

St. Therese Parish

113 W Kort Street, Rothschild



The Rising of Lazarus

Mass Schedule

March 24, Tuesday
 Confession 7:30 am / Mass 8:00 am
 + Judy O'Connor

March 25, Wednesday
 Confession 7:30 am/ Mass 8:00 am
 Souls in Purgatory

March 27, Friday (During Lent)
 Confession 11:30 am/ Mass Noon
 + David Skrzypchak

March 28, Saturday
 Confession 10:00 am / Mass 5:30 pm
 +Leon & Wanda Gajewski

March 29, Palm Sunday
 Confession 9:30 am / Mass 10:00 am
 The Parish Family

Sanctuary Lamp

March 22 - 28 + Leon & Wanda Gajewski



Lent 2026

Every Friday during Lent (Feb 20 - March 27)

Confession at 11:30, Mass at noon

Lenten Lunch in Church Hall to follow Mass

Stations of the Cross at 6:00 pm and after the Sunday

10:00 am Mass

Holy Week 2026



Communal Penance Service, Monday, March 30, 6:30 pm

Holy Thursday April 2, Mass 6:00 pm Intention: Parish Family

Good Friday April 3, Stations of the Cross at 11:15

Passion of the Lord at Noon

Holy Saturday, April 4, Easter Vigil Mass at 8:30 pm

Easter Sunday, April 5, Mass at 10:00 am

Adoration

Adoration in the Chapel every Tuesday, Wednesday & Thurs from 8:00 am-8:00 pm.

Mass Assignments

Weekend: March 28 & 29

Palm Sunday

Lectors:

5:30 pm Pat
 Passion readers: Pat & Jim

10:00 am JoAnne
 Passion Readers: Jack & Peter

Extraordinary Ministers:

5:30 pm Phyllis, Jim, Pat, Rich
 10:00 am JoAnne, Liz, Jack, Peter

Servers:

5:30 pm Vivienne
 10:00 am Andrew, Elli & Madelyn

Ushers:

5:30 pm Rich, Larry, Bob, Barb
 10:00 am (Group 3) John, Scott, Phil, Tony

Pastor's Message

By Fr. Janusz Kowalski

5th Sunday of Lent, Year A – 2026

"Your brother will rise," Jesus said. Martha replied, "I know he will rise in the resurrection on the last day" (Jn 11:23-24). But Jesus responded: "I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live" (Jn 11:25).

To deeply understand this conversation between Martha and Jesus, we should briefly look at the history of the siblings—Martha, Mary, and Lazarus—who lived in Bethany and appear several times in the Gospels. The relationship between them and Jesus led to an intimate and deep friendship. The Evangelist adds that "Jesus loved Martha and her sister and Lazarus." The fruit of this love was the frequent visits of Jesus and the apostles to their home. Another fruit was their profound trust in Jesus, hence the sisters' plea: "Come, for our brother is very ill."

Jesus did not respond immediately; he only arrived at his friends' home after four days. Two events here are very significant: first, the meeting with Martha and the conversation about faith—a discussion centered on the fundamental question of life and death. Second, the raising of Lazarus from the tomb, which was intended to strengthen the apostles' faith for the coming days when Jesus would be seized by the Jews, imprisoned, tortured, and finally crucified on the tree of the Cross. Death and resurrection! Jesus redeemed everyone, but He saves those who accept His grace.

When the tomb was opened, Jesus called out: "Lazarus, come out!" Pope Francis said: "Jesus' act of raising Lazarus shows what the power of God's grace can achieve, and how far our conversion and transformation can reach. Jesus raised Lazarus because He wanted to convince us that He has the power to overcome evil and death..."

Parish Announcements



Silver Rose Program

Join thousands of Catholics across North America in asking for Our Lady of Guadalupe's intercession through the Silver Rose program.

In 1960, the Knights of Columbus youth came up with the idea of running a rose to the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Monterrey Mexico, to honor Our Lady and the rose was chosen to commemorate St Juan Diego and the miracle of the roses.

Today, eight roses travel along different North American routes that include Canada, the United States and Mexico. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a rosary-centered occasion to pray for respect for life, the spiritual renewal of each nation, and the advancement of the message of Our Lady Guadalupe.

Your participation in the Silver Rose program, especially your prayers and pledge for life, are a crucial part of our mission to defend and support life in every stage and condition.

St Therese of the Child Jesus

03/22/2026

3:00 pm



Our Lady of Guadalupe is the Patroness of the unborn, the Americas, and the Knights of Columbus.



Knights of Columbus

Communal Penance Service will be held March 30th at 6:30 pm, we will have 8 local priests available for individual confessions.

Little Flower Council Palm Sunday weekend bake sale is March 28th & 29th. Chairlady Lori Check needs some helpers, especially cashiers. Call or text me at 715-216-7235. Please bring bakery creations to the church basement Saturday afternoon on the 28th. As always, items need to be packaged up. See you there!

