

DAILY MASS

Monday—Saturday 8:30 am

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 4:00 pm (Spanish) 6:00 pm Sunday 7:30 am 9:00 am 11:00 am

ROSARY

Mon-Sat 7:50 am Sunday 6:50 am

ANOINTING (SICK)

Weekend Masses—as needed

CONFESSION

Tuesday: 12:00-12:30 pm Saturday: 9:00—9:30 am or call for appointment

HOLY COMMUNION

(sick & homebound) Call Parish Office

EMERGENCY SICK CALLS FUNERALS

CALL 352-245-2458

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

8am—4 pm M-Th

8 am—Noon Fri

SOUP KITCHEN

11 am—1:00 pm Daily

FOOD PANTRY

9 am-12:00 pm M-F

SOCIAL SERVICES

MONDAY—FRIDAY 9 am—1 pm

THRIFT SHOP

MONDAY—SATURDAY
9 am—2:30 pm

GIFT SHOP

Saturday & Sunday (after weekend Masses)

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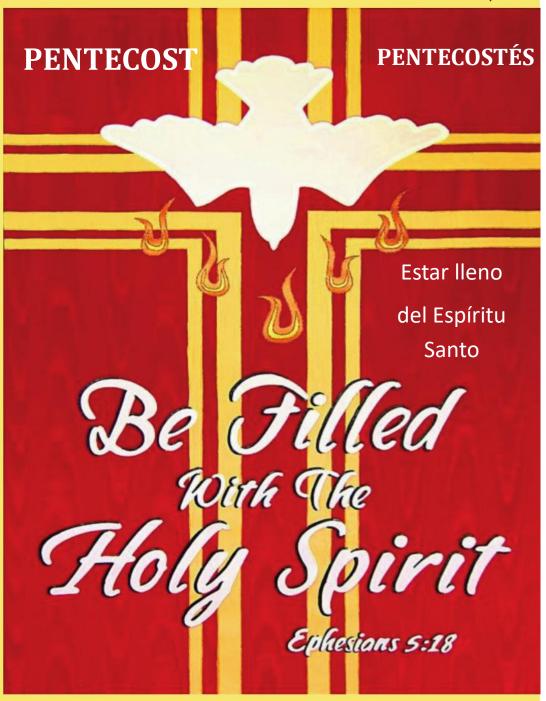
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PENTECOST SUNDAY

JUNE 8, 2025



It's Worth the Drive (Vale la pena el viaje)

Mass Intentions

Sat JUNE 7	FOR	REQUESTED BY				
8:30 am	† Joe and Melany Guerreiro & Tanya Brown	Tanya Brown & Maria Guerreiro				
4:00 pm	† Deceased Members of K of C Council 8012, & Assembly 2068	Knights of Columbus				
6:00 pm (español)	St. Theresa Parishioners					
Sun JUNE 8						
7:30 am	+ James & Doris Russo	Tina & Luis Rios				
9:00 am	† John Leizens	Ed & Tish Leizen				
11:00 am	† Mr. & Mrs. Bob LeBlanc	Mike & Judy Pavlovsky				
Mon JUNE 9						
8:30 am	† Elizabeth Barrett	Loretta Ciampi				
Tues JUNE 10						
8:30 am	† Linda McSorey	Lucille Hervey & Catherine Potenza				
Wed JUNE 11						
8:30 am	† Frank Montera	Linda Saltzman				
Thurs JUNE 12						
8:30 am	† Patrick Roche	Robert Roche				
Fri JUNE 13						
8:30 am	† Gene Dever	Vicki Alvey & Loretta Montalto				
Sat JUNE 14						
8:30 am	Society of St. Theresa					
4:00 pm	† Florence Mooney	Dave & Georgiann Matthews				
6:00 pm (español)	St. Theresa Parishioners					
Sun JUNE 15						
7:30 am	Loretta Montalto – Special Intention	Julie Hardy				
9:00 am	† Don Stipanic	PJ Stipanic				
11:00 am	Vicki Alvey –Special Intention	Julie Hardy				



