





**May 19, 2019**  
**5th Sunday of Easter**

**Reading I** Acts 14:21-27 Building the early church amid hardships.  
**Reading II** Rv 21:1-5a The great vision of a renewed earth.  
**Gospel** Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35 "I give you a new commandment: Love one another."

**May 26 - 6th Sunday of Easter**

**Reading I** Acts 15:1-2, 22-29 The first church council resolves conflicts about Jewish practices.  
**Reading II** Rv 21:10-14, 22-23 The new Jerusalem will be a community for all.  
**Gospel** Jn 14:23-29 Jesus assures the disciples of his continuing presence and love.

**Masses for the week:**

**Sat 05/18 4:00 PM** (St. Thomas) *The John Frisque Fam.*  
**5:30 PM** (St. Jude) *Charles Bauer & Patricia Borzych*  
**Sun 05/19 8:45 AM** (St. Jude) *Deme Fornecker & John O'Connor*  
**11:00 AM** (St. Jude) *Spanish Mass*  
**11:00 AM** (St. Thomas) *Joan Mary Polaski Freeman*  
**Mon 05/20**  
**Tues 05/21 5:00 PM** (St. Thomas) *Carl & Leona Braunreiter*  
**Wed 05/22 7:00 AM** (St. Jude) *Robert Ihde*  
**Thurs 05/23 7:15 AM** (St. Thomas) *People of the Parishes*  
**Fri 05/24 7:00 AM** (St. Jude) *People of the Parishes*  
**Sat 05/25 4:00 PM** (St. Thomas) *Pete Meyer*  
**5:30 PM** (St. Jude) *Jackie Landers & Bill Riggle*  
**Sun 05/26 8:45 AM** (St. Jude) *Helen C. Johnson*  
**11:00 AM** (St. Thomas) *Phyllis Harris*

**Liturgical Ministers**

**May 25 & 26, 2019**

**6th Sunday of Easter**

**ST. JUDE**

<b>5:30 PM</b>	<b>8:45 AM</b>
<b>Servers</b> Kaden Randall	Maria Almaraz
	Carlos Almaraz
<b>Lector</b> Sr. Pauline Labrecque	Linnae Byrns
<b>Bread Minister</b> Deacon Jim Davis	Deacon Jim Davis
<b>Greeter Group</b> Jeff Klein	Adrian Espinoza

**ST. THOMAS**

<b>4:00 PM</b>	<b>11:00 AM</b>
<b>Lector</b> Paul Kenrick	Barbara Gutierrez
<b>Servers</b> Nate Lounsbury	Sophia Zagal
<b>Bread Minister</b> Deacon Jim Davis	Alex Zagal
<b>Greeters</b> Don Kelley	Alice Arellano
Donna Kelley	Ubaldo Martinez
George Vedra	Evelina Perez
Rose Vedra	Catherine Marino



**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

**St. Jude:**  
 Saturday, May 25 - 8:30-9:30  
**St. Thomas:**  
 Saturday, June 1 - 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, July 1, 2019 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. **9 de junio as 9:30 am.** Comunicarse con Araceli al **(608) 856-0566.**

**Pope Francis**



**BLESSED ARE THE MEEK, FOR THEY WILL INHERIT THE EARTH.**

These are strong words in a world that from the beginning has been a place of conflict, disputes and enmity on all sides, where we constantly pigeonhole others on the basis of their ideas, their customs and even their way of speaking or dressing. Ultimately, it is the reign of pride and vanity, where each person thinks he or she has the right to dominate others. Nonetheless, impossible as it may seem, Jesus proposes a different way of doing things: the way of meekness. This is what we see him doing with his disciples. It is what we contemplate on his entrance to Jerusalem: "Behold, your king is coming to you, humble, and mounted on a donkey".

**«Felices los mansos, porque heredarán la tierra»**

Es una expresión fuerte, en este mundo que desde el inicio es un lugar de enemistad, donde se riñe por doquier, donde por todos lados hay odio, donde constantemente clasificamos a los demás por sus ideas, por sus costumbres, y hasta por su forma de hablar o de vestir. En definitiva, es el reino del orgullo y de la vanidad, donde cada uno se cree con el derecho de alzarse por encima de los otros. Sin embargo, aunque parezca imposible, Jesús propone otro estilo: la mansedumbre. Es lo que él practicaba con sus propios discípulos y lo que contemplamos en su entrada a Jerusalén: «Mira a tu rey, que viene a ti, humilde, montado en una borrica».

