

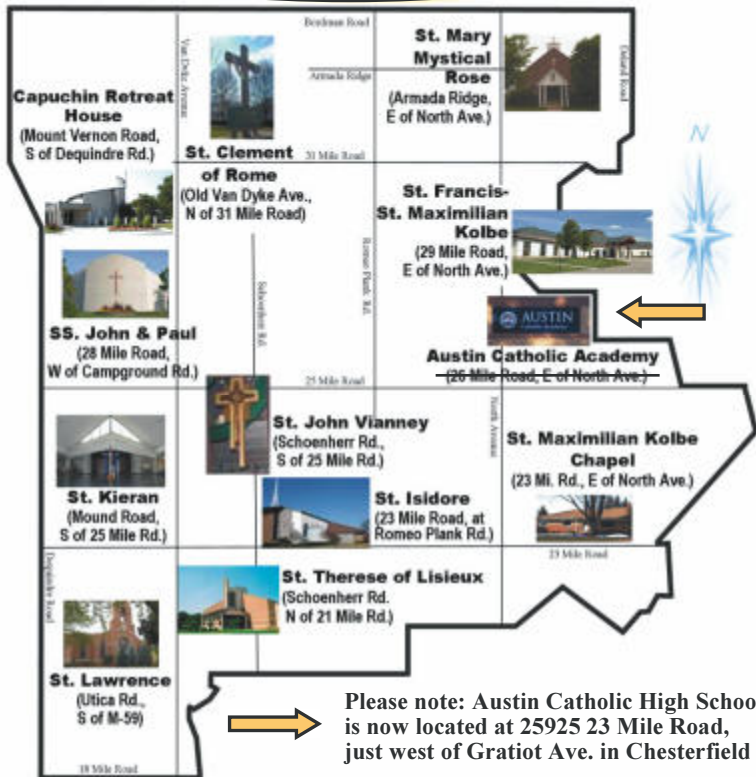
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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULES

SATURDAY

4:30 p.m.
 St. Isidore, St. Kieran, St. Lawrence, St. Therese of Lisieux,
 St. Mary Mystical Rose

5:00 p.m.
 St. Clement of Rome, SS. John and Paul, St. John Vianney,
 St. Francis/St. Maximilian

SUNDAY

7:00 a.m.
 St. Clement of Rome

7:30 a.m.
 St. Isidore, St. John Vianney

8:00 a.m.
 SS. John and Paul, St. Kieran,
 St. Lawrence
 St. Therese of Lisieux
 St. Francis/St. Maximilian
 St. Mary Mystical Rose

9:00 a.m.
 St. Clement of Rome

9:30 a.m.
 SS. John and Paul, St. Kieran,
 St. Isidore, St. John Vianney,

9:45 a.m.
 St. Therese of Lisieux

10:00 a.m.
 St. Francis/St. Maximilian
 St. Lawrence
 St. Mary Mystical Rose

11:00 a.m.
 St. Clement of Rome

11:30 a.m.
 SS. John and Paul, St. Kieran,
 St. Isidore, St. John Vianney

11:45 p.m.
 St. Therese of Lisieux

12:00 p.m.
 St. Lawrence
 St. Francis/St. Maximilian
 (in Spanish)

5:00 p.m.
 SS. John and Paul

5:30 p.m.
 St. Isidore

7:00 p.m.
 St. Clement of Rome
 (in Spanish)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday
8:00 a.m.
 St. Isidore
 St. Lawrence
 Capuchin Retreat

8:30 a.m.
 St. John Vianney

9:00 a.m.
 St. Francis/St. Maximilian

7:00 p.m.
 SS. John and Paul
 St. Kieran

Tuesday
7:20 a.m.
 Austin Catholic HS Chapel
 (on School days)

8:00 a.m.
 St. Isidore
 St. Lawrence
 Capuchin Retreat

8:30 a.m.
 St. Therese of Lisieux
 St. John Vianney

9:00 a.m.
 SS. John and Paul
 St. Mary Mystical Rose
 St. Clement of Rome
 (Communion Service)
 St. Francis/St. Maximilian
 (at St. Maximilian Chapel)

