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OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA | BULLETIN

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**Jesus said to them, "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." Then they abandoned their nets and followed him.
Mark 1:17-18**



WITH MARY, WE BRING PEOPLE TO CHRIST
TO LIVE THE LOVE OF GOD

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ORDINARY
TIME

mass times & information

SAT 4:00 p.m. (Vigil)
SUN 8:00 a.m.
 9:30 a.m.
 11:30 a.m.
MON 7:30 a.m.
TUE 7:30 a.m.
WED 7:30 a.m.
THU 7:30 a.m.
FRI 8:30 a.m.

OFFICE HOURS

MON 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
TUE 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
WED 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
THU 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
FRI 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
SAT Closed
SUN Closed
Holidays — Closed

BAPTISMS

Please call the parish office during the last months of pregnancy to arrange for Baptism classes and schedule the Sacrament.

RECONCILIATION

SAT 3:00 p.m. until all have been heard and by appointment

ANOINTING OF THE SICK/ MINISTRY TO THE SICK

The Church strongly encourages people to receive the Sacrament (Anointing) of the Sick at the early stages of serious sickness or before serious surgeries.

In emergency situations needing the prompt attention of a priest, please call the parish office.

MARRIAGE

Archdiocesan law requires advance notice of at least six months.

PARISH REGISTRATION

Newcomers to the parish may register in the Parish Office during regular office hours. Others, please notify the Parish Office of address changes.

Hearing devices are available for use during Mass. Please ask an usher for assistance.

Bulletin articles are due by 10:00 a.m. on Friday. Submitted bulletin content is subject for approval.

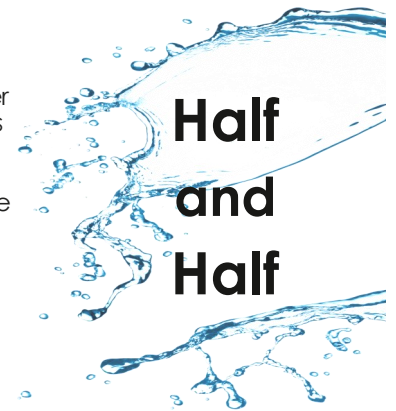
Next Sunday we begin our celebration of Catholic Schools Week. This is a time to draw attention and focus on the many good characteristics and significance of the Catholic Schools in the history of our society and Church. We might naturally think first of all about elementary schools. Many of us are products of Catholic elementary schools. Obviously, we also think of the many Catholic High Schools in our area or the ones we have attended. However, we can not forget about the significance of our many Catholic Colleges and Universities. All of these institutions have made a tremendous impact upon society and the Church through their graduates and their accomplishments. The education, discipline and formation provided in the schools have brought forth many great leaders, thinkers, achievers and individuals.

The parish of Our Lady Star of the Sea is obviously proud of its own elementary school. For 62 years our parish school has played a very significant role in the life of its students but also in the life of the parish. I think schools always add strength to a parish and the community. There is an increase of activity and with it a real sense of vitality. Throughout the whole year, through many different endeavors, they bring in items that assist the poor and needy. This education and formation that the students receive regarding Christian outreach is also tremendous and we hope will benefit many in the future.

The children are also blessed with so many other great aspects of their education, like up-to-date computers and technology, a great art, music and physical education program, a

drama program and so much more!! Not to mention the dedication and concern of our teachers and staff that bring forth excellence in our academics and joy in their students.

Our thanks to all the teachers, parents, students, staff and volunteers in our school. They are terrific! They do so much and we are so proud of everything they do and have accomplished. They are the reason we are nationally recognized as a School of Excellence!!! And thanks to all of the parishioners who help with the fundraisers and support of the school programs and activities. Through the Good Lord and all of our prayers, support and encouragement, Our Lady Star of the Sea School will continue to form and educate our youth to be great disciples of the Lord for 62 more



**Awaken is coming to
Star of the Sea**

**March 2,
April 6
May 4**

**Invite family, friends, and seekers
of a more fulfilling life.**

Prayer for Parents before Childbirth

Gracious Father,
 your Word, spoken in love, created the
 human family
 and, in the fullness of time,
 your son, conceived in love, restored it to
 your friendship.
 Hear the prayers of N. and N.,
 Who await the birth of their child.
 Calm their fears when they are anxious.
 Watch over and support these parents
 and bring their child into this world
 safely and in good health,
 so that as members of your family
 they may praise you and glorify you
 through your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ,
 now and for ever. *Nicholas*
 R: Amen.



years! May the Lord grant an abundance of blessings upon our school!

