



SACRED HEART & ST. NICHOLAS

CATHOLIC CHURCHES

Through the Intercession of St. Nicholas to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

AUGUST 21, 2022

**TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday Mass

Wednesday:

10:00 am @ Sacred Heart

7:00pm (Spanish) @ Sacred Heart

Thursday:

8:30am @ St. Nicholas

First Friday:

10:00 am @ Sacred Heart

Weekend Mass

Saturday:

6:00 pm @ St. Nicholas

Sunday:

9:00 am @ Sacred Heart

1:00 pm (Spanish) @ Sacred Heart

Confession

1 hour before Mass or by
appointment

LAST

“Some are last who will
be first, and some are
first who will be last.”

LUKE 13:30

“Pues los que ahora son los
últimos, serán los primeros;
y los que ahora son los
primeros, serán los últimos”.

LUCAS 13, 30

OUR LOCATIONS

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

700 Maple Vista St. Imlay City, Michigan 48444

St. Nicholas Catholic Church

4331 Capac Road, Capac, Michigan 48104

Phone Sacred Heart 810-724-1135 St. Nicholas 810-395-7572

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www.facebook.com/sacredheartstnicholas

PASTORAL STAFF

Moderator

Rev. Noel E. Cornelio

Family-Pastor

Rev. Brian Hurley

Senior Priest

Rev. Larry Delonay

Deacon

Deacon Bill Stimpson
(retired)

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday

Please call ahead to
ensure a staff member
will be present.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: By appointment; a
preparation class is required.

Matrimony: By appointment; a 6
month preparation period is required.

Anointing of the Sick: Please call the
office.

Quinceañeras: Please call the office.

COLLECTION REPORT

Sacred Heart

Item	8/15/2021	8/14/2022
# of Envelopes	50	60
In Envelopes	\$929.00	\$2,068.00
Loose	717.79	1,050.00
Altar Society	2,503.00	—
Assumption	381.00	185.00
Candles	—	108.00
Mass Stipends	10.00	150.00
Other	265.00	29.00
Wednesday	296.00	122.00
VBS	84.00	—
Total	\$5,185.79	\$3,712.00

St. Nicholas

Item	8/15/2021	8/14/2022
# of Envelopes	50	20
In Envelopes	\$1,121.00	\$780.00
Loose	420.00	194.00
Assumption	255.00	40.00
Food Pantry	—	120.00
Furnace	—	50.00
Maintenance	135.00	45.00
Mass Stipends	10.00	10.00
Other	25.00	—
Total	\$1,966.00	\$1,239.00

Thank you for your continued generosity and support!

GIVE ONLINE TODAY!

Visit our website to be directed to our online giving platform, via the Archdiocese of Detroit.

www.imalysacredheart.org

PARISHIONER DONATION ENVELOPES

July began the new year for donation envelopes for Sacred Heart. If you have not picked up your envelopes yet, they are in the Parish Office.

Please call the office if you are not registered at either Sacred Heart or St. Nicholas and wish to be. We will happily welcome you as official members and provide donation envelopes.

Thank you for your continued support.

ASSISTANCE

St. Vincent de Paul

Financial Assistance Program
NEW NUMBER: (810) 834-8530

St. Nicholas Food Pantry

Open every Friday from 9am to 2pm.

La Sociedad de San Vicente de Paul al Sagrado Corazón

Programa de asistencia financiera
NÚMERO NUEVO: (810) 834-8530

La despensa de alimentos al San Nicolas

Cada viernes, 9am - 2pm

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 20, 2022

St. Bernard
6:00pm at St. Nicholas
For John Mullally

Sunday, August 21, 2022

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00am at Sacred Heart
For +Mary (Peggy) Schutz
Req. by Pat & Donna Schweiger
For +Robert Harris
Req. by the Morris Family
1:00pm (Spanish) at Sacred Heart
Por nuestra familia de parroquias

Monday, August 22, 2022 - No Mass

The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Tuesday, August 23, 2022 - No Mass

St. Rose of Lima

Wednesday, August 24, 2022

St. Bartholomew
10:00am at Sacred Heart
For +Mary (Peggy) Schutz
Req. by Steve & Sheryl Upleger
7:00pm (Spanish) at Sacred Heart
Por nuestra familia de parroquias

Thursday, August 25, 2022

St. Louis; St. Joseph Calasanz
8:30am at St. Nicholas
For Our Family of Parishes

Friday, August 26, 2022- No Mass

Saturday, August 27, 2022

St. Monica
6:00pm at St. Nicholas
For John Mullally

Sunday, August 28, 2022

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00am at Sacred Heart
For +Mary (Peggy) Schutz
Req. by Steve & Sheryl Upleger
For +Mary Zammit
Req. by Ron Duso
1:00pm (Spanish) at Sacred Heart
Por nuestra familia de parroquias

