

# St. Jude & St. Thomas Parishes, Beloit, Wisconsin

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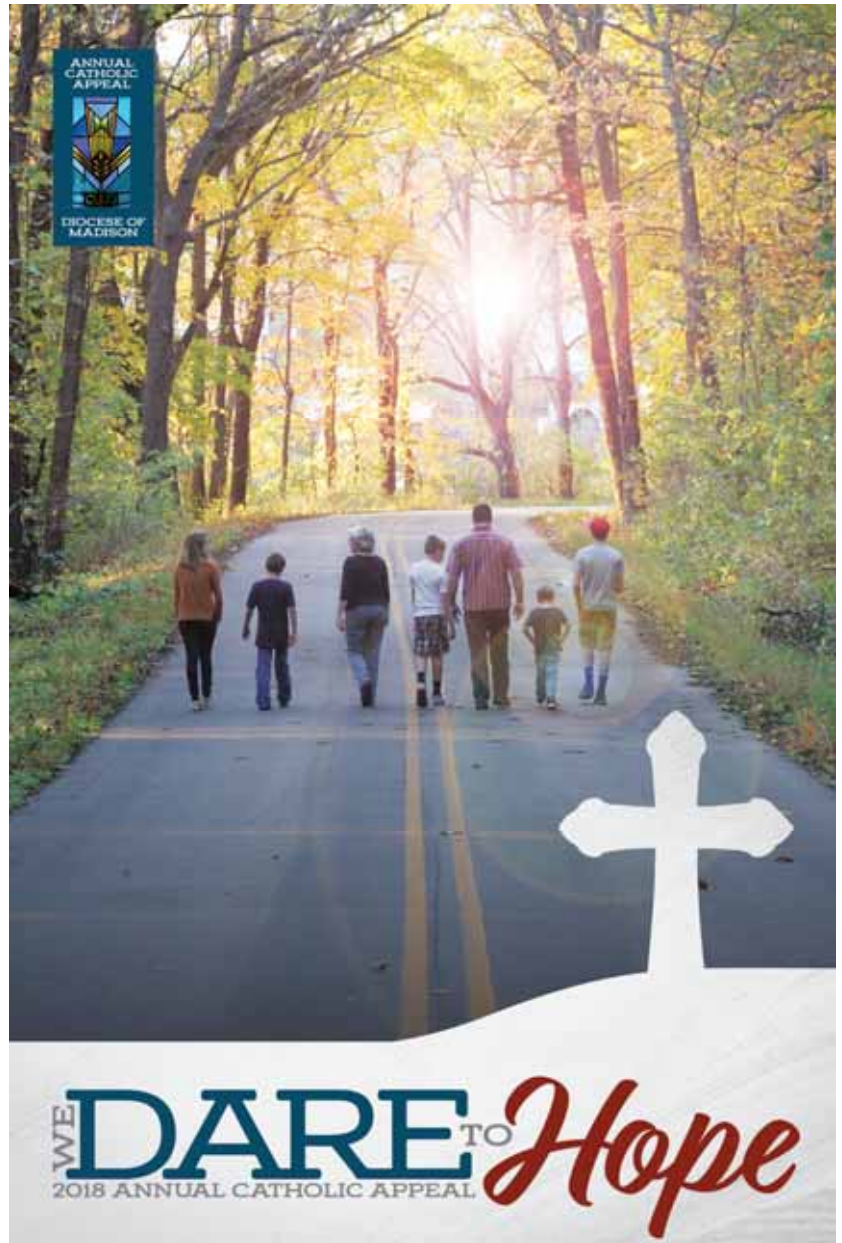
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**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:** Please telephone your parish office to make arrangements. A preparation session for parents is required, please check the bulletin for upcoming dates and times. Para las clases de preparacion del Sacramento del Bautizo favor 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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## WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULES FOR БЕЛОIT AREA CHURCHES

<b>St. Jude</b> Sat. 5:30 PM Sun. 8:45 AM	<b>St. Thomas (at St. Jude)</b> Sat. 4:00 PM Sun. 11:00 AM	<b>Our Lady of the Assumption</b> Sat. 5:00 PM Sun. 8:00 & 10:30 AM	<b>St. Stephen</b> Sat. 5:00 PM Sun. 9:00 AM
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**SERVICIOS CATÓLICOS EN ESPAÑOL - Parroquia Católica de san Judas, Beloit, El 3<sup>er</sup> domingo de cada mes a las 11:00 AM.**  
**- Parroquia Católica de san Pedro, South Beloit**

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

Misa Sabado: 6:30 PM;

Misa Dominical: 12:30 PM



**February 25, 2018**  
**2nd Sunday of Lent**

- Reading I** Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18 God's covenant with Abraham is affirmed.
- Reading II** Rom 8:31b-34 "If God is for us, who can be against us?"
- Gospel** Mk 9:2-10 The disciples grow in their understanding of Jesus in the Transfiguration.
- March 4 3rd Sunday of Lent**
- Reading I** Ex 20:1-17 Israel is given the commandments.
- Reading II** 1 Cor 1:22-25 Christ surpasses human understanding.
- Gospel** Jn 2:13-25 Jesus cleanses the Temple in Jerusalem.