Our prayers for the repose of the soul(s) of

BETSY RIZZUTO BARRY TINGLEY

REST IN PEACE



USHERS NEEDED !!
Please call the Parish Office to sign
up (352) 245-2458

Upcoming EVENTS MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Date / Time	Event	Location	
Mon. June 9: 9 am	Removal of Easter decorations (Volunteers needed)	Church	
Mon. June 9: 6:00 pm	MOST	Parish Hall	
Tues. June 10: 4-8 pm	CATHOLIC YOUTH CHIPOTLE FUNDRAISER	Chipotle	
Wed., June 18: 5 pm to Fri., June 20th:8:30 am	FORTY HOURS ADORATION	Church	
Sat. June 21: 9 am	3RD SATURDAY CLUB	Campus	
Sun. June 22: 12:15-1:15 pm	CORPUS CHRISTI EUCHARISTIC PROCESSION	Lake Lillian	
Mon-Wed: July 14-16	ADULT BIBLE SCHOOL WITH FR. TOM AND FR. JIM	TBD	
Mon-Wed: July 21-23	BLESSING BELLEVIEW EVENTS (Volunteers needed)	TBD	



FUNERAL SCHEDULE

MON. JUNE 16

10:00 AM

BARRY TINGLEY



We are gathering for 40 hours of continuous prayer in our church before the Blessed Sacrament. It begins <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>June 18th</u> at 5 PM and concludes <u>Friday</u>, <u>June 20th</u> with our 8:30 AM Mass.

You may sign up for your hour by calling the office or after Mass. Prayer is powerful! Let's make this happen. Thank you! *Fr. Tom*



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FLORENCE TAFT
JUNE 14 —20, 2025
From: Cheryl Tette

PENTECOST SUNDAY **JUNE 8, 2025**



FROM FATHER TOM

The employees at Aurelio's Pizza in Homewood, Illinois, had extra reason to cheer last May 8th: Not only was there a new pope and a new leader of the Catholic Church, but it was someone they knew.



The new Pope is a local to the area, growing up in Dolton, Illinois, but he had also paid a visit to their pizza shop as recently as August 2024. During that visit, he took the time to pose for a

photo with friends. "All the employees went crazy," Joe Aurelio, the president and CEO of Aurelio's, explained to WGN Channel 9 News. "They started texting and calling me, 'Can you believe it? He was just here a few months ago."

Aurelio spoke hopefully about the Chicago-born pope, telling Australian news organization 9 News that he hopes that the new pope is able to revitalize the Catholic Church in the United States. Aurelio's is a pizza chain, with locations throughout the United States but mostly in Illinois. The original, flagship location is in Homewood, Illinois, and opened in 1959.

Last August, the future pope ordered a pepperoni pie, which Aurelio has now renamed "POPEroni." He has trademarked "POPEroni" as well. Customers can ask to sit at the "pope's table." complete with an ornate, high-backed "pope's seat," said Aurelio.

According to the manager, their phone is ringing off the hook with locals lining up to make reservations for a chance to sit in it!

Maybe one day I will become Pope and Wawa will name a breakfast sandwich after me. Hey, you never know. Until then, treat everyone you meet with kindness and respect. They may not be the next Pope but they will always be a child of God.

P.S. If anyone goes up there to visit, make sure to eat at Aurelio's and take a picture.

Love and Blessings! Father Tom

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

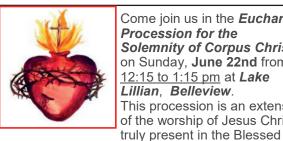
Do you want to make a difference? Our youth need you! If you would like to instruct or assist our children elementary age, after the 9:00 am Mass, and Middle School / High School Sunday evening at 6:00 pm.

Also, we need <u>Catechists</u> for "Time Out for God's Word" - when we dismiss our young ones at the 9:00 am Mass for their own homily. We will guide vou. Please contact *Fr. Tom* (352) 245-2458.

3RD SATURDAY CLUB

The 3RD SATURDAY CLUB meets on the 3rd Saturday of each month at 9 am. The purpose of this club is to beautify the grounds and interior of St. Theresa. If you are interested in volunteering, please call the Parish Office (352) 245-2458. The next gathering will be **Saturday**, **June 21st**.





Come join us in the *Eucharistic* Procession for the Solemnity of Corpus Christi on Sunday, **June 22nd** from 12:15 to 1:15 pm at Lake Lillian, Belleview. This procession is an extension of the worship of Jesus Christ,

Sacrament. In the Eucharistic Procession, the missionary aspect of the Eucharist is emphasized as we go forth into the world. Not only gazing upon our Eucharistic Lord, but walking with him, we experience what the disciples did 2000 years ago as they walked with Jesus, proclaiming the good news to the world.

By this public witness of faith, let us invite people in the community to encounter the Risen Lord present in the Eucharistic Host. For those who participate in the procession, it is an opportunity not only to proclaim their faith but also to grow in their faith. The procession is, finally, an invitation to Jesus himself to be a part of our daily lives, to be immersed in the world in which we live.



