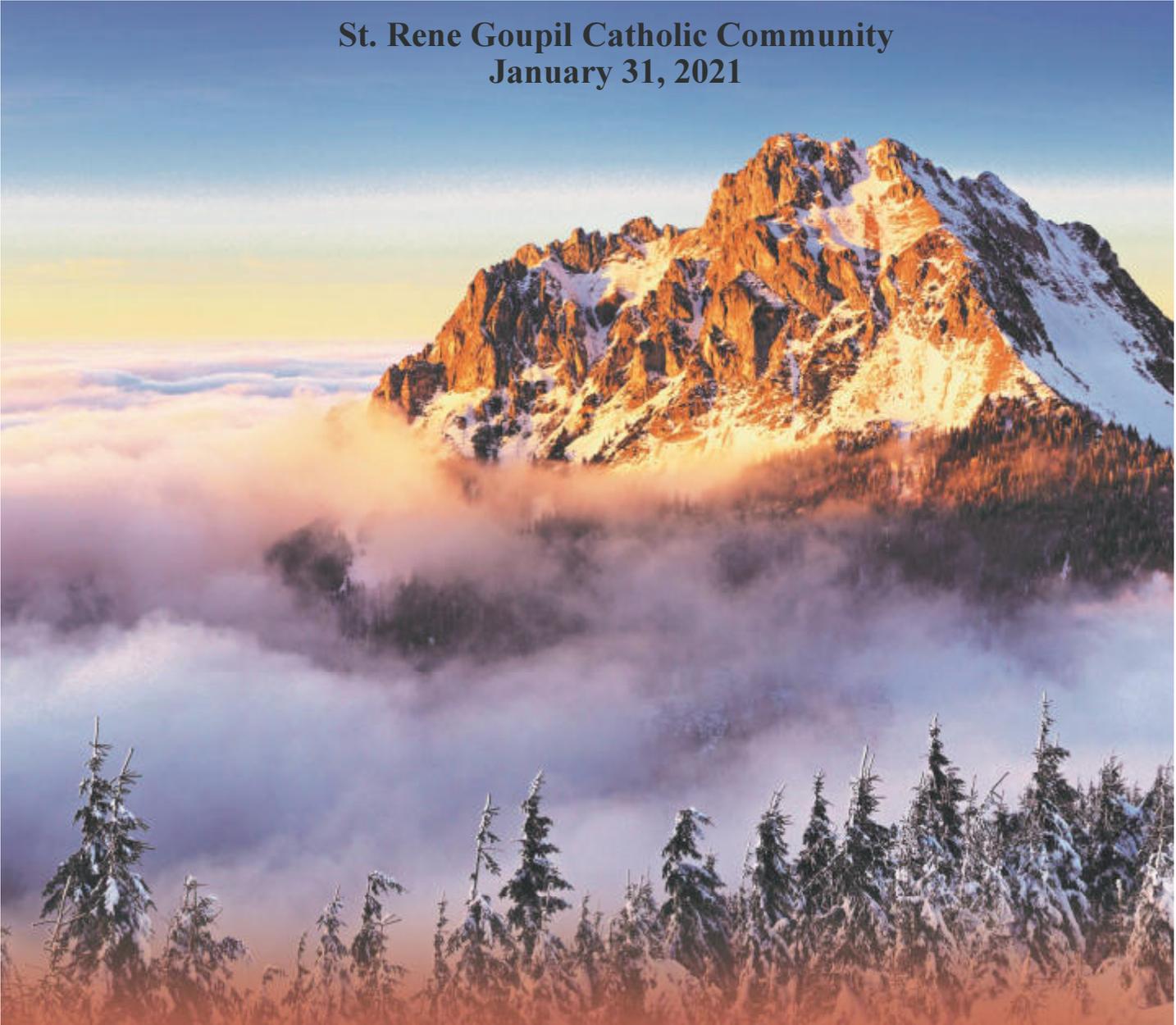


St. Rene Goupil Catholic Community
January 31, 2021



4th Sunday
IN ORDINARY TIME

He cried out, “What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth?
Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy
One of God!” - Mk 1:24