** Next Sunday we have our School Open House. Please help spread the word. Any new neighbors who have young children? Please let them know about our Open House or arrange for a tour at any time. Personal invite and word of mouth is the best advertising there is! It is next Sunday from noon until 3 pm. It is also the premier of the 2018 Student Art Fair, displaying the great art work of our students, as well as the middle school STREAM (Science, Technology, Religion, Engineering, Art and Mathematics) projects! Lots of great work for you to see! Everyone is

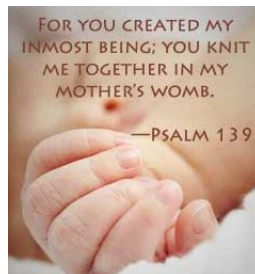
welcome to visit. Our school is very important in our parish mission to bring others to Christ to live the love of God!

** Monday is the Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children, the anniversary of the 1973 Roe v Wade decision that legalized abortion in our country. Please say your own prayers this day, e.g., a rosary, the chaplet of Our Lady Star of the Sea, etc., or one that is found elsewhere in this paper.

** Remember we have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the parish office chapel on Wednesdays between 11 am and 2 pm. We have lots to pray and offer to the Lord! A nice quiet oasis in the middle of the day. All are welcome.

** Have a blessed week in the Lord's peace.

Msgr. Gary Smetanka



First Grade Thank You

Our Star 1st grade students recently made Thank you cards for those who help in our liturgies. They were all so precious...they had to be shared! (Spelling is theirs!)

To Msgr. Gary:

Thac you for teching us a bat Jese.
Thak you for teching about God
Thank you for teshing us aboiwt God
Thank you four tes a bow God!

To Eucharistic Ministers:

Thank you for giving us the bredd and whin.

To Greeters:

Dar Groters, thank you for smiling at us.

To Altar Servers

Thank you for helping the priest. And givinge the priest the Bibel

To the Choir:

I luvu the misick at chrs a bowt God.
Thank you for singing in Cherch.
Thank yuo for singing about God

this week...

January 21- January 28

SUN 21 Fellowship Sunday
8:00 a.m. Mass
9:30 a.m. Mass
9:30 a.m. Kingdom Kids
10:45 a.m. Spirit & Life
11:30 a.m. Mass
3:00 p.m. DSO Concert

MON 22
7:30 a.m. Mass
7:00 p.m. WildTree Fundraiser
7:00 p.m. Right to Life Meeting

TUE 23
7:30 a.m. Mass
4:00 p.m. Religious Education
6:30 p.m. Religious Education
6:30 p.m. Spirit & Life
7:30 p.m. Rosary and chaplet

WED 24
7:30 a.m. Mass
9:30 a.m. Bible Study
11:00 a.m. Adoration until 2:00 p.m.
3:00 p.m. Rosary and Chaplet
7:00 p.m. High School CHOSEN
7:30 p.m. Bible Study

THU 25
6:30 a.m. Men's Fellowship
7:30 a.m. Mass

FRI 26
8:30 a.m. Mass

SAT 27
3:00 p.m. Confessions
4:00 p.m. Mass (Vigil)
5:00 p.m. KofC Italian Dinner

SUN 28 Catholic Schools' Week Fellowship Sunday
8:00 a.m. Mass
9:30 a.m. Mass
9:30 a.m. Kingdom Kids
11:30 a.m. Mass



Christian Service

january



Caregiver Support Group for family & friends of loved ones with memory loss or dementia.

Meet: Once a month, last Saturday of the month

Contact: Kurt O'Keefe
Koklaw@gmail.com

Homebound Ministry

If you or someone you know are unable to attend Mass and would like to share in the Eucharist, please call the Parish Office at 884-5554 to schedule a volunteer to bring you Holy Communion.

Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan

For more information about CCSEM or to make a donation online, please visit ccsem.org.