MASS OFFERINGS

Please call the parish office, email staff@imalysacredheart.org or use the forms available in each church to have a Mass said. You can put the \$10 stipend in the offertory basket or mail it to the parish office.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

St. Nicholas: First Thursday after the 8:30am Mass
Sacred Heart: First Friday after the 10:00am Mass

FAMILY OF PARISHES

Thumb Vicariate Family 2

Mass Schedule

Immaculate Conception

Saturday	4:30pm
Sunday	8:00am, 10:00am 12:00pm (TLM-Latin)
Monday	9:00am
Tuesday	9:00am (TLM)
Thursday	9:00am (TLM)
First Friday	9:00am
First Saturday	9:00am
Holy Days	9:00am & 7:00pm
Confessions	Tues. after 9:00am Mass, Sat. 3:00-3:45pm, 1st Wed. 8:00pm, 1st Fri. 10:00am
Exposition	Thurs. after Mass until 7pm Benediction

Sacred Heart

Sunday	9:00am 1:00pm (Spanish)
Wednesday	10:00am & 7:00pm (Sp.)
First Friday	10:00am
Holy Days	10:00am
Confessions	1 hour before Masses
Exposition	Wed. & 1st Fri. 9:00am, Saturday 8:30pm - 12am

St. Cornelius

Saturday	4:00pm
Sunday	11:00am
Wednesday	9:00am
Holy Days	7:00pm
Confessions	3:00pm Sat. & after Wed. 9:00am Mass

St. Nicholas

Saturday	6:00pm
Thursday	8:30am
Confessions	after Thursday Mass

To learn more about the Archdiocese of Detroit's Families of Parishes, visit familiesofparishes.org

NOTE: the 7pm Sunday Spanish Mass at St. Cornelius has been cancelled.

PARISH STAFF

Renee Caputo Office Manager
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Debby Matyanowski Bookkeeper

Holly Shanefelt Music Minister
faithformshsn@gmail.com

Jacque King Director of Faith Formation

Tino Gonzalez St. Nicholas Maintenance

GOSPEL MEDITATION

August 21, 2022: 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

The serious disciple knows the necessity and value of discipline. Thinking of discipline as something punitive in nature, we underscore its place in our spiritual lives. Discipline is really about a radical trust in God and his guidance. "When you are conducted by a guide who takes you through an unknown country at night across fields where there are no tracks, by his own skill, asking no advice from anyone, giving no inkling of his plans, what choice do you have but to give yourself completely to his guidance? If you are convinced that he is a good guide, you must have faith in him and abandon yourself to his care (Jean-Pierre de Caussade)."

If someone wants to be physically fit, they readily find a competent trainer who sets them on a rigorous schedule. Determined to reach their goals, they sacrifice personal pleasure and trust in his guidance. Why should it be any different with God? In order to remain true to the way Jesus places before us, we have to listen, learn, and be willing to change. Falling in love with God and maintaining that relationship requires an investment of time, energy, and hard work. Putting personal preferences aside in pursuit of the Gospel and giving proper attention to our spiritual lives is challenging work. At first, "all discipline seems a cause not for joy but for pain, yet later it brings the peaceful fruit of righteousness to those who are trained by it (Hebrews)."

"What God does is essentially good. It does not need to be reformed or controlled...If you would live according to the Gospels, give yourself completely and simply to the action of God (Jean-Pierre de Caussade)." Submission to the holy will of God is not a submission to a set of pre-ordained set of circumstances. Rather, it is an abandonment and trust in God's creative, life-giving, and salvific power. God brings light out of darkness and life out of death. Nurturing this bond of trust and seeking God in all things creates an intimate and particular relationship and bond between our Creator and us. When He comes, there will be no issue with us recognizing Him or Him recognizing us. We will have met before. ©LPi

SACRED HEART CRAFT SHOW

The Altar Society is getting ready for our 3rd Annual Craft Show and Gift Basket Raffle on **Saturday, October 8, 2022** from 9am to 4pm. We are asking parishioners from all four churches in our Family to donate a complete Themed Gift Basket. (Ex. all things coffee or tea, family game night; use your imagination!)

Vendor registration forms are available.

Contact Jacque King for more information: 810-449-1048 or jacquemking@gmail.com

LIVESTREAM MASS

If you are unable to join us in person for Mass, you are always welcome to join St. Cornelius via their livestream on Facebook: search for St Cornelius Parish Dryden. Please check the Facebook page to determine if the 4pm Saturday or 11am Sunday Mass will be available.

MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

21 de agosto de 2022: 21er Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Hay palabras dichas por el propio Jesús en el Evangelio que son difíciles de comprender. Están puestas para sacudirnos de nuestro letargo. No es como recibir un mensajito lindo en el celular, ni como siempre decimos, "qué bonitas palabras dijo el sacerdote en su homilía". No basta, inclusive, el recibir la Eucaristía el domingo que asistimos a Misa. Se necesita permanecer íntimamente con él. Jesús no responde si son pocos o muchos los que se salvan. Sino que habla de una puerta angosta: "Esfuércense por entrar por la puerta angosta, porque yo les digo que muchos tratarán de entrar y no lo lograrán" (Lucas 13,24). Y para ayudarnos dice: "Pues los que ahora son los últimos, serán los primeros, y los que ahora son los primeros, serán los últimos" (Lucas 13,30). ¿Qué te parece?

Actualmente, el Papa Francisco habla de tres puertas y creo que ilumina mucho las palabras del Evangelio de hoy. "Orar, celebrar, imitar a Jesús: son las tres puertas que hay que abrir para encontrar el camino, para ir hacia la verdad y la vida". Aparentemente fácil, pero difícil de llevarse a cabo a la perfección. Cabe preguntarse lo siguiente: ¿Cómo va mi vida de oración de intimidad con Jesús? ¿Cómo celebro los Sacramentos? ¿De qué forma imito a Jesús? El Papa pide que pensemos en estas tres puertas, que nos harán mucho bien a todos. Sugerencia, abrir el Evangelio y leerlo en familia, es una forma de comenzar a entrar por la puerta angosta. ©LPi

WORD OF LIFE / PALABRA DE VIDA

"God's love—individual, real, unchanging—is the true source of our worth, identity, and dignity. It really is not a question of who we are, but rather whose we are. Because his love will never change, nothing can reduce our God-given dignity, and nothing can diminish the immeasurable worth of our lives." USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "How to Build a Culture of Life"

"Pero el amor de Dios, individual, real, inmutable, es la verdadera fuente de nuestra valía, identidad y dignidad. La cuestión no es quién soy sino de quién soy. Como su amor nunca cambiará, nada puede reducir nuestra dignidad dada por Dios ni la valía inconmensurable de nuestra vida." Secretariado de Actividades Pro-Vida de la USCCB "Edificar una cultura de vida"

SACRED HEART ALTAR SOCIETY BAKE SALE

This Weekend! Stop after Mass and support our Parish and take home some delicious baked goods!

Sunday, August 21st after the 9am and 1pm Masses.

IN SYMPATHY

Sacred Heart and St. Nicholas Parishes wish to extend their condolences to the family and friends of:

ARTHUR KANAZIZ, SR.

Eternal rest, grant unto him O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

CATECHIST ENRICHMENT NIGHT

**Monday, August 22, 7:00pm
at Sacred Heart**

Anyone planning to be or interested in being a Catechist, including parents, are encouraged to attend.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration forms for fall classes should be submitted as soon as possible. You can put them in the collection basket or mail or drop off at the parish office.

Jacque King will be collecting registrations after the 9am and 1pm Masses at Sacred Heart on August 28. Fees should be remitted before September 1. **Classes start the week of September 12.**

PRAYER REQUESTS

Dear God, we place our worries in Your hands and our sick under Your care and humbly ask that You restore Your servants to good health once more...

Rosa Aguinaga	Bob Hopp	Christopher Nani	Noah Whitney
Patricia Baker	Austin Hornfisher	Scott Nickens	Finn Woodworth
Emily Baron	David Hurt	Arlene Novak	
Martha Cadwell	Laura Jordan	Judy Palmieri	
Cecilia Clark	Lynn Kloc	Christopher Petersen	
Tom Decou	Joann Mattiacci	Juan Rios	
Thomas Dittrich	George Matyanowski	Caroline Rossmann	
Joyce Dupras	Linda McBryde	Mary Schwartzkof	
Brian Fedeson	Joann McCoy	Linda Sampson	
Gordon Ferrinton	Angie McCoy	Gary Shango	
Steve Glombowski	Becky McDougal	Henry Toering	
Teresa Gormley	Sonja McLeod	Bill Van Erp	
Rick Granata, Sr.	Sheri Miller	Christoph	
Diane Haskins	Unique E. Mills	Weinchester	
Gene Haskins	Hendrix Mroz	Mike Wennberg	



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For more information call Louis Parsch (810) 499-6234

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN TRAINING

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church will be hosting Protecting God's Children training Saturday Sept. 17 starting at 9 a.m. in the former Bishop Kelley Catholic School Community Room (lower level). This is mandatory safe environment training for all staff and volunteers. Visit Virtus.org to register.

PRAY THE ROSARY

* Thursday at 8:00am, before the 8:30am Mass at St. Nicholas
* Patriotic Rosary on the 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:30pm at Sacred Heart



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