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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Please telephone your parish office to make arrangements. A preparation session for parents is required, please check the bulletin for upcoming dates and times. Para las clases de preparacion del Sacramento del Bautizo favor de llamar a Araceli al (608) 856-0566.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY: Weddings must be scheduled 6 months before the date of the marriage. Contact your parish office.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK & HOMEBOUND: If you or someone you know needs Communion brought to them, please call your parish office.

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PARISH PRAYER LINE - call day or night, Fran Clark 608-362-2203

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULES FOR BELOIT AREA CHURCHES

St. Jude	St. Thomas	Our Lady of the Assumption	St. Stephen
Sat. 5:30 PM Sun. 8:45 AM	Sat. 4:00 PM Sun. 11:00 AM	Sat. 5:00 PM Sun. 8:00 & 10:30 AM	Sat. 5:00 PM Sun. 9:00 AM

SERVICIOS CATÓLICOS EN ESPAÑOL - Parroquia Catolica de san Judas, Beloit, El 3^{er} domingo de cada mes a las 11:00 AM.
- Parroquia Catolica de san Pedro, South Beloit

Sabado Confesiones: 3:45-4:45 PM;

Misa Sabado: 6:30 PM;

Misa Dominical: 12:30 PM



April 15, 2018 3rd Sunday of Easter

- Reading I** Acts 3:13-15, 17-19 Peter proclaims Jesus' role and call for repentance.
- Reading II** 1 Jn 2:1-5a Knowing Christ is to keep his Commandments.
- Gospel** Lk 24:35-48 Jesus' final words are of forgiveness and Repentance.
- April 22 - 4th Sunday of Easter**
- Reading I** Acts 4:8-12 God raised Jesus as the Savior of the world.
- Reading II** 1 Jn 3:1-2 We are God's children.
- Gospel** Jn 10:11-18 "I am the good shepherd."

Masses for the week:

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| Sat | 04/14 | 4:00 PM (St. Thomas) <i>Leroy & Marilyn Kubsh</i>
5:30 PM (St. Jude) <i>Patricia Borzych</i> |
| Sun | 04/15 | 8:45 AM (St. Jude) <i>Mary Ann Seidel</i>
11:00 AM (St. Jude) <i>Spanish Mass</i>
11:00 AM (St. Thomas) <i>Mary Wywiadowski</i> |
| Mon | 04/16 | |
| Tues | 04/17 | 5:00 PM (OLA) <i>Women's Evening of Reflection</i> |
| Wed | 04/18 | 7:00 AM (St. Jude) <i>Bernice Carroll</i> |
| Thur | 04/19 | 7:15 AM (St. Thomas) <i>Magnanenzi & Kucharski Fam.</i> |
| Fri | 04/20 | 7:00 AM (St. Jude) <i>Joyce Loizzo</i> |
| Sat | 04/21 | 4:00 PM (St. Thomas) <i>Freddie Tharp</i>
5:30 PM (St. Jude) <i>William Stein & Carol Mork</i> |
| Sun | 04/22 | 8:45 AM (St. Jude) <i>Calogero Graceffa & Pietro Salamone</i>
11:00 AM (St. Thomas) <i>Harry Schermerhom</i> |

Liturgical Ministers

April 21 & 22, 2018

ST. JUDE

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| 5:30 PM | 8:45 AM |
| Servers Frank Hummer | Tiara Hauser
Camilla Hauser |
| Lector Sr. Pauline Labrecque | Jeremy Hauser |
| Bread Minister Deacon Jim Davis | Karen Nelson |
| Cup Minister | Deacon Jim Davis
Roy Nelson |
| Greeter Group Jeff Klein | Mike & Kris Navarra |

ST. THOMAS

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| 4:00 PM | 11:00 AM |
| Commentator Michael Bares Family | Kay Olmstead |
| Lector Michael Bares Family | Kay Olmstead |
| Servers Nate Lounsbury | Emiliano Ortega |
| Natalee Lounsbury | Miguel Delgado |
| Bread Minister Deacon Jim Davis | Kevin Christofferson |
| Cup Minister | Ed Skwarlo
Bruce Hartley
Cecilia Ramirez |
| Greeters Stella Ontiveroz | Deacon Jim Davis
Hector Delgado |
| Ruth Kolpack | Maria Delgado |
| Benjamin Degenhardt | John Zahn |
| Donna Degenhardt | Ann Zahn |

WordOnFire.org – This website is produced by **Bishop Robert Barron** and offers audio and written commentary on a wide range of topics that are related to faith and Church.
www.catholicwomenpreach.org. This site has a reflection on the Scripture readings each Sunday.

