Thoughts from Monsignor McClory

Dear Parish Family:

Blessed Solanus Casey: Feast Day July 30, Prayer Chair

The Feast Day of Blessed Solanus Casey is this Tuesday, July 30. In anticipation of his feast day, we will return the chair on which he prayed during his time at Shrine. The chair will be returned to its original place within the sanctuary from July 27-30. We will have a special holy card available for visitors with an enlarged photo of him praying at Shrine. Blessed Solanus prayed at the Shrine several times – and we are delighted to honor him and seek his intercession for our needs. Blessed Solanus, pray for us...

Heavenly Father,

Inspired by your holy priest Blessed Solanus, we place our trust in you and thank you ahead of time for answering our prayers.

We entrust our parish, the National Shrine of the Little Flower Basilica, into your care. Transform us into a band of joyful missionary disciples who go forth filled with the love of Christ.

In the spirit of Saint Thérèse and Blessed Solanus, inspire us to give witness to the Good News, sharing the faith through word and action. Through your Holy Spirit, help us to draw all to communion in Christ.

We also offer to you our personal prayers and intentions. As Blessed Solanus joyfully accepted Your divine plans, we abandon ourselves to Your will and ask You to hear our prayers through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

“Blessed be God in all His Designs.”

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Monday - Friday ........................................................................... 9:00 AM - 8:30 PM
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Emergencies handled any time. Please limit other visits/phone calls to the above times

CHURCH HOURS/ HORAS DE IGLESIA
Monday - Friday ........................................................................... 5:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Saturday ....................................................................................... 7:30 AM - after 6:30 PM Mass
Sunday .......................................................................................... 6:30 AM - after 6:00 PM Mass

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Monday - Friday ........................................................................... 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

MASSES/MISAS
Sunday ....................................................................................... 7:30, 9:00, 10:45AM, 12:30, 4:00 PM (Español, Spanish) 6:00 PM
Saturday ....................................................................................... 8:30 AM, 4:30 PM, 6:30 PM
Weekday ....................................................................................... 6:30, 8:30 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION/ SACRAMENTO DE RECONCILIACIÓN
After 6:30 AM Mass weekdays; Saturdays 3:00 - 4:30 PM and after the 4:30 PM Mass
(En español el 1er domingo de cada mes a las 3PM)
SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM/ SACRAMENTO DEL BAUTISMO
Sunday at 2:00 PM please contact the parish office at ext. 1410
(En español el 1er domingo de cada mes, después de misa de 4:00 PM)
SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE/ SACRAMENTO DEL MATRIMONIO
Parish members, please contact the parish office at ext. 1410 At least six months in advance
(Miembros de la parroquia por favor de contactar a Antonio Guzmán)

Spiritual Care For The Sick And Homebound
Please contact Paula Dixon, Pastoral Associate, at ext. 1411, If there is an illness, hospitalization or a need for a homebound ministry

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Docents are on duty from 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Monday - Friday except during services.
To schedule groups of ten or more call 586.431.1753 or email vrohr@shrinechurch.com

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To inform the Archdiocese of Detroit regarding the sexual abuse of minors by priests, deacons, and other church personnel and/or to speak to the Victim Assistance Coordinator, contact 866.343.8055. A caller will be requested to provide his or her name and telephone number. All calls regarding complaints of sexual abuse will be returned in a timely manner. This toll-free telephone number has been established as part of an effort by the Detroit archdiocese to protect children, young people, and other vulnerable people in our schools, parishes, and ministries. This line is for reporting suspected sexual misconduct or child abuse within archdiocesan institutions and ministries only. Persons with complaints not involving clergy or church personnel should refer to the archdiocesan web site at www.aod.org for contact information for civil authorities.
Para informar a la Arquidiócesis de Detroit sobre el abuso sexual de menores por parte de sacerdotes, diáconos y otro personal de la iglesia y / o hablar con el Coordinador de Asistencia a las Víctimas, llame al 866.343.8055. Se le pedirá a la persona que llama que proporcione su nombre y número de teléfono. Todas las llamadas relacionadas con quejas de abuso sexual serán devueltas de manera oportuna. Este número de teléfono gratuito se estableció como parte de un esfuerzo de la arquidiócesis de Detroit para proteger a los niños, los jóvenes y otras personas vulnerables en nuestras escuelas, parroquias y ministerios. Esta línea es para reportar sospechas de conducta sexual inapropiada o abuso infantil dentro de las instituciones y ministerios arquidiocesanos únicamente. Las personas con quejas que no involucren al clero o al personal de la iglesia deben consultar el sitio web de la arquidiócesis en www.aod.org para obtener información de contacto de las autoridades civiles.

