

Tri-Parish Catholic Community

*"We are many parts,
we are all one body."*

1 Cor 12:12



St. Teresa of Avila,
Beresford

Good Shepherd,
Centerville



St. Patrick,
Wakonda



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Visitors are always welcome at our celebrations. For more information about our communities, please contact the tri-parish office.

DAILY AND WEEKEND MASSES
HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED UNTIL
FURTHER NOTICE.

**Fr. David will be live-streaming
Sunday Mass 9:00am**

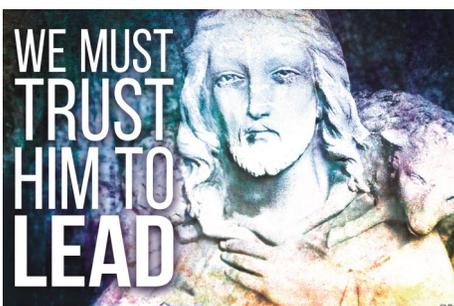
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Facebook:

**St Teresa of Avila Catholic Church,
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You Tube:

Link is on St. Teresa web page or
<https://youtu.be/hPeAo13kdJw>



LIFE



*"I am the resurrection and
the life; whoever believes in
me, even if he dies, will live."*

JOHN 11:25

March 29th, 2020 5th Sunday of Lent

Even though we say that we believe, there is a part of us that doesn't. There are many times in our lives when we experience death, whether it be the physical death of someone we love, a failed relationship, the loss of a job, or a broken dream. As we are going through these death experiences, we can easily find ourselves reaching out to God to make it better and fix it! We think that the proper order of life is to maintain the things of this world, especially those things that are essential to our sense of well-being and security. We do not like change. The grieving that comes from our death experiences can keep us stuck and in despair. If we have lost something or someone of great value, the very meaning and essence of life is lost with them. We need gentle companions to lift us from despair and that is precisely who God desires to be in our life as well.

God calls us out of our tombs, where we have been closed up in fear and despair, and shouts, "Come out!" He desperately wants to show us the path to hope and the new life that is possible after loss and death. But our faith can be weak, and we still prefer to cling to the memory of what we had rather than the joyful possibilities of tomorrow. We sometimes live as if God is not real and that the transformative power of His resurrected presence is a story found in the Bible rather than a narrative unfolding in our lives.

God is the God of surprises, not our demise. God opens new possibilities, begins new chapters, creates new verses, and brings us to new heights! We spend so much time and energy ruminating over what we left behind yesterday that we are far too tired to see what can unfold tomorrow. Loving someone new doesn't negate our past loves. Embracing the love of a person, God, or life itself tomorrow doesn't diminish the love of yesterday. Each of our loves is different, and one cannot be replaced by another. They don't cancel each other out. God truly has tended to every detail of our lives, and if we listen to each detail, we find that they all lead us back to Him. Jesus wants us to come out of our closed-up tombs. Are we going to listen this time?

Tri-Parish & Community Life

Prayer Chain Contacts

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St. Patrick: Darby Ganschow: spatwakonda@iw.net

Lord, through the intercession of Mary Most Holy, hear our Prayers for the members of our parishes enduring patiently their bodily illness:

Delilah Limoges, Dorrie Lynch, Corrine Pawlichek, Lee Barrows, Laura Bohlman, Amy Albers Lamp, Roger Berg & family, Ken Kaltenbach, Gordon Gladden, D Thomas, Audrey Ericsson, Kelsi O'Donnell, Carol West, Margaret Jespersen, Rose Austin, Suzanne Carlson, Jim Cink, Jerry Miller, Beth Es-selstein, Rick Nothdurft, Jack Baker, Eric Buchenberg, Amy Harmon, Candyce Spurlin, Rhea Erickson, David Belluchi, Mike Austin, Blondie Dunlap, Kate Ericsson, Delmar Adamson, Patti Ford, Jarrod Berg, Dick Gregoire, Corbin, Ray Kruse, Carol Skonhovd, Doug Nygaard, Tom, Barb, Mike Koch, Daniel Ulrich, Jimmy Jensen, Jennifer Braun, Dakota Miller, Jayne, Duane Anderson, Kevin Huber, Ron Weyen, Darrell Hubert, Joan Currier, Nikki Perry, Carol Stevens, Gary Adamson, Daxon Haas, Ed Forestiere, Delores Johnke, Pauline Weiland, Thelma Alton, Cassie Pravacek, Carla Limoge, Greg Schumacher, Kynley Jo & All those in our parishes battling cancer & serious illness. *Call the prayer chain contacts to be added or removed from prayer list.*