11:00 a.m.
 St. Kieran

Wednesday
8:00 a.m.
 St. Isidore
 Capuchin Retreat

8:30 a.m.
 St. Therese of Lisieux

9:00 a.m.
 SS. John and Paul
 St. Mary Mystical Rose
 St. Clement of Rome

9:30 a.m.
 St. Lawrence (school days)

Thursday
7:20 a.m.
 Austin Catholic HS Chapel

8:00 a.m.
 St. Isidore
 St. Lawrence
 Capuchin Retreat

8:30 a.m.
 St. Therese of Lisieux

9:00 a.m.
 St. Mary Mystical Rose
 St. Clement of Rome
 St. Francis/St. Maximilian
 (at St. Maximilian Chapel)

7:00 p.m.
 St. John Vianney

Friday
8:00 a.m.
 St. Isidore
 St. Lawrence
 Capuchin Retreat

8:30 a.m.
 St. Therese of Lisieux
 St. John Vianney

9:00 a.m.
 St. Clement of Rome
 St. Mary Mystical Rose

10:10 a.m.
 Austin Catholic HS Chapel
 (on School days)

11:00 a.m.
 St. Kieran

7:00 p.m.
 St. Francis/St. Maximilian
 (on First Fridays)

Saturday 8:00 a.m.
 Capuchin Retreat
 St. Isidore

Articles for the March issue are due Feb 17.
 Please e-mail your article to nmvnews@yahoo.com

St. Lawrence

Profoundly Prolife Group and St. Lawrence Knights

Monthly Rosary/Divine Mercy Recitation
Wednesday February 19, 6pm in the church

All are invited to participate in a monthly recitation of the Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet dedicated to the protection of human life, conversion of hearts and souls, and for government leaders and those running for office this upcoming election year.

Austin Catholic High School

Application time for 2020-2021

Are you/your student looking for a smaller, welcoming and individualized academic setting? Where individuality and strong community are embraced. Consider shadowing or visiting Austin today!

Why Austin?

- Strong community where every student is a name and person, not a number.
- The Block Scheduling! My kids love it. – Kris, parent '19, '21, '22
- "I was definitely prepared for college. I had a great semester and made the Dean's List" – Josie, '19
- "Austin prepares academically, but it is the leadership and confidence that our students develop that truly sets our graduates apart from others. With varsity sports, clubs, robotics, STEM and the art programs every student is able to shine and take on a role of leadership." – parent, class 2022
- "I pay for Catholic education because I want to invest in my kids' future. Austin truly cares for my kids and our entire family. We are a community." – Jerry, parent '18, '21

Come witness the Austin Advantage by scheduling a visit today. Shadowing is the best opportunity for you to experience what it is like to be an Austin student. Prospective 7th and 8th graders and transfer students are invited to spend a day shadowing a current Austin student to witness the Austin Advantage. Call 586-200-0143 today.

St. Isidore

Lenten Fish Fry

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

Begin on February 28th through April 10th (including Good Friday) starting at 4P.M. to 7P.M.

Dinners are \$10 for fried or baked fish, \$12 for 9 piece shrimp dinner, \$6 for 2 slices of cheese Pizza. All diners include redskin potatoes, cole slaw, mac-n-cheese, roll & butter, coffee or water.

Soda pop & slushes are available for purchase @\$1.00.
Also, for your entertainment, strolling Accordion players will perform while dinner is being served.

St. John Vianney

Ash Wednesday Schedule

Mass with distribution of ashes:

6:30 am, 8:30 am and 7:00 pm

Scripture service with distribution of ashes:

2:00 pm & 5:00 pm

St. Francis/St. Maximilian

Annual Valentine Card/Game Party

Saturday, February 8, 2020

1:00—4:00 pm \$10 at the door

For information call Madeline @ 586.219.4493

We are hosting **MCREST** the week of February 9-15
Help is also needed and welcome. If you would like to help please call Jane Van Belle 586.598.3314 ext. 302

ENCOUNTERING CHRIST

Thursday, February 20 - 7:00 pm—8:30 pm

At His Feet—Women in Scripture

A powerful drama and experience of Scripture that is relevant, holy and meaningful.