Perpetual Mass Enrollment Cards
The National Shrine of the Little Flower Basilica has a beautiful six-page Perpetual Mass card available at the parish rectory office. With this enrollment, the person or persons, living or deceased, will be remembered in a Mass once a month at the National Shrine on or near the first Friday of each month. The Masses will be celebrated every month in perpetuity. The suggested offering for the enrollment card including a card suitable to be given to family or individuals is $25 per card.
MASS INFORMATION including Readings of the Week and Intentions

Monday, July 29
St. Martha
Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23 [1a]/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
6:30 AM Fr. John McKenzie
Intention +James Martin McClory
Servers Michael McGavin, Caydin Barbato
8:30 AM Fr. John Kopson
Intention Special Mass Intention
Servers Alejandro Claudio, Walter Plymale

Tuesday, July 30
St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop & Doctor of the Church
Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13 [8a]/Mt 13:36-43
6:30 AM Monsignor Robert McClory
Intention Intentions of John and Marirose Ilkka on 31st Anniversary
Servers Sean Murphy, Eli Lamb
8:30 AM Fr. Joe Lang
Intention +Caridad Gonzales
Servers Tess Tillman, Jenna Ruhle

Wednesday, July 31
St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest
Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5, 6, 7 [cf. 9c]/Mt 13:44-46
6:30 AM Fr. Joe Lang
Intention +Mark Evo
Servers Benjamin Pinkins, Nicholas Pinkins
8:30 AM Fr. John McKenzie
Intention +Ginny & Mickey Smith
Servers Alex Cerone, Abenezer Cerone

Thursday, Aug 1
St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop & Doctor of the Church
Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11 [2]/Mt 13:47-53
6:30 AM Fr. John Kopson
Intention +Les & Marie Krause
Servers Dominic Maceroni, Isaac Kennedy
8:30 AM Fr. John McKenzie
Intention +Douglas Garfield
Servers Lorenzo Mio, Tess Tillman

Friday, Aug 2
St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; St. Peter Julian Eymard, Priest
Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab [2a]/Mt 13:54-58
6:30 AM Monsignor Robert McClory
Intention PERPETUAL MASS
Servers TBA
8:30 AM Fr. Joe Lang
Intention Deceased members of the Dysarez, Feyer & Wojcicki Families
Servers Summer Smith, Jenna Ruhle

Saturday, Aug 3
Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8 [4]/Mt 14:1-12
8:30 AM Monsignor Robert McClory
Intention Intentions of Tess Porcalla
Servers TBA

Sunday, Aug 4
18th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17 [1]/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21
Vigil Masses (on Saturday)
4:30 PM Fr. John McKenzie
Intention +James Andrew Sarti
Servers Maria Ruhle, Jenna Ruhle, Elizabeth Kemp, Katherine Kemp, Sarah Kemp
Lectors Therese Dumas, Ed Lash
Hospitality Mike Nagy, Team

Sunday Masses
7:30 AM Fr. John Kopson
Intention +Loretta Zalewski
Servers Carter Buchanan, Collin Buchanan, Miguel Garcia, Chase Proctor
Lectors R ob Lerner, Nicole Pettibone
Hospitality Gerald Schaffran, Team
9:00 AM Fr. Joe Lang
Intention +Frank & Ernestine Petri
Servers Marty Massucci, Luc Samoray, Max Samoray, Sean Murphy
Lectors Ethan Lanfear, Katherine Mutschler
Hospitality Tony Recchia, Team
10:45 AM Monsignor Robert McClory
Intention Intentions of Ann Davidson
Servers Ethan Cwiek, Jesse Hanselman, Keifer Hanselman, Walter Plymale
M.C. Erik Jenkins
Lectors Mark Mason, Ivan Herring
Hospitality Wayne Friedman, Team
12:30 PM Fr. Joe Lang
Intention +Leonard Mallner
Servers Regan Smith, Summer Smith, Courtney Buchanan, Grace Haley
Lectors Becky Burek, Janie Lynch
Hospitality Hugh Brennan, Team
4:00 PM Spanish Mass - Fr. John McKenzie
Lectores Mónica De Los Santos, Keny Alvarez
Ministros Eucarísticos Yesenia Banos, Martha Barrientos, Gloria Morales, Maria León

6:00 PM Monsignor Robert McClory
Intention Intentions of the National Shrine of the Little Flower Parishioners
Servers Eli Thummel, Sam Curoe, Charlie Curoe, Harry Curoe
Lectors Ava Gappy, Olivia Kruszewski
Hospitality Tom Torma, Team

