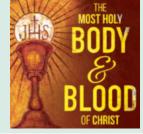


JUNE 19, 2022 | THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

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#### MASS SCHEDULE Weekday Mass Weekend Mass

Monday - Friday: 9:00am

#### Confession

At St. Mary: Sat., 12:00pm-1:00pm Or by appointment At St. Joseph Dexter: Sat., 4:00pm-4:30pm Weekend Mass Saturday: 4:30pm Sunday: 8:00am and 10:00am

**Eucharistic Exposition** 

Thurs., 9:00am-Fri., 9:00am

#### PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We the people of God of the Parish of St. Mary, Chelsea, are a faith community guided by the Holy Spirit, Christ made present in our time and place. As the visible Body of Christ, we are called to make God's light shine through us in love, in service, in worship, in celebration, in education, in guidance, in prayer, and in healing.

## PARISH STAFF

Parish Priest V. Rev. William J. Canon Turner PhD, KCHS, Pastor Marita Martin L.E.M.; D.R.E. Director of Religious Education

Deacon Thomas Franklin Deacon D. Michael Martin Deacon Wayne Slomiany Jenny Haroney Religious Education Secretary

**Elizabeth Ewald** Business Manager **Steve Hinz** Director of Music Ministry and Liturgy

Beth Wenzel Secretary

**Baptisms** Second Sunday of the month, by appointment.

#### Marriage

Arrangements to be made nine months in advance, please call the office before setting the date.

#### **Franciscan Sisters**

Sr. Ann and Sr. Patricia

734-475-9005

## ST. JOSEPH DEXTER

Daily Mass Times: Monday 8:15am (Communion Service first

Tuesday-Friday 8:15am

Monday of the month)

Weekend Mass times: Saturday: 5:00pm Sunday: 9am & 11am

Office: 734-426-8483

## IN OUR PRAYERS

Lloyd & Margaret Kooyers June Maciag Sr. Ann Mahany Jeff Williams Janet Schneider and all those who are suffering from chronic illness, depression, and those in despair.

#### St. Mary Rosary Program

Rosaries prayed this week: 65 Prayed to date: 144,227 Remember to pray a Hail Mary daily for our St. Mary and St. Jospeh family as we move forward together in our partnership.

## FROM YOUR PASTOR



This weekend as I celebrate Mass in the Holy Land, our friends there give thanks for the generosity of St. Mary parishioners, which includes gifts given by our Knights of Columbus through their fish fries and chicken dinners. There are also many other charitable

institutions which we support including the Baby Hospital, childcare facilities and parishes in the Patriarchate. The years of Covid have reduced their livelihood, which mainly comes from Pilgrims visiting the Holy Land. Only now have visitors begun to return. On behalf of our Christian friends there, I bring you greetings and thanks from them.

A Family Summer Game Day will be happening in our field this Saturday, June 25 from 11 am - 2 pm. This is for both children and adults and we ask you to bring a picnic basket of food. We still need some outdoor games to share. Please call the office for more information.

I am pleased to inform you that we have reached our goal for this year's DSA. Thank you so much! Anything over goal comes back to the parish at a 50% rate!

#### Habitat for Humanity Work Days

St. Mary Chelsea is participating in a limited way this year with a Habitat for Humanity Catholic house build. Normally, St. Mary participates every other year, but because of a connection to the future owner of this home through Friends of the Master, a Christian transitional community, the Charity and Justice Commission is contributing \$1,000 to this endeavor. We welcome the addition of your volunteer labor. If you would like to work on this house either Friday July 29 or Saturday July 30 please contact Rod Payne 734-475-1497. Kathie Gourlay, Charity and Justice Commission

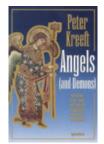


Next week we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection to support the

Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including helping Pope Francis to carry out his charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous. For more information, please visit; www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & FAITH FORMATION