Prayer for the Sick

Father God, we lift up all those who are facing illness today. We ask that You bring them healing, comfort and peace to their bodies. Calm their fears and let them experience the healing power of Your love. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Spiritual Adoption Program September 15 - June 21

Your spiritually adopted baby is developing quite beautifully now. Her weight is approaching 2 pounds. Babies born prematurely at this time have a very good chance of surviving. The medical advances in caring for extremely small newborn infants are extraordinary indeed. Don't forget to pray for your baby. Abortion is legal through all nine months and her mom might still feel pressure to abort.



If you would like to have a Mass said in memory of someone or for their intention, please call Donna, Peggy, or Linda. A suggested donation is \$10.00. Mass stipends may not be dependent on this financial encouragement.

RCIA Classes: Interested in becoming Catholic? This is a great opportunity if your spouse comes to Mass with you but is not Catholic. Talk to Fr. David about RCIA classes.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Schedule at least 6 months before the wedding date to begin Marriage Instructions

Sacrament of Baptism: Schedule Class & Baptism

Sacrament of the Sick: Going to hospital for a procedure or are ill, call for Anointing of the Sick

Contact Fr. David at the parish office at 605-763-2028 or 605-670-0802



iPhone users must know their Apple ID to download.

Text APP to **88202**, click on link download **myParish App**. After opening select our parish after opening, enter 57004 or St. Teresa of Avila, Good Shepherd, St. Patrick.

or

Go to your app store, download myParish app. To locate your church 57004 or after downloading the app tap on the 3 bars top L hand corner, tap on "Find my Parish" tap on St. Teresa, Good Shepherd, St. Patrick.

Watch the app for messages, announcements, etc. pertaining to the most recent changes due to Covid-19.

FORMED; New Format New Material

To Register: Visit FORMED.org, click sign up, select "I belong to a Parish" Enter St. Teresa of Avila, or 57004. Enter your email-and you're in! No more passwords

Registered: visit FORMED.org, click sign in, enter your email, click the link -done

Download the phone/tablet app for free from the App

Please consider using the materials available on Formed. They have a variety of movies, books, programs and audio podcasts to listen to for adults and children. Contact the tri-parish office if you have questions on how to sign up.

Remember- we are still in the season of Lent. This is a time of sacrifice and prayer, keep doing your Lenten promises.



Groups

Knights of Columbus

St. Teresa: 2nd Wed. of month at 7pm

Good Shepherd: 4th Monday of month, 7:00pm Fr. Grace Hall

St. Patrick: 3rd Monday 7:00pm
McMahon Hall

Catholic Daughters

St. Teresa: 2nd Wednesday of month @ 7:00pm

St. Teresa Friday Men's Group

Breakfast is at 6:00a with the program to follow.

St. Teresa Welcome Committee

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Confessions

- Saturday's 1-2p at St. Teresa
- Sunday, March 29 7-8p
- Tuesday, April 7, 7-8p
- Stations cancelled
- Please maintain personal distances and numbers less than 10
- See Savers Fundraiser note on back

Palm Sunday is April 5th

Palms have arrived.

- They will be blessed and available April 1 at each church & over the next several weeks

Readings for the week of Mar 30-April 5

Monday Mar 30	Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 Jn 8: 1-11
Tuesday Mar 31	Nm 21:4-9 Jn 8: 21-30
Wednesday April 1	Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95 Jn 8: 31-42
Thursday April 2	Gn 17:3-9 Jn 8:51-59
Friday April 3	Jer 20:10-13 Jn 10:31-42
Saturday April 4	Ez 37:21-28 Jn 11:45-56
Sunday April 5 Palm Sund	Mt 21:1-11 Is 50:4-7 Phil 2:6-11 Mt 26:14-27:66



"Not as man sees does God see, because man sees the appearance but the Lord looks into the heart." (1 Samuel 16:7)

How often do we invest our time, talent, and treasure in creating an appearance that does not matter at all to God? We strive to impress with our clothing, home, career, possessions, car, and other marks of distinction. But

none of these illusions of greatness will impress God. Instead, He will look into our hearts to see how much we loved Him, how much we loved others and how we showed that love by the way we used our time, talent, and treasure here on earth.