Notes from Fr. Steve

When you were a child after you kissed your parents good night, you probably heard on your way to the bedroom, your mother say: "Don't forget to say your prayers". The habit of praying before you sleep is an ancient practice of Christians, which can be traced back into the Old Testament. It seems praying at night became more of a practice, than praying in the morning. The reason for this is unknown. But the practice of "morning prayer", is again traced back to the Old Testament.

What we do in the morning tend to have a big impact and our mood throughout the rest of the day. Starting our mornings with prayer reinforces in our mind, body, and spirit with a sense of calmness and joy to help us maintain positive perspective throughout the day. It is common to get distracted or frustrated, or in a rush especially in the morning, but praying to God and giving thanks soon after our waking gives us peace to better approach the day. It is much easier to enjoy our life when we begin it, by praising and thanking God for our gifts and blessings.

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving lets your requests be known to God". (Philippians 4:6)

"Therefore whatever you ask in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours." (Mark 11:24)

"Pray without ceasing in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Jesus Christ for you." (1 Thessalonians 5:17-19)

"When you pray, go to your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who sees in secret will reward you. (Matthew 6:6)

Therefore confess your sins to one another and pray for one another that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous person has great power as it is working". (James 5:16)

A Morning Prayer

Lord, may nothing separate me from you today. Teach me to choose only your way in life so that each step I take may bring me closer to you. Help me to walk by your Word and not my feelings.

Help me to keep my heart pure and undivided. Protect me from careless thoughts, words and actions. And keep me from being distracted by My own wants, My desires, My thoughts on how things should be.

Help me to embrace what comes my way as an opportunity...rather than a personal inconvenience. And finally let me rest in the truth of Psalm 86:13, "Great is your love toward me".

You already see the ways I mess up and fall short. But right now I tuck your whisper of your absolute love for me in the deepest part of my heart. I recognized your love for me is not based on my performance. You love me as I am.

You are the Savior of the world who wants to spend a few moments of this morning with you. Lord help me to remember what a gift it is to sit with you like this. Amen (Lysa Terkeurst)

Beginning our day with prayer, helps us direct our steps on the path of righteousness, given to us in scripture. Morning Prayer is a wonderful way to focus on God's plan for the day ahead. Life would be much more joyful, if you invited the Lord to walk with you throughout your day.

I want to thank all of you again who are so faithfully sending in your weekly sacrifice to the parish each week. Your sacrifices are greatly appreciated!

Please, remember to pray for the parish especially for the sick and the suffering, your prayers bring them comfort, healing and peace. God bless you!

Fr. Steve

If you would like to reserve a copy of the Little Black Books for the Lenten season, please fill out the information below. The donation is \$1.00 per book and we will fill your order with the quantity requested. We will let you know when your books are ready. The donation for the book needs to be separated from your contribution.



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**EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP
Embracing Change in Christ**

It's officially one month since we popped the champagne, toasted 2021 and wrote down a list of resolutions. This is usually the time when we start to take a good, hard look in the mirror to assess what we have done — or have not done — with the first month of this brand-new year.

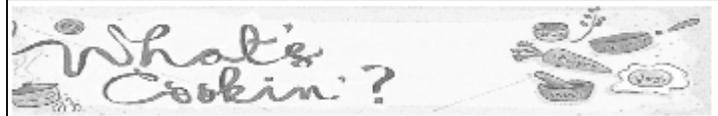
New years can be scary, can't they? Full of promise, sure, but also full of room for failure. Full of space for our old baggage, old fears and the continuation of old mistakes.

The same can be said of Christ, and the new life he offers us, if we are brave enough to accept it. Opportunities like that can be intimidating. In that moment, we might find ourselves like the man with the unclean spirit crying out: "What have you to do with me, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us?"