Happy Father's Day Why did Pius XII institute the Feast of St. Joseph the Worker? St. Joseph's May 1st feast day was a response to a Communist celebration. In 1955, a huge swath of the world lay under the evil shadow of Communism. Among the efforts of Pope Pius XII to counter the evil effects of Communism's atheistic ideology was the institution of a new feast in honor of St. Joseph the Worker. Pius XII placed it on May 1st, the same day that the Communists held their "May Day" celebration: an anti-religious, secular commemoration of labor. Lenin and his fellow communists viewed work in purely materialistic terms. To counter the communist view, Pope Pius XII placed before the faithful the example of St. Joseph the Worker, true model of all workers. Unlike the Communists-who viewed work in purely materialistic terms and cut God right out of the equation-St. Joseph's work had a supremely spiritual dimension. St. Joseph did his work, quite literally, for God. As a carpenter in Nazareth, he worked in order to support the Child Jesus and His Mother Mary. Jesus learned the carpenter's trade from St. Joseph and worked for the majority of His life as a carpenter Himself. The life of the Holy Family shows us the value, beauty, and sanctity of work. St. Joseph the Worker is the patron saint of all workers, especially husbands and fathers who get up and go to work every day to support the family they love and cherish. St. Joseph, pray for us.



### Let's Talk About Angels (And Demons)!

What do you know about angels and demons? What would you like to know? Angels are spoken of in Scripture frequently and are active in our lives today. Join us on Wednesdays from July

6 through July 27 at either 9:00 – 10:00 am or 7:00 – 8:00 pm. THERE IS NO HOMEWORK! We will use the book by Peter Kreeft, <u>Angels (and Demons) What Do</u> <u>We Really Know About Them?</u> which is full of questions and answers that will open our eyes to these beings of God's Creation. Registration is required so that we can have the appropriate amount of materials. The fee is \$10.00 per person. You can register online at www.stjos.com or after Masses up until July 3. Please contact Marinell High at marinell\_high.stjos.com or at 734-426-8483. THIS IS AT ST. JOE IN DEXTER.

## LITURGY CORNER

## **Corpus Christi**

During the earliest days of the church, we celebrated "The Breaking of the Bread," which grew out of the Passover-like meal in the upper room which we call "The Last Supper."

Soon, the format of "The Breaking of the Bread" grew away from the Passover Meal and became its own ritual, which is the earliest beginning of what we now call "The Mass." Our earliest record of the heart of the text of this early ritual is a small quote, found in the first letter of Paul to the Church in Corinth:

For I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus, on the night he was handed over, took bread, and, after he had given thanks, broke it and said, "This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way also the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the death of the Lord until he comes.

"Remembrance," for the disciples, was more than just "remembering." Remembrance has its roots in the celebration of Passover, where Jewish people not only remember but are present, across time, in that Passover evening, where the Blood of the Lamb marked them as God's People. So too, the word "memory" as used in the Mass today is more than just "remembering." The word "Memory" at Mass invites us into participation in that first "Breaking of the Bread," where Jesus gives himself then and now to us. Joy of Joys! Gift of Gifts! Maranatha – Come, Lord Jesus, come, and reside in us.



St. Mary Parish offers their sympathy and prayers to the family of Ronald Hopp Sr., who passed away on May 29th, 2022. Ron is survived by his children, Brenda and Ronald and several grandchildren. A funeral Mass was held on June 17th, 2022 at

St. Mary Church, officiated by Fr. Paul Tarabay. Eternal rest grant to him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him.

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday:

Gn 14:18-20 | Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 | 1 Cor 11:23-26 | Lk 9:11-17

#### Monday:

2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15, 18 | Ps 60:3, 4-5, 12-13 | Mt 7:1-5

#### **Tuesday:**

2 Kgs 19:9-11, 14-21, 31-35, 36 | Ps 48:2-3, 4, 10-11 | Mt 7:6, 12-14

#### Wednesday:

2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3 | Ps 119:33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40 | Mt 7:15-20

#### Thursday: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Is 49:1-6 | Ps 139:1-3, 13-14, 15 | Acts 13:22-26 | Lk 1:57-66, 80

#### Friday: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Ez 34:11-16 | Ps 23:1-3, 4, 5, 6 | Rom 5:5-11 | Lk 15:3-7

