Church of St. Irene

St. Gabriel Parish

The Catholic Family of St. Irene Parish strives to become the people of the Gospel we are called to be by our Baptism. Therefore, we will serve the community by sharing our faith as we proclaim and live the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Rev. Dr. Michael A. Woroniewicz, Pastor
DUNDEE RECTORY OFFICE
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Phone (734) 529-2160
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St. Irene Church is located on the Dundee campus of St. Gabriel Parish in Ida, MI.

WORSHIP SCHEDULE
Saturday: Private Reconciliation at 3:30 p.m.
Mass at 4:00 p.m. (6:00 p.m. at St. Joseph in Ida)
Sunday: Mass at 10:30 a.m. (8:30 a.m. at St. Joseph in Ida)
Holyday/Weekday: Holyday and Weekday Mass times are listed in “Worship This Week” inside this bulletin.

Parish Email: stirene@frontier.com
Religious Education Office
Mary Mead, Religious Ed. Director (734) 529-2097
Rectory Office and Religious Ed. Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, and Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. or by appointment.

Marriage: Call 529-2160 first, before you make any other arrangements. Six months minimum notice is required for the marriage preparation process.

New Parishioners: Welcome! Please register by stopping by the Rectory or calling 529-2160. We want to acquaint you with our Parish and help you feel at home.

Baptism: Please call 529-2160. Baptisms are normally celebrated at Sunday Mass; no baptisms during Lent. One month’s notice and a pre-baptism session are required.

Anointing of the Sick: Please call 529-2160; the Sacrament can be celebrated at church, home or hospital.

Bulletin Copy Deadline is Friday morning at 9:00 a.m., eight days prior to distribution.
Worship This Week
Monday, July 8
9:00 Mass (Gilbert Flande, req. by Ken & Barb Ost)
Tuesday, July 9
(7:00 p.m. Mass in Ida)
Wednesday, July 10
9:00 Mass (Vocations to the Priesthood & Religious Life)
Thursday, July 11
NO MASS
Friday, July 12
9:00 Mass (Poor Souls in Purgatory)
Saturday, July 13
3:30 Sacrament of Penance
4:00 Mass (Parishioners of St. Gabriel Parish)
Sunday, July 14
10:30 Mass (Special Intention for Health)

Readings for the Week of July 7, 2013
Sunday: Is 66:10-14c
Gal 6:14-18/
Lk 10:1-12, 17-20
or 10:1-9
Monday:
Gn 28:10-22a
Mt 9:18-26
Tuesday:
Gn 32:23-33
Mt 9:32-38
Wednesday:
Gn 41:55-57;
42:5-7a, 17-24a/
Mt 10:1-7
Thursday:
Gn 44:18-21,
23b-29; 45:1-5
Mt 10:7-15
Friday:
Gn 46:1-7, 28-30/
Mt 10:16-23
Saturday:
Gn 49:29-32;
50:15-26a/
Mt 10:24-33
Next Sunday:
Dt 30:10-14/
Col 1:15-20/
Lk 10:25-37

Our Weekly Giving
June 30
Envelopes .................. $1849.00
Loose ......................... $ 141.00
Total ........................ $2990.00
CSA ........................... $ 150.00
Peter’s Pence ............... $ 160.00
Thank you for your support.

CSA Minute
Music Ministries
A Chant Boot Camp will be held Tuesday through Thursday afternoons, July 9 through 11, at the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament.
Attendees will learn the basics of singing chant in English and Latin from Joe Balistreri, archdiocesan director of music. They will sing four-line square-note notation, practice the rudiments of Latin pronunciation, and discuss appropriate ways to introduce, teach, and use chant in participatory liturgy.
Because of your gifts to the Catholic Services Appeal, the fee for the workshop and handouts is only $10.
Music ministries in the Archdiocese of Detroit are coordinated by the Worship Office, which is part of the Department of Parish Life and Services.

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Cycle C (Luke 10:1-12, 17-20)
Written in Heaven
by Fr. Jeffrey Day
In today’s Gospel, the Apostles realize that they have power. They tell Jesus, “Lord, even the demons are subject to us because of your name.” Each of us has a certain power over sin and evil, due to our reception of the Sacraments. The Sacraments put us into contact with the life of Jesus. Part of that life is His power to resist sin and evil. Whether power is spiritual in nature or not, we all have some influence over people and events. We all have some power. But fascination with power can become a source of temptation. What we need to keep clearly in mind is that power is always given in order to serve a higher purpose. The Apostles got too excited about their power and lost sight of the bigger picture. If Jesus didn’t say something, the Apostles may have thought that power was the ultimate goal. That is why Jesus says to them, “Do not rejoice because the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice because your names are written in heaven.” Our reception of the Sacraments is an awesome reality. Through the Sacraments are given power from God. But the Sacraments point us to a higher purpose and end. This is especially true of the Eucharist. The Eucharist is a foretaste of Heaven. We aren’t in Heaven yet, but we are on the way. In fact, our names are written there.