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Sunday, July 28
Masses 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:45 AM, 12:30 PM, 4:00 PM (Spanish), 6:00 PM

Lending Library
CC 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
God the Father Prayer Group
CC-A 5:00 PM
Youth Ministry
YR 7:00 PM

Monday, July 29
Masses 6:30, 8:30 AM
SoulCore Exercise Class
CC-SH 6:00 AM
SoulCore - Gentle Exercise Class
CC-SH 10:00 AM
Legion of Mary
CC 7:00 PM
Love of God Prayer Group
STC 8:00 PM

Wednesday, July 31
Masses 6:30, 8:30 AM
Men’s Bible Study
CC-A 6:30 AM
Women’s Evening Study Group
CC-SH 7:00 PM
Evening Prayer Gathering
Church 7:00 PM

Thursday, August 1
Masses 6:30, 8:30 AM
Basic Evangelization Training
CC 6:30 PM
SoulCore Exercise Program
CC-SH 7:00 PM
Men’s Evening Bible Study
CC-A 7:00 PM

Friday, August 2
Masses 6:30, 8:30 AM
Lending Library
CC 9:15 AM - Noon
Women’s Group Study
CC 9:00 AM
Grupo de Renovacion Carismatico
CC-SH 7:00 PM
Armada Blanca
Church 7:00 PM

Saturday, August 3
Mass 8:30 AM
Frassati Men’s Group
CC-B 9:30 AM

Sunday Liturgy Vigil
Masses 4:30 PM, 6:30 PM
Sunday, August 4
Masses 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:45 AM, 12:30 PM, 4:00 PM (Spanish), 6:00 PM
Lending Library
CC 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
God the Father Prayer Group
CC-A 5:00 PM
Youth Ministry
YR 7:00 PM
"Who will teach me what is most agreeable to God so that I may do it?" ~motto of St. Kateri Tekakwitha

"As in imitation of Blessed Kateri, Blessed Crescentia of Kaufbeuren often said: 'Two things constitute my heaven on earth: The Holy Will of God and the Most Blessed Sacrament.' Likewise, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton found great repose, holy peace, knowledge of self, spiritual contentment and complete submission to God's will in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. 'What was the first rule of our Savior's life?' she asked. 'You know it was to do the Father's will. Well then, the first purpose of our daily work is to do the will of God; secondly to do it in the manner He wills; thirdly, to do it because it is His will.' ~Hidden Treasure: The Riches of the Eucharist

Please call Joe or Marie Lama at 248.655.0309 or email us at msuzanne1981@gmail.com if you would like a Holy Hour with Jesus, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament. Due to early article submissions, please call or email for the most updated list of open Holy Hours. Open Holy Hours: Monday, 11:00 AM; Wednesday, 1:00 AM, 3:00 AM, 4:00 AM; Friday, 2:00 AM. Partners are desired for the following Holy Hours: Sunday, 1:00 PM, 2:00 PM; Monday, 7:00 PM; Tuesday, 11:00 PM.

Mary, Mother of the Eucharist, pray for us!

On July 28, Mary Lu DeFauw passed on to eternal life. Mary Lu and her beloved husband, Don, were instrumental in starting Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration here at the Shrine. If you knew Mary Lu, you knew adoration was her heart. I remember our phone conversations where she would say, "Let's say a Hail Mary for adoration." That would begin and/or end our conversation. She encouraged me, and I encouraged her when she would worry about adoration continuing. Mary Lu's funeral was on Louis and Zelie Martin's memorial feast. It seemed appropriate for Mary Lu who loved St. Thérèse and loved her husband, Don. I hope they are all adoring our Lord in heaven! ~Marie Lama

PLEASE NOTE: Names will be removed from the sick list after two months unless we are notified to do otherwise. Email Herald@shrinechurch.com to add a name.
Shrine Herald
National Shrine of the Little Flower Basilica

Please pray for our Military

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Patrick Paul Atallah, USMC
Christopher Babcock, USAF
Sgt. Robert J. Bain, US Army
Envin E. Billings, US Army
Corey Brady, US Navy
Capt. Matthew Cain, US Army
LCpl. Matthew T. Canfield, US MC
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MA Charles Dagher, US Navy
LCpl. Jacob Dagher USMC
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SSgt. Samuel Flannery USAF
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LCpl. Helen Girardot, USMC
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Please notify us with additions or when one of our members can be removed. Thank you!

