

**St. Rene Goupil Catholic Community**  
**July 18, 2021**



## **16<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

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## Notes from Fr. Steve

Is it true that God is present everywhere that is why we can pray wherever we are at. Christ is reserved in Churches as the spiritual center of the heart of the parish community, the universal Church and all humanity. Because Jesus wants us to spend time with him more than just one hour a week, many people spend time with Jesus in the Adoration Chapel. We are so very blessed to have an Adoration Chapel here in our own parish. I would like to present to you twelve biblical reasons for spending time before the Blessed Sacrament. (from CAN)

1. He is really there! "I myself am the bread that has come down from heaven" (Jn 6:35)
2. Day and night Jesus dwells in the Blessed Sacrament because of his infinite love for you! "Behold I will be with you always, even to the end of the world," because "I have loved you with an everlasting love, and constant is my affliction for you". (Mt 28:20, Jer 31:3)
3. The specific way Jesus asks you to love him in return is to spend a quiet hour with him in the Blessed Sacrament. "Where your treasure is there is your heart..." "Could you not watch one hour with me?"
4. When you look upon the sacred host, you look upon Jesus, the Son of God. "Indeed this is the will of my Father, that everyone that looks upon the Son and believes in him shall have eternal life. Him I will raise up on the last day." (Jn 6:40)
5. Every moment you spend in His Eucharistic presence will increase His divine life within you and deepen your personal relationship and friendship with him. "I have come that you may have life, and have it more abundantly." "I am the vine and you are the branches. Whoever remain in me and I in him will bear much fruit because without me, you can do nothing".
6. Each hour you spend with Jesus will increase his divine presence in your heart. "Come to me all you who are weary and find life burdensome and I will refresh you". (Mt 11:28)
7. Jesus will give you all the graces you need to be happy! The Lamb on the throne will shepherd them. He will lead them to the springs of life-giving water". (Rev 7:17)
8. Pray for our country! "When my people humble themselves and seek my presence...I will revive their land". (2Cor 7:14)
9. Jesus deserves our praise and thanksgiving for all he has done for us! "Worthy is the Lamb of God to receive Glory, honor and praise". (Rev 5:12)
10. Each hour you spend with Jesus will benefit your soul, and prepare you for the glory of the Kingdom of God. "All of us gazing on the Lord's glory with unveiled faces, are being transformed for glory to glory in his very image." (Lk 18:14, 2Cor 3:18)
11. Jesus will bless you and those you love in the hour you spend before him. "Blessed are those who do not see and yet believe...Faith can move mountains...Behold I come to make all things new." (Jn 20:29 Mk 11:23 Mk 5:36)
12. Each moment you spend with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament brings joy and happiness into your life. "My joy, my pleasure, my delight is to be with you." (Prov 8:31)

Please consider spending time before the Blessed Sacrament, I promise you many blessings are waiting for you in the Adoration Chapel, please come and receive them.

As always I ask you to pray for the parish, especially for the sick and the suffering, your prayers bring them comfort, healing and peace.

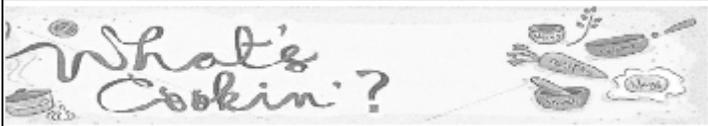
If you have not made your CSA sacrifice please do so, we need your sacrifice to reach our parish target.

May God bless you and those you love.

Fr. Steve



**PLEASE  
BE  
GENEROUS**



**APPLE CAKE**

3 eggs  
1 3/4 c. sugar  
Blend well

Add:  
1 c. oil (blend)  
2 c. Pillsbury flour  
1 tsp. soda  
1/2 tsp. salt  
1 tsp. cinnamon

Add:  
5 apples, sliced thin  
1 c. chopped nuts

Bake at 350 F for 1 hour in a 9x13 inch pan. Sprinkle with powdered sugar.

**EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP**

**The Steward's Work Is Never Done**

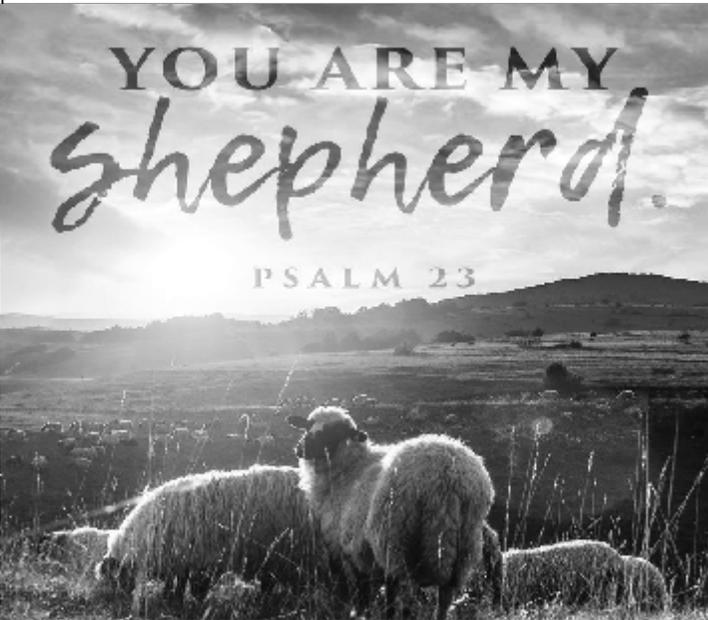
Woe to the shepherds who mislead and scatter the flock! When you hear these strong words from the Old Testament, you're probably thinking, thank goodness I don't have any sheep — dodged that bullet. Nobody misled here! No flock scattered on my watch! However, we are all shepherds of a kind, called to tend our own sheep: our families, our parishes, our communities.

But it's exhausting. Don't we all sometimes just want to take a break from being a steward? The excuses are so familiar: we're tired, we've done enough, we've given all we can, what more does the parish (or my spouse, or my kids, or my boss, or my friends, or my community) want? We give ourselves permission to be selfish. So, what if the flock scatters just a little?

Jesus gets that. We can just imagine him weary with exhaustion, can't we? We see him on his boat, attempting to sneak away for a quick break — maybe just a chance to eat a bite of food in peace. He is God, but he was still human, after all. Even the most dedicated shepherds need to sleep. But people couldn't leave him alone. They were hungry for him. They needed what he could offer, and they needed it now.

As tough as it is, that's the example we are tasked with imitating. Everyday Stewardship demands accountability. It demands our showing up even when we are tired. It demands that we look at our lives, our time, our energies, our talents, our hearts, our bank accounts and think: where do I still have more to give?

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS



**If you are not registered at St. Rene and would like to become an active member and included on our mailing list please complete the form below and drop it in the offering basket next weekend.**

**REGISTRATION FORM**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CHILDS NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

## Readings for Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Reading I

*Jeremiah 23:1-6/107*

Woe to the shepherds who mislead and scatter the flock of my pasture, says the Lord. Therefore, thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, against the shepherds who shepherd my people: you have scattered my sheep and driven them away. You have not cared for them, but I will take care to punish your evil deeds. I myself will gather the remnant of my flock from all the lands to which I have driven them and bring them back to their meadow; there they shall increase and multiply. I will appoint shepherds for them who will shepherd them so that they need no longer fear and tremble; and none shall be missing, says the Lord.

Behold, the days are coming, says the Lord,  
when I will raise up a righteous shoot to David:  
as king he shall reign and govern wisely,  
he shall do what is just and right in the land.  
In his days Judah shall be saved,  
Israel shall dwell in security.  
This is the name they give him”  
“The Lord our justice,”

### Reading II

*Ephesians 2:13-18*

Brothers and sisters: In Christ Jesus you who once were far off have become near by the blood of Christ. For he is our peace, he who made both one and broke down the dividing wall of enmity, through his flesh, abolishing the law with its commandments and legal claims, that he might create in himself one new person in place of the two, thus establishing peace, and might reconcile both with God, in one body, through the cross, putting the enmity to death by it. He came and preached peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near, for through him we both have access in one Spirit to the Father.

### Gospel

*Mark 6:30-34*

The apostles gathered together with Jesus and reported all they had done and taught. He said to them, “Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while.” People were coming and going in great numbers, and they had no opportunity even to eat. So they went off in the boat by themselves to a deserted place. People saw them leaving and many came to know about it. They hastened there on foot from all the towns and arrived at the place before them.

When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things.