## Saturday: The Immaculate Heart

#### of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19 | Ps 74:1b-2, 3-5, 6-7, 20-21 | Lk 2:41-51

#### Next Sunday:

1 Kgs 19:16, 19-21 | Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 | Gal 5:1, 13-18 | Lk 9:51-62

#### Marian Apparitions in China:

Our Lady of China appeared near Beijing in a poor village named Dong-Lu, "the place of beggars." A Mission was started there by Vincentian Fathers and by 1900 some 700 Christians were working and living there. The famous Boxer rebellion swept through China and in April of 1900, 10,000 rioters attacked Dong-Lu. The soldiers in senseless rage, started to shoot into the sky. Then suddenly they fled, frightened, and never came back again. A woman in white appeared above the settlement, the rioters' bullets were aimed at her. When the apparition did not fade, a strange horseman put the attackers to flight, and they disappeared beyond the horizon. Father Wu, a Chinese priest serving in Dong-Lu, confessed to his flock that he invoked the help of Mary. To honor Mary, a church was built on the site and Father Wu placed a picture of Our Lady on the main altar. He asked the painter to dress Our Lady in the royal robes of the dowager Empress Tzi-His. Though her robes be pagan, she belongs to every age, to all people and to every race. As was told in the Old Testament (Sirach 24:24) "I am the mother of fair love, and of fear, and of knowledge, and of holy hope." Recently, the Dong-Lu church was completely destroyed by communists, but the picture of Our Lady of China remains as it was hidden in the wall and is now carried by all Chinese priests who carry out their activities in disguise.

Our Lady of China, pray for us.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 18 4:30pm Pauline Derick By Her Family

#### Sunday, June 19 8:00am For Our Parish 10:00am Charles Jankowski By The Jankowski Family

Monday, June 20 9:00am No Mass

Tuesday, June 21 9:00am No Mass

Wednesday, June 22 9:00am No Mass



Thursday, June 23 9:00am No Mass

**Friday, June 24** 9:00am Poor Souls In Purgatory By Frank & Becky Bartel

> **Saturday, June 25** 4:30pm For Our Parish

Sunday, June 26 8:00am Birthday Wishes Victoria Jameyfield By Shaun Murphy and Traci Fletcher 10:00am James & Shirley Gaken By Annette Gaken Houle

## We need altar servers!

Our Parish is in dire need of additional altar servers to serve at weekend masses. When we hear the term "Altar Server" we often think of children and teens who volunteer to serve at the altar during mass. However, most of us don't realize that altar serving is not limited to children and teens. Adults are welcome to serve as well. Altar serving at St. Mary is open to everyone from the fourth grade and older. Husbands and wives may serve together, or a parent(s) can serve with their children and make it a family activity.

Maybe God is calling you or your child to be an altar server. If you or your child is interested in volunteering as an altar server, please contact the office, 734-475-7561, or email at bewald@stmarychelsea.org. Prior to serving at the altar there is a brief training session.

## THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

#### Monday, June 20

9am No Mass 7pm The Chosen in the Hall

> <u>Tuesday, June 21</u> 9am No Mass

Wednesday, June 22 9am No Mass

Thursday, June 23 24hr Adoration 9am No Mass 6:30pm St. Mary Prayer Service & Rosary

<u>Friday, June 24</u>

Saturday, June 25 12-1pm Confessions

<u>Sunday, June 26</u> 13th Sunday In Ordinary Time

## STEWARDSHIP

"For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters. But do not use this freedom as an opportunity for the flesh; rather serve one another through love." Galatians 5:13 We like to celebrate that we are free to "live the good life." We can do what we want, anytime we want, with no regard for laws. But, Jesus calls us to a different kind of freedom. St. Paul reminds us that by imitating Jesus we are freed from becoming a slave to our own self-interests and desires, so that we can serve one another. We are free to share our gifts and promote God's work on earth to glorify His name and not honor ourselves.



