

# ST. FAUSTINA

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*Established July 1, 2013*



**NOVEMBER 7, 2021 THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

### OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We continue the work of Jesus Christ, to Unleash the Gospel and help everyone seek and experience the love and mercy of God.

### *Father Bogdan's Corner*

Thank you to all who participated last week in many devotions to commemorate All Saints, All Souls, First Friday Devotions and First Saturday that are helping us to get prepared for our entry to the eternal life. Keep praying for the people who left with us the world they had made with God's help.

This week on Thursday we will observe Veteran's Day. The intentions and prayers for them will be offered at all the Masses next weekend.

The teaching of Jesus for this weekend is very simple and practical: support with all your being and proper understanding your biological family, parish family and humanity. The widow from today's Gospel is a good example.

*May God Bless you all,  
Fr. Bogdan*

Honoring  
ALL WHO  
served

**THANK YOU  
VETERANS**



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# MASS INTENTIONS

**Wednesday, November 10<sup>th</sup> 9:00 a.m.**

- ✚ Amy Polsinelli req by Tom & Carol Cracchiolo
- ✚ Lucille Pelc (Birthday Rem) req by Family

**Friday, November 12<sup>th</sup> 9:00 a.m.**

- ✚ Jennifer Elias req by Family
- ✚ William Mullersman, Sr. req by Son Bill



We are still trying to reach our CSA Goal for this year. Less than one-fourth of our parishioners have participated this year. If you have not donated, please consider doing so.

Thank you

## This Week:

**Monday, November 8<sup>st</sup>**

9:00 a.m. - No Mass

**Tuesday, November 9<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 a.m. - No Mass

**Wednesday, November 10<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 a.m. - Mass

**Thursday, November 11<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 a.m. - No Mass

**Friday, November 12<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 a.m. - Mass

**Saturday, November 13<sup>th</sup>**

3:00 p.m. - Confession

4:00 p.m. - Mass

**Sunday, November 14<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 a.m. - Mass

11:00 a.m. - Mass



During the week of

*November 7, 2021*

the candle next to the Tabernacle will burn in memory of

*Gerald Labiak*  
(3rd Anniversary)

req by

Wife & Children



Tune in each night at 7 p.m. for our daily devotion. Our You-Tube channel is: [stfaustina.tv](http://stfaustina.tv)

## YOU'RE INVITED

### Eucharistic Miracles Exhibition

St. Louise de Marillac is having the Eucharistic Miracles Exhibition at their Parish Hall on:

Friday November 19th from:  
4:00—8:00 p.m.

Saturday November 20th from:  
2:00—7:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 21st from:  
1:00—5:00 p.m.

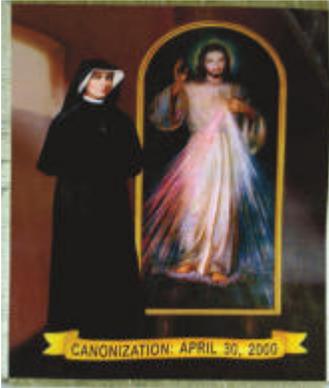
We would like to invite all to come and see These miracles about the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. The event will take place in the Social Hall behind the Church. We look forward to Seeing you there!



## VETERANS DAY

WE HONOR YOUR SACRIFICE

Mass / Presider	Intentions
Saturday, November 13 <sup>th</sup> 4:00 p.m. Fr. Bogdan Milosz	✚ Laurie Loiacano req by Husband Sam ✚ Jeff Loiacano req by Father ✚ Rosalie Loiacano req by Brother ✚ Andrew Clothier req by Friend ✚ Gerald Labiak req by Wife Geri
Sunday, November 14 <sup>th</sup> 8:30 a.m. Fr. Bogdan Milosz	✚ Jennifer Elias req by Family ✚ Mary Joan Haggerty req by Family
11:00 a.m. Fr. Bogdan Milosz	✚ Thomas Podeszwik req by Family



# Faith FORMATION

**On Sunday, October 31<sup>st</sup> at 11:00 Mass we celebrated the Rite of Enrollment for the First Holy Communion and Confirmation candidates for 2021-2022. Thank you for all that were in attendance to Bless and introduce these students to the Parish Community.**



While every effort is made to ensure the accuracy of bulletin information, we offer apologies for any errors or omissions that might occur.

## GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,  
and on earth peace to people of good will.  
We praise you,  
we bless you,  
we adore you,  
we glorify you,  
we give you thanks for your great glory,  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
O God, almighty Father.  
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you  
take away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us;  
you take away the sins of the world,  
receive our prayer;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have  
mercy on us.  
For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father.

