

# St. Jude & St. Thomas Parishes

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**PARISH MEMBERSHIP:** We welcome anyone who wishes to join our parish family. Please call the parish office or go to our website to register.

**PRAYER NETWORK:** Call Mary Schindler, 608-362-8912, Irene Popp, 608-364-4367 or Jeanne Grathwohl, 608-365-6703.

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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<sup>er</sup> 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



## October 15, 2017 28th Ordinary time A

- Reading I** Is 25:6-10a Poetic images of God as a provider, and comforter.
- Reading II** Phil 4:12-14, 19-20 Parable of the wedding feast.
- Gospel** Mt 22:1-14 "Many are invited, but few are chosen."  
**October 22, 2017 29th Ordinary time A**
- Reading I** Is 45:1, 4-6 "There is no God besides me."
- Reading II** 1 Thess 1:1-5b Paul greets the Thessalonians in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
- Gospel** Mt 22:15-21 Give to God what belongs to God.

### Masses for the week:

<b>Sat</b>	<b>10/14</b>	<b>4:00 PM</b> (St. Thomas) <i>Marguerite Wall</i> <b>5:30 PM</b> (St. Jude) <i>Joyce Loizzo</i>
<b>Sun</b>	<b>10/15</b>	<b>8:45 AM</b> (St. Jude) <i>Charles Bauer</i> <b>11:00 AM</b> (St. Jude) <i>Spanish Mass</i> <b>11:00 AM</b> (St. Thomas) <i>Marilyn Kubsh</i>
<b>Mon</b>	<b>10/16</b>	
<b>Tues</b>	<b>10/17</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b> (St. Thomas) <i>Mary Wywialowski</i>
<b>Wed</b>	<b>10/18</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b> (St. Jude) <i>Rudolf &amp; Mildred Obermark</i>
<b>Thur</b>	<b>10/19</b>	<b>7:15 AM</b> (St. Thomas) <i>People of the Parishes</i>
<b>Fri</b>	<b>10/20</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b> (St. Jude) <i>Jean Julius</i>
<b>Sat</b>	<b>10/21</b>	<b>4:00 PM</b> (St. Thomas) <i>James &amp; Janice Green</i> <b>5:30 PM</b> (St. Jude) <i>William Stein &amp; Carol Mork</i>
<b>Sun</b>	<b>10/22</b>	<b>8:45 AM</b> (St. Jude) <i>Nicholas &amp; Evelyn Licary</i> <b>11:00 AM</b> (St. Thomas) <i>Frank &amp; Mary DeVita</i>

### Liturgical Ministers

#### The Weekend of October 21– 22

##### ST. JUDE

<b>Servers</b>	<b>5:30 PM</b> Kaden Randall	<b>8:45 AM</b> Keith Kline
<b>Lector</b>	Sr. Pauline Labrecque	Melissa Franzen
<b>Bread Minister</b>	Deacon Jim Davis	Don Henning
<b>Greeter Group</b>	Larry Goodrich	Mike & Kris Navarra

##### ST. THOMAS

<b>Commentator</b>	<b>4:00 PM</b> James Grammich	<b>11:00 AM</b> Kay Olmstead
<b>Lector</b>	James Grammich	Kay Olmstead
<b>Servers</b>	Nate Lounsbury	Alex Zagal
<b>Bread Minister</b>	Deacon Jim Davis	Kevin Christofferson
<b>Greeters</b>	Chuck Hinds Stella Ontiveroz Benjamin Degenhardt Donna Degenhardt	TerriAnn Ryan Jack Ryan Mike Fallon Deb Fallon

**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, Irene Popp, 364-4367, Jeanne Grathwohl, 365-6703, (St. Thomas) Fran Clark, 362-2203.



### Sacrament of Reconciliation

**St. Jude:**

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

**St Thomas:**

Saturday, October 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, November 6, 2017 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. **12 de Noviembre las 9:30 am.** Comunicarse con Araceli al (608) 856-0566.

### Pope Francis



A Church which "goes forth" is a Church whose doors are open. Going out to others in order to reach the fringes of humanity does not mean rushing out aimlessly into the world. Often it is better simply to slow down, to put aside our eagerness in order to see and listen to others, to stop rushing from one thing to another and to remain with someone who has faltered along the way. At times we have to be like the father of the prodigal son, who always keeps his door open so that when the son returns, he can readily pass through it.

