

4th Sunday of Advent

Sunday, December 24

Merry Christmas!

AND THE WORD BECAME FLESH



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MALLIA MOMENTS



Merry Christmas! The story of the birth of Jesus reminds us of the hustle and bustle that surrounded the event. There was a census, people had to leave their homes to go register in their ancestral home and there were so many people that Mary and Joseph could not find any place to stay. It was loud, crowded and uncomfortable, yet it was amid the chaos Christ is born.

The story seems to indicate that the people must have been overwhelmed by the chaos since none of them seemed to notice the star in the sky. They did not witness the angels speaking to the shepherds nor did they gather at the stable. They allowed the chaos to prevent them from encountering the Lord Jesus Christ! Tragedy, right? But what about us? Will we allow the chaos to overwhelm us and prevent us from encountering the Lord?

The angels come to the shepherds we are told and upon their departure, the shepherds say they need to go and see what has just taken place. They walk through the chaos, they walk past all those who saw them as outsiders, thieves and low-life and they walk into a cave and see Jesus, Mary and Joseph and they find peace.

God is not found in the chaos, and neither is the love

and peace we search for. Jesus is found in the silence and in the encounter with him we find peace. That is why we come to Mass on Christmas. We must move past the hustle and bustle of the events to encounter Christ in the real event of Christmas, his birth. Like the shepherds we have to walk past it, even for a time, and place ourselves at the manger which holds the embodiment of God's pure love.

If we do not come to the manger, we will be like the crowds in Bethlehem that night, we will miss it and it will end up being like every other night. If we do not put Christ in the center of our celebration, we will hear nothing, see nothing, encounter nothing and only be absorbed in the noise. The result will be that we will not find peace but only experience exhaustion both physically and spiritually. How sad!

Christmas is only about coming to the manger. Christmas is a celebration of God's love manifested in Christ Jesus. Christmas is about peace that comes from having God in our lives, about coming to Jesus in our brokenness and frailty. Christmas is about finding joy in a relationship with a God who loves us beyond all telling and desires nothing more than to be close to you; so much so that he came in the form of a child. Everything else is just noise and distractions.

One final thought, Christmas is not a day; it is a season. To help keep the season present in your home, don't take down the Nativity scene until January 7th this year. Take the time between Christmas and The Epiphany to visit people you have not seen in awhile or that you were not able to see on Christmas Day and continue to pray every day and come to Mass every Sunday.

May the Lord bless you all. May God hold you in the palm of his hand and keep you from all harm. May you share in the fullness of joy and peace that comes from the heart of God. Merry Christmas!

Fr. Joe Mallia

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FAITH FORMATION



SUSAN WEYLAND
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Pre-School - 5th Grade

Faith Formation Christmas Break

Children's Liturgy, Weekly/Monthly Faith Formation and Sacrament Prep are on break December 17 - January 7. Please continue with Gospel Weeklies!

FYI!

It is never too late to register for Faith Formation! First Eucharist is normally celebrated during your child's second grade year. Preparation is a two year process and your child MUST be in Faith Formation the year prior to receiving the Sacrament.

Blessing Bags

Faith Formation families donated items to share with Deo Gratias Cafe, who serve the community of the St. Jude area in Detroit. Children wrote letters and parents compiled over 100 Blessing Bags. See photo below!



Junior High

6th Grade GENESIS

Friday, January 5 | 6:30-8:30pm

Please enter through the Faith Formation Doors and meet in the Carlo Acutis Room.

7th Grade LIGHT

Friday, January 5 | 6:30-8:30pm

Please enter through the Faith Formation Doors and meet in the Carlo Acutis Room.

8th Grade

Sunday, January 14

11:30am Mass, 12:30pm Gathering in the Blessed Carlo Acutis Room.

CHRISTMAS

Anticipating the coming Messiah, Isaiah declared: *"To us a child is born, to us a son given. He will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."* (Isaiah 9:6).