Life Matters

The following is a statement from the Archdiocese of Detroit from June 26th regarding the two prolife petition drives:

The Department of Communications of the Archdiocese of Detroit shares Archbishop Allen Vigneron’s comments on the two citizen initiative petition drives set to take place in Michigan that would have an impact on pro-life policy in the state. The drive announced Wednesday, June 26 in Lansing, organized by Right to Life of Michigan, would prohibit dilation and evacuation abortion procedures, also known as “dismemberment abortion.” A second proposal seeks to prohibit abortion after cardiac activity is detected in the developing child. The Michigan Catholic Conference (MCC) Board of Directors, with Archbishop Vigneron as its chair, is in full support of the dismemberment abortion petition drive, and has expressed reservations about the heartbeat petition. Archbishop Vigneron’s comments are as follows:

“The Catholic Church in Michigan lends her support to sound and reasonable public policies, especially those which protect the most innocent among us. I invite all people of goodwill, regardless of religious or political affiliation, to join the citizen initiative effort to prohibit the heinous dilation and evacuation abortion procedure that requires the dismemberment of a human child in the womb. While the proposal advanced by the “heartbeat” coalition shares the goal of ending abortion, it appears to raise the possibility of negatively impacting existing law in Michigan that protects all unborn human life, which only lies dormant due to the Roe v. Wade decision. As these petition drives move forward, I applaud those who continue to change hearts and minds by invoking the humanity, dignity and rights of the unborn child while at the same time being close to and offering unyielding support for women who may find themselves in a challenging or crisis pregnancy.”

Shrine will have the petitions available for signatures at Masses on August 10th and 11th and September 7th and 8th.

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Thoughts from Msgr. McClory Con’t.  

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Evangelization Training: Two-part series August 1 & 8

Look elsewhere in the bulletin (page 8) for details on St. Paul Street Evangelization’s two-part Basic Evangelization Training beginning this Thursday, August 1 and concluding next Thursday, August 8 from 6:30-8:45 PM. The sessions will be held in our conference center. Dinner and materials are included at no cost, but registration is required in advance as space is limited. You'll learn great skills and be ready to join our outreach efforts during the Woodward Dream Cruise!

As we undertake the joyful work of evangelizing, let us pray for an outpouring of joy in our midst and recall the words of Pope Francis:

An evangelizer must never look like someone who has just come back from a funeral! Let us recover and deepen our enthusiasm, that “delightful and comforting joy of evangelizing, even when it is in tears that we must sow... And may the world of our time, which is searching, ... be enabled to receive the good news not from evangelizers who are dejected, discouraged, impatient or anxious, but from ministers of the Gospel whose lives glow with fervor, who have first received the joy of Christ.”

In Jesus,
Msgr. Bob McClory
Pastor-Rector

Christian Service

Jail Outreach Ministry (JOM)  
OPERATION BACKPACK

Backpacks and school supplies are needed for children of incarcerated family members. Please bring supplies to the Shrine Basilica entrances.

Jail Outreach Ministry assists those in need on the day of release with a bus ticket and schedule, emergency resource listing, lunch bag of nutritious food and water, personal hygiene items, immediate clothing, and referral to sources: shelter, health, housing, clothing, etc. Backpacks only are needed for this assistance.

Donations accepted:  
Saturday, August 3 through Sunday, August 18

Thank you in advance for your support.

Blessings,
Paula Dixon
Mini Basic Evangelization Training
Thursdays August 1st and 8th
6:30 PM to 8:45 PM.
Register Here

Archbishop Vigneron is calling us to Unleash the Gospel, and we have an exciting way for you to be a part of what God is doing in Royal Oak! Every Sunday at the close of Mass, the priest echoes Jesus’ call as he invites us to, “Go and announce the Gospel of the Lord.” Have you ever considered this calling? What is keeping you from sharing the Good News with others? Are you nervous, scared, shy, not sure how to start? St. Paul Evangelization is ready to help you!

Join us in the Shrine Conference Center (29130 Woodward Avenue, Royal Oak, MI 48073) on Thursday, August 1st and Thursday, August 8th from 6:30 PM to 8:45 PM. Dinner will be included! There is no cost to attend the training, and free materials will be provided. Seating will be limited, and you must RSVP to attend. Please note that this is a two-session series, and we ask that you attend both nights.

Register by going to http://bit.ly/Basic_Evangelization

At the close of the training, you’ll have the opportunity to join in one of our exciting outreach programs during the Woodward Dream Cruise. Whether you join us on the streets or serve as a missionary in your personal relationships, together, we’ll see God do amazing things! If you have any questions in the meantime, you can connect with us on email: Randy Husaynu (randyhus@gmail.com) or Beth Spizarny (bspizarny@shrinechurch.com).
Join the Team for Night Fire
During the Woodward Dream Cruise
Sign-up online at shrinechurch.com

The Woodward Dream Cruise is just around the corner, and we have an exciting opportunity to see the Gospel unleashed right here at Shrine! You’re invited to join us for a special night of evangelization on

Saturday August 17th from 6:30-10 PM.