**Masses for the week:**

- Sat 02/24 4:00 PM** (St. Jude) *Marvin Mauel*  
**5:30 PM** (St. Jude) *Patricia Borzych*
- Sun 02/25 8:45 AM** (St. Jude) *Dec. Members of the A.A. Ballou Fam.*  
**11:00 AM** (St. Jude) *People of the Parishes*
- Mon 02/26**
- Tues 02/27 11:00 AM** *Word & Communion at Premier Rehab*  
**5:00 PM** (St. Thomas) *Freddie Tharp*
- Wed 02/28 7:00 AM** (St. Jude) *Patricia Case*
- Thur 03/01 7:15 AM** (St. Thomas) *People of the Parishes*
- Fri 03/02 7:00 AM** (St. Jude) *Albert Wellnitz*
- Sat 03/03 4:00 PM** (St. Jude) *Helen Hinds & Alice Spangler*  
**5:30 PM** (St. Jude) *Danny Dowiarz*
- Sun 03/04 8:45 AM** (St. Jude) *People of the Parishes*  
**11:00 AM** (St. Jude) *People of the Parishes*

**Liturgical Ministers**

**March 3, 4, 2018**

**ST. JUDE**

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| <b>Servers</b>        | <b>5:30 PM</b><br>Emily Taylor<br>Sophia Taylor | <b>8:45 AM</b><br>Maria Almaraz<br>Carlos Almaraz |
| <b>Lector</b>         | Sr. Pauline Labrecque                           | Rose Wilson                                       |
| <b>Bread Minister</b> | Deacon Jim Davis                                | Bev Brown   |
| <b>Cup Minister</b>   |   | Deacon Jim Davis<br>Roy Nelson                    |
| <b>Greeter Group</b>  | Jeff Klein                                      | Mike & Kris Navarra                               |

**ST. THOMAS (at St. Jude)**

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| <b>Commentator</b>    | <b>4:00 PM</b><br>Michael Bares Family                    | <b>11:00 AM</b><br>Barb Dickson                                      |
| <b>Lector</b>         | Michael Bares Family                                      | Barb Dickson   |
| <b>Servers</b>        | Nate Lounsbury<br>Natalee Lounsbury                       | Alex Zagel<br>Miguel Delgado   |
| <b>Bread Minister</b> | Deacon Jim Davis  | Kay Olmstead   |
| <b>Cup Minister</b>   |   | Deacon Jim Davis<br>Theresa Parsek<br>Kevin Walsh<br>Cecilia Ramirez |
| <b>Greeters</b>       | Carol Bailey<br>Chuck Hinds<br>George Vedra<br>Rose Vedra | John Zahn<br>Ann Zahn<br>Hector Delgado<br>Maria Delgado             |

For prayer requests, please call, (St. Jude) Mary Schindler, 362-8912, Irene Popp, 364-4367, Jeanne Grathwohl, 365-6703, (St. Thomas) Fran Clark, 362-2203.



**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

**St. Jude:**

Saturday March 3, 10, 17, 24 - 8:30-9:30 AM

Saturday March 3 - 2:30-3:00 PM

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

**Communal Penance**

St. Jude: Thursday, March 8 at 6:30 PM

St. Stephen: Tuesday, March 13 at 6:30 PM

Our Lady of the Assumption: Saturday, March 24 at 9:00 AM



**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, March 5, 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. **11 de Marzo as 9:30 am.** Comunicarse con Araceli al **(608) 856-0566.**

**Pope Francis**



In the prevailing culture, priority is given to the outward, the immediate, the visible, the quick, the superficial and the provisional. What is real gives way to appearances. In many countries globalization has meant a hastened deterioration of their own cultural roots and the invasion of ways of thinking and acting proper to other cultures which are economically advanced but ethically debilitated. This fact has been brought up by bishops from various continents in different Synods. The African bishops, for example, taking up the Encyclical *Sollicitudo Rei Socialis*, pointed out years ago that there have been frequent attempts to make the African countries "parts of a machine, cogs on a gigantic wheel. This is often true also in the field of social communications which, being run by centers mostly in the northern hemisphere, do not always give due consideration to the priorities and problems of such countries or respect their cultural makeup". By the same token, the bishops of Asia "underlined the external influences being brought to bear on Asian cultures. New patterns of behavior are emerging as a result of over-exposure to the mass media... As a result, the negative aspects of the media and entertainment industries are threatening traditional values, and in particular the sacredness of marriage and the stability of the family".

**Pope Francis, "The Joy of the Gospel", #62**



**May he rest in peace** – Richard Popovics died last Sunday. His family celebrated a funeral privately during the week. We are grateful for the many years that Richard was a member of St. Jude Parish, and for his service to the parish. We keep Richard and his family in our prayers.