Bring honor to the Prince of Peace by committing yourself to peace. Peace begins at home. Do your part to have a peace-filled environment at home, work and school. Those committed to peace in their own homes and schools can spread the Good News of the Prince of Peace in many ways. Try to become a peace-maker in all your actions and interactions. Support local and national organizations working for peace around the world. Besides providing important financial support, be sure to include in your prayers people who will celebrate Christmas in war-torn areas and places experiencing extreme poverty.



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HIGH SCHOOL

KIM JACOB

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St. Kieran Youth - SKY

I would like to personally wish each one of you a Merry Christmas. May the birth of Christ rekindle in your heart the love that He has for you!

There are a few events coming in the New Year that deserve mentioning:

- We will be celebrating the life of Martin Luther King Jr. by making fleece blankets for needy children in Detroit on Wednesday, January 17 at 6:30pm.
- Subiaco retreat is the weekend of March 8th - 10th. I need your RSVP by February 1st!
- Steubenville retreat is the weekend of June 21st-23rd , please contact me for details.
- I am looking for high school students to help present the Stations of the Cross live this year, please consider helping!

2024 is going to be an amazing year with many opportunities to grow in your relationship with Jesus Christ! I look forward to seeing you all in the New Year.



YOUNG ADULTS

LAUREL ALU

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Young Adult (18-39)

Pick-Up Sports

Sunday, January 7 | 2pm
Young Adult Basketball

Sunday, January 14 | 2pm
Young Adult & High School Volleyball

YA Committee Meeting

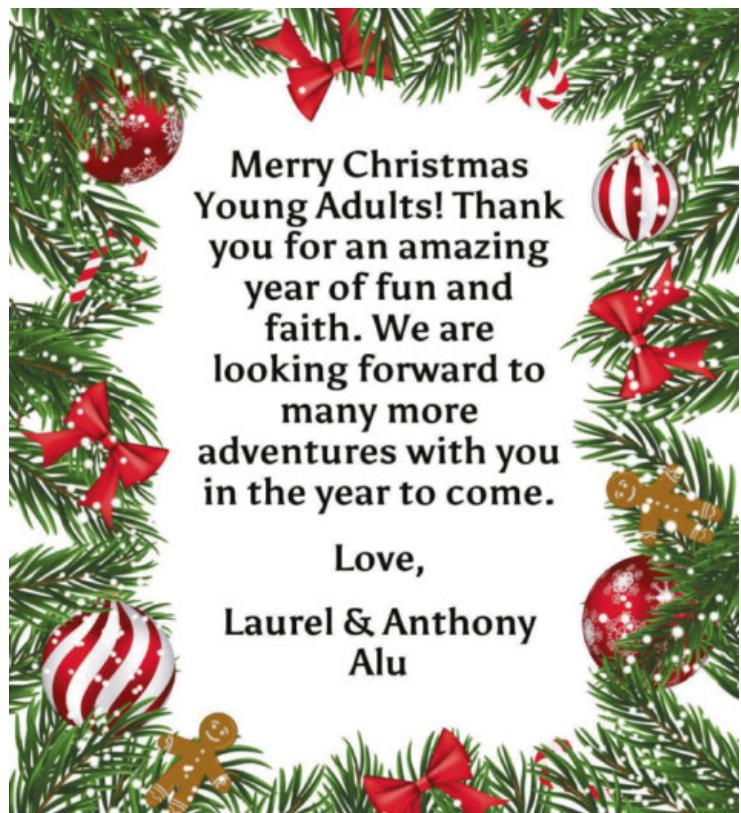
Thursday, January 8 | 7pm
All are welcome to join us for these meetings especially if you are interested in planning future events!

Women's Group

Wednesday, January 10 | 7pm
Prepare for Lesson 4 in Fearless & Free

January Gathering

Wednesday, January 17 | 7pm
Join us as we hear from Fr. Zaid as he discusses the Rosary & Prayer. BYOB!





SENIOR ADULTS (50+)

LAUREL ALU

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Weekly Activities

The Parish Offices will be closed December 23 - January 1 for Christmas and New Year! There will be no activities during the week. We will re-open for activities on Tuesday, January 2 at 8am.

