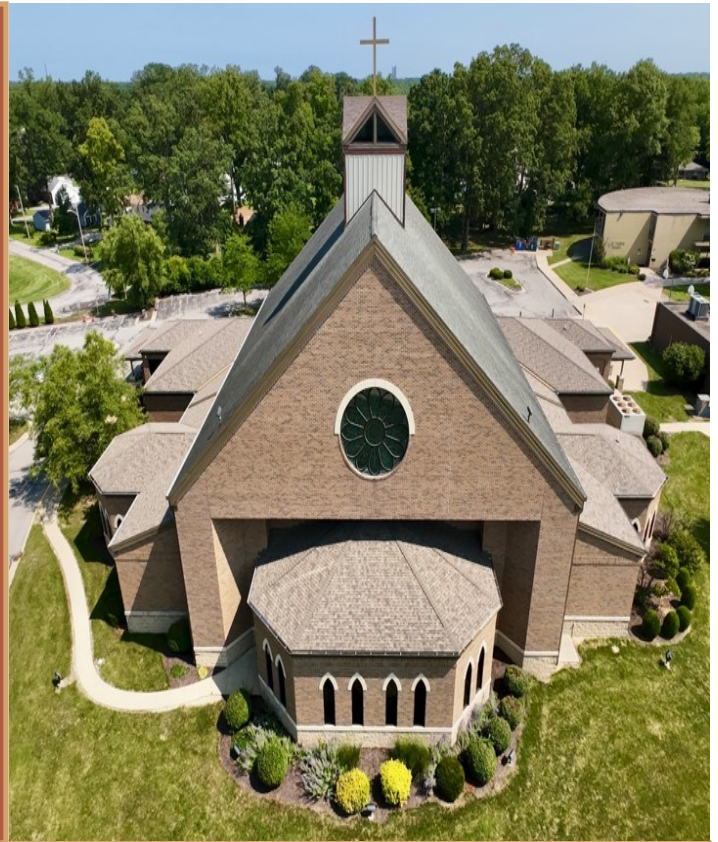


June 14,2026

Welcome to St. Therese Catholic Church

*Our Mission is to Pursue the Way to
Do Even the Little Things with Great
Love and Demonstrate Our Catholic
Faith.*



Visitors !

Welcome to St. Therese Catholic Church . St. Therese established its roots over 70 years ago, when Father Herman Schoudel was assigned on Nov. 13, 1946, to begin plans for a parish that was to be located in Waynedale.

Please see our ushers if you are in need of assistance.

Restrooms are located on the right side of the church.

Information is located on the back table in the gathering space.

All Exits are marked.

Ministries

- ◆ Knights of Columbus
- ◆ Saint Vincent De Paul Society
- ◆ Flame of Love Cenacle
- ◆ Children's Liturgy
- ◆ St. Therese United for Life
- ◆ Men's Group
- ◆ St. Dymphna's Refuge
- ◆ Music Ministries
- ◆ Religious Education
- ◆ Youth Groups/Knights of the Holy Temple

Get in touch with us !

Phone 260-747-9139

2304 Lower Huntington Rd

Fort Wayne, IN 46819

secretary@sttheresefw.org

Website: www.sttheresefw.org

Father Glenn Kehrman
Pastor

Catechist Sisters
of St. Ann in India
Sr. Sangeetha Udumala
Sr. Roja Kondala
Sr. Dumala Rama Jyothi

Mass Times

Saturday 4:30 pm

Sunday 8:00 am and 10:30 am

Tuesday/Thursday 5:30 pm

Monday/Wednesday/Friday 8:00 am

1st Friday of the Month 5:30 pm

1st Saturday of the Month 9:00 am

Adoration

Thursday

6:00 –9:00 pm

First Saturday of the Month 9:30 am-12:00 pm

Confession

Bible Study

Thursday 6:00-7:00 pm

Wednesday 9:00 am

Saturday 3:30-4:15 pm

First Saturday of the Month 11:00 am-11:50 am

Calendar

✠ MONDAY, June 15

1 Kgs 21:1-16/Mt 5:38-42 (365)

8:00 AM ✠ Mass for Gary Rietdorf

8:30 AM Flame of Love Cenacle

7:00 PM St. Dymphna Meeting

✠ TUESDAY, June 16

1 Kgs 21:17-29/Mt 5:43-48 (366)

5:30 PM ✠ Mass for Terese Charais

6:00 PM Inquiry— Adult Education (gathering space)

