

BY MURPHY, PÉREZ, BORKOWSKI, COGGS, DODD, SPIKER, STAMPER, RAINEY

*Resolution congratulating Saint Catherine's Parish on its 100th anniversary.*

**WHEREAS,**

## **ST. CATHERINE'S PARISH**

*was founded in 1922 and celebrated its 100th anniversary on November 13, 2022, and a centennial celebration mass was held on November 20, 2022; and*

**WHEREAS,** *On November 13, 1922 Saint Catherine of Alexandria Church was founded by 41 families in the community, and it was named after Catherine of Alexandria an early martyr and saint in the church; and*

**WHEREAS,** *The Saint Catherine's Parish located at 5101 W. Center St., has undergone numerous changes over time with the expansion and addition of buildings such as a church, two additional buildings, a convent and rectory, and all of these were added or completed after World War II, and the church is praised as Milwaukee's best example of the more academic phase of the Gothic Revival style; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Throughout its 100-year history, Saint Catherine's Parish has provided immense community support, including Saint Catherine's long-established Food Pantry, the St. Vincent DePaul Society (which offers a helping hand to the needy), an exemplary parish school that continues to serve the children of the neighborhood; now, therefore, be*

**RESOLVED,** *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith congratulates Saint Catherine's Parish on its 100th anniversary, recognizes its outstanding service and contributions to the City of Milwaukee, and extends its sincere wishes for continued success and prosperity; and, be it*

**FURTHER RESOLVED,** *That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to Saint Catherine's Parish.*

**Introduced by Common Council members Michael; J. Murphy, José G. Pérez, Mark A. Borkowski, Milele A. Coggs, Nikiya Dodd, Scott Spiker, Russell W. Stamper, II and Khalif J. Rainey and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on November 22, 2022.**