Lunch Around the World

Thursday, January 18 @ 12:30pm

Da Francesco's

49521 Van Dyke Ave. Shelby Twp, MI

Call Cheryl at 586-246-6389 to RSVP!

Friday Breakfast

Friday, January 5 @ 9:30am

Marcus Grill

55690 VanDyke Ave. Shelby Twp, MI

No registration needed!

Book Club

Book club meets the Second Tuesday of each month at 10am in the Faith Formation wing!

- **January 9** - Killers of a Certain Age by Deanna Rayburn

Please contact Rachelle Wood at plinewood@yahoo.com for questions!

Hearing Loop Terminals

Do you have a difficult time hearing Mass on Sundays? Do you use hearing aids? If your hearing aids have Bluetooth they can connect to the sound system automatically. Just make sure your volume is all the way up in the app. For questions, see Laurel or Father Joe!

Holiday Church Tour



ADULT FAITH FORMATION

SUSAN WEYLAND

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FORMED - The Catholic Faith On Demand

FOR ADULTS

The Chosen Christmas Special | Catholic Commentary on The Chosen

Join Dr. Michael Barber and Dr. Scott Hefelfinger as they discuss The Chosen Christmas Special episode.

Watch Season 1 of The Chosen here: <https://watch.formed.org/the-chosen>

*As of January 1, 2023, The Chosen Christmas Special (The Messengers) episode is no longer available on FORMED.

FOR KIDS

O Holy Night, The King is Born: What Christmas Is About | Brother Francis

Celebrate the wonder and joy of Christmas with Brother Francis in this heartwarming presentation of the birth of God's Son! Witness the moving submission of Mary, Joseph, and others as they make way for our Savior.

This episode contains:

"The Christmas Story" An animated presentation of the many wonderful events that led up to the birth of Jesus!

"What is Christmas?" A catchy, visualized song reminding us that Christmas is really about the coming of Christ.

"Away in a Manger" and *"Silent Night"* Two traditional songs that continue to inspire praise and thankfulness for the coming of our Lord.

O Holy Night is a wonderful way to remind everyone of Who we celebrate during the Christmas season!

Scripture Studies

Father Joe's Scripture Study

January 4 | 7:00pm-8:30pm
Blessed Solanus Casey Room

Bring a Revised New American Bible. No need to register, come as you are! We will not meet in December but will resume again on January 4. Contact Susan for question!

COMING IN FEBRUARY!

Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist

Join us as we explore the truth and beauty of Christ's real presence in the Eucharist, from its origins in Sacred Scripture, to its profound role in the life of the Church and her members. It is the crescendo of the entire story of salvation.

Women's Retreat

Capuchin Retreat for Women

This ladies retreat is a great way to get away from the everyday distractions and a great way to prepare for the coming Lenten season. Come pray and enjoy a silent weekend with other ladies from our parish, February 2-4, 2024. The cost is \$250 and includes a private room with bathroom, meals, and presentations. The center is located at 62460 Mt. Vernon, Washington, Michigan, 48094. Please contact Pam DeClercq at 248-651-2473.

St. Lawrence Catholic Church

Monthly series of talks from ordinary people living extraordinary lives as disciples of Christ.

Jan 18	Mary Martin, Director, UTG at Work (Unleash the Gospel at Work)
Feb 15	Dr. Martin and Claudia Tapia, St. Lawrence Parishioners
Mar 21	Anthony Feola, Assoc. Dir., Discipleship Formation, Archdiocese of Detroit
Apr 25	Fr. Sahaya Arul Alex, Family Parochial Vicar, St. Lawrence
May 16	Jan Marl, Parish Nurse, St. Lawrence

Evening begins in the Church at 7pm. Hospitality to follow in the Social Hall.



CHRISTIAN SERVICES

JEANNE ROBINSON

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Called to Serve - Homebound Ministry

Homebound Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion serve our parishioners in a very special and meaningful way. They bring Jesus and a welcoming visit from your parish family to those who are not able to attend weekly Mass because they are homebound. We are currently in need of more volunteers to serve in this vocation.