For prayer requests, please call, (St. Jude) Mary Schindler, 362-8912 or Irene Popp, 364-4367, (St. Thomas) Fran Clark, 362-2203.



Sacrament of Reconciliation

St. Jude:

Saturday, April 21, 28 - 8:30-9:30 AM

St. Thomas:

Saturday, April 21 - 2:30 - 3:00 PM

If you wish to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation at another time, please call Fr. John at either parish.



Baptism Preparation for New Infants

We have a Baptismal Preparation Class every other month in the **St. Jude Parish Center**. The next class will be on **Monday, May 7, 2018 at 7:00 PM**. Please call either parish office between **8:00 AM to 4:00 PM**, if you wish to register.
St. Jude, 608-364-2820 or St. Thomas, 608-362-1034.
Platicas Prebautismales en español. Una sola clase en St. Thomas Parish, 822 E. Grand Ave, Beloit. **13 de Mayo as 9:30 am.** Comunicarse con Araceli al **(608) 856-0566.**

Pope Francis



“REJOICE AND BE GLAD”, Jesus tells those persecuted or humiliated for his sake. The Lord asks everything of us, and in return he offers us true life, the happiness for which we were created. He wants us to be saints and not to settle for a bland and mediocre existence. The call to holiness is present in various ways from the very first pages of the Bible. We see it expressed in the Lord's words to Abraham: “Walk before me, and be blameless” .

My modest goal is to re-propose the call to holiness in a practical way for our own time, with all its risks, challenges and opportunities. For the Lord has chosen each one of us “to be holy and blameless before him in love” .

Gaudete et Exsultate (Rejoice & Be Glad) #1,2

Sacrament of Anointing

We will offer the Sacrament of the Anointing of the sick on Thursday, April 26 at 11:00 AM Mass at Our Lady of the Assumption.



This Sacrament is offered to those who seek the gift of healing for physical, emotional, or spiritual ills. The Anointing is celebrated within the Mass. All are welcome to participate and pray with those who come for this Sacrament of Healing.



Passion Play

Sunday, April 15, 2018 at 6:00 PM at St. Thomas Church. A group of students from our Parishes are preparing this presentation of the life of Jesus, including his suffering and death. All are welcome to attend.

~ In Sympathy ~

Maria Piccione

passed away on Thursday, April 5, 2018.
A Funeral Mass of Christian Burial was held on
Thursday, April 12, 2018 at St. Jude.



Our prayers are with her family. May she rest in peace.

Religious Education News Noticias de Educación Religiosa



Classes are available for students in 4K through 12th grade and are held in Brother Dutton School on Sunday mornings from 9:45-10:45 April 15, 22, 29 - Classes

Clases disponibles para estudiantes de 4k hasta el 12vo grado, en la escuela Brother Dutton los domingos de 9:45 a 10:45 Abril 15, 22, 29 - clase



Caritas Spring into Action Fundraiser And Open House

Caritas has launched their annual fundraiser. Donations may be made at Caritas or mailed to: Caritas - 2840 Prairie Ave. in Beloit. Open House April 21st from 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM.

Visit our Facility and see how your contributions are put to work. If you have questions please call Caritas: 362-4403 or Bert Sadler: 365-1023.

Thank you for your support.