Night Fire, formerly Night Fever, is an easy way for us to evangelize through simple invitation. During Dream Cruise we’ll be out in the streets inviting people to step inside the Basilica to pray and light a candle.

We’re looking for dynamic, friendly, and energetic Catholics to serve in different roles! We need outgoing people who will invite people to come inside our beautiful Basilica for to pray. We’re also looking for greeters, we need people to pray before, during, and after Night Fire for all those we will reach and all those who will serve on our team.

Schedule:
6:30 PM Mass,
7:30 PM Dinner,
Team Training, Setup & Blessing,
8:00 PM Night Fire Begins,
10:00 PM Conclusion & Clean-Up

40th Class Reunion
Saturday, October 12, 2019
Detroit Riverboat Princess Cruise
4:30 PM Meet classmates at SHS (bus departs soon after)
6:00 PM Board Detroit Riverboat Princess
7:00 - 9:30 PM Cruising and Dinner
10:00 PM Board bus for return to SHS
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Buffet Dinner
Full Service Cash Bar
Live Motown Band, The Prolifics and DJ
Ticket Price: $70.00/person (gratuity and bus transportation included)

Bus seats 70 passengers so it will be on a first come (first paid) basis.
Please indicate when paying if you plan on riding the bus.
Friday festivities include 9 holes of golf in Royal Oak followed by a welcome reception at a location TBD.

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July 1, August 5

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July 15, August 19

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All Men of Shrine

Why Retreat? - September 6 - 8, 2018

In Raymond Thomas Gawronski’s S.J. “A Closer Walk with Christ” he proposes that “We retreat from the world to draw closer to God --- and then, like Jesus, we turn to the world with the gifts God wants us to bring ……So we “retreat”; we “withdraw” from as much of our engagement with the world as we can, in order to make room for God”. As men in today’s culture, it is important to be on track with God so we can provide care and love to our spouses, families and assume our natural roles in our church. We need time of silence with other men of like mind so we can manifest what God has planned for us. You can get more information or register by calling Julius Tomaszewski 248.571.2871 or by calling Manresa directly at 248.644.4933. Tell them you want the retreat of September 6 - 8, 2019 Shrine-Reichenbach’s Men’s Retreat.

It will be a time well spent and long remembered.

Shrine Prayer Companion Ministry

Prayer is the root, the fountain, the mother of a thousand blessings. ~ St. John Chrysostom

Struggling?
Feeling distant from God?

Come and know the power of prayer. Experience peace and inner joy. Members of the Shrine Prayer Companion Ministry are waiting to pray with you and your needs after the 9:00 am Mass in the St. Thérèse Chapel. Let the power of God’s love and mercy permeate you.

Book a Tour of the National Shrine of the Little Flower Basilica

Plan a trip to visit the beautiful National Shrine of the Little Flower Basilica. View the spectacular artistry of sculpture and marble, the magnificent church in the round. During warmer weather, see the gardens or walk the grounds to visit the peaceful surroundings. Docents will guide you on your way to detail the extravagant history of the church.

Groups of all sizes are welcome. Please call in advance so that preparations can be made for your visit. To book a tour, call Van Rohr at 586.431.1753 or email vrohr@shrinechurch.com. Tours are available Monday - Friday. Tours are not available Saturday, Sundays or holidays.
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Saturday, September 28, 2019
Shrine Grade School
6:00pm - 11:00pm

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Many advertising opportunities are available for council members, parish members
and local businesses to support our charitable community efforts and receive favorable exposure.
St. Vincent de Paul FOOD DRIVE TODAY! July 26-28

St. Vincent de Paul is planning a food drive to replenish their pantry. This year we’ve had an increased request for basic food items and supplies are low.

The following food/paper items are most needed:

- Pasta
- Rice
- Paper Products (paper towels, toilet paper)
- Canned Fruit
- Canned Meats (chicken, tuna)
- Canned Tomatoes
- Spaghetti Sauce
- Tomato Paste
- Tomato Sauce
- Peanut Butter
- Jelly
- Granola Bars
- Cereal
- Instant Oatmeal
- Cheese and Crackers
- Juice
- Boxed Juice
- Cartons of milk (that don’t need to be refrigerated)
- Coffee
- Tea Bags
- Hot Chocolate
- Tooth Brushes
- Tooth Paste
- Bar Soap

Collection Location:
Barrels will be located in the vestibules (doors)

Thank you for your support,
Shrine St. Vincent de Paul

ISC Global is currently seeking host families for students that will attend Shrine. A 7th grade male student desperately needs a home placement for the upcoming school year. He will attend Shrine Academy starting at the end of August.