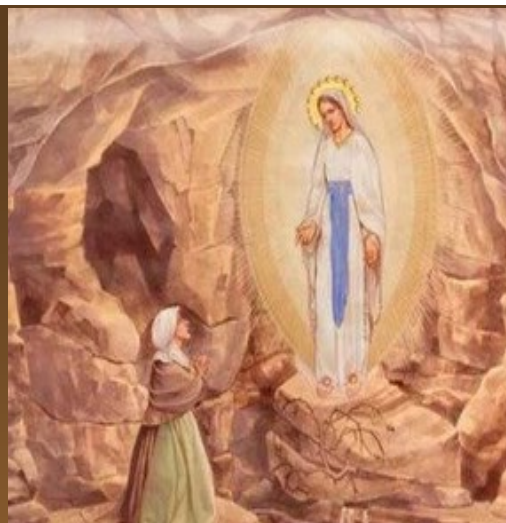


Our Lady
Star of the Sea
Catholic Parish

@StarOfTheSeaGP

World Day of the Sick

Sunday, February 11, 2018
11:00 am Mass



The Mass will include an anointing of the sick and a special blessing for caregivers and health care professionals.

Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament

9844 Woodward Ave., Detroit, MI

- ◆ Secure Onsite Parking
- ◆ Handicap Accessible

Join Archbishop H. Vigneron as he celebrates Mass for the sick, their loved ones, caregivers, and healthcare professionals.

Questions please call 586-416-2300 Ext. 4032
or email hyttinenj@ccsem.org

ALL Are Welcome. No registration required.





COMMUNITY SERVICE



Service Sundays 2018

Monthly Service Projects

Mother Teresa spoke about doing small things with great love.

If EVERY parishioner and family would participate monthly in our Christian Service projects, our small acts of kindness would become HUGE contributions to those who need us.

Monthly Drive

- January – restock our pantry to help others in need – any non perishable foods, canned goods, mac and cheese, peanut butter and jelly, soups, pastas, etc....
February – Peanut butter and Jelly Drive
March – Lenten Alms
April – Spring cleaning – cleaning products
May – Baby Products
June – Laundry supplies
July – Sundry Sunday – sample size Hygiene products
August – Back Pack Drive
September – coffee drive
October – Fleece material – Blanket making
November – Food Drive
December – Giving Tree

Please place items in the big white box in the gathering space

scripture readings

WEEK OF JANUARY 21

SUNDAY

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1 Cor 7:29-31; Mk 1:14-20

MONDAY

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children
2 Sm 5:1-7, 10; Ps 89:20, 21-22, 25-26; Mk 3:22-30

TUESDAY

Saint Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; Saint Marianne Cope, Virgin
2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19; Ps 24: 7, 8, 9, 10; Mk 3:31-35

WEDNESDAY

Saint Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
2 Sm 7:4-17; Ps 89:4-5, 27-28, 29-30; Mk 4:1-20

THURSDAY

The Conversion of Saint Paul the Apostle
Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18

FRIDAY

Saints Timothy and Titus, Bishops
2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10; Mk 4:26-34

SATURDAY

Saint Angela Merici
2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17; Mk 4:35-41

SUNDAY

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Dt 18:15-20; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9; 1 Cor 7:32-35; Mk 1:21-28



Wedding Anniversary Mass

Saturday, February 17 at 4:00pm for couples celebrating

a significant Wedding Anniversary in 2018 (25, 30, 35, 40, 45, or 50+ years)

All couples celebrating a significant Wedding Anniversary during 2018 are invited to join us for a special Mass and renewal of wedding vows.

Following Mass, there will be a wine and light hors d'oeuvre reception from 5 pm to 6 pm in The Pointe for the Anniversary Couples and their families/friends.

Please let us know if you would like to participate by completing the form below and returning it to the Parish Office no later than February 12.



Wedding Anniversary Mass Registration – Saturday, February 17, at 4:00pm

Last Name _____ Husband's First Name _____

Date of Marriage _____ Wife's First Name _____

Email Address _____ Phone _____

Number of people who will attend the reception – including the anniversary couple _____

Return form to the Parish Office or register by phone (884-5554) or e-mail (Parish@starqp.org) no later than February 12.



Our Lady Star of the Sea School is continuing to collect Box Tops For Education.

Box Tops can be sent to the school office or put into the collection container in the back of the Church.

FORMING OUR FAITH

**ATTENTION
TEENS!!**

VOLUNTEER IN **DETROIT**



**Make Winter Break Count
Give Back February 21st
9am-3:30pm**

Join Teen Ministries in a fun day of service in Detroit. We'll start our morning at the Chancery (which is the headquarters for the Archdiocese of Detroit) and then we'll end our afternoon ice skating at Campus Martius.