Adult Grief Support Group Begins April 9th



Beloit Regional Hospice will be hosting a 7 week grief support group for any adult who has experienced the death of a loved one. This group begins on Monday, April 9th and will meet each Monday through May 21st at the Beloit Regional Hospice offices, 655 Third Street, Suite 200 in Beloit. The group will meet from 9:00am to 10:30am. There is no charge to attend, but advance registration for the group is requested. Walk-ins are welcome for the first two sessions. For further information or to register, please call (608) 363-7421 and ask for Nicole Morgan, Grief Program Coordinator. Grief support groups and resources are open to anyone in the community who has experienced a death. Meeting with other people who are experiencing similar circumstances provides encouragement and support. Coping skills and various aspects of the grieving process will be discussed.

Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia

Learn the basics of Alzheimer's disease and other dementias. What are the causes, warning signs, and risk factors? What are practical things you can do whether you are concerned about yourself or a loved one?

Wednesday, April 25 from 10:00 - 11:30 AM
Scoville Center Apartments
545 Public Ave., Beloit

Presented by Teena Monk-Gerber, Outreach Specialist, Alzheimer's & Dementia Alliance of WI

The annual **Knights of Columbus** Tootsie Roll campaign for Council #605 will be Friday April 20 - Sunday April 22 this year. In addition to passing out Tootsie Rolls at area stores, we will be passing them out at all masses at the four cluster parishes that weekend. All donations collected are distributed to organizations who assist persons with



This weekend we welcome

Msgr. Terry Connors who will celebrate the 8:45 AM Masses at St. Jude and the 11:00 AM Mass at St. Thomas.

Welcome!



Spring Fling is April 14th at La Casa Grande Restaurant, Beloit WI beginning at 5:00 pm with cocktails.

This year's entertainment is a Murder Mystery dinner show where the audience participates! We will also have live and silent auction items, a caricature artist to draw individuals, couples or groups, wine pull and a Spring themed envelope wall for families to pick a number and donate that amount! You can also purchase tickets through the school office or also at the SCRIP Table at mass. Tickets are \$45/individual, \$80/couple, \$300/Table of eight.

All Family Promise (Hands of Faith) volunteers are invited to the Annual Volunteer Appreciation Dinner, which will be held on **Thursday, April 26th at 6:00 pm**. We hope you will join us so we can show our appreciation for sharing your gifts with the less fortunate. It will be held at Our Lady of Assumption Church, 2222 Shopiere Road, Beloit, and the guest speaker is Teressa Ramsey, Family Promise Regional Director. Please RSVP no later than Thursday, April 19th to DeAnne Gile, Coordinator, at degile81@gmail.com or (608) 751-3495.



Movie & Discussion:

St. Jude Parish Hall on April 25 at 11:00 AM.

Bring your own lunch.

The Movie that we will see is **'Risen'**. A discussion will follow. "Risen" is the epic Biblical story of the Resurrection as told through the eyes of a non-believer. Clavius, powerful Roman military tribune, and his aide, Lucius are tasked with solving the mystery of what happened to Jesus in the weeks following the crucifixion in order to disprove the rumors of a risen Messiah and prevent an uprising in Jerusalem.

The Wisconsin State Council Knights of Columbus Annual Charity Raffle is under



way. First prize is \$50,000. Second prize is a 2018 Harley Low Rider or \$25,000 and third prize is a cruise or \$15,000. There are 27 additional cash prizes. Tickets are only \$5.00 each and are on sale now through April 20th. Tickets are available from any Knights of Columbus member or by contacting Norm Jacobs at 364-0495.

Our Gifts to our Parish and to the Lord (Fiscal Year July 1, 2017 - June 30, 2018)

	Offertory Contributions		
	Actual	Budgeted	Difference
St. Jude Parish:			
April 7 & 8, 2018	\$6,381.00	\$5,711.50*	\$669.50
Fiscal Year-to-Date (week 41)	\$261,468.50	\$234,171.50	\$27,297.00
St. Thomas Parish			
April 7 & 8, 2018	\$3,763.00	\$3,461.50*	\$301.50
Fiscal Year-to-Date (week 41)	\$141,905.23	\$141,921.00	-\$16.27

*Weekly average of Annual Budget

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