Jesus is a comforter of the afflicted; he is a consoling figure, but he is also a challenging one. Sometimes we have grown attached to our afflictions. The idea of correcting bad habits or forming new ones is frankly terrifying to us. We have a voice deep inside who sees Christ and his invitation to repentance, and it cries out in fear: "I know who you are!"

When we live in the present, disavowing the baggage of the past or fear of the future, we submit ourselves to the promise of redemption. Let us be brave everyday stewards and invite Christ's healing power into our lives. We won't regret it — I'm sure the demoniac never did.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS



Lemon Squares

- 1 c. flour
- 1/2 c. butter
- 1/4 c. confectioners sugar
- 2 eggs
- 1 c/ granulated sugar
- 1/2 tsp. baking powder
- 1/4 tsp. salt
- 2 Tbsp. lemon juice

Heat oven to 350 F. Blend flour, butter and confectioners sugar thoroughly. Press evenly in square 8x8x2 inch pan. Bake for 20 minutes. Beat rest of ingredients together. Pour over crust and bake for 20-25 minutes more. Do not overbake. The filling will puff up when baking, but will not flatten out when cooled. Makes 16 squares.



Prayer During A Health Crisis

Compassionate and Loving Father,
 In the face of confusion and concern
 impart to us the calm of your presence.
 In You allow us to find hope and healing.
 Be with those who serve the sick and give them
 Your caring hands.
 Be with those who lead and give them Your Spirit
 of wisdom.
 Be with those who have fallen ill and give them
 Your comforting heart.
 Wrap your arms around our world
 and hold us in your love.
 Allow us at this time of trial to then
 serve as instruments of that love to all we meet.
 We ask this in Your Name.
 Amen.

Readings for Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I

Deuteronomy 18:15-20/71

Moses spoke to all the people, saying. “A prophet like me will the Lord, your God, raise up for you from among your own kin; to him you shall listen. This is exactly what you requested of the Lord, your God, at Horeb on the day of the assembly, when you said, “Let us not again hear the voice of the Lord, our God, nor see this great fire any more, lest we die.’ And the Lord said to me, “This was well said. I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their kin, and will put my words into his mouth; he shall tell them all that I command him. Whoever will not listen to my words which he speaks in my name, I myself will make him answer for it. But if a prophet presumes to speak in my name an oracle that I have not commanded him to speak, or speaks in the name of other gods, he shall die.”

Reading II

1 Corinthians 7:32-35

Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties. An unmarried man is anxious about the things of the Lord, how he may please the Lord. But a married man is anxious about the things of the world, how he may please his wife, and he is divided. An unmarried woman or a virgin is anxious about the things of the Lord, so that she may be holy in both body and spirit. A married woman, on the other hand, is anxious about the things of the world, how she may please her husband. I am telling you this for your own benefit, not to impose a restraint upon you, but for the sake of propriety and adherence to the Lord without distraction.

Gospel

Mark 1:21-28

Then they came to Capernaum, and on the sabbath Jesus entered the synagogue and taught. The people were astonished at his teaching, for he taught them as one having authority and not as the scribes. In their synagogue was a man with an unclean spirit; he cried out, “What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God!” Jesus rebuked him and said, “Quiet! Come out of him!” The unclean spirit convulsed him and with a loud cry came out of him. All were amazed and asked one another, “What is this? A new teaching with authority. He commands even the unclean spirits and they obey him.” His fame spread everywhere throughout the whole region of Galilee.