St. Mary is hosting "Family Summer Games Day" on June 25th, 2022 from 11am to 2pm. We will have an assortment of summer lawn games in the field, as well as sidewalk chalk available for kids to color the side parking lot. Come

and go as you please or bring a picnic lunch if you would like. There will be popcorn and water available.

Please contact the office, if you have a lawn game we can borrow.

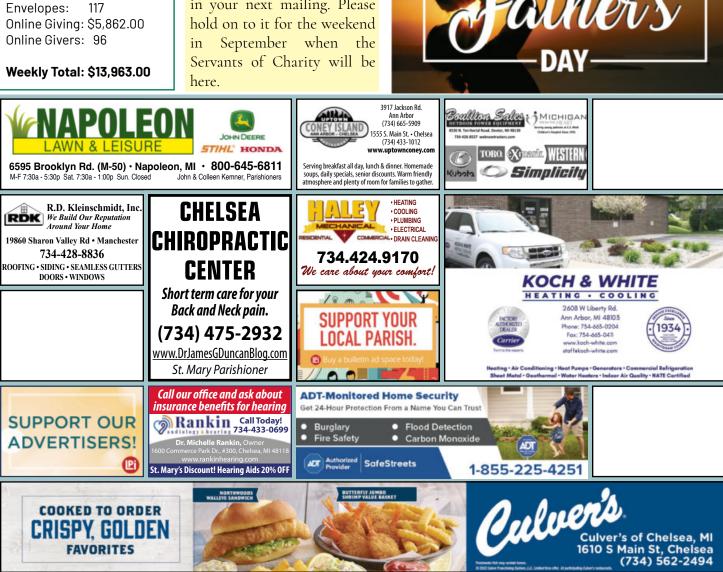
#### WEEKLY OFFERING Giving back to the Lord

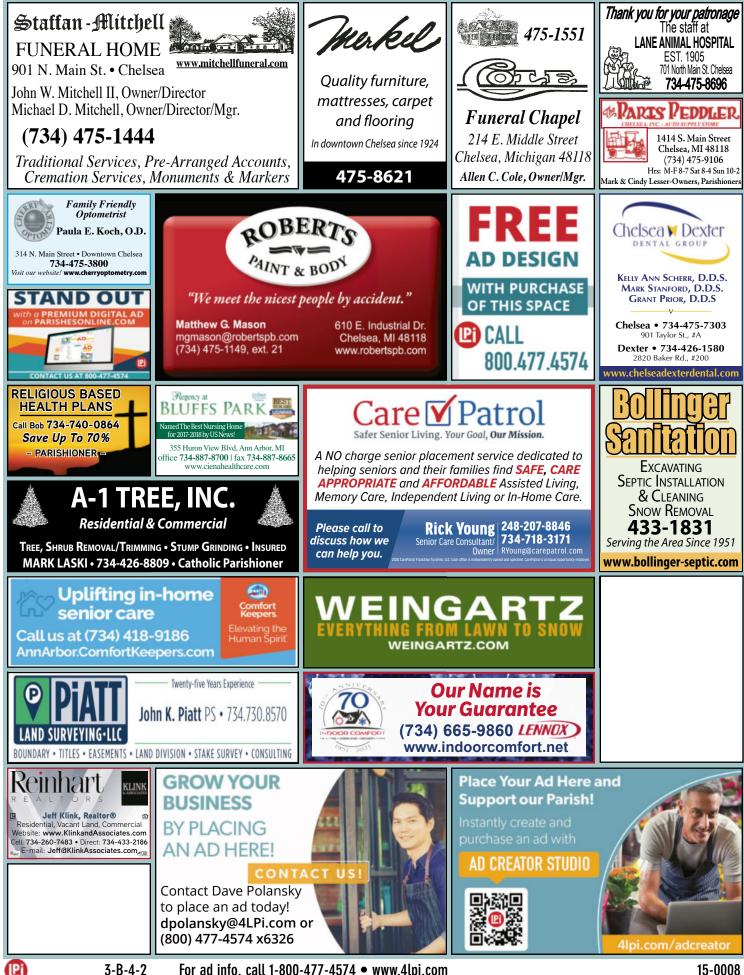
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