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Liturgical Ministries
July 13—14, 2013

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**Auction Coordinator Needed by SMCC**

St. Mary Catholic Central High School seeks an energetic, creative, organized, and detail oriented person to fill the role of Auction Coordinator.

The Auction Coordinator is responsible for development, management, and execution of the school's annual Auction...A Celebration for Students. S/he is part of SMCC’s Advancement Team and reports to the school's President.

The selected candidate would spend one year in paid training under the current Auction Coordinator before her retirement after the April 2014 event. The position is a part-time, primarily seasonal, role with some work required in the late summer through fall, building through the winter and then full-time in the weeks leading up to the annual event.

Prior experience in event management, planning, or volunteer administration preferred. Applications should be sent to: Auction Coordinator Position, St. Mary Catholic Central, 108 West Elm Avenue, Monroe, MI 48162 or sjorgensen@smccmonroe.com.

For more information, including a complete job description, please visit the News section on the SMCC website at www.smccmonroe.com.

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**Office of Priestly Vocations**

**Did You Know...**

That in the past 5 years, over 73% of men ordained a Catholic priest stated on a questionnaire that they were once an altar boy? Therefore, the Office of Priestly Vocations is hosting a *Seminary Day for Altar Boys*, Thursday, August 1, 2013. If you are in 8th grade or older please consider attending to learn more about the vocations to the Catholic priesthood.

Visit our website to register as an individual or as a group or for more information: www.detroitpriest.com. Follow us on Facebook: Office of Priestly Vocations or Twitter @DetroitPriest.

Vocations, one of the seven mission priorities for the Archdiocese of Detroit!

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**Job Posting—Seeking Applications**

**Monroe Catholic Elementary School (MCES)** is seeking applications for the position of Principal (Grades 5-8).

Located in Monroe, Michigan, MCES is an extension of the catechetical and educational mission of the Eucharistic communities of St. Mary Parish, St. John the Baptist Parish, and St. Michael the Archangel Parish. MCES is an innovative co-educational, inter-parish school model that shares Christ in and through the Church via its Catholic day school programs (Infant/Toddler to Grade 8).

For further details about Monroe Catholic Elementary School or to view a full job description for the Principal position, including a list of qualifications, please visit www.mcesmonroe.com.

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**Help Wanted with RTL Parade Float**

Monroe Right to Life is planning a float for the Monroe County Fair parade July 28, 2013. See the bulletin board in the church vestibule for more details or contact Grace at 734-529-2739 as soon as possible.

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**Pray For Our Sick**

David Wielfaert, Helen Janus, Mary Schall, Elaine Johnson, Frank Lake, Darlene Bowles, Colleen Rauch, Jean DeBruyne, Harold Straub, Robert Katanski, Lori Meinke, Doreen DeLisle, George DeBruyne, John DeBruyne, Sr., Bill DeBruyne, Martha Rais, Joyce Wright, Kristen Meinke, Louis Krsaci, Bishop Francis Reiss, Troy A. Miller, Peggy DeBruyne, Katie McCracken, Elizabeth Cone, Monique Baber, Perry Castelnero, Sandy Yount, Amanda Williams, Lily Schmidt, Brennan Panzl, Nancy Scharboneau, Lorena DeBruyne, Janet Schuler, Tammy Antrim, Brit Antrim, Charlene Loop, Richard Burke, Marilyn Riter, Paul Gerweck, Doris Rogers, Clair Rigel, Craig Edmonds, Vicente Perez, Gloria Mannlein, Dennis Lay, James Moore, Lynn Tester and Marian Ternes.

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**NO TAXES FOR ABORTION INSURANCE**

An exciting opportunity is before Michigan citizens. By working together we can keep our tax dollars and insurance premiums from paying for abortions as a part of Michigan health care.

The federal health care reform law (Affordable Care Act), enacted in March 2010, requires that insurance exchanges be available in all 50 states by 2014. The ACA contains a special provision allowing the states to exclude abortion as a covered benefit. The petition drive needs to happen in 2013 so that Michigan can be ready for the federally required health exchanges which begin in 2014.

Michigan's Constitution allows the people to initiate legislation through a petition. The petition seeks to pass the Abortion Insurance Opt-Out legislation. The advantage of this approach is that the bill's language cannot be changed by the Michigan Legislature, nor can it be vetoed by the governor.

In order to propose this bill to the legislature, 258,000 valid signatures of registered voters must be gathered within 180 days. Once petitions are approved by the Board of Canvassers and submitted to the legislature, the legislation has 40 calendar days to act.

If a simple majority in both the House and Senate approves the bill, it becomes law without the governor's signature. The law would become effective 90 days after the end of the legislative session.

Please take a few moments to sign the petition. Abortion is not health care.

If you have any questions or you need official petition forms, please contact Michelle Burke at Right to Life at 517-265-4802.

For more information on this critical initiative, visit MichiganVoice.com or call (616) 532-2300.