Our host families are paid a generous monthly stipend to provide a bedroom, meals, and transportation to and from school. For further information, contact Margaret Przybyla by phone at 989-595-0342 (office), or (989) 657-4871 (call or text), or email: margaret@isc-global.org.

Join Widows and Widowers
Join “Widowed Friends” for a Mass for widows & widowers at St. Lawrence Church, 44633 Utica Rd., in Utica on Sunday, August 4th at 12 noon. Lunch will follow at 1:30pm at Lakeside Polish Restaurant, 43734 Schoenherr, St. Heights, 48313. Please RSVP to Ester at 586-264-1939 by August 1st.

Sponsored by Widowed Friends, a “peer” support group in the Archdiocese of Detroit. For further information about Widowed Friends, come visit our website at www.widowedfriends.org
Stewardship Thoughts Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

A theme of perseverance in prayer connects today’s Scripture readings. In the Book of Genesis, Abraham persists in prayer by negotiating with God to shield the innocent from His destruction of Sodom and Gomorrah. In this Gospel, the evangelist St. Luke retells Jesus’ teaching of the Lord’s Prayer to His followers. Christ, too, tells the parable of the man who visits a friend at midnight to request food and, through his determination, is successful in his efforts. Making quiet time for daily prayer is essential, but discerning God’s response to prayer is also vital to strengthening our personal relationship, our discipleship in our Lord and Savior. Set aside a few minutes each day for a conversation with Jesus.

Lending Library

Book of the Week
Find a Friend in Jesus: Ten Amazingly Easy Steps
Gary Zimak

Would you like to be real friend to Jesus, but don’t know where are to start? What are the walls that can block us from moving closer to Him and how can we overcome them? In this book you will learn how to be His friend and the ten “easy” steps that, while they require work on your part, are simple enough to draw closer to the Lord. At the end of each chapter is a summary of the key points made.

In Rev. 3:20 Jesus says “Behold, I stand and knock...” Are you ready to open that door? It’s up to you to invite Him in.

DVD of the Week
The Courageous Heart of Irena Sendler

Your 2019 CSA Commitment

Youth Ministry

New — or newer — youth ministers interested in receiving more information about youth ministry resources and programming will gather for a Youth Ministry Orientation at Sacred Heart Major Seminary on Saturday, August 17.

The Youth Ministry Office will provide an overview of its suggested materials for evangelizing and accompanying teens, tips for starting youth ministry programming, and a summary of essential youth ministry documents.

Your CSA gifts help fund the work of the Youth Ministry Office, allowing it to offer events like these at a very low cost to parishes. The Youth Ministry Orientation is $20 and includes breakfast and lunch for attendees. Registration is required by August 9.

For information about CSA-funded ministries, programs, and services, please go to aod.org.
Shrine Devotional Groups

Armada Blanca – Armada Blanca se reúne los Viernes de 7:00-9:00 PM adentro en el templo, para más informes llamar a Juliana Liborio al 248-595-2197

Divine Mercy Chaplet ~ Wednesdays At 3:00 PM In The Adoration Chapel

Escuela de Evangelización San Andrés – La EESA se reúne todos los miércoles de 7:00-9:00 PM en el salón de los jóvenes (Youth Room) para más informes favor de llamar a Yasmin Cisneros al 248-515-5375.


Grupo de Jóvenes en Español – Los Jóvenes se reúnen los viernes de 7:00-9:00 PM en un cuarto adentro del salón de conferencias al cruzar la calle Northwood Blvd, para más información por favor contacte a Iliana Álvarez al 248-979-1409

Legion of Mary – First organized in Dublin, Ireland in 1921, we are a world-wide organization of Catholics who sanctify themselves through prayer and apostolic work in union with our Lady under the guidance of a priest. Meet every Tuesday from 7:15 – 8:45 PM in the Conference Center – Room B. For more information, visit www.legionofmymichigan.org or contact Teresa Rostron at 248.933.8054.

Love of God - Charismatic Prayer Group- Join us for prayer, praise, reflection and teaching! We meet each Tuesday in the St. Therese Chapel at 8:00 PM. If you have questions, call Mary Ellen Buchanan at 248-659-8665.