**Pope Francis, "The Joy of the Gospel", #46**

### International Combined Collection

Next weekend, October 21-22<sup>nd</sup>, the International Combined Collection will be conducted in our parish. This collection is combining the following individual collections:

- World Mission Support
- Catholic Relief Services
- Church in Central & Eastern Europe
- Church in Latin America
- Peter's Pence

Pastoral Solidarity for the Church in Africa  
Your help in supporting these collections is critical. Please take this week to pray about the support you can provide. A brochure and envelope will be inserted into the bulletin next weekend for your donation.

### Sacrament of Anointing

We will offer the Sacrament of the Anointing of the sick on Wednesday, October 25 at 11:00 AM Mass at St. Thomas Church. 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.



## 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  
 October 15 - Classes  
 October 22 - Classes & 2018 Confirmation Parent/Sponsor Meeting  
 October 29 - Class

Clases disponibles para estudiantes de 4k hasta el 12vo grado, en la escuela Brother Dutton los domingos de 9:45 a 10:45  
 Octubre 15 - clase  
 Octubre 22- clase y Reunion acerca de la 2018 confirmación para padres y padrinos  
 Octubre 29 - clase

### Food items:

Meal makers (Hamburger Helper, soups, boxed potatoes, side dishes, spaghetti sauce)  
 Vegetables (low sodium).  
 Juice (lower sugar preferred).



### Do You need help getting meals or know someone who does?



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**The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a Swiss Steak Dinner at St. Jude on Sunday, October 29, 2017.** Dinner will be served from 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM in the Parish Hall. Cost of the dinner will be a free-will offering. Come out and enjoy a wonderful dinner and spend time with friends and family!

Thank you for your support.



**The Catholic Women's Cluster's theater bus trip reservations are full.** I would like to have several on the **waiting list** in case I get any cancellations as reservations are otherwise non-refundable. Please call me if you are interested in being on the waiting list for the Thursday, November 2nd trip to Drury Lane to see "42nd Street" at \$75 all inclusive cost.  
 Ann Schroeder – 815-624-0666

This weekend we welcome

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

*Welcome!*

*Thank you*

The Knights of Columbus Council 605 thanks everyone who supported our annual pancake breakfast to support Pro Life Wisconsin - Rock County. Because of you, over \$1000 was raised to support their efforts in protecting pre-born children.

### Scrip News!

**We have added some new vendors to our scrip program.** They are: **Festival foods, Old Navy, Meijer, Target & Best Buy.**



It is time to start thinking about **Christmas!** If you would like to order special cards for Christmas, you can pick up a form from the Scrip volunteer after Mass. If there is a vendor that you do not see on the list and would like me to check availability, just write what you would like on the back of the form and I will check to see if I can order them for you. Christmas orders must be **pre-paid**. If you have any questions please call the St. Jude Parish Office at 364-2820.



### Doves & Diamonds Gala

Beloit Regional Hospice's 13<sup>th</sup> annual Doves and Diamonds Gala has been scheduled for Saturday, November 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. at the Eclipse Center on Riverside Drive in Beloit. The glittering evening includes dance, music and excitement as guests enjoy delicious gourmet food, raffles, photo booth fun and an excellent silent auction.

"We are pleased and honored to bring this event back to our community in 2017. The Beloit Regional Hospice Doves and Diamonds Gala is the largest event of its kind in our area, and funds raised bridge the gap for the cost of care for our patients," said Beloit Regional Hospice Director Natasha Weberg.

The evening also features a program including a jewelry prize package giveaway and the presentation of the annual Spirit of Caring Award.

The highly anticipated evening allows supporters of the agency to come together in a festive environment to celebrate the gifts of life. Early reservations are only \$50.

### ESTATE PLANNING

Please consider to include St. Jude Parish or St. Thomas Parish in your will. Everything is a gift from God. To include your parish is another way to acknowledge this.

### Our Gifts to our Parish and to the Lord

(Fiscal Year July 1, 2017 - June 30, 2018)

	Offerory Contributions		
	Actual	Budgeted	Difference
<b>St. Jude Parish:</b>			
October 7 & 8, 2017	\$6,029.25	\$5,711.50*	\$317.75
Fiscal Year-to-Date (week 15)	\$83,802.38	\$85,672.50	-\$1,870.12
<b>St. Thomas Parish</b>			
October 7 & 8, 2017	\$3,794.65	\$3,461.50*	\$333.15
Fiscal Year-to-Date (week 15)	\$49,474.94	\$51,922.50	-\$2,447.56

\*Weekly average of Annual Budget



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