



St. Therese the Little Flower Roman Catholic Church

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November 12th, 2023 24th Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, November 12 – 24th Sunday after Pentecost (St. Martin I, PM)

8:00 am Low Mass (RIP Eileen Clara Artmeier from Daniel Peck)

Server: Andrew Smith

9:35 am Holy Rosary

10:00 am Low Mass (Pro Populo)

Server: Xavier Wright

Monday, November 13 – St. Leonard, C

****NO MASS SCHEDULED**** (Special Intention of the DiSalvos)

Tuesday, November 14 – St. Josaphat, BM

7:00 am Low Mass (Lexy Bianchini from Kevin Hand)

Wednesday, November 15 – St. Albert the Great, BCD

7:00 am Low Mass (Lexy Bianchini from Kevin Hand)

Thursday, November 16 – St. Gertrude, V

7:00 am Low Mass (Lexy Bianchini from Kevin Hand)

Friday, November 17 – St. Gregory Thaumaturgus, BC

8:00 am Low Mass (Private Intentions from Christy Safarik)

Saturday, November 18 – Dedication of the Basilicas of Ss. Peter and Paul (O.M. of Divine Providence)

8:30 am Low Mass (Lexy Bianchini from Kevin Hand)

Sunday, November 19 – 25th Sunday after Pentecost (St. Elizabeth of Hungary, QW)

8:00 am Low Mass (Special intention from Cleo Speckert)

Server: Alex Sellers

9:35 am Holy Rosary

10:00 am High Mass (Pro Populo)

Server: Paddy Omlor

Announcements

† **Adult Catechism** this Wednesday (11/15) at 6 pm.

† The Students of St. Therese Academy will be putting on a **school play** on **December 17th** after the 10 am Mass. The location will be in the hall of Lebanon Christian School. **Please bring a main dish to share.** Thank you!

**23rd Sunday
after Pentecost**
(11/5/23)
Collection: \$ 2445

† There will be **Catechism Classes with the Sisters** for the children and teenagers after each Mass today. Next Catechism Classes will be **December 3rd.**

† The church is looking for **volunteers to help clean the church.** For more information, please contact Amanda Straight or Father.

† **Petition to St. Therese** to help find a building for the school, convent, and rectory. The Novena Prayer to St. Therese after each Low Mass will be said for these intentions.

Reflection: *The Liturgical Year by Dom Gueranger on the 5th Sunday after the Epiphany for the 24th Sunday after Pentecost:* “The Kingdom of Heaven, here spoken of by our Lord, is the Church Militant, the society of them that believe in him. And yet, the field he has tilled with so much care is oversowed with cockle; heresies have crept in, scandals have abounded; are we, on that account, to have misgivings about the foresight of the Master, who knows all things, and without whose permission nothing happens? Far from us be such a thought! He himself tells us that these things must needs be. Man has been gifted with free-will; it is for him to choose between good and evil; but, God will turn all to his own greater glory. Heresies, then, like weeds in a field, may spring up in the Church; but the day must come when they will be uprooted; some of them will wither



Tares - Darnell

Wheat

Are you wheat or weeds?

o n the parent-stems, but the whole cockle shall be gathered into bundles to burn. Where are now the heresies that sprang up in the first ages of the Church? And in another hundred years, what will have become of the heresy, which, under the pretentious name of The Reformation, has caused incalculable evil? It is the same with the scandals which rise up within the pale of the Church; they are a hard trial; but trials must come. The Divine Husbandman wills not that this cockle be torn up, lest the wheat should suffer injury. First of all, the mixture of good and bad is an advantage; it teaches the good not to put their hopes in man, but in God. Then too, the mercy of our Lord is so great, that at times the very cockle is converted, by Divine grace, into wheat. We must, therefore, have patience. But, whereas it is when the men are asleep that the enemy oversows the field with cockle, it behooves us to pray for Pastors, and ask their Divine Master to bless them with that Vigilance, which is the primary condition of the flock being safe, and is so essential a quality in every Bishop, that his very name is, one who watches.”

Confessions: 45 minutes before Sunday Masses. 30 minutes before weekday Masses. Father will stop hearing confessions 10 minutes before Mass. Confessions could be heard after Mass as well.

Baptism: Please call Father to make arrangements. At least one parent and the sponsors must be practicing traditional Catholics. It is a serious obligation for Catholics to have their newborns baptized within two weeks.

Matrimony: For practicing registered parishioners only. Please contact Father at least six months before the wedding date for marriage instructions.

Mass Intentions may be submitted for a stipend of \$25.00. Mass intention envelopes are available in the vestibule.

Sunday Catechism Classes for children: Please see Sister Rose Marie, C.M.D.

Blessing of Religious Articles: Please bring item(s) up to Communion Rail after Holy Mass.