Militia of the Immaculata ~ (founded by St. Maximilian Kolbe in 1917) ~ Every Wednesday evening at 8:00 PM in the Martin Room. Pray a rosary, discuss a reading by St. Maximilian Kolbe, and recite several beautiful prayers. For more information, visit www.consecration.com

Mother of Perpetual Help and Chaplet of Divine Mercy Devotions Tuesdays 6:40 PM St. Thérèse Chapel

Renovación Carismática Católica – La RCC se reúne los viernes de 7:00-9:00 PM en el centro de conferencias de la parroquia al cruzar la calle Northwood Blvd para más información llame a José Barrientos al 248-247-4283

Rosary for the Unborn ~ Every Sunday at 5 PM in the Adoration Chapel

Sacramental Life at Shrine Basilica

Adult Baptism, First Holy Communion & Confirmation (RCIA) Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults ~ Shrine welcomes and prepares adults for full participation in the sacramental life of the church. Contact Mr. John LaCroix at 248.374.9045

Anointing of the Sick • Celebrated at various times throughout the year. Call the parish office at 248.541.4122 anytime in case of serious illness

Baptism/ Bautismo • Most Sundays 2 PM contact the parish office at 248.541.4122 x141/ 1er domingo del mes, después de misa de 4 PM.

Funeral Planning • Contact Paula Dixon, Pastoral Associate at 248.541.4122 x 1411 to arrange funeral or memorial services

Marriage/ Matrimonio • Contact the parish office at 248.541.4122 x 1410 at least six months in advance/ Contacte a Antonio Guzmán

Mass Intentions/ Intenciones de misas • Request in person at the parish office/ Contacte a Antonio Guzmán

Reconciliation/ Reconciliación • After 6:30 am Mass weekdays; Saturdays 3:00 - 4:30 PM and after the 4:30 PM Mass/ 1er domingo del mes a las 3:00 PM

Spiritual Care for the Sick and Homebound • Notify Paula Dixon, Pastoral Associate, at 248.541.4122 x1411 if there is an illness, a need for homebound ministry or hospitalization

Pray for Vocations 31 Club
Pick a day of the month and sign-up at the church entrance.
No Dues. No Meetings. Just Prayers.

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Preschool Religious Formation

Registration has started for Preschool Religious Formation

We are now accepting preschool registrations for the upcoming fall for those potty-trained children who will be at least 3 by December 1 and will not be starting kindergarten yet. For more information or to get a registration form, please contact Renee Cramer at rcramer@shrinechurch.com or 248.541.5133.

Elementary Religious Formation and Sacramental Preparation

Attention Parents of Kindergarteners!

Did you know that two years of preparation is required before receiving First Holy Communion? In order for your child to receive the sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion at the traditional time of second grade, he/she must attend Religious Formation classes or Catholic school starting in the fall of first grade.

We are currently accepting for the 2019-2020 Religious Formation year for children not attending Catholic school. Please contact Renee Cramer at rcramer@shrinechurch.com or 248.541.5133 starting on April 8 for a new student registration packet.

Registration has started for the 2019-2020 Religious Formation Year.

Registration packets are available for pickup to all currently enrolled grades Preschool – Grade 8 after-school Religious Formation families. If you are new to the program or would like to register a new sibling, please contact Renee Cramer at rcramer@shrinechurch.com or 248.541.5133 to get a registration form.

Programs meet on the following days and times:

• Preschool (ages 3 & 4), Sundays during 9 am Mass in the Church Youth Room.
• Elementary (K-6), Mondays from 4:30 - 5:35 PM or 6 – 7:05 PM at Shrine Catholic Grade School
• Grades 7 & 8, Mondays 6:15 – 7:30 PM at Shrine Catholic Academy.
• High School Youth Ministry (9-12), Mondays from 7:00 – 8:30 PM in the Church Youth Room.
• Religious Formation for Special Needs meets on Wednesdays from 6:00 – 7:00 PM
• Children who are at least 7 years old and are not baptized will be placed in the RCIA adapted for Children program.

The Preschool Religious Formation, High School Youth Ministry and RCIA programs are designed for all parish families while the K-8 programs are geared specifically to public school or home-schooled children.

Confirmation

Save the date! Sunday, September 21, 2019 is the date for our Confirmation Retreat!

Our retreat will be at Shrine and is for candidates preparing to be confirmed this fall along with their sponsor or a parent. Details will be coming very soon! We are still waiting to hear from the Archdiocese for the date of our Confirmation liturgy.
Hello Shrine!

My name is Beth Spizarny, and I joined the staff team this past June as the Director of Evangelization and Faith Formation. I’m excited to be here!