The frequency of visits is determined by the parishioner and Extraordinary Minister. Many visit regularly after a weekly Mass. Some of our parishioners request a monthly visit. There will be a short training session on a TBD future date. Please contact Christian Service if you are interested in becoming a Homebound Minister, 586-781-4942 ext. 132.



POINT-IN-TIME Count

The Point-In-Time (PIT) count is an annual count of homeless persons in Macomb County. It provides a snapshot of all individuals experiencing homelessness in the community.

Wednesday, January 24 | 7 – 11 p.m.

How can you help?

DONATE

- Grab & Go Packaged Food
- Winter Hats, Gloves & Scarves
- Adult Socks
- Hand/Foot Warmers
- Travel Size Hygiene Products

VOLUNTEER

In teams, volunteers will canvas an assigned area of the county, to count and survey unsheltered individuals who are experiencing homelessness.

To learn more:

Contact: Kristin DeFranco at 586-817-2049
or Email: kristin.defranco@macombgov.org

To Register Visit: forms.gle/UWp5i7raGdAwpUYA



2023 Sponsor A Family – Thank You!

Thank you for all of your generous donations! St. Kieran Families demonstrated their love for the Christ Child with their generosity to families in need from St. Francis/St. Maximilian Parish and St. Val's Hispanic Ministry at the Agape Center. Together, we were able to make the Christmas Season a little brighter and fulfill the wishes of **52 families**. Thank you, also, to the St. Kieran Knights of Columbus who helped deliver gifts to the Agape Center in Romeo.

A special thank you to Karen Aymen for organizing Sponsor-A-Family this year along with all the volunteers who shared their time and talents for this Ministry. May the Light of the Christ Child fill your hearts with is love!



Special Presentation

Depression, Anxiety and Suicide Presentation Hosted by St. Therese of Lisieux

January 4, 2024 | 12:30pm - 1:30pm

St. Therese of Lisieux Social Hall

Speaker: Dr. Agnes Ward from Macomb County Community Mental Health

Lecture will include signs and symptoms of anxiety, depression and suicide, as well as treatment options and available resources. If you know of someone who might be experiencing mental health issues, this lecture may be helpful to you.

Please RSVP to Marilyn Cito, Parish Nurse, at 586-254-4433 Ext. #320 or via email at Marilync@stol.church. Light Lunch will be served.

PARISH LIFE

MICHELLE SIMPSON

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Buried in Christ

Anne Roberts (77)

Saturday, December 9, 2023

Survived by her 2 children

6 grandchildren & 1 great grandchild

Mary Ann Nahra (82)

Monday, December 11, 2023

Survived by her husband, Paul,

2 children & 5 grandchildren

The Sacrament of Marriage

*Intention to Marry***Ronnie Fakhouri & Kayleigh Pellerito**

December 31, 2023

Breandan Oatman & Daniella Barile

December 31, 2023

Michael Micallef & Amanda Bronson

January 6, 2024

Recently Engaged? Contact Michelle Simpson to start your marriage prep today!

ASCEND
Worship Series

St. Kieran Catholic Church | 7:00pm - 8:30pm
Praise & Worship, Dynamic Speaker, Confession & Adoration
An optional free will offering will be taken up after each event

PETER HERBECK
January 25
Executive VP & Director of Missions for Renewal Ministries

TONY MELENDEZ
February 29
Singer, Author, Motivational Speaker

STEVE ANGRISANO
April 25
Composer, Presenter and Music Missionary

CHUCK GAIDICA
May 23
Author, Speaker, Podcast & Radio Host

ST. KIERAN
CATHOLIC CHURCH

Giving WARMS THE HEART

DONATE BLOOD

Sunday January 7
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Helpful tip:
Make sure to eat a healthy meal and drink plenty of water before donating.