✠ WEDNESDAY, June 17

2 Kgs 2:1,6-14/Mt 6:1-6,16-18 (367)

6:00 AM Men's Group

8:00 AM ✠ Mass for Special Intention

9:00 AM Bible Study

6:00 PM SVdP Meeting

✠ THURSDAY, June 18

5:30 PM ✠ Mass for Betty and Glen Greaf

6:00 PM Adoration (until 9pm)

6:00 PM Confessions (until 7pm)

8:00 PM Contemporary Music during Adoration

✠ FRIDAY, Friday, June 19

Saint Romuaid, Abbot

2 Kgs 11:1-4,9-18,20/Mt 6:19-23 (369)

8:00 AM ✠ Mass for Gary Markley

✠ SATURDAY, Saturday, June 20

2 Chr 24:17-25/Mt 6:24-34 (370)

3:30 PM Confession (until 4:30pm)

4:30 PM ✠ Mass for The Living and Deceased of the James and Mildred Hall Family

✠ SUNDAY, June 21

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Father's Day

Jer 20:10-13/Rom 5:12-15/Mt 10:26-33 (94)

8:00 AM ✠ Mass for Ruth and Ray Colvin

10:30 AM ✠ Mass for the People of the Parish

Our Parish Support

Weekly Collection June 6 and 7

Total Sunday Adult Collection	\$7,669.00
Online Giving	\$1,996.93

Total from all Collections \$9,665.93

Talent Next Week

June 20 and 21

USHERS:

4:30 PM Dean Oxley, Mike Palmer, Skip Sandels, Maureen Ousley, Greg Bireley

8 AM Luke Schafer and Volunteers

10:30 AM Marcos Romero and Volunteers

LECTORS:

4:30 PM Vicki Jacobs

8 AM Kim Waterman

10:30 AM Bill DeVinney

SERVERS:

4:30 PM Ashley Ramirez

8 AM Alex Kramer, Allison Kramer

10:30 AM Templars, Olivia Koerner

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION:

4:30 PM Sister Sangeetha, Sister Roja, Sister Jyothi

8 AM Kim Thomas, Barbara Cantwell, Gordon Engquist, Elaine Shearer, Kim Wyss

10:30 AM Kevin Gorney, Melissa Derck, arb Smith, Bill DeVinney, Amy Carsten

MONEY COUNTERS: Team 1

LINENS: Sharon Lundquist

Rosary is prayed 30 minutes before the 4:30pm and 8am weekend Masses, except at Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter and Christmas

Registration

We welcome all new members!
To register in our parish, please phone, email or stop by the Parish Office.

Baptism

Parents must attend a Baptismal Preparation class offered by appointment. Please call the Parish Office to register for the class or for further information.

Marriage

Contact the Parish Office to meet with Fr. Glenn Kohrman six months to a year in advance to begin preparation and confirm a date.

Bulletin Announcements

All announcements must be delivered in writing (email, dropped off or faxed) to the Parish Office by **noon on Monday** of the week it is to run. Deadlines for holiday weeks will be posted in the bulletin. Announcements may be edited for space or content.

Email: secretary@sttheresefw.org

Food Bank Hours:

Thursdays 10:00am - Noon
(Must live in 46809, 46819, 46798, 46777, or 46783 zip codes)
Operated by volunteers through the
Saint Vincent de Paul Society of St Therese

Regular Parish Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 7am - 4pm; Wednesday 8:00 am—12:00 pm

Parish Council

Chairperson: Bruce Hall
Dean Oxley Matt Simerman
Ken Metz Michelle Downing
Jeanne Nes
Yesenia Nevarez
Sandy Simerman

Finance Council

Chairperson: Kim Wyss
Skip Sandels
Deb Perrine
Eric Dorman
Keith Brown

Business Administrator:

Amy Carsten
secretary@sttheresefw.org

Music Director:

Beverly Rieger
sttheresemusic@gmail.com

Building and Grounds

Contact: Greg Rockstroh
(260) 747-0210
gs_rockstroh@yahoo.com
Knights of Columbus Council
#9460

Grand Knight:

Larry Stoffel
260-432-4689
lwstoffel@gmail.com

Saint Vincent de Paul

President: Tony Rahrig
Assistance Line Voice Mail:
(260) 747-9130

St. Therese United for Life

Contact: Janeann Perkins
(260) 433-1686
janeann.perkins@outlook.com

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Main Contact: Heidi Williams
Terry Tescula
Loretta Watkins

Mass intention requests

may be scheduled on the parish website sttheresefw.org or at the parish office. The requested stipend is \$10 per Mass. Questions? Call the Parish Office at 747-9139.