Readings for the Week

Sunday, January 31, 2021:Dt 18:15-20/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9/ 1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28

Monday, February 1, 2021:Heb 11:32-40/Ps 31:20, 21, 22, 23, 24/Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday, February 2, 2021: Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Heb/ 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

Wednesday, February 3, 2021:Heb 12:4-7, 11-15/Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a/Mk 6:1-6

Thursday, February 4, 2021:Heb 12:18-19, 21-24/Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 9, 10-11/Mk 6:7-13

Friday, February 5, 2021:Heb 13:1-8/Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9abc/Mk 6:14-29

Saturday, February 6, 2021:Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Mk 6:30-34

Sunday, February 7, 2021:Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/ 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39

MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday, February 2, 2021

9:30 a.m.

+Fr. Ed Baumgartner
+Fr. Jim Hayes
+Fr. Louis Prohaska
+Fr. Bill Sherzer

Thursday, February 4, 2021

9:30 a.m.

+Sr. Redempta Koehler

Friday, February 5, 2021

9:30 a.m.

+Lawrence Bucciero
+Jane DeHart
+Pete Formanczyk
Special Intention Cherokee Capajo

Saturday, February 6, 2021

4:00 p.m.

+Joan Hurley
+Franklin Langenstein
+Rita Gatt
Special Intention Lawrence & Lorraine Doyle
+Karen & Robert Brooks
+Zigmund Graczyk
+Jane Lacombe
+Daniel Lukasiewicz
+Helen Burns

Sunday, February 7, 2021

8:30 a.m.

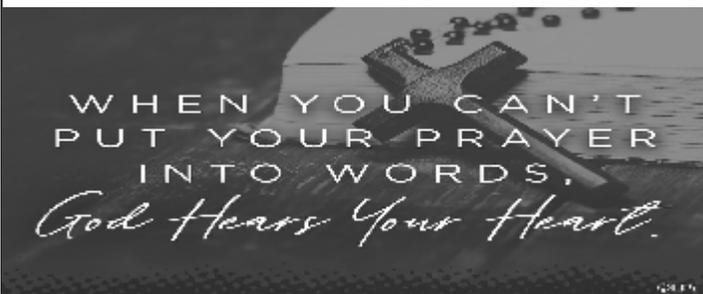
Thanksgiving Mass The Cochiosue Family

10:30 a.m.

Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus St. Nicholas Council & Their Families
+Birthday of Sparky Klee
Special Intention Genevieve Labinski
+Delfin Divina

5:30 p.m.

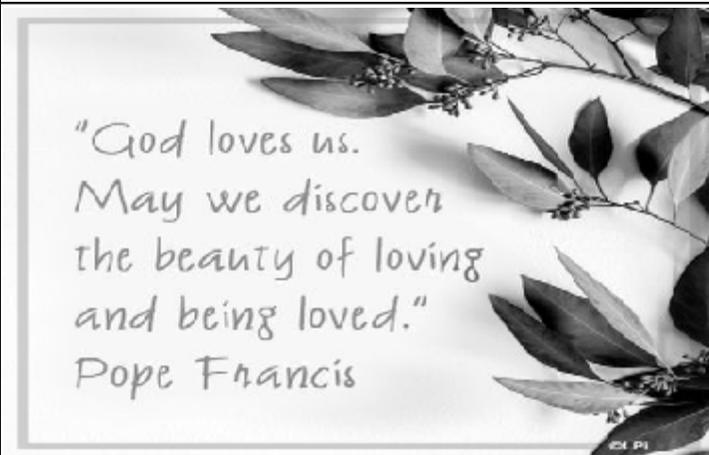
Living & Deceased Members of St. Rene Goupil Parish



Trust in God

During a time of crisis or uncertainty, we may find ourselves struggling with fear and anxiety. This is a natural reaction. But St. Paul reminds us in his Letter to the Philippians to “have no anxiety about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God” (4:6). Then, he assures us, “the peace of God, which passes all understanding, will keep your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus” (v.7). With steadfast prayer and thanksgiving, then, we do our best to put our trust in the Lord.

Let our reactions reflect the trust and peace that can only be found in him. Stay close to Jesus and the Blessed Mother in prayer, asking that those who are suffering from the disease or from any related anxiety may find healing and peace.