Amen.

### First Reading: 1 Kgs 17:10-16

In those days, Elijah the prophet went to Zarephath.  
As he arrived at the entrance of the city,  
a widow was gathering sticks there; he called out to her,  
"Please bring me a small cupful of water to drink."  
She left to get it, and he called out after her,  
"Please bring along a bit of bread."  
She answered, "As the LORD, your God, lives,  
I have nothing baked; there is only a handful of  
flour in my jar  
and a little oil in my jug.  
Just now I was collecting a couple of sticks,  
to go in and prepare something for myself and my  
son;  
when we have eaten it, we shall die."  
Elijah said to her, "Do not be afraid.  
Go and do as you propose.  
But first make me a little cake and bring it to me.  
Then you can prepare something for yourself and  
your son.

### First Reading (Cont'd)

For the LORD, the God of Israel, says,  
"The jar of flour shall not go empty,  
nor the jug of oil run dry,  
until the day when the LORD sends rain upon the  
earth."  
She left and did as Elijah had said.  
She was able to eat for a year, and he and her son as  
well;  
the jar of flour did not go empty,  
nor the jug of oil run dry,  
as the LORD had foretold through Elijah.

### Responsorial Psalm PS 146:7, 8-9, 9-10

#### R. (1b) Praise the Lord, my soul!

The LORD keeps faith forever,  
secures justice for the oppressed,  
gives food to the hungry.  
The LORD sets captives free.

#### R. Praise the Lord, my soul!

The LORD gives sight to the blind.  
The LORD raises up those who were bowed down;  
the LORD loves the just.  
The LORD protects strangers.

#### R. Praise the Lord, my soul!

The fatherless and the widow he sustains,  
but the way of the wicked he thwarts.  
The LORD shall reign forever;  
your God, O Zion, through all generations. Alleluia.

#### R. Praise the Lord, my soul!

### Second Reading: Heb 9:24-28

Christ did not enter into a sanctuary made by hands,  
a copy of the true one, but heaven itself,  
that he might now appear before God on our behalf.  
Not that he might offer himself repeatedly,  
as the high priest enters each year into the sanctuary  
with blood that is not his own;  
if that were so, he would have had to suffer repeatedly  
from the foundation of the world.  
But now once for all he has appeared at the end of the  
ages  
to take away sin by his sacrifice.  
Just as it is appointed that human beings die once,  
and after this the judgment, so also Christ,  
offered once to take away the sins of many,  
will appear a second time, not to take away sin  
but to bring salvation to those who eagerly await him.

**Alleluia****R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

Blessed are the poor in spirit,  
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.****Mt 5:3****NICENE CREED**

I believe in one God,  
the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all things visible and invisible.  
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the Only Begotten Son of God,  
born of the Father before all ages.  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us men and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the  
Virgin Mary,  
and became man.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,  
he suffered death and was buried,  
and rose again on the third day  
in accordance with the Scriptures.  
He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory  
to judge the living and the dead  
and his kingdom will have no end.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of  
life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glo-  
rified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.  
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.  
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins  
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

**Gospel****Mk 12:38-44**

In the course of his teaching Jesus said to the  
crowds,  
"Beware of the scribes, who like to go around  
in long robes  
and accept greetings in the marketplaces,  
seats of honor in synagogues,  
and places of honor at banquets.  
They devour the houses of widows and, as a  
pretext  
recite lengthy prayers.  
They will receive a very severe condemna-  
tion."  
He sat down opposite the treasury  
and observed how the crowd put money into  
the treasury.  
Many rich people put in large sums.  
A poor widow also came and put in two small  
coins worth a few cents.  
Calling his disciples to himself, he said to  
them,  
"Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in  
more  
than all the other contributors to the treas-  
ury.  
For they have all contributed from their sur-  
plus wealth,  
but she, from her poverty, has contributed all  
she had,  
her whole livelihood."



## GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

**November 7, 2021 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

On December 10, 1979, a very petite holy woman known as Mother Teresa of Calcutta spoke these words in her Nobel Peace Prize Acceptance Speech, “But I am sure in the families and many of our homes, maybe we are not hungry for a piece of bread, but maybe there is somebody there in the family who is unwanted, unloved, uncared, forgotten, there isn’t love. Love begins at home. And love to be true has to hurt. I never forget a little child who taught me a very beautiful lesson. They heard in Calcutta, the children, that Mother Teresa had no sugar for her children, and this little one, Hindu boy four years old, he went home and he told his parents: I will not eat sugar for three days, I will give my sugar to Mother Teresa. How much a little child can give. After three days they brought into our house, and there was this little one who could scarcely pronounce my name, he loved with great love, he loved until it hurt. And this is what I bring before you, to love one another until it hurts, but don’t forget that there are many children, many children, many men and women who haven’t got what you have. And remember to love them until it hurts.”