## Readings for the Week

**Sunday, July 18, 2021:** Jer 23:1-6/Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5-6/Eph 2:13-18/Mk 6:30-34

**Monday, July 19, 2021:**Ex 14:5-18/Ex 15:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 12:38-42

**Tuesday, July 20, 2021:**Ex 14:21—15:1/Ex 15:8-9, 10 and 12, 17/Mt 12:46-50

**Wednesday, July 21, 2021:**Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Ps 78:18-19, 23-24, 25-26, 27-28/Mt 13:1-9

**Thursday, July 22, 2021:**Sg 3:1-4 or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

**Friday, July 23, 2021:**Ex 20:1-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 13:18-23

**Saturday, July 24, 2021:**Ex 24:3-8/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15/Mt 13:24-30

**Sunday, July 25, 2021:**2 Kgs 4:42-44/Ps 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18/Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15

# MASS INTENTIONS

**Tuesday, July 20, 2021**

**9:30 a.m.**

- +Aniceto Esmana
- +Fabian Esmana
- +Kelly Patterson

**Thursday, July 22, 2021**

**9:30 a.m.**

- +Edwin Esmana
- Birthday of Aliza Esmana
- +Judy Coloske

**Friday, July 23, 2021**

**9:30 a.m.**

- +Magdalena Bonrostro
- +Frank Finazzo
- +Linda Hohmann

**Saturday, July 24, 2021**

**4:00 p.m.**

- +Franklin Langenstein
- +Walter Broski
- +Marialuz Sales (1st. R.A.)
- +Tim Peterson
- +Rita Gatt

**Sunday, July 25, 2021**

**8:30 a.m.**

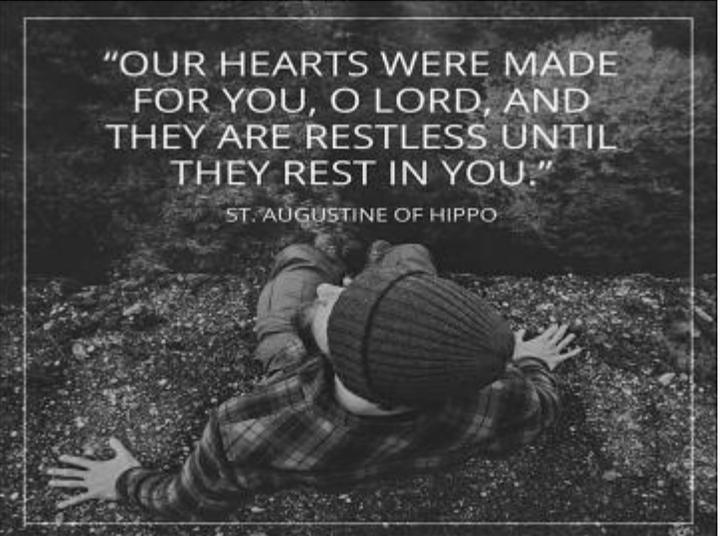
- +Marialuz Sales

**10:30 a.m.**

- +Josephine Ross
- +Walt Kalcevic
- +Delfin Divina
- +Monsignor Ricardo Bass
- +David Willick
- +Marjorie Ferman
- +Thiep My Bui
- +Jerry Lewinski

**5:30 p.m.**

- +Suzanne Zwierzchowski



"OUR HEARTS WERE MADE FOR YOU, O LORD, AND THEY ARE RESTLESS UNTIL THEY REST IN YOU."

ST. AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO

## SAINT BLASE MUSIC FESTIVAL

**AUGUST 5-6**  
ALL AGES | NO COST

Are you interested in learning new techniques and songs? Do you like listening to music? Then this music festival is for you! Two events, one festival, see below.

**MUSIC WORKSHOPS**

**Children and Teens** will learn beginner music theory through fun games and activities, while learning songs to sing at the concert on Friday evening. They'll also have an interactive session with a visiting handball team. They will meet Thursday and Friday, August 5th and 6th from 1 PM - 4 PM, along with participation at the concert on Friday, August 6th at 7 PM.

**Adults** will learn music and vocal techniques and tips while learning new repertoire. They will meet on August 5th at 7 PM.

**REGISTER IN PARISH OFFICE OR STBLASE.ORG**

(888) 268-2244 | OFFICE@STBLASE.ORG | 12151 E. 15 MILE ROAD, STERLING HEIGHTS, MI 48312

**MUSIC CONCERT**

Friday at 7:00 PM

Enjoy a night of music performed by our children and teen festival participants! All are invited to come and hear what they have been working on in their workshops.

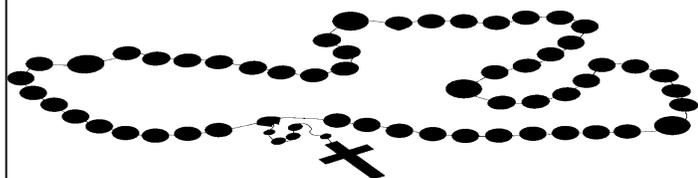
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Scripture taken from the Holy Bible, Revised Standard Version, Second Edition, 1971.