Holy Thursday: Looking for 12 great volunteers (Male, Adults) for Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper, April 2nd. Mass time begins at 6:00 PM. Why do we do these special events for the Holiest Week of the Year? Holy Thursday is the Gateway to the Easter Triduum and commemorates the Last Supper when the Eucharist was instituted, the priesthood bestowed upon the 12 Apostles, and Jesus expected the Apostles to continue the ministry of the Eucharist. Washing of feet is to show us to serve one another. Disciples are to love one another as Christ loved. Can you be one of these great Apostles for St. Therese? Call into the Office and more information 715-359-2421

Parish Potluck will take place Thursday, March 26th at 12:00 in the Church Hall. Plus, Bingo!



The Most Reverend Gerard Battersby makes the following announcement, effective June 30, 2026, Deacon Mike Lambrecht is appointed to serve as Deacon at St. Mark Parish in Rothschild and St. Therese of the Child Jesus Parish in Schofield, effective July 1, 2026.

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Faith Formation

DRE: Steve Martin

officeofreligiouseducation@sttheresecc.org

Faith Formation/CCD classes are Wednesday evenings from 6:30 pm - 7:45 pm



No Classes April 1st.

Sunday Breakfast

Join us for Sunday Breakfast every 1st and 3rd Sunday. After the 10:00 Mass and Stations of the Cross in the Church Hall. Free will offering is accepted. Pierogis and sausage are available for sale as well.

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Grand Knight : Joe Coles 715-212-9677

Silver Rose program will begin at 3:00 pm at St. Therese Parish, please join us in prayer (see previous page for more)

Join us as we host the last Lenten Lunch. Friday, March 27th after the Noon Mass. We will be serving Cheese Pizza.



From the Diocese

Rebuild My Church Registration Now Open!

Our second Evangelization Summit will be held at St. Paul Parish in Mosinee on Tues, May 19, from 9am to 3pm. The theme will be "Paul as a Model of Discipleship and Accompaniment." This is another opportunity for parish leaders to unite together around a shared vision of parishes fully alive on mission, and to connect you with more tools and resources. There will be fresh content for those who attended the first summit, but new attendees are welcome!

March 25: Annunciation of the Lord—Solemnity

Prayer: Most glorious and ever-virgin Mary, when the Archangel Gabriel appeared to you to announce the coming of God within your virginal womb, you inquired with humility how this could be. The Archangel spoke further, and you assented to this divine mystery with all your heart. Please pray for me, that I may always consent to the will of God in my life so that your divine Son may also be conceived in my soul to continue His saving work of redemption. Mother Mary, pray for me. Jesus, I trust in You.

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Welcome

We would like to warmly welcome Adam & Crystal Shirek & family and Sherry Allain as newly registered members of our St. Therese parish. Please keep them in your prayers. If you would like information on joining St. Therese, please call the parish office. 715-359-2421



From Silence to Song: Be Part of Our Easter Choir!

If you missed the opportunity to participate in the Easter Choir, and you're still interested in joining the choir, we'd love for you to be part of this beautiful new beginning. We will be returning in the fall to sing September through May. To get on the list or for more information, contact Lynn at 715-527-1903.

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March 15, 2026



	Collection	Other
Tithing	\$ 1,770.00	\$ 470.00
Children's envelopes	\$ 2.00	\$ 0.00
Offertory	\$ 273.00	\$ 5.00
Votives	\$ 62.00	\$ 0.00
Floral Tribute	\$ 190.00	\$ 90.00
Church Upkeep	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Holy Day	\$ 0.00	\$ 20.00
Pew Repair Project	\$ 2,700.00	\$ 2,100.00
Credit Card Tithing	\$ 0.00	\$ 245.40
ACH Tithing	\$ 0.00	\$ 645.00
SUB	\$ 4,997.00	\$ 3,575.40
	TOTAL	\$ 8,572.40

Capital Improvement Expenditure (CAPEX)

Current total to date is \$ 71,534.50

Inspired By The Spirit Campaign	
Campaign Goal:	\$ 520,000.00
Amount Received:	\$ 515,967.67
We are at 99.22% of our Goal	

Diocesan Annual Appeal	
Target Goal	\$ 71,870.00
Amount Collected	\$ 43,673.00
TOTAL Under Goal	\$ 28,197.00

Pew Repair Project	
Project Goal	\$ 120,000.00
Amount Received	\$ 29,601.00
24.7% to goal	

Music Coordinator:

Lynn Hildebrandt 715-527-1903

Gate of Heaven Cemetery:

715-574-0598

Parish Office Hours

Mon- Thursday: 9:00 am-4:00 pm

Friday: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Saturday & Sunday: CLOSED

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March

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