sunday Envelope & Electronic Gifts	\$ 262,527	\$ 249,441	\$ 13,086	\$ 739,384	\$ 742,694	\$ (3,310)
Sunday Plate	\$ 26,194	\$ 5,573	\$ 20,621	\$ 40,952	\$ 20,415	\$ 20,537
Total	\$ 288,721	\$ 255,013	\$ 33,707	\$ 780,336	\$ 763,108	\$ 17,228

Sunday giving keeps the lights on, pays for repairs, and funds all ministries and operations. Thank you for your continued generosity to our parish community.





Parish and Community

Open Positions

St. Therese Parish & School is hiring for several positions:

- Community Life Coordinator
- Food & Nutrition Manager Spirit Club
- Toddler Teacher or Assistant Teacher

Job descriptions/how to apply on our website & the Arch careers page.

Youth Minister

Eucharistic Adoration

Each hour you spend with Jesus will deepen His Divine Peace in your heart. "Come to Me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest" (Mt 11:28). To commit to a regular Adoration hour contact Geri in the parish office. Times most needed: Tuesdays: 4-5pm;



Wednesdays: 10-11am, 12-1pm, 3-4pm; Thursdays: 10am-11am, 4-5pm.

Men's Retreats at Demontreville Jesuit Retreat House

Are you craving peace and solitude? Let God meet you at our beautiful retreat location in Lake Elmo, MN. Join us for a Men's Silent Retreat at the Demontreville Jesuit Retreat House, Jan. 19 – 22 (Thursday evening to Sunday evening). Free-will donations are accepted. For more info, see our website demontrevilleretreat.com or call 651-777-1311.

Dale Ahlquist: "Home & Work" - January 26, 5pm - 8:45pm

Dale Ahlguist, author, founder of Chestertonian institutions, and G.K. Chesterton aficionado, will speak with us about what Chesterton has to teach us about the relationship between the ever-important spheres of home & work. Sponsored by the St. Joseph Business Guild at Holy Cross Church, 1621 University Ave. NE, Minneapolis. Heavy Hors d'oeuvres, beer & wine included. Registration info @ www.sjbusinessguild.com.

Miriam Dinner: Wed., Feb. 1, 6-8 p.m., ACC, 777 Forest St, Saint Paul Archbishop Hebda invites Catholic women, ages 16 - 35, who are discerning consecrated life to join him for dinner and conversation, along with Fr. Louie Floeder, Office of Vocations Assistant Director, and consecrated women sharing their vocation testimonies, stories of consecrated life and discernment tips. Learn more & online registration before Jan. 28 at 10000vocations.org.

Operation Andrew Dinner: Tues., Feb. 7, 6-8pm, 777 Forest St., St. Paul Archbishop Bernard A. Hebda, Father David Blume, Director of Vocations, and Father Louie Floeder, Assistant Director of Vocations

invite men, 16 and older, who are discerning their vocation, to join them for dinner and conversation about priesthood and religious life. Learn more & online registration before Feb. 3 at 10000vocations.org.



Parish Staff & Phone Numbers

952-473-4422 Email: parish@st-therese.org Fax: 952-261-0585 www.st-therese.org

Parish Office Hours Monday - Friday: 8:00am-4:00pm Saturdays & Sundays: Closed

Fr. Leonard Andrie	Pastor	239
Dcn. John Allgaier	Deacon	240

SCHOOL & PRE-SCHOOL

323 Adam Groebner Principal Clarey McInerny Assistant Principal 6403 Sue Bokros Administrative Assistant 322 School Office Direct 952-473-4355

EARLY LEARNING CENTER

Jo Ellen Begalke	Co-Director	247
Emily Rohla	Co-Director	340

FAITH FORMATION

Liz Lammers	Director	223
Joe Schiltz	Youth Minister	229
Angie Wilz	Faith Formation Specialist	224

MUSIC MINISTRY

Dr. Jeff Judge Director of Music 227

OPERATIONS AND ADMINISTRATION

Director of Operations 242 David Bruns Mary Dobson Office & Safe Environ Coor 237 Admin Asst/Receptionist 220 Geri Korman Sharon Nicpon Accounting/HR Specialist 236 612-599-3339 D.J. Joarnt Maintenance

Parish Councils

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PCC)

Lisa Beal John Gunelson Tim Larsen

Ann Pearson Pat Sandkamp John Thomas

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL (PFC)

Bob Jasper Mark Klos Charlie Marini Art Speck DeWayne Ullsperger

Jylan Johnson Adam Lukens Mary Jo Martin Ron Watson

January 15, 2023 - Page 6



For ad info. call 1-800-950-9952 • www.4lpi.com

Pi

St. Therese, Deephaven, MN

B 4C 02-0372



For ad info. call 1-800-950-9952 • www.4lpi.com

A 4C 02-0372