Cost: \$15.00

which includes transportation, lunch and ice skating

R.S.V.P. to Carolyn Mikula By February 14th

Questions: 586-859-3739

Schedule of Events for the Day

9am —Meet at Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish Office and leave for downtown
9:30 — Arrive at the Chancery office
9:30-10:00 —Tour the Chancery
10-11 —What is the New Evangelization & how did BL. Solanus Casey lived it.
11-12 —Making homeless bags
12 — Walk over to St Aloysius for Mass
12:15-12:45 — Mass
12:45-1:45 —Lunch at the Shake Shack
1:45-2:45 —Ice skating at Campus Martius
2:45-3:30 — Returning to Our Lady Star of the Sea

TEEN MINISTRY Bible Study

Jan. 29th 7:30-8:30 pm
Bible Study @ Chocolate
Bar Café.



For more information, call/
text Carolyn Mikula @
586-859-3739

Our Lady Star of the Sea Religious Education 2018 Food Drive Benefiting St. Jude Food Pantry

This time of the year, St. Jude's Food Pantry is severely depleted and they desperately need our help. If you are out shopping and find a sale on any of the below listed items why not pick up a few for the pantry? Your child(ren) can bring your donated food/items to their Religious Education Class **by January 30th** and we will deliver everything to St. Jude's Food Pantry. Thank you and God Bless You!



Peanut Butter Jelly Soup
Canned Tuna or Chicken Canned vegetables Spaghetti Sauce
Spaghetti Noodles Mac & Cheese Cereal
Toilet Paper Paper towel



UNLEASH THE GOSPEL

go and make disciples

The Feast of the Epiphany marked the visit of three stargazers from "the East." They were from outside Israel. They were foreigners and strangers.

Throughout the Old testament there was a struggle about who were the recipients of God's promise. Some believed only those in the bloodline and inheritance of Israel were the chosen ones.

That was at the heart of Paul's argument with Peter, whether the Gentiles -- the foreigners, the strangers and sojourners -- were to be received into the Body of Christ, or whether that was reserved only for those of Israelite blood and lineage.

We know the outcome. Paul preached the good news to those considered to be outside the covenant, and so we -- we, the Gentiles -- are included in the Body of Christ.

The message that comes across to me is that we need to see Jesus in everyone and reach out so that all feel truly welcome.

When we say all are welcome, do we really mean all? We need to mean everyone, even those who push us outside our comfort zone.

We need to make everyone feel the love of Jesus not just at the front door of church but in meetings and gatherings, in all areas of our lives.

"we need to see Jesus in everyone and reach out so that all feel truly welcome."

A friend gave me the "All are welcome card" that is available at his church in Florida. It is so inclusive and done in a humorous way. Here are few of the challenging words.

"We extend a special welcome to those who are single, married, divorced, gay, filthy rich, dirt poor."

"You're welcome here if you're "just browsing," just woke up or just got out of jail. We don't care if you're more Catholic than the Pope, or haven't been in church since little Joey's baptism."

"...to those who think the earth is flat, work too hard, don't work, can't spell, or came because grandma is in town and wanted to go to church. We welcome those who are inked, pierced or both."

There's a lot more on this card. It sends a great message. It ends this way:

"We welcome the flexible, inflexible, tolerant and intolerant, those who laughed as well as those who gasped at the welcome card. We welcome tourists, seekers, doubters, bleeding hearts and you."

One in the Spirit
Joanne Mualem
Evangelization Commission

Lend a Hand...



Middle School Ministry Service Morning

February 20th, 2018
10am-12:30pm in The Pointe

We'll spend our morning playing games, being crafty, and making gifts for the community. Then finish our morning with eating a delicious lunch. Come spend your day off giving back and feel the difference of volunteering.