Prayer Line:

Dee Malott 747-9543
Ginny Uecker 747-3317

Chapel:

open 8am to Dusk
(hours may vary)

YouTube Link:<https://www.youtube.com/>

Fr Glenn's Pen – 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

We are back to counting the Sundays in order, this weekend we celebrate the 11th week in Ordinary Time. The first reading recounts Moses' encounter with God on Mt. Sinai. The people camped at its base while Moses ascended the mountain. God revealed to Moses His intent to make Israel a holy nation, a people set apart and indeed to make them a kingdom of priests! Sadly, they sinned which caused God, or maybe a better way to say it is, God responded by delaying His intent to make them priests. This gift would be realized with His Church, the New Israel, and the Sacrament of Baptism when we all become united to Christ's Mystical Body and become priest, prophet and King through our unity with Christ's Mystical Body.

I think it is safe to say that we all have a pretty independent streak in us, and it is not easy to be like submissive sheep. This is what we are called to do! It becomes easy when we realize that we have a Good Shepherd who will only lead us to excessively green pastures, even though there may be some share of briars or desert places along the way. We know it ends well through our faith.

Paul speaks to the Romans who did not have the benefit of knowing the Jewish scriptures and the prophecies. Nonetheless, they came to believe and accepted God's offer to follow Him.

In our world today, I hope our hearts ache for the young people (and old) who have fallen prey to secular society. They have been formed by a society that, by and large, has lost its faith in a loving God that really has each person's best interest at heart. Jesus first sends out the apostles to the lost sheep of Israel. God chose the Jews to reveal His love and power. Many came to believe, but others failed to grasp what God was offering.

I think it is easy for many to believe that if the parish would just have the right program or the right marketing campaign, people would be flocking back to the Church. I believe that what will really bring many back to the faith is our personal example to those in our sphere of influence. If the faith is real in our hearts, it is evident in the way we treat others and the deep abiding joy that exists within us, even among trials and difficulties. It does not work to beat others over the head with our faith, but to find opportunities among our family and friends to reflect on the things that matter most. How often is the topic of religion brought up in our daily conversations? When is the last time you invited someone to come to Church or even encouraged them to practice their faith more actively. Living the faith is hard, but life is infinitely more difficult to not live the faith. Sin destroys us and wounds the soul deeply. Most are somewhat oblivious to its effects. Confession heals our soul and walking with Christ just leads to deep joy. Faith is a gift, pray that we are all open to receive that gift and act on it. The parish provides the fuel we need to be strengthened (AKA the Sacraments); we are the engine that moves those in our sphere of influence! Do not underestimate the impact you can have!

BRADLEY BANNING

Country Concert For The Family!

+ BEER TENT + THE STAND CONEY'S + SNO BALLS!



Aug 7 @ 6pm

\$15 PER PERSON
CHILDREN 5 & UNDER, FREE


FOR MORE INFO: 260-747-9139
SECRETARY@STTHERESEFFW.ORG



June 14, 2026



Parish and Community Events



JOIN THE CELEBRATION. GIVE BLOOD.

St. Theresse Catholic Church

Sunday, July 12th
7:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

2304 Lower Huntington Road

Gym

Scan to sign-up



Come give blood June 29-July 12 for a classic American Red Cross x Looney Tunes T-shirt, ltd. qty!



LITTLE FLOWER CATHOLIC SHOP PRESENTS

Summer AT THE SHOP

JUNE 17 1PM
EMBROIDERY WITH ALEX
AGES 10+

JULY 1 1PM
PAINT A TOTE BAG WITH HARPER
AGES 8+

JULY 15 1PM
VASES WITH THERESE
AGES 5+

JULY 25 1PM
STORY AND CRAFT WITH MANDI
AGES 5+

5215 ILLINOIS ROAD SUITE 105
CALL TO REGISTER 2604023437

ALL CLASSES \$10/PERSON
MUST REGISTER TO ATTEND



Part-time Secretarial Position

St. John Bosco / Immaculate Conception churches are seeking a part-time secretary.

Parish Office: St. John Bosco Catholic Church 216 N Main St. Churubusco, Indiana

For a more detailed job description and to apply, go to <https://secure7.saashr.com/ta/6168565.careers?ShowJob=587698774>

You're Invited to



Our 2026

GARAGE SALE

THURSDAY, JUNE 18 3:00 PM – 7:00 PM

FRIDAY, JUNE 19 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

SATURDAY, JUNE 20 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM

1500 W. State Blvd.,
Fort Wayne, IN
260-482-9411

Held in Msgr. Faber Activities Center (Gym)

CASH ONLY!!!



Cancer Prayer Service at the Shrine

The Shrine is pleased to be able to offer the St. Peregrine Relic for prayer and veneration. Three times per year a prayer service is held for those who are on a journey with cancer, whether it be as a patient or as a caregiver. The next service will be held on Sunday, July 12th at 2pm in the Shrine's Adoration Chapel. This event is free and open to the public. All who have been affected by cancer are encouraged to attend.