Prayer for Protection in Time of Pandemic

O Mary, you always brighten our path as a sign of salvation and of hope. We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick, who, at the Cross, took part in Jesus' pain while remaining steadfast in faith.

O loving Mother, you know what we need, and we are confident you will provide for us as at Cana in Galilee.

Intercede for us with your Son Jesus, the Divine Physician, for those who have fallen ill, for those who are vulnerable, and for those charged with protecting the health and safety of others and for those who are tending to the sick and seeking a cure.

Help us, O Mother of Divine Love, to conform to the will of the Father and to do as we are told by Jesus, who took upon himself our suffering and carried our sorrows, so as to lead us, through the Cross, to the glory of the Resurrection. Amen.

Under the protection we seek refuge, O Holy Mother of God. In our needs, despise not our petitions, but deliver us always from all dangers, O glorious and blessed Virgin. Amen.

GOSPEL MEDITATION

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Most of us are quiet people who desire to live a good and holy life, promote the values and mission of the Gospel as best we can and desire to one day inherit the surprise of life eternal God promises to us. We are not trail blazers. We are simple people who want to do the simple things of life well. But there are others who left a more profound impact along the way of the paths they walked. Folks like Dorothy Day, Martin Luther King, Thomas Merton, Gandhi, St. Teresa of Calcutta, and many others left lasting impacts and legacies. Like Moses, they show us by word and deed who God is and what integrity and a purpose driven life look like. They show us how to be holy. We need Moses people like these to give us inspiration, hope and an example of holy living.

We do not need to do what they did or even mirror their relationship with God. Each one of us is God's special creation, with a purpose and soul known only to us. We need to learn how to open up and bring, without compromise, our soul-ness to life. We know when someone is authentic and centered because they always point to truth, even though they struggle and sin themselves, and they embody an unspoken timeless wisdom that just sounds and feels right. Jesus taught with this same type of authority and it astonished many who listened. We do not need to move mountains, advance a cause, write books or become notable. All we have to do is become credible witnesses of the faith we profess. Moses people can teach us how to do this.

St. Oscar Romero was an amazing man and a Moses figure for sure. He saw God in the burning bush and brought the flame of Gospel faith to the poorest of the poor, challenging the evils of the society in which he lived. He was tireless and persistent. He must have gotten very close to the problem because it cost him his life. He suspected it would. St. Romero said, "When we leave Mass, we ought to go out the way Moses descended Mt Sinai: with his face shining, with his heart brave and strong to face the world's difficulties." We can learn from this wisdom. If we allow the power of the Mass to truly transform us, we will leave that holy encounter changed. Our face will shine, and we will have courage. We can then bring what we have received to life's challenges. That sounds doable, doesn't it? Because of the example of our simple holiness, people will be amazed.

REQUEST FOR 2020 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT

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CANDLES

If you would like St. Rene to light a candle for you, please send in your donation of \$1.00 per candle and we will light it for you. Please fill out the form below. This donation needs to be separate from your contribution.

Name: _____

Quantity: _____

Amount Enclosed: _____



Neighbors In Need

In such stressful times, St. Vincent de Paul members want to remind all parishioners that our mission is to help anyone who lives within the St. Rene Parish boundaries. We may be able to help with utility bills, clothing, household items and non-perishable food. Because of COVID restrictions our pantry is closed except for emergencies. If you know of anyone who needs help, please have them call (586)718-4523. They do not need to be parish members. For someone outside our parish boundaries, suggest they call their local church. All information is kept strictly confidential.



**PLEASE
BE
GENEROUS**

Adoration Chapel

We are happy to announce the Adoration Chapel will open again, with a different schedule. The chapel will be open Monday through Friday from 7 am to 7 pm. The chapel is small, so the capacity will be limited to 4 people at a time. Masks **MUST** be worn. Please limit your visit to 15 minutes in consideration of those waiting to enter. The door will be latched at 3:30 pm each afternoon. You will need to knock to enter. At 7 pm it will close until the following morning. If this arrangement does not work because people will not accommodate to the mask and distance standard, we will be forced to close it again. Please help us keep the chapel open!