For more information Contact Carolyn Mikula 586-859-3739 (call or text)

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e054aaca929a3f94-service>

Please pray for

the sick

Marie Brady
Robert Caldwell
Terry Cerwin
Cassidy Christie
Anthony Ciaravino
Patricia De Foe
Sharon De Long
Dr. William Collins
Jeanne Collins
Gladys Howe
Steve Kocsis
Kristina Mulder
Marilyn O'Bryan
Biagio Piccoro
Terry Ryba
Alexis Suppanz
Kelly Suppanz
Mike Trupiano
Fr. Francis Weingartz

those in the military

Joshua Bielak
Paul David Boni
James Patrick Carrier
Kyle Cone
Emily de Brun
Jason T. Erbecker
Ramon Lopez Garcia
Dylan Goitz
Kevin Hanley
Matt Helm
Matt Hoffman
Matthew Johnston
Justin Kelly
Paul Koss
Stephen La Barge
Matt Lacy
Kyle Lechner
Thomas Miller
Joseph Misuraca
Vincent Scalabrino
Meghan Servais
Dan Sheppard
Richard Shetler, III
Robert Skowronski
Michael Trondle
Michael Ullman
John Walker
Joseph Youngblood

Teacher Feature - Mrs. Trudel

The 7th and 8th grade science students at Star are hard at work this quarter. We are exploring many topics within the theme of STREAM (science, technology, religion, engineering, art, and mathematics). I am very proud of the work and effort my students have put forth this year.

Currently we are investigating the Cell in the 8th grade and Astronomy in the 7th grade. Thus far this quarter, the 8th grade students have extracted DNA from a strawberry, explored fermentation in yeast cells and cell transport in an egg as well as examined their cheek cells under the microscope. 7th grade students have investigated the concepts of seasons, phases of the moon, gravitational forces, and astronomical distances. The 7th and 8th grade



classes are involved in the engineering design process. Both classes were challenged this year to create a device that directly linked to one of the themes in Pope Francis' encyclical, *Laudato si*. The 8th grade had an extra challenge to tie in the importance of evangelical charity from *Unleash the Gospel*. The 8th grade Engineering Design Project and the 7th grade Invention Convention Project will incorporate both of these themes into their design.

I am truly blessed to be a part of the Star faith/school community and to work with budding scientists and leaders of the future. Thank you for your continued support of Star's STREAM program.

Mrs. Trudel

Knights of Columbus Italian Dinner

Welcome, Parishioners, Family, Neighbors, Friends!!

Help Launch Catholic Schools Week!

Italian Dinner -

Saturday January 27, 2018

5:00 - 7:30 pm in The Pointe



Think Spring! Share Fellowship! With days shortened and frigid, take a break to enjoy the evening and an Italian Dinner. The menu will feature light appetizers, spaghetti (GLUTEN FREE AVAILABLE), a variety of sauces, meatballs, Italian sausage, salad and rolls.

Tickets are priced at \$12.00 for adults (age 13 and beyond) and \$7.00 for children. There will be an interesting and diverse dessert table. Coffee and tea are complimentary (beer and wine are available for at will contributions). You will also experience a classical Italian musical background during the evening and children's events.

The Our Lady Star of the Sea Knights of Columbus Council is sponsoring this Italian Dinner for the benefit of the OLSOS School Tuition Assistance Program. Advance Ticket Sales Available at the Parish Office!

For additional information, contact
Dennis Janowski (313-884-2549)





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Join us

Sunday, January 28, 2018.

OPEN HOUSE

FEATURING: Fine Arts display and STREAM projects

Science, Technology, Religion, Engineering, Arts & Math

12:00 P.M. to 3:00 P.M.

- Tour the school ~ Meet the faculty & staff ~ Talk with students and parents.
 - Learn about the many academic, spiritual, and extra-curricular opportunities available to students.
 - Come share in the pride of Our Lady Star of the Sea School



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA MEN'S CLUB
— PRESENTS —

TEXAS HOLD'EM TOURNAMENT

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2018

7:00 - 11:30 PM GAME START: 8:00 PM

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ENTRY FEE: \$60

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IF PAYING BY CHECK, MAKE OUT TO: OLSOS MEN'S CLUB

Knights of Columbus – New Member Opportunity

The First Step – February 8, 2018

Sponsored by Our Lady Star of the Sea Council 7780

Council 7780 at Our Lady Star of the Sea is pleased to announce that First Degree Initiation Ceremonies for prospective new members will be held in the Pointe. There is a short application form to complete which will be followed by the Ceremony. Please be a part of the support of

Parish, School, and Community.

Service over Self!

Registration 6:45 PM

Ceremony 7:00 – 8:00 PM

Please see the OLSOS website for additional K of C history and organizational information – or – If there are any inquiries, please do not hesitate to use the following contact information.

Dennis Janowski
OLSOS Grand Knight
(313/884/2549)

Djanowski500@comcast.net



Spring Sport Registration for grades 5th – 8th for Baseball/ Softball/ Track

Open to Star School Student Athletes and Star Religious Education Student Athletes
(must be a baptized catholic).