The New Evangelization calls each of us to deepen our faith, believe in the Gospel message and go forth to proclaim the Gospel. You're invited to attend this performance that will inspire you to be an active, holy witness to the love of Christ.

March 1, 2020 at 6:30 pm. Tickets \$10 at Eventbrite.com

St. Kieran

Reading Between the Lines Book Club

February 11, *The Silent Patient*, by Alex Michaels

SUNDAY MORNING JANITOR HELP NEEDED

7:00 a.m.—1:30 p.m.

Keeping church, narthex, Green Room and bathrooms tidy on Sunday mornings. Responsibilities can also include snow removal, refreshing bathrooms, mopping, vacuuming, sweeping, tidying up the church between Masses and set ups. Job might include heavy lifting. Must be 18 years or older. If interested, call Paula at 586-781-4901.

SS. John and Paul

Ash Wednesday Schedule:

7am – Prayer Service w/ashes

9am – Mass

Noon – Prayer Service w/ashes

4:30 – Prayer Service w/ashes

7pm – Mass

Stations of the Cross

We will be praying the Stations of the Cross every Friday during Lent starting at 7pm

Anniversary Celebration

We will begin a yearlong celebration of our 40th Anniversary with a Mass on Feb 29th at 5pm. All are welcome.

Potluck and Game Night!

Friday at 6:30-10pm

Prepare for the Lenten season with one of our prayer groups:

Men's every 1st & 3rd Saturday at 8am

Women's every 2nd & 4th Thursday at 9:30am

St. Clement of Rome

Ash Wednesday Services

Mass in Spanish –Tuesday, February 25 at 7:45 p.m.

Wednesday, February 26 at 11:45 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Communal Penance

Saturday, February 29 at 4:00 p.m.

Monday, March 2 at 6:45 p.m.

Agape Center

The Agape Center would like to acknowledge our 2019 Sharing Tree Partners. We provided 40 families with holiday assistance in the form of gifts, hams and gift cards to local grocery stores. We could not achieve this goal without the unfailing support of our member churches. Our thanks to SS. John and Paul, St. Clement and St. John Vianney who provided beautifully wrapped gifts. Thanks also to St. Kieran and St. Therese for their generous donation of gift cards. We were also gifted with donated hams from a private donor and grocery store gift cards from the Romeo Goodfellows. Our gratitude to all for each of their contributions!

The annual figures for 2019 for the Agape Center food pantry are as follows. In 2019, the pantry served 1,361 families and 4,413 individuals. We received \$53,772.94 in-kind donations. Our available volunteer shifts were 1,306 which amounted to 3,773 in volunteer hours worked.

The Agape Center also partnered with North Macomb Vicariate member churches through their Christian Service Coordinators or their St. Vincent de Paul representatives to donate financial assistance. We had 37 requests for financial assistance and donated \$10,702.54 for utilities, rent/mortgage.

The Agape Center depends upon the generosity of volunteers and donors to fulfill our mission of sharing our love and resources with those in need. We are a 501 (c) (3) organization and all donations are tax deductible. Your donation can be made in memory of or in honor of a family member, friend or special person or group. The Agape Center gladly accepts non-perishable food, personal hygiene items, cleaning supplies, paper products, etc. The Agape Center does not accept furniture, clothing or household items. All donations can be made anytime during pantry hours.

The Agape Center is an agency of the United Way 211 emergency system for client referral and is an equal opportunity provider. Any questions regarding Agape Center can be directed to Kathy Mollon, Coordinator of Programs and Volunteers, at 586-336-6842 or visit www.agapenorthmacomb.org.

St. Therese of Lisieux

Lenten Liturgical Schedule

Ash Wednesday Schedule

Masses at 8:30 AM, Noon and 7:00 PM

Scripture Service at 5:00 PM

Stations of the Cross: Every Friday at 7:00 PM

FRIDAY NIGHT LENTEN FISH FRY • 4:00 - 7:00 PM

Visit www.StThereseParish.ws for a detailed menu.