Good Shepherd

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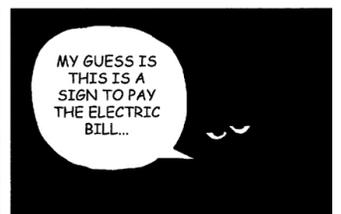
- Saturday's 1-2p at St. Teresa
- Monday, April 6 6-8p
- Please maintain personal distances and numbers less than 10
- The Banquet was cancelled/rescheduled. The money collected will be saved for serving in the near future.

You may mail in or drop off your weekly parish support

Weekly Financial Contributions			
Offering	St. Teresa	Gd Sheph	St. Patrick
# of Families	138	54	45
3/22/2020			
R & I			
Building Fund			
Parish Share Feb	\$6,551.45	\$2,228.04	\$2,516.11
CFSA GOAL	\$22,800.00	\$9,000.00	\$9,900.00
Pledges Collected	\$8,482.00	\$3,066.00	\$1,065.00
Remaining	\$14,318.00	\$5,934.00	\$8,835.00
Collection needed to meet monthly expenses	St. Teresa \$10,935.00	Gd Shepherd \$4,097.00 (excluding loan)	St. Patrick \$4,745.00



Our parishes are grateful for your continued support at this time



A Prayer for Protection in Time of Pandemic

O Mary,
you always brighten our path
as a sign of salvation and of hope.
We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick,
who, at the Cross, took part in Jesus' pain
while remaining steadfast in faith.

O loving Mother,
you know what we need,
and we are confident you will provide for us
as at Cana in Galilee.

Intercede for us with your Son Jesus,
the Divine Physician,
for those who have fallen ill,
for those who are vulnerable,
and for those who have died.

Intercede also for those charged with
protecting the health and safety of others
and for those who are tending to the sick
and seeking a cure.

Help us, O Mother of Divine Love,
to conform to the will of the Father
and to do as we are told by Jesus,
who took upon himself our
sufferings and carried our sorrows,
so as to lead us, through the Cross,
to the glory of the Resurrection. Amen.

**Under thy protection we seek refuge,
O Holy Mother of God.**

**In our needs, despise not our petitions,
but deliver us always from all dangers,
O glorious and blessed Virgin. Amen.**

Adapted from the prayer of Pope Francis
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



Prayer for Spiritual Communion

*My Jesus,
I believe that You
are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment
receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.*

*I embrace You as if You were already there and unite
myself wholly to You.*

Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

Bishop DeGroot is and will continue communicating with the parishioners via email.

Haven't received these messages means I don't have the correct email or any email listed for you. Contact the parish office. Linda

Fr. David will be live-streaming Mass at 9:00a on Facebook this weekend. You may also find him on YouTube, button found on St. Teresa's web page. or <https://youtu.be/hPeAo13kdJw>

Until the church returns to 'normal' there will be uploads and live streams each week.



Three friends were discussing death and one of them asked: "What would you like people to say about you at your wake service while your dead body in the coffin is visible to everyone?" The first of the friends said: "I would like them to say, he was a great humanitarian who cared about his community." The second said: "He was a great husband and father who was an example for many to follow." The third friend said, "I would like them to say, 'Look, he's moving in the coffin!!'"

Beresford Youth Due to everything going on with the COVID-19, Savers has closed their stores so the youth Savers Fun Drive has been postponed. We will now collect items from 5/23/20-6/12/20. If there are items that you need to get rid of now, please let us know, otherwise it is appreciated if you can hang on to the items until our new dates. We appreciate your support! Thank you! Contact Sarah Antonson at bsanton@bmtc.net or 605-261-8492