Hours of Commitment Needed:
Tuesday 7:00 a.m.
Thursday 8:00 a.m.

Please call Mary Peterson if you are willing to commit to one of these hours.
(586)979-1469 or (586)738-1154

Weekend Liturgy Schedule for February 6 & 7

	Saturday 4:00PM	Sunday 8:30AM	Sunday 10:30AM	Sunday 5:30 PM
Presider	Fr. Steve	Fr. Joy	Fr. Steve	Fr. Tim
Lector	Dorothy Arche	Barb Wyrwicz	Flor Sitchon	Paul Hornung
Altar Servers	Lance Tolentino	Karin Nieto	Owen Brink	Rohan Go
Eucharistic Ministers	M Passalacqua	Open Open Open	D Juco	Open Open Open
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Sacristan	M Stanczyk	G Wiklanski	K Fleming	V Jennings



**Our Sunday Offering
January 23 & 24**

**Thank you for your
generous response.**

God Bless you!

From the Vatican

Pope Francis gave a Papal Indult in March at the Vatican that said, Because of the Pandemic, anyone who prays a sincere “Act of Contrition”, receives the same absolution from their sins as they would have in making a confession”.

STAY CONNECTED

I encourage you to sign up for this resource and make use of the Bible studies, faith formation opportunities, and Catholic movies available. Signing up only takes a few easy steps:

1. Visit www.formed.org and click “Sign up.”
2. Click “I belong to a Parish or Organization.”
3. Type “Faith at Home Detroit” in the center box under Create New Account. (You’ll see it populate from the drop-down menu.) Click “Next.”
4. Enter your first and last name as well as your email.
5. Now you’re registered! You can also download the app on you Smartphone. If you need further assistance, contact *Formed* at www.help.formed.org or toll-free at 844-367-6331.

Spiritual Communion

With a contrite and a pure and loving heart say:
My Jesus, I believe that Thou art present in the Blessed Sacrament. I love Thee above all things and I desire to possess Thee within my soul. Since I cannot receive Thee sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.
 (Pause)

As though Thou were already there, I embrace Thee and unite myself wholly to Thee; permit me not that I should ever be separated from Thee.

The Council of Trent requires for a spiritual communion an ardent desire, lively faith, and fervent charity.

It is recommended that you keep this card with your daily prayers to be recited often.

Copies of this card available from:
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 2¢ each plus \$2.00 P & H in U.S.
 Outside U.S. See Our Order Form For P & H
 To review other material that we offer, visit our webpage: olrl.org

**Daily Offering
of the
Most Precious Blood**

With a contrite and a pure and loving heart say:

O MARY, Immaculate Mother of JESUS, offer, we beseech thee, to the Eternal Father, the Precious Blood of thy Divine Son, to prevent at least one mortal sin from being committed somewhere in the world this day. [night]

“If every night, before we went to sleep,” says Father Faber, “we begged our dear Lady to offer up to God the Precious Blood of her Divine Son for grace to hinder one mortal sin somewhere in the world, during that night, and then renewed the same offering in the morning of the hours of daylight, surely such an offering, and by such hands, could not fail to win the grace desired, and then each one of us might probably hinder numbers of mortal sins every year.”

— All for Jesus

If you wish to read the bulletin it can be found online at Parishesonline.com then search by zip code.

You can go online to the aod.org/live masses to find Weekday and Weekend Masses that can be watched.