DEL PADRE TOM

Los empleados de Aurelio's Pizza en Homewood, Illinois, tuvieron un motivo extra para alegrarse el pasado 8 de mayo: No sólo había un nuevo Papa y un nuevo líder de la Iglesia católica, sino que era alguien a quien conocían. El nuevo Papa es oriundo de la zona, ya que creció en Dolton (Illinois), pero ya había visitado su pizzería en agosto de 2024. Durante aquella visita, se tomó la molestia de posar para una foto con sus amigos. "Todos los empleados se volvieron locos", explicó Joe Aurelio, presidente y consejero delegado de Aurelio's, a WGN Channel 9 News. "Empezaron a mandarme

mensajes y a llamarme: '¿Te lo puedes creer? Estaba aquí hace unos meses'".

Aurelio se mostró esperanzado sobre el Papa nacido en Chicago y declaró al noticiario australiano 9 News que espera que el nuevo Papa sea capaz de revitalizar la Iglesia católica en Estados Unidos.

Aurelio's es una cadena de pizzerías con establecimientos en todo Estados Unidos, pero sobre todo en Illinois. El local original, el más emblemático, está en Homewood, Illinois, y abrió en 1959.

El pasado agosto, el futuro Papa pidió una tarta de pepperoni, que Aurelio ha rebautizado como "POPEroni". También ha registrado la marca "Poperoni". Los clientes pueden pedir sentarse en la "mesa del Papa", con un ornamentado "asiento del Papa" de respaldo alto, explica Aurelio.

Según el gerente, el teléfono no para de sonar y los lugareños hacen cola para reservar una mesa.4

Quizá algún día me convierta en Papa y Wawa le ponga mi nombre a un sándwich de desayuno. Nunca se sabe. Hasta entonces, trata a todo el mundo con amabilidad y respeto. Puede que no sea el próximo Papa, pero siempre será un hijo de Dios.

P.D. Si alguien va de visita, que coma en Aurelio's y se haga una foto.

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

¡Amor y bendíciones! Padre Tom



Our ST. THERESA ADORATION CHAPEL needs Adorers. Please contact Nancy High (941) 518-2194 if you would like to adore. VACANT hours are highlighted in YELLOW.

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DECORATING REQUEST

Easter decorations will be removed on Monday, **June 9** following the morning mass. The tomb will be dismantled by **Ron Czyznik** and **Don LaClair** at 10:00 a.m. If you are interested or available to help with these tasks, please call **Mary Gahles** at **(724) 581-7171**.

Parishioners have been very complimentary of the decorations, and we thank everyone involved in that process—a special thanks to *Lori Miller* for creating the window decorations. Lori has offered to teach any interested people how to make wreaths, angels, and other things for the upcoming Christmas season.

We would love to have more people involved in the creative side of decorating. If you would like to learn to make things, please call Mary. Your help is not only a heartfelt gift of love, but it is fun! We would love to have you.



JULY 14-16

Adult Bible School with Fr. Tom & Fr. Jim

PENTECOST SUNDAY JUNE 8, 2025

My Take



What challenge would you like Jesus to correct? For me, the answer would be simple and quick to discern. My faith.



My faith? Why would that be a challenge? As I have explained to Father Tom, I often question why things are the way they are or why they were handled a certain way. Father Tom explained that questioning was a part of faith.

I've never questioned whether God exists or doubted him. I question at times why certain things happen, i.e. the first born in Egypt who were killed so the Jews would be allowed to leave. I've also questioned how things exist and I believe that's my frustration trying to understand the "mysteries". Yesterday I asked the Leadership team about the Holy Spirit giving the apostles the ability to speak in other languages. They gave me the explanation not that the apostles were each bi-lingual now but that everyone they encountered, heard the apostle in their own language.

Let me explain. By asking questions of my faith, I've come to own my faith. It's not just something I was taught at a young age, but something I have developed. By asking questions, I can make my faith grow. I've found out that either my belief was correct, or it was wrong. In the case of it being wrong, I need to change my belief and understand why my thinking was faulty. I'm also taking on the task of pursuing the truth and figuring out how to live according to it.

A co-worker gave me a good explanation of my faith being a **cast iron skillet** which needs to be seasoned. Seasoning a cast iron skillet is necessary to keep the non-stick area surface. Just as seasoning my faith can be practicing the power of prayer and living according to the teachings of Jesus. Neglecting the seasoning can mean neglecting my faith and a weakening of my relationship with God.