For those battling cancer, you can submit your name or a loved one's name for prayer. Please contact Caleb Gaier at c.gaier@mariasteinshrine.org or call 419-925-4532.

Parish and Community Events

St Therese Directory 2026



Added Dates
July 18 and 19
sign up sheets are in the
gathering space

SOS Campaign Total:
163,391.66 Pledged

Religious Crafts/Art Expo

Calling all local Religious Artist and Craft Makers to join us for the Art Expo 2026. Artists and Crafters should feature religious items only for this expo. Concessions and wine flights available in designated area.

Date

Oct 24, 2026
9am-12pm

Location

2222 Lower
Huntington Rd

Space Fee /Reserve
By Sept 15, 2026

50.00

Contact Us

☎ 260-747-9139

secretary@sttheresefw.org



Mary's Glen

An Acre Large Spiritual Oasis for Prayer in Fort Wayne Indiana USA

Mary's Glen Annual FamFest Family Friendly Festival



Saturday, July 18

(rain date, Sunday, July 19)

6 to 8 pm

Mary's Glen
2514 Reynolds Street
Fort Wayne, IN

\$20 per adult (18 and over)
Children free.

Admission includes:
All booths & Events
Two snack/beverage tickets for
every participant



Live Music • Face painting • Paint a Rock • Balloon Animals • Egg Toss • Make Your Own Ice Cream Sundae • Three Legged Race • Line Dancing • Cookie Decorating • Pretty Up a Plant • Nursing for Kids • Water Bucket Dump Challenge • Scavenger Hunt • Wet Sponge Toss • Chalk Drawing • Live Auction and More!

Advance Ticket Reservations (save \$2 per ticket): 260-341-7117
Proceeds to Support Fort Wayne's Vita Dei Houses (www.vitadelhouse.com)

Give the gift of a happier marriage this Summer!

Give, and receive, the gift of a more passionate, connected, and loving marriage.

Hosted at:

Lindenwood Retreat Center, Plymouth IN

June 26-28th

Begins Friday evening and ends Sunday afternoon.

Overnight stay as well as all meals are included.

There's no group discussion. It's just about the two of you learning to be the best, most loving and thriving couple you can be.

Apply at www.wwme.org,
or contact Jeff and Brenda at:
application@wwme-ni.org or 260-484-1664





St. Therese School Mission Statement
Through the love of Jesus Christ, we will be faithful, productive, and responsible citizens.

St. Therese School Vision Statement
The vision of Saint Therese School is to develop within our students attitudes, behaviors, and skills that will support them academically and socially, which will develop caring and respectful citizens.

SCHOOL NEWS

Viva Bocce!

AN EXCITING NIGHT OF FRIENDLY COMPETITION AND COMMUNITY CONNECTION!

JUNE 25, 2026
5:30 PM - 9:30 PM

Bishop Dwenger - Shields Field

About Our Event!

We're excited to bring new energy to a beloved tradition! Viva Bocce! is now hosted by A Mother's Hope, continuing the legacy started by Redeemer Radio and carried on by the Catholic Community Foundation of Northeast Indiana. This lively, tournament-style bocce event is perfect for both seasoned players and first-timers alike. Come for the competition, stay for the fun—every roll of the ball supports the mission of AMH!

REGISTER NOW

Contact us
260-444-4975

Website
go.amhfw.org/bocce26

Scan to learn more!

FRIDAY JULY 24 Lincoln Chamber Productions
7:30 PM presents:
An American Celebration!

Forks of the Wabash 3011 W Park Dr Huntington IN
To Order tickets: newlcp.com, or 779-216-0521

SERVERS NEEDED for Weekend Mass

Serving is open for 5th grade-High School.

Please call the office to be added to the list for training or to be on the Sunday rotation.
260-747-9139

Food Bank Needs for May/June

1. Canned Fruit and Vegetables
2. Peanut Butter
3. Toilet Paper
4. Spaghetti Sauce

Food Bank Needs Always

1. Soup
2. Shampoo
3. Deodorant
4. Cereal

Saint Therese Catholic School 2222 Lower Huntington Rd Fort Wayne, Indiana 46819

Phone: (260) 747-2343 **Fax:** (260) 747-4767 ~ **Website:** <http://school.sttheresefw.org>

School Principal:
Mrs. Michelle Dellinger
mdellinger@sttheresefw.org

Hours: Monday-Friday
7:30am-3:30pm
closed June and July

School Secretary:
Mrs. Elda Oberley
eberley@sttheresefw.org