**Rejoice & Be Glad paragraph #71**



**Congratulations to**

Miranda Carbajal  
 on receiving the  
 Sacrament of First Holy Communion.  
**Many Blessings!**

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



On Monday, May 27, 2019 there will be Mass at Our Lady of the Assumption at 8:00 AM. Followed by a procession to Mt. Thabor Cemetery for a Prayer Service.



**Religious Education News**  
**Noticias de Educación Religiosa**



Registration for the 2019-2020 School year has begun. Registration can be done online on either Parish website or by contacting the St. Jude Parish office at 364-2820 or the St. Thomas Parish office at 362-1034.

La inscripción para el año escolar 2019-2020 ha comenzado. La inscripción puede realizarse en línea en el sitio web. Araceli: 608-856-0566. or mhbeloit@hotmail.com



Beloit College Graduation is this Sunday. Congratulations to the students who are graduating, and a special thanks to those who have joined us for Mass while they have been at the College



Join us on Saturday, June 1, 7 p.m. for a free concert at St. Thomas Catholic Church, 822 E. Grand Ave, Beloit with complementary refreshments. Sixteen area professional musicians and vocalists will perform jazz, classical, and movie themes. All donations will be sent to the Milwaukee chapter of the Pancreatic Action Network to support pancreatic cancer research.



**Positions open at OLA**

Advanced Math/Technology:

OLA School is seeking a Math and/or Technology Teacher to educate 7th through 8th grade students for Advanced Math and K-5 students for Technology. Qualified candidates must possess a Bachelor's Degree in Education and a valid teaching license. Applicants can apply on WECAN Job Posting #54369.

3rd Grade Teacher:

Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic School in Beloit is seeking a 3rd Grade Teacher. Qualified candidates must possess a Bachelor's Degree in Education and a valid teaching license. Applicants can apply on the WECAN Job Posting #57083

School Counselor:

Our Lady of the Assumption, St. Mary and St. John Vianney School in Janesville, WI are looking for a counselor to meet with students needing extra levels of social and emotional support. The successful candidate would be shared between the three schools. Qualified applicants can email their resume to OLA School Principal, Mr. Trevor Seivert at tseivert@olaschool.ws

Contact OLA School at 365-4014 with questions. Please send resume to:

OLA Parish Office,  
 Attn: Fr. Mike Resop  
 2222 Shopiere Rd,  
 Beloit, WI 53511

or by email at: info@olabeloit.com.



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.



*"I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another."*  
 (John 13:34)

It is easy to love someone when they love you back. But it takes strength and courage to love someone when we feel unappreciated, used or feel our opinion doesn't matter. It takes courage to "love my neighbor" when he may be someone I don't like, someone I don't know or someone that doesn't look like me.

**Prayer Shawls** – A parish member has volunteered to work with anyone who would be interested in knitting or crocheting Prayer Shawls (aka Angel Hugs). There will be a meeting on Saturday, June 1 at 11 AM at St. Thomas Parish Center. If interested, please call either parish office so we know how many to plan for.

This weekend the **National Combined Collection** is being conducted across the diocese. Please consider how you can make a difference in the lives of so many across this country.



**St. Thomas Parish** has chosen the month of May to give some very needed help to Caritas. A large box will be in the back of the church to put your donated items in.

**Items needed are:**

Shaving cream, razors, shampoo, conditioner, soap, body wash, hair spray, deodorant, toothpaste, toothbrushes, combs, hair brushes, ethnic products, Q-tips, body lotions, after shave products, mouthwash, sanitary pads, and toilet paper.

Caritas is counting on our help! Any questions, contact Jackie Roehl 365-4627. Thank you for helping.

**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, 2018 - June 30, 2019)

	<b>Offertory Contributions</b>		
	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Difference</u>
<b>St. Jude Parish:</b>			
May 11 & 12, 2019	\$5,080.16	\$5,603.75*	-\$523.59
Fiscal Year-to-Date (Week 46)	\$248,204.93	\$252,168.75	-\$3,963.82
<b>St. Thomas Parish</b>			
May 11 & 12, 2019	\$3,451.51	\$3,490.50*	-\$38.99
Fiscal Year-to-Date (Week 46)	\$163,613.07	\$160,563.00	\$3,050.07

\*Weekly average of Annual Budget