Registration Period:
12/27/2017 - 01/31/2018
Register online at:
<http://starsports.assn.la/>

Cost/ Player: \$135.00
(**Only refundable** if there is no team or if a player gets cut from a team during tryouts)

Season runs: March 12 – May 16

Please register prior to January 31st to assist us with determining the proper number of teams to register with CYO.

New Ruling from CYO
for Spring of 2018
is as follows:

The spring season rules allow participation in the same sport in any other organized leagues **with the exception** of playing on a Junior High School, Middle School or Elementary School team with the following stipulations:

- Teams are allowed one (1) league game change during the regular season that is not due to a Parish/School function or that does not constitute an emergency (i.e. weather, building conditions, school closing, etc.)
- The CYO Athletic Department will not re-schedule any play-off or championship games without a signed letter from the Pastor/Principal that the participating team(s) has a Parish/School function.

For track – register on St Paul Parish/ School website.

Sports physical exam is required each year to be eligible to participate in CYO The physical must be **dated by the doctor after April 15, 2017.**

No student will be allowed to try out for any sport without having a sports physical on file with the Athletic Department. There are no exceptions to this requirement.

Any questions email:
olstarsports@yahoo.com

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to date with
what's happening
in our parish!



With Mary,
we bring people to Christ
to live the love of God.

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Winner's Choice Raffle

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2018 Mustang Convertible

or

\$10,000 in Cash

Only 400 tickets will be sold at \$100 each

Traveler's Choice Raffle

Choose your location for a one-week vacation in a luxury condominium for up to four people.

Location choices include:

Lake Tahoe Steamboat Springs

Orlando Los Cabos

Tickets \$25 each or 5 for \$100

Thank you Auction 2018 Patrons!

Patrons recorded as of January 13th. All contributions received by January 18th will be acknowledged in the Auction catalog.

Ms. Kay Abram
 Mr. James Alibri
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 Ms. Lynda Bonucchi
 Ms. Dolores Bradway
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Litany for Life

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.
 Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy.
 Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

God of all creation, Lord, have mercy.
 Christ, through whom

all things were made, Lord, have mercy.
 Spirit of life and truth, Lord, have mercy.

On each child just conceived Lord, have mercy.

For their safety and health Lord, have mercy.

For nine months of growth Lord, have mercy.

That an angel may protect them Lord, have mercy.

For peace and for hope Lord, have mercy.

On all new fathers, Lord, have mercy.

On fathers who are alone, Lord, have mercy.

On fathers unemployed, Lord, have mercy.

On fathers addicted, Lord, have mercy.

On fathers who are abusive, Lord, have mercy.

On young fathers who are afraid, Lord, have mercy.

On fathers who've run away, Lord, have mercy.

On all new mothers, Lord, have mercy.

On mothers who are alone, Lord, have mercy.

On mothers unemployed, Lord, have mercy.

On mothers addicted, Lord, have mercy.

On mothers who are abusive, Lord, have mercy.

On young mothers who are afraid, Lord, have mercy.

On mothers who are in pain, Lord, have mercy.

On those who defend life, Lord, have mercy.

On those who love the child in the womb, Lord, have mercy.

On those who pray for the unborn child, Lord, have mercy.

On all who work to change unjust laws, Lord, have mercy.

On all who live the Gospel of Life, Lord, have mercy.

On Congressmen who work for life, Lord, have mercy.

On our President, Lord, have mercy.

On the members of the House, Lord, have mercy.

On the members of the Senate, Lord, have mercy.

On all to little to vote or persuade, Lord, have mercy.

On all who work for life, Lord, have mercy.

On doctors of life and of truth, Lord, have mercy.

On residents who love the little child, Lord, have mercy.

On doctors who gaze on life's mysteries, Lord, have mercy.

On physicians who see into the womb,

Lord, have mercy.

On surgeons who heal the unborn child,

Lord, have mercy.

On all who defend the child in the womb,

Lord, have mercy.

On nurses who love little babies, Lord, have mercy.

On nursing students, Lord, have mercy.

On those who first hear the heartbeat,

Lord, have mercy.

On those who first feel a kick, Lord, have mercy.

On nurses who cradle the newborn, Lord, have mercy.

On nurses who foster the unborn, Lord, have mercy.