Living authentically and walking with holiness always involves sacrifice. It has to hurt. Only actions springing from true and deep sacrifice demonstrate true integrity. Without sacrifice, even what is apparently a generous gesture can be nothing. It is no wonder that the widow who contributed from her poverty received great admiration from Jesus and the young child in our story above the interest of Mother Teresa. It is easy to make the houses of our lives look like they are in perfect order when in fact they are in shambles within. Religion can sometimes make this hypocritical masquerade easy to accomplish. We can find ourselves in all the right holy places, reciting all of the correct prayers, participating in community collections, and reciting the proper doctrines only to find ourselves empty, shallow, self-focused, and overly anxious about personal concerns.

The one who learns to discover their inner poverty, their spiritual poverty, is the only one who can truly place him or herself at the mercy of God. It is only when we allow ourselves to be empty that we realize Who we actually need to fill us. This is the real meaning of trust. Many of us are afraid to take the plunge. We allow ourselves to detach from only so much, always keeping a watchful eye on the protection of our securities. We understand the value of poverty, but we do not want to become too poor. As long as we are able to recognize this tension, our reluctance to let go and our struggle, we can continue our journey of humbly learning how to love so deeply that it hurts. God understands and waits.

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### Giving Tree 2021



Christian Service will again be sponsoring a Giving Tree this year. Like last year we will be posting boards with tags on them. If you are a registered member of St. Faustina and would like some support please contact Joannie Matiyow at 586-293-9273 in the evening. Requests will be kept confidential. Please reach out by Friday, November 12.



### SVdP Pantry



A sincere Thank You to all who donated items for our Thanksgiving Bags. At this time, we do not need any more jello or puddings. Our needs for this month are as follows: canned yams, canned cranberries, turkey gravy, canned vegetables, canned fruit, jam/preserves, boxed potatoes, ramen noodles, toothpaste, hand soap, and paper towels.

Also, many thanks for the donations to the poor boxes and to the parishioners who send us monetary gifts. We are so very grateful and we could not do this without your help. God Bless!

**ST. FAUSTINA**

**Please pray for those in our parish family in prolonged sickness:**

Norma Angeleri  
 Samantha Beattie  
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**Daily Masses**

Wednesday & Friday 9:00 a.m.

**MASSES**

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.  
 Sunday: 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

Saturday - 3:00 p.m.  
 Or by appointment

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**Report Abuse**

The Archdiocese of Detroit encourages individuals to report clergy sexual abuse of minors and others - no matter when the abuse occurred. Individuals may contact local law enforcement authorities and/or they may report to the Archdiocese of Detroit by calling the Victim Assistance Coordinator at (866) 343-8055 or by emailing vac@aod.org. In addition, the Michigan Attorney General's Office can be contacted at its toll-free reporting hotline at (844) 324-3374 or by email at aginvestigations@michigan.gov.

More information about the Archdiocese's efforts to address abuse may be found at protect.aod.org.

**Registration**

Parishioners may register in person, by phone, or online.

**Baptism**

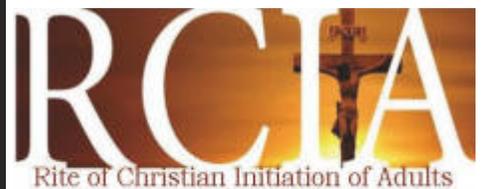
At least one parent needs to be registered, active and a practicing Catholic for at least six months. A Baptismal Preparation Class is required for both parents and godparents. The church requires that at least one of the godparents be an active and practicing Catholic. For more information call the Parish Office.

**Marriages**

Arrange at least six months in advance.

**Communion Calls**

Pastoral Staff members visit the sick in the hospital when possible and take Communion to the sick and homebound regularly. Names of the sick should be reported to the Parish Office.



If you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic, please contact the Parish Office or send an email to stfaustina@comcast.net

St. Faustina is extending a personal invitation to you so that we can help with your spiritual needs.

If you have been baptized and have made your First Holy Communion, please contact Fr. Bogdan to inquire about Confirmation.



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