### GOSPEL MEDITATION

#### 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

There's an ordinary pine grove located on a tree farm not too far from town where life's stresses and demands seem to melt away. It is here that all that seemed so important out there no longer is and one can get lost in the rows of trees and majestic beauty. God is here and all is good. We need to connect with the Divine Source of all that is in order to understand what it is we are doing and why we are doing it. Otherwise, things stop making sense and bitterness can overcome one's spirit. It's okay to play once in a while and to discover that place of profound life and peace. People always have needs and there is constantly something to do. And while all of that is necessary and we are needed, there is also that inner solitude within that needs to be celebrated and released.

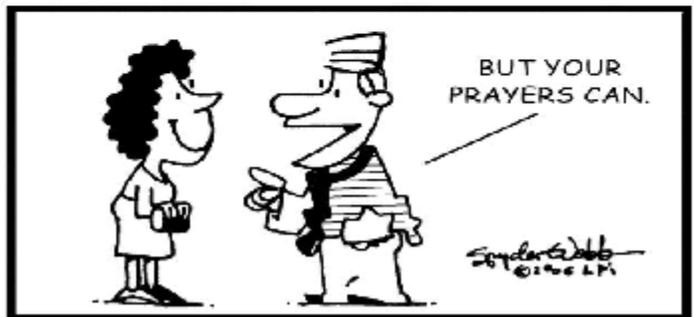
We all need a pine grove. It's that little place we can go and leave all that consumes us behind. It's a place where technology can be set aside and wonder, and awe given some time. We don't have to text, calculate, or orchestrate anything in the pine grove. It is a somewhat deserted place where all of that can be set aside and we can just be. The anger, frustration, exhaustion, discouragement, helplessness, and occasional apathy, all can fall to the ground like all of those pine needles that once held their place on the branch of a Frasier Fir. The needles can let go. We can let go. We are beings connected with Being and we all need to remember what really matters, who really matters and what life is truly all about. We need to find that place where we can rest and let go of all of the barnacles we accumulate. Rest, breathe, seek, and love.

The world will need us again when we leave the pine grove. It will all be waiting for us, beckoning for our attention. But we will have prayed and will have marveled at the silence and the beauty of goodness. We can go back, ready, and eager to listen, to help, to heal, to cry, to embrace, and attend to all that is asked of us. But, having let go of the distractions in that deserted place we will have a renewed sense of purpose. We will know better Who it is we serve and what we are meant to do. It will all be clearer now that we have been Divinely touched and refreshed.

#### Prayer For A Return To Faith

St. Anthony, God chose you for a mission of mercy to those who had fallen away from our Catholic faith. I entrust to you my concerns for (insert name) who does not presently worship at Mass or receive the Sacraments regularly. Speak to their heart, and lead them to want to know God better, to praise God often in the celebration of the Holy Eucharist, and to offer their time and talents in the dedicated service of a welcoming, holy, faith-filled Catholic parish community. Grant them the joy, the privilege, and the power of a committed personal relationship with Our Lord, Jesus Christ, and His Body, the Church. Guide me with patience and wisdom to be a worthy example of faith to all.  
Amen.

#### 16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



#### 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: \_\_\_\_\_



### Adoration Chapel

We are happy to announce the Adoration Chapel is open, 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:**

Monday 8:00 a.m.      Wednesday 2:00 p.m.  
 Thursday 5:00 p.m.      Friday 2:00 p.m.

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



### 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.

### 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.

### Weekend Liturgy Schedule for July 24 & 25

	<b>Saturday 4:00PM</b>	<b>Sunday 8:30AM</b>	<b>Sunday 10:30AM</b>	<b>Sunday 5:30 PM</b>
<b>Presider</b>	Fr. Steve	Fr. Joy	Fr. Steve	Fr. Tim
<b>Lector</b>	Barbara Kiernan	Barbara Wyrwicz	Dorothy Arche	Virginia Jenninngs
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Isabella Gonzalez Nathan Gonzalez	Karin Nieto	Eli Wing-Nga	
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	L Nosek J Dzuris	Open Open Open	R Bernardez H DeVera	Open Open Open
<b>Ushers</b>	<u>Tom Pluta</u> Bill Broaddus Dave Hintz Todd Messineo Karen Messineo Jim Dudley Nick Rieser Jim Moravek	<u>Tom Dutkiewicz</u> Luis Nieto Richard Satora Mike Kazyak Ed Stivers	<u>Bob Abraham</u> Gary Novelli Al Gyenese Terry Shaughnessy Tom Fooy Ralph Fackler	<u>Paul Hornung</u> Duane Zawacki Mike Galuszka Carl Siglin Ofelia Fermil Fred Rossi Nancy DeLaCruz
<b>Sacristan</b>	R Kranson	K Nieto	T McWilliams	V Jennings



**Our Sunday Offering  
July 10 & 11**

**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](http://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](http://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:  
**Our Lady of the Rosary Library**  
 4016 Preston Hwy. • Louisville, KY 40213  
 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](http://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](http://Parishesonline.com) then search by zip code.