On all who protect defenseless life, Lord, have mercy.

On judges who struggle with justice, Lord, have mercy.

On lawyers who seek to speak truth, Lord, have mercy.

On judges who love life, Lord, have mercy.

On the judges of our Supreme Court, Lord, have mercy.

On those who argue before them, Lord, have mercy.

On the unborn child who rests in their hands,

Lord, have mercy.

On all victims of abortion, Lord, have mercy.

On the woman whose memories cause her to cry,

Lord, have mercy.

On those whose pain nags and holds on,

Lord, have mercy.

On the unborn who rest with God, Lord, have mercy.

On all who seek mercy, Lord, have mercy.

On all who seek peace, Lord, have mercy.

On all who seek healing,

and mercy and perfect peace, Lord, have mercy.

God our loving Father,

grant wisdom to those who govern us,

compassion and courage

to those who work to defend human life,

and safety and care to every human being.

For you alone who formed us in our mother's wombs,

and who call us home to heaven,

are God, for ever and ever. Amen.

In memoriam

1/21/1980 William Busch
 1/21/1986 Amelia Fratti
 1/21/1987 Margaret Seuryneck
 1/21/2007 Ronald Houle
 1/22/1961 Albert Hahn
 1/22/1986 Helen Cornell
 1/22/1995 Eva Hinding
 1/22/2001 Jeanette Bozick
 1/22/2002 Robert Burman
 1/22/2015 Marie DiGuilio
 1/22/2017 Mildred Naeyaert
 1/23/1976 Genevieve Olesak
 1/23/1982 Norma Schwanitz
 1/23/1984 Agnes Totz
 1/23/1986 Ralph Brennecke
 1/23/1987 James King
 1/23/1999 Emma Wehby
 1/23/2002 Joseph Gallotti
 1/23/2008 Scott Ulrich
 1/23/2016 José Cosio
 1/24/1963 Louis Reid
 1/24/1964 William Mayer
 1/24/1980 Joseph Lacavera
 1/24/1981 Harold Groff
 1/24/1986 Mary Jo Ferrar
 1/24/1989 Catherine McBride
 1/24/1991 Janet Gaynor
 1/24/2017 Mary Graessle
 1/25/1965 Elizabeth Hammer
 1/25/1967 Ruth Calcaterra
 1/25/1978 Lydia Liamini
 1/25/1981 Carrie Siewert
 1/25/1987 Hazel Baker
 1/25/1987 Harold Staats
 1/25/1991 Stephen Campau
 1/25/1998 John Gillis
 1/25/2007 Elizabeth Scully
 1/26/1982 Mary Patricia Ray
 1/26/2011 Cecilia Malooly
 1/27/1962 Henry Petrucci
 1/27/1980 Marjorie Hall
 1/27/1984 Cross Mocerri
 1/27/1986 Joan McCarron
 1/27/1990 Dorothy DeForest
 1/27/1997 John H. Walsh
 1/28/1970 Marie Bisschop
 1/28/1988 Frank Colombo
 1/28/1990 Josephine Bartlett
 1/28/1997 Thomas Sine
 1/28/2008 Ilene Barron

Mass Intentions

MONDAY, JANUARY 22

7:30 a.m.
 † Frank & Josephine M. Colombo
 † Elizabeth Orlowski

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23

7:30 a.m.
 † Leonard, Ethel & Helen Hart
 † Emilie Marshall
 † Bryan Smith

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24

7:30 a.m.
 † Silvio Marcozzi

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25

7:30 a.m.
 † Elsie & William Connors
 Bettejean Ahee

FRIDAY, JANUARY 26

8:30 a.m.
 † Lewis Aemisegger
 † Charles Burson
 † Betty Kelly
 † Ray Kettel, Sr.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27

4:00 p.m.
 † Pete & Connie Cracchiolo
 † Tom Sine
 † Vito Spinelli
 † Wilfred White

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28

8:00 a.m.
 Victoria Treder
9:30 a.m.
 † Lewis Aemisegger
 † Lu Schwikert
 † Robert Ellis

11:30 a.m.
 † Virginia Muschenski
 † Dick Flynn
 † Virginia Reardon
 † Elizabeth Licata
 † Robert LeFevre
 OLSOS Parishioners