ST. KIERAN CATHOLIC CHURCH COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE

LOCATION
ST. KIERAN CATHOLIC CHURCH GYM
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COMMUNITY



Knights Corner

Jim Finn, Grand Knight | 734-740-8935

Patriotism

The previously mentioned Degrees of Charity, Unity and Fraternity lead to the final degree of PATRIOTISM (4th Degree), which is the highest level of Knighthood in the Knights of Columbus. A sense of Brotherhood to a civil society, our mission is to foster Patriotism, support our Church, the Order and our Country while serving our communities as though Christ were the one being served. We defend the laws

that recognize the sanctity of life and true religious liberty. The Color Corps is an elective division of the Patriotic Degree that presents a visible reminder of our service to the community.

Members of this degree are eligible to have an Honor Guard present during their funeral and have a Chalice engraved with their name and donated to a needy priest. This is a true honor to then have you remembered during the Eucharistic celebration somewhere in the world. To become a member of the Knights of Columbus visit <http://www.kofc.org/joinus> anytime!

Chili COOK OFF & SWING DANCING

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27
5:30PM - 8:30PM
Adults \$5, Children under 12 Free
*Tickets go on sale the weekend of January 13

If you wish to compete in the Chili-Cook Off please email Laurel@stkieran.org with your chili recipe by Sunday, January 21!

PRESENTED BY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



Weekday Getaways

The itinerary is set and reservations are being taken for Weekday Getaway day trips. Whether you choose to come solo or with a friend, the adventures provide fun and fellowship. Trips leave from St. Kieran. To reserve a spot or get more details, contact laurel@stkieran.org or visit the front office.

Solanus Casey Center

Wednesday, March 6
8:45am - 4:30pm
Cost: \$79

Includes: Transportation, Tour of the Solanus Casey Center, Gift Shop, Lunch, Healing Blessing, Free Time

Historic Marshall

Tuesday, April 2
7:00am - 5:45pm
Cost: \$106

Includes: Transportation, Tour of Historic Marshall, Honolulu House, Governor's Mansion, Lunch, United States Postal Museum

Holland Tulip Time

Wednesday, May 8
6:45am - 8:45pm
Cost: \$145

Includes: Transportation, Lunch, Free Time in Holland, Veldheer Tulip Gardens

Pewabic Pottery Tour

Tuesday, June 11
8:00am - 4:30pm
Cost: \$131

Includes: Transportation, Detroit City Tour with Guide, Lunch at Ottawa Via, Pewabic Pottery Studio & Museum

The Michigan Princess

Tuesday, July 9
7:45am - 5:00pm
Cost: \$117

Includes: Transportation, Tour of Michigan State Capitol Building, Michigan Princess Riverboat Lunch Cruise, Horrocks Farm Market

Niagara Falls & Toronto

August 13-15
3 Days, 2 Nights
Cost: \$685

*See Flyer in Front Office. Contact Bianco Tours directly!
DO NOT give any payment to St. Kieran.*

COMMUNITY

Live Nativity



Sick List

Drew Akash
Ron Armstrong
Harold Bates
Debbie Borowicz
Mary Ann Godzwon
Pat Hency
Alex Hunstad
Paul Kremer
Jesse Malczyk
Michael Magnoli

Shirley Mossolian
Heidi Neumayr-Viviano
George Sellers
Lisa Shadeck
Jason Shotwell
Andrea Tisch
Sue Vieceli
Jean Warburton
Jerry Wilson
Rick Wnukowski

Military List

Drake Blight, NG
Chase Bologna, NG
Brian Haase, N
Spenser Horwedel, AF
Mike Kwasnik, N
Austin J.J. Mitchell, A

Joseph Pellerito, CG
Jacob Risner, A
Patrick Roberts, A
Scott Socia, AF
Trevor Ulewicz, A
Cameron Zihlmann, A

Names will remain on our sick list for 6 weeks. After 6 weeks contact the Parish Office if you wish to place the name back on the list. Names will remain on our military list for 1 year.

Save the Date!