Please Pray for our Sick

Magdalena Arche	Gina Demarzio	Barbara Kusiak	Rose Mary Shaner
Raymond Anderson	Joan Droz	Christine Laubach	Edward Stivers
Ramzi Azara	Steve Femminino	Marion Leckman	Angeline Szelak
Bernice Barc	Sylvester Galuska	Lori Leman	Charlie Tocco
Sally Boa	Pat, Mike & Bill Goodwin	Julie Lombardo	Talon Tolliver
Amy Bonrostro	Chester Gorski	Sam Lumetta	Chris Vertrees
Josephine & George Bouharb	Jeanette Groen	Lucy Maloziec	Michael Waggener
Mike & Brenda Boyle	Diane Guappone	Joyce Mike	Helen Walczak
Karla Bocker	Barbara Haapala	Dee Mullaney	Molly Yandell
Ellen Burton	Noel Herberger	Al Napolitano	Marsha Zanardelli
Marion Calverley	Jeffrey Johannes	Louie Nieto	Daniel Zaniewski
Rachel Canavesio	Pat Johnson	Judith Ochss	Rose Zappa
Ligaya Carandang	Fran Karpinski	Donna O'Toole	
Cresenciano Carandang	Ronnie Ketvirtis	Remmie Rento Papa	
Matthew Cass	Camille Keyes	Bob Pawlik	
Walter Ciesielski	Roxann, Rick & Tony Klee	Christopher Plec	
James Coakley	Sue Knudsen	Norma Prall	
Judy Coloske	Michael Knudsen	Jim Rossbach	
Teresita Covacha	Josephine Kuhlman	Edwin Schlicht	

While we know that many people are continuously suffering from pain and illness, the main function for our sick list is to offer prayers for those urgently needing prayer (i.e. someone who is experiencing an acute illness or serious injury...) In our efforts to maintain an updated list, names will stay on the list for four weeks and can be requested by immediate family members only. All others who are sick will be remembered and prayed for with the phrase "and for all our parishioners and family members who are sick, living with chronic health troubles, and / or are in assisted living or nursing homes." Thank you for your understanding.

Please Pray for the Family Members of our Parishioners serving in the Military:

Corporal Joshua Arrington (Marines)	Staff Sgt. Nicole R. Grenon	Chief Daniel Przybylinski (Navy)
Sgt. Major Justin Ball	Christopher Grubby (Navy)	Justin Quinn (Marines)
Sr. Airman Greg Baumgartner	Pfc. Kevin Heath	Anthony Roszko (Army)
Josey Blades (Air Force)	Lt. Christopher Kerr	CPL Marcus Sierra (Marines)
Airman 1st Julie M. Chervon	Pfc. Paul Koss (Marines)	Lt. Greg Siuta
Spc. Shaen Connery (Army)	In Afghanistan	Maj. Allison Stewart
P.O. 1st Dale A. Foglyano	Lt. Joseph Kraft	Sgt Tomas R. Studholme, Jr.
Nicholas Foglyano (Army)	Sgt. Joseph Kucharek (Army)	ISG Robert Sutton
Nicolas Fooy (Navy)	Sgt. Chris Libeck	Sgt. Matthew Sweetman
Lt Col David Fries	Mark Locricchio (Army)	Joel Vasquez, (Navy Seal)
Maj. Laura Geldhof	Sgt. Sean McDowell (Army)	CPL Cameron Wilson (Marines)
Joe Gill, Navy	LCPL Miguel Menzer	
	SPC Matthew Muellenhagen	
	Maj. Eric Olson	

Prayer for Those Serving in the Military

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us.
Bless them and their families for their selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need.
Amen.

ST. JOHN PROVIDENCE GRIEF COUNSELING SERVICES

Grief Support Groups are offered for adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one through death. The group provides a supportive, safe and friendly environment to share their grief journey and to begin the healing process in a group setting by Reverence Hospice, a service of St. John Providence Health System. There is no charge. These groups are open to anyone who has lost a loved one due to death.

Locally, St. John Macomb/Oakland Hospital Education Center, 27351 Dequindre in Madison Heights every First and Third Wednesday 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. and Utica Untied Methodist Church, 8650 Canal Road in Sterling Heights, every 3rd Thursday of the month 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. To register call Lora Blake (586) 292-1359 or Becky Hall (586) 292-1359.