WORSHIP SCHEDULE

January
27/28

SAT 4:00PM	SUN 8:00AM	SUN 9:30AM	SUN 11:30AM	
Msgr. Gary Smetanka	Msgr. Gary Smetanka	Fr. Marko Djonovic	Fr. Marko Djonovic	CELEBRANT
Kerry Schaeffner	Tom Kliber	Karen Gagnier	David Franks	LECTOR
Saturday Team	Team A	Team C	Team E	USHERS
Dave Barthel Randy Eissa Mary Ann Fox Bill Quinlan Joe Rabaut Paul Ventimiglia	John Carnaghi Vito Cusenza Mike McNamee Rob Sattler Margaret Spindler Jerry Varani Ron Wehrmann	Greg Bourgoin Paul Mazzara Jerry Moore Tim Northey Jack Szpytman Ernest Valentino	Pat Arsenault Martin Ellis Tom McDonald Matt Savage George Schena Bill Viviano	
R. O'Brien M. Tranchida W. Seymour	S. Latiff T. Drawbaugh J. Drawbaugh	K. Armbruster M. Walter J. Gehlert	M. Lucido M. Siciliano J. Siciliano	ALTAR SERVERS
Donald & Leanne Wisniewski	Michelle Rheume	Mike & Sharlene Held & Family	Mary Lou LeFevre	GREETERS
Larry & Ginny Simon	Terry & Jerry Varani	Ray & Joan Kettel	Ron & Marijude Johnson	SACRISTIAN
Amy Clor Kerry Vlahantones		Ray & Joan Kettle Marie Miller Pam Burke		PRAYER MINISTERS

Holy Water Care



January 26 Liz Abood
February 2 Marie Schwanitz
February 9 Charlotte Elis
February 16 Joe Ortisi

Please contact Elsie Surmout at 313-884-3084

Altar Servers

Monday, January 22
7:30 a.m. P. Roustemis, M. Roustemis
Tuesday, January 23
7:30 a.m. P. Roustemis, M. Roustemis
Wednesday, January 24
7:30 a.m. C. Nwoke, C. Nwoke
Thursday, January 25
7:30 a.m. C. Nwoke, C. Nwoke
Friday, January 26
8:30 a.m. S. Michael, L. Schena, L. Cavaliere

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament



HOLY HOUR

February 5, 2018
7:30pm - 8:30pm
 In Church

Wednesdays

11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
 Chapel in the Parish Offices
 (Enter through the Parish Office Lobby)

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News in our Community



The Youth Leadership Development Department assists in the spiritual and personal development of youth by empowering them to become leaders in their schools, faith communities, groups and neighborhoods and to develop the youth's understanding of the value of self, service, social justice and multiculturalism.

† The Rainbow conference unites high school students for a variety of events and workshops that emphasize spiritual growth, leadership development, community service, and teen issues. The CYO Youth Council works throughout the year to plan, develop, and implement this teen conference for their high school peers. Rainbow is an annual two-day conference with three tracks (teen issues, life skills and spiritual growth) for over 1,500 9th through 12th grade students and their adult leaders.

† The Wind Conference assembles and recognizes over 500 junior high school students (7th and 8th grade) and again is planned and implemented by a youth group for their peers. It is a one day conference at a local parish

Visit AQ – Aquinas College Celebrates Catholic Schools Week

In honor of Catholic Schools Week, Aquinas College invites all high school juniors and seniors to come explore Catholic higher education by visiting campus the week of Jan 29 – Feb 3. As part of this invitation, all students who visit this week will receive an exclusive AQ Swag Bag!

Aquinas is excited to share their commitment to the Dominican tradition of the Catholic faith and hopes to see many new faces on campus as part of this special week. Please visit aquinas.edu/personal for more details or to schedule.

Priestly Vocations

Please pray for the men discerning a call to the priesthood during this weekend's discernment weekend at Sacred Heart Major Seminary in Detroit.

Thanks to your gifts to the Catholic Services Appeal, the archdiocesan Office of Priestly Vocations offers these firsthand, up close, and stress-free looks at seminary life several times a year. They include presentations on the four pillars of formation (Spiritual, Human, Intellectual and Pastoral fellowship), which are the foundation of the seminary formation program, as well as time for fellowship and prayer.

The next discernment weekend, for men who are high school seniors to 55 years old, will be held March 22-25. Details about discernment weekends and discernment overnights, for high school freshmen to juniors, can be found at detroitpriest.com.

For more information about CSA-funded ministries, programs, and services, please go to aod.org.