You can go online to the [aod.org/live](http://aod.org/live) masses to find Weekday and Weekend Masses that can be watched.

### Please Pray for our Sick

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

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

### 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.

### Have you recently moved or changed your phone number?

**In order to keep our records as current as possible please notify the parish of any address or phone number changes.**

**Family Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please fill out this form and drop it in the collection basket, at the parish office or in the mail!**

## SAINT RENE GOUPIL Catholic Church

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Sterling Heights, MI 48310  
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Office Hours  
Monday - Thursday  
9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Closed 12 Noon—1:00 p.m. Lunch  
Friday 9:00 a.m. - Noon

### Pastoral Staff

Rev. Steven Koehler, Pastor  
Rev. Joy Chakian, Associate  
Rev. Mr. John Ball, Deacon  
Rev. Mr. Dave Fleming, Deacon  
Michael Novak,  
Director of Evangelization & Education

### ORGANIZATIONS & SERVICES

#### Legion of Mary

Mary Peterson (586) 979-1469

#### Divine Mercy

Diane Broaddus (586) 977-1978

#### Ushers

Al Gyenese (586) 808-3128

#### Perpetual Adoration

Mary Peterson (586) 979-1469

#### Catholic Social Services of Macomb

Clinton Twp. (586) 416-2300

St. Vincent de Paul (Poverty Help)  
(586) 718-4523

St. Nicholas Knights of Columbus  
Jim Pawlik (586) 268-2849

## 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

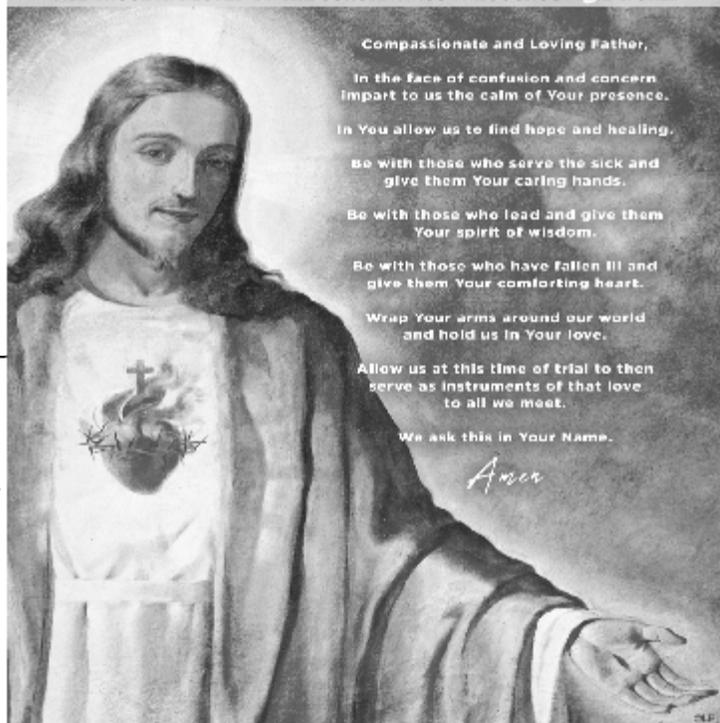
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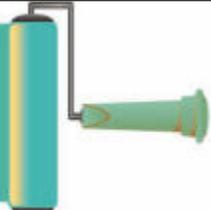
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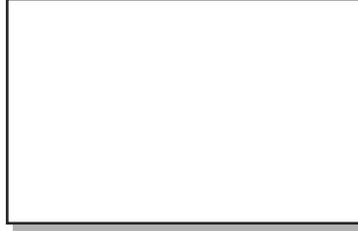


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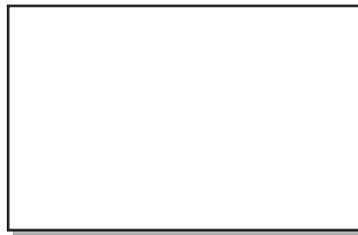
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