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St. Rene Mission Statement

St. Rene Goupil Parish is a Catholic Community, dedicated to strengthening the faith and love of its people. Our mission is to proclaim that Jesus is Lord, to celebrate His Presence, and to reach out to others in His name.

Parish Registration:

Welcome to all new families/individuals. Please register as soon as possible. Membership is a condition for the reception of the Sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, First Eucharist, Confirmation and Marriage.

Registration is also required before the parish can issue a sponsorship certificate for those asked to be a sacramental sponsor. Registration forms are available in the Parish Office.

Baptism:

Baptisms are celebrated the third Sunday of the month at 12:00 p.m. A parent preparation class is mandatory. Classes are held on the fourth Saturday of each month at 10:00 a.m. Call the Parish Office during weekday office hours to register for a class.

Penance: Saturday 3:00 p.m. Special schedules for Advent and Lent.

Marriage:

Arrangements must be made through the Parish Office at least six months prior to the desired wedding date. One person of the couple must be an active, registered member of St. Rene Goupil Parish for six months.

Anointing of the Sick:

On request or by appointment through the Parish Office.

Weekend Liturgy Schedule

Saturday 4:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:30 a.m.
10:30 a.m.
5:30 p.m.

Weekday Mass

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9:30 a.m.

Confessions

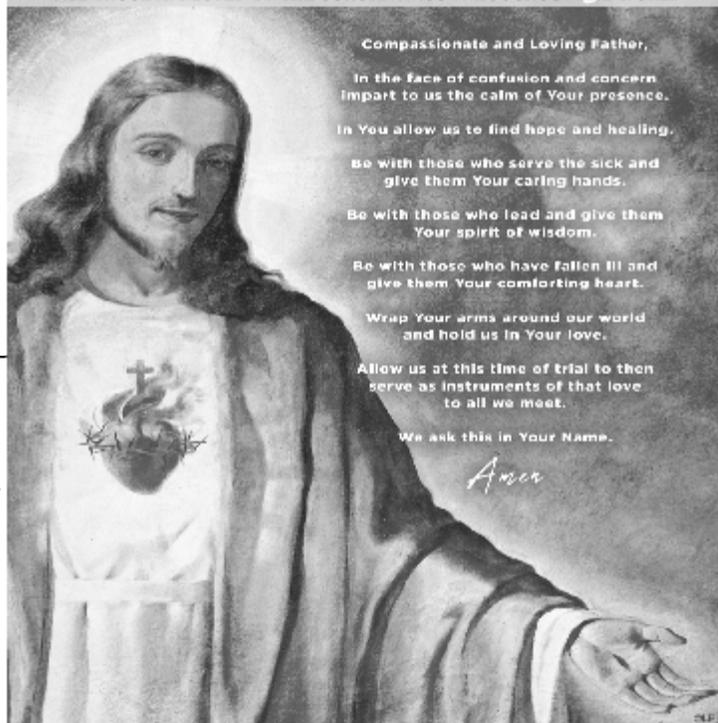
See page 8 in the bulletin

WELCOME

If you have attended Mass at St. Rene and would like to become a member, please visit our parish office where you can register and discuss all of the wonderful ways to grow in faith through Christian Service, Worship, Youth Ministry, Outreach, Faith Formation, and in our Adoration Chapel. For more information call 586-939-7500.

Remember in Your Prayers

ALL THOSE AFFECTED BY THE CORONAVIRUS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD



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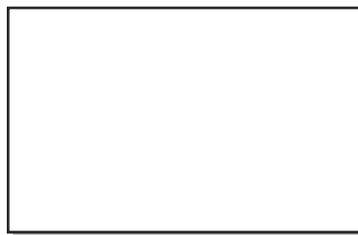
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