**Community Lenten Worship Service**

Wednesday, February 28 at 7:00 PM

Emmanuel Baptist Church

1151 E. Grand Ave. 362-0562

Preacher: Rev. Steven Erkel

(United Church of Beloit)

## 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  
 February 25 - Class  
 March 4 - Family Activity Stations of the Cross  
 March 11 - Class  
 March 18 - Classes and 2018 Confirmation Parent/Sponsor meeting  
 March 25 - Class

Clases disponibles para estudiantes de 4k hasta el 12vo grado, en la escuela Brother Dutton los domingos de 9:45 a 10:45  
 Febrero 25 - clase  
 Marzo 4 - Actividad familiar, Estaciones de la Cruz  
 Marzo 11 - clase  
 Marzo 18 - y Reunión acerca de la 2018 confirmación para padrea y padrinos  
 Marzo 25 - clase



Even though St. Thomas Church is under construction with a beautiful paint job, our lower level is ready to welcome our Family Promise families, the week of March 11th to 18th. Our Lenten journey is

well underway – won't you consider giving alms by spending some time with our families during that week? There are positions available for all ages, from preparing or serving a meal, helping kids with homework or play games, overnight host, and van driving. The sign-up sheet will be at St. Jude for all four Masses this weekend, and we hope to fill all our slots. We would like to add some new volunteers, so we invite you to call to ask questions, or seek out another volunteer to ask them what the week is all about. We'd also love to see Beloit College and high school students, during their busy lives, consider helping us out. If you'd like to join us, please sign up before or after Mass, or email DeAnne Gile at degile81@gmail.com, or call (608) 751-3495. Thank you!

### A New Look for St. Thomas Church –

This week all the work in the upper areas of the church will be completed, and the scaffolding will be removed. Work will continue in the lower areas and in the vestibule. If you wish to see photos of the work in progress, go to <http://wiljamesphotography.com/news/>  
 Thanks to Will Anderson (parish member) for providing these photos.



The Capital Campaign has reached \$174,798.00 (the goal is \$175,000.00). We continue to welcome contributions and pledges. Thanks to all who are supporting this project.

**Help?** – On Thursday the scaffolding will be taken out of the church, at 4 PM. Could you volunteer? Just show up at the church then, to help move the scaffolding to the truck.

Bible Study is meeting on Thursday at 9:30 AM in St. Thomas Parish Center.



**Our Lady of the Assumption** will have a Fish Fry this Friday, March 2. Serving takes place from 5:00-7:00 PM in Assumption Hall.

Adults: \$11.00; Children 6-12: \$5.00; 5 & under FREE. Carry outs available. Desserts & soda offered at an additional charge.

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS ESTACIONES DE LA CRUZ



Tuesdays - 7:00 PM at St. Jude  
 Fridays - Noon at St. Jude  
 Fridays - 6:30 PM at St. Jude (en Español)  
 Wednesdays - 6:30 PM at St. Stephen  
 Wednesdays - 6:30 PM at Our Lady of the Assumption  
 (No stations at Our Lady on March 7 due to the Ecumenical Service and March 28 due to Holy Week.)



## Marian Guild Card Party



The Marian Guild will host it's St. Patrick's Day card party on March 13th at St. Jude at 12:30. Cost is \$7 and includes snacks, dessert and prizes. Bring your cards and games and enjoy a fun afternoon. If you have a prize with a value of \$5 or more it can be dropped at the church office or brought to Parish hall the morning of the card party beginning at 9:00 am.  
 Call Linnae Byrns at 346-6667 to reserve your table.

## Diocese of Madison Annual Catholic Appeal 2018 "We Dare to Hope"



The theme for the 2018 Annual Catholic Appeal of the Diocese of Madison concentrates on Hope. We ask that God grant us the ability to put our *hope* in Him to allow us the capacity to love and care for those in our parishes, our diocese and the Church throughout the world. We ask that His grace make us even more generous in supporting those needs.

Each pledge to the Annual Catholic Appeal supports diocesan ministries, education and services and assures a strong future for the Diocese of Madison and the people that it serves.

This year each of us is asked to consider making a pledge, payable over five months. Your gift will help enable the diocese to reach its goal and provide grant opportunities for Catholic schools, religious education programs and assisting distressed parishes in need.

If you received your pledge form in the mail, please complete it and mail it back.

Thank you for your prayerful consideration and generous response.

Please join the **Knights of Columbus** as we pray the **Rosary for Life** on the first Monday of each Month. We meet in the **chapel at OLA at 4:30pm.**



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

	Offertory Contributions		
	Actual	Budgeted	Difference
<b>St. Jude Parish:</b>			
February 17 & 18, 2018	\$5,577.00	\$5,711.50*	-\$134.50
Fiscal Year-to-Date (week 34)	\$216,589.00	\$194,191.00	\$22,398.00
<b>St. Thomas Parish</b>			
February 17 & 18, 2018	\$3,116.26	\$3,461.50*	-\$345.24
Fiscal Year-to-Date (week 34)	\$114,906.53	\$117,691.00	-\$2,784.47

\*Weekly average of Annual Budget

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