In this newly created role, I will be responsible for our parish efforts of evangelization, which includes the goals of Unleash the Gospel among active parishioners, inactive Catholics, and the unchurched. I will also be responsible for supporting our faith formation and catechetical efforts—from Religious Formation to Youth Ministry, to RCIA, as well as our other adult faith formation offerings. It is a big job! I am counting on your prayers.

Prior to joining the team at Shrine of the Little Flower, I served as the Director of Evangelization at St. Thomas the Apostle in Ann Arbor. It was amazing to see God transform hearts and lives through Alpha! We also saw cultural shifts in our parish through focusing on a welcoming initiative, parish retreats, parish-wide novenas, and door to door outreach. It is an awesome thing to see people encounter Jesus, and to see lives transformed as a result! God always has more for us.

Before this role, I served as the Youth Minister for 10 years. I love teens! It was a blast to hang out with young people and help them discover Jesus Christ, who alone satisfies.

I am originally from Ann Arbor, and my husband Kevin and I have three young children, ages 6, 4, and 2 1/2. We moved from Ann Arbor to Farmington Hills in early July to be closer to Shrine. My husband works in Westland, so Farmington Hills is a great spot for us to be.

I look forward to getting to know you. There are so many amazing people here!

• If you have a passion for evangelization—drop me a line.
• If you have questions about evangelization—drop me a line.
• If you have questions or ideas for our faith formation offerings, don’t hesitate to reach out.
• If you have a passion for prayer and intercession, and you would be willing to partner with me in prayer, let me know!

St. Therese, patron saint of missions, pray for us!

Beth Spizarny
Director of Evangelization and Faith Formation
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Detroit offers so many historical learning opportunities for our students. Our 4th grade students spend the year learning about Michigan history, so our teachers integrate the social studies curriculum with the religion curriculum and take the students on a field trip to St. Anne’s church in Detroit. They then have lunch in Mexican Village and also pray the rosary at Assumption Grotto. It is a marvelous way to expand their learning both academically, but spiritually as well.

Learning certainly doesn’t just take place in the classroom. Our Kindergarten classes take advantage of our beautiful neighborhoods and take walks at the beginning of Fall and then again towards the end so they can experience the differences of this miraculous season that God blesses us with. Here are some pictures of their walk from October.
Academy journalism students spend the day in East Lansing as a part of the Michigan Interscholastic Press Association (MIPA) Middle School Journalism Conference! Our Knightly News Academy newspaper staff spent the day learning and listening to speakers which suggestions for advancing their publication. Students come back energized and ready to finalize the next issue of the paper!

As a part of our yearly retreat program, our freshman spent the day at the IHM Motherhouse in Monroe. While there, students learned about the efforts for green living that the property has undertaken.

At Shrine Catholic Grade School we exemplify Christ by praying, learning, and growing together.

At Shrine Catholic Academy we exemplify Christ as we reflect, challenge and aspire to become the middle school students and disciples we are called to be.

At Shrine Catholic High School we exemplify Christ, by serving, succeeding, and leading through academics, athletics and the arts.
NOVENA and FEAST of BLESSED SOLANUS CASEY at the Solanus Casey Center

Each day of the novena of prayer focuses on a particular area of Blessed Solanus Casey’s life and ministry. All events are free and open to all.

Monday, July 22 - Mother earth
Masses at 7:45 am and 12:00 noon

Tuesday, July 23 - Musicians and artists
Masses at 7:45 am and 12:00 noon

Wednesday, July 24 - The sick
Masses at 7:45 am and 12:00 noon
English/ASL healing service at 2:00 pm

Thursday, July 25 - The poor
Masses at 7:45 am and 12:00 noon
Visitors are invited to donate a gift of men’s or women’s socks and/or underwear for the Capuchin Soup Kitchen

Friday, July 26 - Children and grandparents
Masses at 7:45 am and 12:00 noon
Noon mass celebrated by Fr. Ed Foley, vice-postulator for the cause of canonization

Saturday, July 27 - Young Adults
Masses at 7:45 am and 12:00 noon

Sunday, July 28 - Holy Mother Church
9:00 am Mass celebrated by Detroit Auxiliary Bishop Donald Hanchon
12:00 noon Mass with music from the Solanus Casey Choir

Monday, July 29 - Religious/consecrated life
Masses at 7:45 am and 12:00 noon

Tuesday, July 30 - The feast day
7:45 am Mass
12:00 noon Mass
7:00 pm Mass with invited celebrant Cardinal Seán O’Malley, Capuchin, Archbishop of Boston

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