Blood Drive Wednesday, March 18

Sign up online at www.redcrossblood.org and enter the sponsor code: sttherese or call 1-800 Red Cross (1-800-733- 2767) to schedule an appointment.

Powerful Tools for Caregivers

Is a 6-week program sponsored by the Area Agency on Aging 1-B March 18, 2020 through April 22, 2020. It will take place on Wednesdays from 1:00pm-2:30pm and is free. Class size is limited to 12. This educational program is designed to help family caregivers take care of themselves while caring for a family member or friend.

Compassionate Self- Care, Meditation and Relaxation Techniques

This lecture is being offered on February 6, 2020 from 11:00am-12:00pm and will highlight ways on how we can better take care of our spiritual and emotional self through meditation, reflection and relaxation techniques.

Registration for both classes is required. Please call the parish office at 586-254-4433.

Capuchin Retreat

Tap Into Life

Young Adult Ministry for ages 18 – 35, with Fr. Tom Nguyen. Sunday, Feb 2, Mar 1, May 3. Come and join us for Mass at 6pm, followed by dinner, a talk from Fr. Tom, and group discussion. We hope you can join this wonderful young adult community, here at Capuchin Retreat on the first Sunday of every month.

February Day of Reflection

“Embraced by God’s Love”. Thursday, February 13, 2020.

This program with Fr. Tom Zelinski will have a day program and an evening program. You are loved! God’s love is overflowing in our lives and wants to transform us to become instruments of radical love. St. Francis gives us an example of how our lives can be forever changed by the way we open our hearts to the many ways God captivates and embraces our hearts. Come and join us for a day or a night of reflection on how we can gain greater insights to love ourselves, one another, and the God of eternal Love.

The day program begins at 9 am with registration & continental breakfast, followed by two conferences, then lunch and concludes at 2pm after celebration of the Eucharist.

The evening program begins at 5:45 pm with registration and dinner at 6pm followed by conferences. Choose only one session as it is the same program, registration required. To register call 248 651-4826, or you may register on line at www.capretreat.org The suggested offering is only \$25.

Ash Wednesday Day of Reflection

“Gift From God”. Wednesday, February 26, 2020.

Our featured speaker is Fr. Tom Nguyen OFM Cap. Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the journey of Lent. Lent is a time of returning to our relationship with God and find again practices that lead us towards new life and resurrection. We are invited in the season of Lent to know that we are never alone. Please join us on Ash Wednesday as we “Enter the Journey” of Lent and find strength and purpose in this journey ahead.

The day program begins at 9 am with registration & continental breakfast, followed by two conferences, then lunch and concludes at 2pm after celebration of the Eucharist.

The evening program begins at 5:45 pm with registration and dinner at 6pm followed by conferences. Choose only one session as it is the same program, registration required. To register call 248 651-4826, or you may register on line at www.capretreat.org The suggested offering is only \$25.

Lenten Day of Reflection

Monday or Tuesday, March 2 & 3, 2020. More info soon.

Easter Day of Reflection

Tuesday & Wednesday, April 14 & 15, 2020. More info soon.

Weekend Retreats at Capuchin Retreat.

Our theme for this season is: “Speak, for you servant is listening” (1Sam. 3:10). Over a period of time, Samuel, with the help of Eli, eventually comes to an awareness that God is speaking to him. God is speaking to us in a variety of ways, in the high and lows, good times and bad, light and darkness, of life. Unfortunately, we do not hear or we are not conscious of a God who is constantly speaking to us. On this weekend we will try to discern the voice of God and recognize the many ways in which God speaks to us, individually, and in our world. Hopefully we too will come to a place where we begin learning to hear God’s voice. Visit our website (www.capretreat.org) to find out more about our weekend retreats for men and for women. Our weekend retreats include all meals, conferences, healing service, adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, and time for reconciliation, prayer and being silent with God. To register, or for more information on these or many other programs at Capuchin Retreat go to our website www.capretreat.org or call Capuchin Retreat at 248 651-4826.

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