Praise & Worship Night with Peter Herbeck
January 25 | 7pm

Chili Cook Off & Swing Dancing
January 27 | 5:30pm

Anniversary Mass & Reception
February 10 | 4:30pm

Cornhole & Tasting
February 24 | 5:30pm

Praise & Worship with Steve Melendez
February 29 | 7pm

Easter Egg Hunt
March 23 | 11am

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Mass Intentions

Monday, December 25

9:00am Christmas Day Mass
11:00am Christmas Day Mass

Tuesday, December 26

8:00am † Larry Trombley, *Family*

Wednesday, December 27

8:00am † Marie Cefali, *Katie Alampi*
Wilbert L. Demick (10th Anniversary),
Ronald Demick

Thursday, December 28

8:00am † Dell, Jessie & Fred Tanari, *Mike Tanari*

Friday, December 29

8:00am † Ann Finn, *The Corrion Family*
Joseph and Andy Kasneci, *Vera Kasneci*
Paul and Meri Dukaj, *Vera Kasneci*

To be included in the bulletin, all Mass Intentions must be submitted three weeks prior to requested date.

Lectors & Ushers

Lectors

Saturday, December 30

4:30pm Ken Mehr
Charlotte Westbrook

Sunday, December 31

8:00am Enzo Paglia
Monica Thimm
9:30am Christopher McNeely
Judy Poliskie
11:30am Curt Dumas
Kelly Dumas

Monday, January 1

9:00am Paula Ziegler

Ushers

Saturday, December 30

4:30pm Team 1

Sunday, December 31

8:00am Team 4
9:30am Team 5
11:30am Team 7

Recent changes may not be reflected here. For the most up to date schedule, please visit our website.

Saturday, December 30

4:30pm † Louis & Anna Bokshan, *James Bokshan*
† Frank & Ethel Bresto, *Joan Chura*
† Robert Chura, *Joan Chura*
† Frank Gensor, *The Gensor Family*
† Michael Hessen, *Family*
† Yvonne Hollinsky, *Family*

Sunday, December 31

8:00am † Karen Sowders, *Bernie & April Bedard*
† Pat Quitter, *Harry & Jo Kunnath*
9:30am † Brunet & Ternes Families, *Family*
† Marge Sanitate, *Family*
† Jen Tremonti & All Souls in Purgatory,
Bob Tremonti
Helmut Breiling, *Gary & Vicki Miglio*
11:30am † Robert & Nancy Hartley, *Their Children*
† Carlo Pasquali, *Mom & Dad, Marco, Gino & Megan*
† Ted & Marcy Pokornicki, *Their Children*

Daily Readings

Sunday: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29/Rom 16:25-27/Lk 1:26-38

Monday: Vigil Is 62:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25 Night Is 9:1-6/Ps 96: 1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13/Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-14 Dawn Is 62:11-12/Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12/Ti 3:4-7/Lk 2:15-20 Day Is 52:7-10/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6/Heb 1:1-6/Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14

Tuesday: Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 8ab, 16bc and 17/Mt 10:17-22

Wednesday: 1 Jn 1:1-4/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12/Jn 20:1a, 2-8

Thursday: 1 Jn 1:5 – 2:2/Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7cd-8/Mt 2:13-18

Friday: 1 Jn 2:3-11/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6/Lk 2:22-35

Saturday: 1 Jn 2:12-17/Ps 96:7-8a, 8b-9, 10/Lk 2:36-40

Next Sunday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or Gn 15:1-6; 21:1-3/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 or Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 or Heb 11:8, 11-12, 17-19/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22, 39-40

Office Hours & Information

Parish Office

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Office Hours

Monday - Thursday 8:00am - 5pm
Friday 8:00am - 12:00pm

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Allen H. Vigneron, Archbishop

Family Clergy: Father Joe Mallia, Moderator
Father Roman Pasieczny
Father Sahaya Arul Alex
Father Francisco Restrepo
Deacon Russ Ortisi

Mass Times

Monday 7:00pm
Tuesday - Friday 8:00am
Saturday 4:30pm
Sunday 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:30am

Confession

Saturday 3:30pm - 4:00pm

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