Marcía Wheatley, Operations Manager



OUR CATHOLIC APPEAL—2025

OCA Goal for 2025 <u>\$160,379</u> Collected to date \$158,290

Under Goal (Por debajo de la meta) \$ 2,088

ONLINE Pledges: https://www.cfocf.org.oca/ (Select ST. THERESA as your Parish).

Please help us reach our 2025 OCA GOAL. Thanks to all who have already fulfilled their pledges.







JULY 21-23
Blessing Belleview
(Volunteers needed)

Mi opinion



¿Qué desafío te gustaría que Jesús corrigiera? Para mí, la respuesta sería simple y fácil de discernir. Mi fe.

¿Mi fe? ¿Por qué sería un desafío? Como le expliqué al Padre Tom, a menudo me pregunto por qué las cosas son como son o por qué se manejaron de cierta manera. El Padre Tom explicó que cuestionar era parte de la fe.

Nunca he cuestionado la existencia de Dios ni he dudado de él. A veces me pregunto por qué suceden ciertas cosas, por ejemplo, los primogénitos en Egipto que fueron asesinados para que los judíos pudieran salir. También me he preguntado cómo existen las cosas, y creo que esa es mi frustración al intentar comprender los "misterios". Ayer le pregunté al equipo de liderazgo sobre cómo el Espíritu Santo dio a los apóstoles la capacidad de hablar en otros idiomas. Me explicaron que no era que los apóstoles ahora fueran bilingües, sino que todos con quienes se encontraban lo escuchaban en su propio idioma.

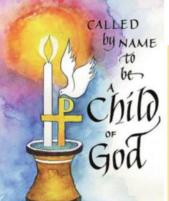
Déjame explicarte. Al cuestionar mi fe, he llegado a ser dueño de ella. No es solo algo que me enseñaron de joven, sino algo que he desarrollado. Al hacer preguntas, puedo fortalecer mi fe. He descubierto que mi creencia era correcta o incorrecta. En caso de ser incorrecta, necesito cambiarla y comprender por qué mi forma de pensar era errónea. También estoy asumiendo la tarea de buscar la verdad y descubrir cómo vivir conforme a ella.

Un compañero de trabajo me explicó bien que mi fe es como una sartén de hierro fundido que necesita ser curada. Curar una sartén de hierro fundido es necesario para mantener la superficie antiadherente. Así como curar mi fe puede significar practicar el poder de la oración y vivir según las enseñanzas de Jesús, descuidar la curación puede significar descuidar mi fe y debilitar mi relación con Dios.

Marcía Wheatley, Gerente de Operaciones

Blessings on baby Felicity Ann on her baptism, 6/1/2025

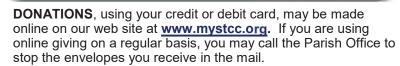




Blessings on baby Christopher on his baptism, 6/1/2025



Online Giving





Roses from Heaven Gift Shop

Come in and browse your gift shop. Hours: Saturday 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm and Sunday 8:30 am - 12:30 pm. Contact **Anita Hunter** (352) 207-4466 or **Marie Bairstow** (352)

812-4752 if you need something during the week.



PENTECOST SUNDAY JUNE 8, 2025



"Father God, we lift up all those who are facing illness today, we ask that you would bring healing, comfort and peace to their bodies. In Jesus' name, Amen!" Please call the Parish Office to make changes to the Prayer List.

Bob Delaney Eric Dushane Jim Evans Rosemary Gurick Diane McCue Rosa Morales Jane Oelstrom Mary Penndorf Isabel Smith Francine Sothen Fr. David Vivero Sheri Wade



We would love to have you join us!! New to our Parish or been coming awhile? Ready to join our Parish? Then stop by the Welcome Desk or Parish office and get a *New Parishioner Registration Packet*. We would love to have you in our parish family!



WEEK ENDING JUNE 1, 2025

Offertory	\$15,842.88
Maintenance	\$ 2,212.50
Soup Kitchen	\$ 2,078.50
Social Services	\$ 609.75
Thrift Store	\$ 8,794.25

St. Theresa Prayer Hotline (24/7) (352) 496-1569





For the health and consideration of our parishioners with allergies, please try to refrain from using perfume / cologne and other scented products while attending services. At this time, the **left side** of the church (across from the Choir area) is

designated a "No Fragrance Area". We ask that those sitting in that area refrain from using fragrances. THANK YOU FOR YOUR COMPASSION AND CONSIDERATION.



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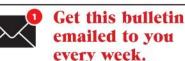
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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Golf Outing Fundraiser



The Golf Outing is October 11th, 2025, to play, sponsor by 10/3/25



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